

Lectures 11 and 12

We did some induction proofs.

We showed that any boolean function can be expressed in terms of $\vee$, $\wedge$ and $\neg$. We did this by introducing the *Disjunctive Normal Form*, a disjunction of conjunctive clauses, and *Conjunctive Normal Form*, e.g.

$$(p \wedge \neg q) \vee (\neg p \wedge \neg q \wedge r \wedge s) \vee (\neg p \wedge \neg q \wedge \neg r) \vee (q \wedge r)$$

a conjunction of disjunctive clauses, e.g.

$$(p \vee q) \wedge (p \vee \neg q \vee r) \wedge (\neg p \vee \neg q \vee \neg r) \wedge (q \vee r)$$

Finally we used inclusion exclusion to compute the cardinality of types of functions with domain and targets finite sets, $f : A \rightarrow B$, $|A| = n$, $|B| = m$.

Ordinary: m^n .

One to one ($m > n$): $\frac{m!}{(m-n)!}$.

One to one and onto ($m = n$): $m!$.

Onto ($m < n$): $\sum_{k=0}^m (-1)^k \binom{m}{k} (m-k)^n$.

Exercises for Lectures 11 and 12

- Express $p \Rightarrow (q \wedge r)$ into disjunctive normal form.
- Express $p \Rightarrow (q \Rightarrow r)$ in either conjunctive normal form, or disjunctive normal form.
- Express $(p \Rightarrow q) \Rightarrow r$ in either conjunctive normal form, or disjunctive normal form.
- Express $(p \Rightarrow q) \Rightarrow r$ in either conjunctive normal form, or disjunctive normal form.
- Express $p \vee (q \wedge r) \vee (q \wedge \neg r)$ in conjunctive normal form.
- Express $p \vee (q \wedge r) \vee (q \wedge \neg r)$ in conjunctive normal form.
- Let $A = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5\}$ and $B = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8\}$. How many onto functions are there from A to B ?
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- Let $C = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5\}$ How many onto functions are there from $\mathcal{P}_2(A)$ to $\mathcal{P}_3(A)$?
How many onto functions are there from $\mathcal{P}_2(A)$ to A ?