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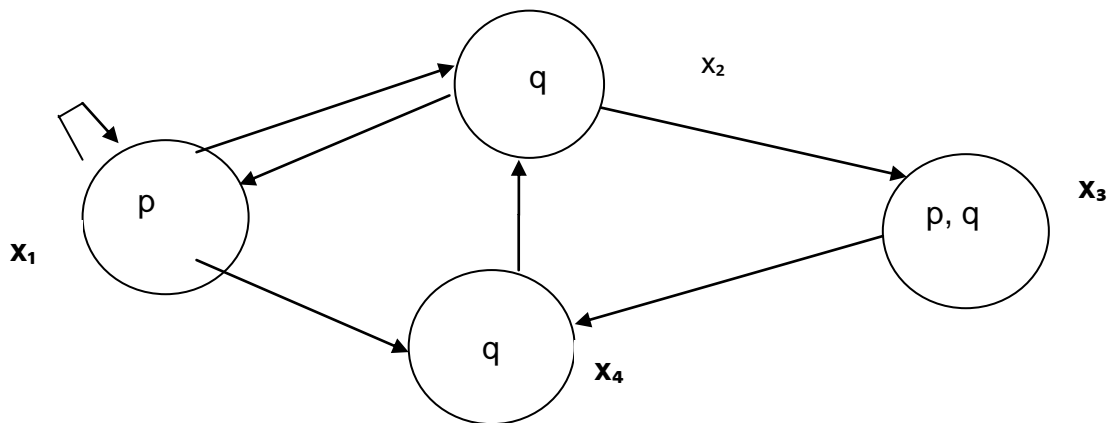


Figure 1: Kripke model used in Questions 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5

QUESTION 1

In which world of the Kripke model in Figure 1 is the formula $\diamond p \wedge \Box q$ true?

Option 1: world x_1

For $\diamond p \wedge \Box q$ to be true in world x_1 , $\diamond p$ should be true in world x_1 and $\Box q$ should be true in world x_1 . For $\diamond p$ to be true in world x_1 , p must be true in at least one world accessible from x_1 . The worlds accessible from x_1 is x_1 , x_2 and x_4 . where p is true in x_1 . Also q is true in all the worlds accessible from x_1 . Therefore the entire formula is true in world x_1 ...

Option 2: world x_2

For $\diamond p \wedge \Box q$ to be true in world x_2 , $\diamond p$ should be true in world x_2 and $\Box q$ should be true in world x_2 . For $\diamond p$ to be true in world x_2 , there should be at least one world accessible from x_2 where p is true. The world accessible from x_2 is x_1 and x_3 where p is true. For $\Box q$ to be true in world x_2 , q must be true in all All the worlds accessible from x_2 which are and x_3 but q is false in x_1 . Therefore the formula is not true in **world** x_2

Option 3: world x_3 ,

For $\diamond p \wedge \Box q$ to be true in world x_3 , $\diamond p$ should be true in world x_3 and $\Box q$ should be true in world x_3 . For $\diamond p$ to be true in world x_3 , p must be true in at least one world accessible from x_3 . The only world accessible from x_3 is x_4 . But p is false in world x_4 . Therefore the formula is not true in x_3 .

Option 4: Option 1 and Option 3 is true.

Option 5: The formula is not true in any world of the Kripke model.

QUESTION 2

Which of the following does not hold in the Kripke model in Figure 1?

Option 1: $x_1 \Vdash \diamond \diamond p$

The relation holds. For $\diamond \diamond p$ to be true in x_1 , there must be at least one world accessible from x_1 , where $\diamond p$ is true. The world accessible from x_1 are x_2 and x_4 . $\diamond p$ is true in x_2 since x_3 is accessible from x_2 and p is true in x_3 . Therefore the relation holds.

Option 2: $x_2 \Vdash \Box p$

The relation holds. For $\Box p$ to be true in world x_2 , p must be true in all the worlds accessible from x_2 which are x_3 and x_1 . Therefore the relation holds.

Option 3: $x_3 \Vdash \Box p \wedge \Box q$

The relation does not hold. For $\Box p \wedge \Box q$ to be true in x_3 , both of $\Box p$ and $\Box q$ must be true in world x_3 . In other words both p and q must be true in all worlds accessible from x_3 . The only world accessible from x_3 which is x_4 where p is false. Therefore relation does not hold.

Option 4: $x_4 \Vdash \Box \Box p$

For $\Box \Box p$ to be true in x_4 , $\Box p$ must be true in all worlds accessible from x_4 , namely x_2 . For $\Box p$ to be true in x_2 , namely x_1 and x_3 . p is true in x_1 and x_3 , so the relation holds.

Option 5: None of the above options are true

QUESTION 3

Which of the following holds in the Kripke model given in Figure 1?

Option 1: $x_1 \Vdash \Box p$

For $\Box p$ to be true in world x_1 , p must be true in all the worlds accessible from x_1 which are world x_2 , and world x_4 . But neither the worlds x_2 and x_4 have p in them. Therefore the relation does not hold.

Option 2: $x_2 \Vdash \Diamond(p \vee q)$

For $\Diamond(p \vee q)$ to be true in world x_2 , $p \vee q$ must be true in at least one world accessible from x_2 . The worlds accessible from x_2 are x_1 and x_3 . $p \vee q$ is true in x_1 . Therefore the relation holds.

Option 3: $x_3 \Vdash \Diamond p \wedge \Box \neg q$

For $\Diamond p \wedge \Box \neg q$ to be true in world x_3 , both $\Diamond p$ and $\Box \neg q$ must be true in world x_3 . But $\Diamond p$ is false in x_3 because p is not true in the world accessible from x_3 , namely x_4 . Therefore the relation does not hold.

Option 4: $x_4 \Vdash \Box(p \wedge q)$

For $\Box(p \wedge q)$ to be true in world x_4 , $p \wedge q$ must be true in all the worlds accessible from x_4 which is x_2 . But p is not true in world x_2 . Therefore the relation does not hold.

Option 5: None of the options above holds in the given Kripke model in Figure 1.

QUESTION 4

Which of the following formulas is true in the Kripke model given in Figure 1?

Option 1: $\Diamond p$

The formula is false in the worlds x_3 because there is no world accessible from x_3 in which p is true. Therefore the formula does not hold in the Kripke model in Figure 1.

Option 2: $\Box q$

The formula is false in the world x_2 because x_1 is accessible from x_2 and q is not true there. Therefore the formula does not hold in the Kripke model figure 1.

Option 3: $\Box \Diamond q$

The formula holds in the Kripke model Figure1 as it is true in all the worlds in the given Kripke model. Check this yourself.

Option 4: $\Box p$

The formula does not hold as it is false in the worlds x_1 , x_3 and x_4 . Check this yourself.

Option 5: None of the options above is true in the Kripke model in Figure 1.

QUESTION 5

Which of the following formulas is false in the Kripke model given in Figure 1?

Option 1: $p \vee q$

The formula is true in all the worlds in the Kripke model in Figure 1.

Option 2: $\Box \Diamond p$

The formula is false in world x_3 . because the worlds accessible from x_3 .

Option 3: $\Box (p \vee q)$

The formula is true in all worlds in the Kripke model in Figure 1.

Option 4: $p \vee \Diamond q$

In world x_1 , p is true and $\Diamond q$ is also true. This implies that world accessible from x_1 , is world x_2 where q is also true. Therefore the formula is true in x_1 .

In world x_2 , p is false but the world accessible from x_2 which is x_3 where q is true. Therefore the formula is true in x_2 .

In world x_3 , p is true and $\Diamond q$ is also true in world c because the world accessible from x_3 is the world x_4 where q is true. Therefore the formula is true in x_3 .

In world x_4 , p is false but $\Diamond q$ is true because the world accessible from world x_4 is world x_2 where q is true. Therefore the formula is true in x_4 .

Option 5: None of the above options are false in the Kripke model in Figure 1.

QUESTION 6

If we interpret $\Box \phi$ as "It ought to be that ϕ ", which of the following formulas correctly expresses the English sentence

It ought to be that if I will get a gold medal then I it is permitted that I will get a gold medal.

where p stands for the declarative sentence "I will get a gold medal"?

Option 1: $\Box(p \rightarrow \neg \Box \neg p)$

Option 2: $\Box(p \rightarrow \neg \Diamond p)$

Option 3: $\Box p \rightarrow \Diamond \neg p$

Option 4: $\Box p \rightarrow \Box p$

Option 5: It is impossible to translate this sentence into a formula of modal logic with the required interpretation.

QUESTION 7

If we interpret $\Box \phi$ as "It is necessarily true that ϕ ", why should the formula scheme $\Box \phi \rightarrow \Box \Box \phi$ hold in this modality?

Option 1: Because for all formulas ϕ , it is necessarily true that if ϕ then ϕ .

Option 2: Because for all formulas ϕ , if ϕ is necessarily true, then it is necessary that it is necessarily true.

Option 3: Because for all formulas ϕ , if ϕ is not possibly true, then it is true.

Option 4: Because for all formulas ϕ , ϕ is necessarily true if it is true.

Option 5: $\Box \phi \rightarrow \Box \Box \phi$ should not hold in this modality

QUESTION 8

If we interpret $\Box \phi$ as "After any execution of program P , ϕ holds", why should the formula scheme $\Box \phi \rightarrow \Diamond \phi$ not hold in this modality?

Option 1: Because it is not the case that if ϕ holds after every execution P , then ϕ does not hold after some execution of P .

Option 2: Because for a program P that never executes correctly, there is no execution of P after which ϕ holds.

Option 3: Because even if there is some execution of P after which ϕ does not hold, it doesn't mean that ϕ does not hold after any execution of P .

Option 4: Because there may be a program P such that even though ϕ holds after every execution P , ϕ does not hold after some execution.

Option 5: $\Box \phi \rightarrow \Diamond \phi$ should hold in this modality, because if ϕ holds after every execution of P , it should hold after at least one execution of P .

QUESTION 9

If we interpret $\Box \phi$ as "Always in the future (where the future does not include the present) it will be true that ϕ ", which of the following formulas should be valid?

Option 1: $\Box p \rightarrow p$

Option 2: $\Box p \rightarrow \Box \Box p$

Option 3: $\Box p \rightarrow \Diamond p$

Option 4: $\Box p \vee \Box \neg p$

Option 5: All of these formulas should hold in this modality.

QUESTION 10

If we interpret $\Box \phi$ as "Agent A believes ϕ ", what is the English translation of the formula $\Box p \rightarrow \Box \Diamond q$?

Option 1: If agent A believes p then agent B believes not q.

Option 2: If agent A believes p then he believes that agent B does not believe q.

Option 3: If agent A believes p then he believes that he does not believe q.

Option 4: Agent A believes p and he believes that agent B believes not q.

Option 5: Agent A believes p but he doesn't believe q.

QUESTION 11

If we interpret $\Box \phi$ as "Agent A believes ϕ ", what formula will be correctly translated to English as

If agent A believes p then he believes not q

Option 1: $\Box p \rightarrow \Box \neg q$

Option 2: $\Box (p \rightarrow \neg q)$

Option 3: $\Box p \rightarrow \Diamond q$

Option 4: $\Box p \rightarrow \Diamond \neg q$

Option 5: $\Diamond (\neg p \vee \neg q)$

QUESTION 12

If we interpret K_i as agent i knows ϕ , the formula scheme $\neg\phi \rightarrow K_1 \neg K_1 \phi$ means

Option 1: If ϕ is true then agent 1 knows that he does not know ϕ

Option 2: If ϕ is false then agent 1 knows that he does not know ϕ

Option 3: If ϕ is true then agent 1 knows that he knows ϕ

Option 4: If ϕ is false then agent 1 knows that he knows ϕ

Option 5: None of the above is correct

The following natural deduction proof (without reasons) is referred to in Questions 13, 14 and 15:

1	$\neg \Box \neg (p \rightarrow q)$	premise
2	$\Box p$	
3	$\Box \neg q$	
4	$p \rightarrow q$	assumption
5	p	$\Box e$ 2
6	q	$\rightarrow e$ 4, 5
7	$\neg q$	$\Box e$ 3
8	\perp	$\neg e$ 6, 7
9	$\neg (p \rightarrow q)$	$\neg i$ 4 - 8
10	$\Box \neg (p \rightarrow q)$	$\Box i$ 4 - 9
11	\perp	$\neg e$ 10, 1
12	$\neg \Box \neg q$	$\neg i$ 3 - 11
13	$\Box p \rightarrow \neg \Box \neg$	$\rightarrow i$ 2 - 12

QUESTION 13

How many times are \Box elimination and introduction rules used in the above proof?

Option 1: None

Option 2: \square elimination and \square introduction once are both used only once.

Option 3: \square elimination is used only once but \square introduction twice.

Option 4: \square elimination is used twice but \square introduction only once.

Option 5: \square elimination and \square introduction are both used twice.

QUESTION 14

What is the correct reason for steps 1, 2 and 3 of the above proof?

Option 1: 1 premise
2 assumption
3 assumption

Option 2: 1 premise
2 $\neg e$ 1
3 $\neg i$ 2

Option 3: 1 assumption
2 $\neg e$ 1
3 $\square e$ 4

Option 4: 1 assumption
2 $\square i$ 2
3 assumption

Option 5: 1 premise
2 $\square i$ 1
3 $\neg i$ 2

QUESTION 15

What sequent is proved by the above proof?

Option 1: $\diamond \top \vdash \square p \rightarrow \diamond p$

Option 2: $\vdash \square p \rightarrow \diamond p$

Option 3: $\neg \square \perp \vdash \square p \rightarrow \neg \square \neg q$

Option 4: $\vdash \neg \square \neg (p \rightarrow q) \rightarrow (\square p \rightarrow \neg \square \neg q)$

Option 5: It's impossible to say without the reasons.

The following incomplete natural deduction proof is referred to in Questions 16 and 17:

1	$\Box p$	assumption
2	$\Box \neg p$	assumption
3	$\neg \Box p$	
4	\perp	
5	$\neg \Box \neg \Box p$	\neg 2-4
6	$\Box p \rightarrow \neg \Box \neg \Box p$	

QUESTION 16

What formulas and their reasons are missing in steps 3 and 4 of the above proof?

Option 1: 3 $\neg \Box p$ axiom T 2
 4 \perp \neg e 1, 3

Option 2: 3 $\neg \Box p$ axiom T 2
 4 \perp \neg e 1, 2

Option 3: 3 $\neg \Box p$ axiom T 2
 4 \perp \neg e 2, 3

Option 4: 3 $\neg \Box p$ axiom T 1
 4 \perp \neg e 1, 3

Option 5: None of the above.

QUESTION 17

What rule is used in line 6?

Option 1: \rightarrow i

Option 2: \neg e

Option 3: \rightarrow e

Option 4: \neg i

Option 5: KT45

QUESTION 18

What proof strategy would you use to prove the following sequent:

$$\Box (p \wedge q) \vdash_{KT4} \Box \Box p \wedge \Box \Box q$$

Option 1:

- Open a solid box and start with $\Box (p \wedge q)$ as an assumption.
- Use axiom T to remove the \Box to get $p \wedge q$.
- Use \wedge elimination twice to obtain the separate atomic formulas.
- Use axiom 4 twice, i.e. once on each atomic formula, to add a \Box to each.
- Use axiom 4 twice, i.e. once on $\Box p$ and once on $\Box q$, to get $\Box \Box p$ and $\Box \Box q$.
- Combine $\Box \Box p$ and $\Box \Box q$ using \wedge introduction.
- Close the solid box to get the result.

Option 2:

- Start with $\Box (p \wedge q)$ as a premise.
- Use axiom T to remove the \Box to get $p \wedge q$.
- Open a dashed box and use \wedge elimination twice to obtain the separate atomic formulas.
- Use axiom 4 twice, i.e. once on each atomic formula, to add a \Box to each.
- Close the dashed box and use \Box introduction twice, i.e. once on $\Box p$ and once on $\Box q$, to get $\Box \Box p$ and $\Box \Box q$.
- Combine $\Box \Box p$ and $\Box \Box q$ using \wedge introduction.

Option 3:

- Start with $\Box (p \wedge q)$ as a premise.
- Open a dashed box and use \Box elimination to get $p \wedge q$.
- Use \wedge elimination twice to obtain the separate atomic formulas.
- Close the dashed box and use \Box introduction twice, i.e. once on each atomic formula.
- Use axiom 4 twice, once on $\Box p$ and once on $\Box q$, to get $\Box \Box p$ and $\Box \Box q$.
- Combine $\Box \Box p$ and $\Box \Box q$ using \wedge introduction.

Option 4:

- Open a solid box and start with $\Box (p \wedge q)$ as an assumption.
- Open a dashed box and use \Box elimination to get $p \wedge q$.
- Use \wedge elimination twice to obtain the separate atomic formulas.
- Use axiom 4 twice, i.e. once on each atomic formula, to add a \Box to each.
- Close the dashed box and use \Box introduction twice, i.e. once on $\Box p$ and once on $\Box q$, to get $\Box \Box p$ and $\Box \Box q$.
- Close the solid box to get the result.

Option 5: This is not a valid sequent in KT4.

QUESTION 19

If we interpret $K_i \phi$ as "Agent i knows ϕ ", what is the English translation of the formula $\neg K_1 K_2 p \rightarrow q$?

Option 1: Agent 1 knows that agent 2 doesn't know that p implies q .

Option 2: Agent 1 doesn't know that agent 2 knows that p implies q .

Option 3: If agent 1 knows that agent 2 doesn't know p , then q .

***Option 4:* If agent 1 doesn't know that agent 2 knows p , then q .**

Option 5: Agent 1 knows that if agent 2 doesn't know p , then q .

QUESTION 20

If we interpret $K_i \phi$ as "Agent i knows ϕ ", what formula of modal logic is correctly translated to English as

If agent 1 does not know not p then agent 2 doesn't know q .

Option 1: $K_1 p \rightarrow K_2 \neg q$

Option 2: $\neg (K_1 p \wedge K_2 q)$

Option 3: $K_1 (p \rightarrow \neg K_2 q)$

Option 4: $K_1 \neg K_2 (p \rightarrow q)$

***Option 5:* $\neg K_1 \neg p \rightarrow \neg K_2 q$**