

**HOMEWORK 10**  
**MATH 430, SPRING 2014**

Recall the result from last homework, that if  $\mathfrak{B} \models PA$ , then it is an end extension of  $\mathfrak{A}$  (the standard model). Use this for the following problem.

- Problem 1.** (1) Suppose that  $\phi$  is a  $\Sigma_1$  formula and  $\mathfrak{A} \models \phi$ . Show that  $PA \models \phi$ . I.e. show that any  $\mathfrak{B} \models PA$  is a model of  $\phi$ .  
 (2) Suppose that  $\phi$  is a  $\Pi_1$  formula and for some model  $\mathfrak{B}$  of  $PA$ ,  $\mathfrak{B} \models \phi$ . Show that  $\mathfrak{A} \models \phi$ .

For  $i < n$ , define the projection  $P_i^n : \mathbb{N}^k \rightarrow \mathbb{N}$  to be  $P_i^n(x_0, \dots, x_{n-1}) = x_i$ . The **primitive recursive functions** are functions  $f : \mathbb{N}^k \rightarrow \mathbb{N}$  that are built up from the constant function  $x \mapsto 0$ , successor, and projection, by applying composition and the primitive recursive operation:

- $f(0, x_1, \dots, x_{k-1}) = g(x_1, \dots, x_{k-1})$ ,
- $f(S(y), x_1, \dots, x_{k-1}) = h(y, f(y, x_1, \dots, x_{k-1}), x_1, \dots, x_{k-1})$ .

where  $g$  and  $h$  are primitive recursive.

**Problem 2.** Show that addition is primitive recursive. I.e. you have to show that the function  $(x, y) \mapsto x + y$  can be written as above.

For a function  $f : \mathbb{N}^k \rightarrow \mathbb{N}$ ,  $\phi_f$  will denote the formula such that

$$\mathfrak{A} \models \phi_f[a_0, \dots, a_{k-1}, b] \text{ iff } f(a_0, \dots, a_{k-1}) = b.$$

For example, if  $f$  is the addition function, then  $\phi_f(x, y, z)$  is the formula  $x + y = z$ . Note that for each of the  $x \mapsto 0$ , successor, projection, addition, multiplication, the corresponding formula is atomic and therefore  $\Delta_0$ .

**Problem 3.** Suppose that  $f$  is defined by primitive recursion from functions  $g, h$  as above and suppose that  $\phi_g, \phi_h$  are  $\Delta_1$ . Write down  $\phi_f$  in terms of  $\phi_g, \phi_h$  and show it is also  $\Delta_1$ .

**Problem 4.** Suppose that  $f : \mathbb{N}^k \rightarrow \mathbb{N}$  and that  $\phi_f$  is  $\Sigma_1$ . Show that  $\phi_f$  is also equivalent to a  $\Pi_1$  formula, and therefore  $\Delta_1$ .

*Hint: It is enough to show that  $\neg\phi_f$  is equivalent to  $\Sigma_1$ . Then use that negations of  $\Sigma_1$  formulas are equivalent to  $\Pi_1$  formulas.*

FYI: The **partial recursive functions** recursive functions are built up from primitive recursive functions by including “minimization”: if  $g$  is recursive, then

$$f(x_0, \dots, x_{n+1}) = \text{the least } y \text{ such that } g(y, x_0, \dots, x_{n+1}) = 0$$

is partial recursive. I.e. its domain is a subset of  $\mathbb{N}^n$ . If the domain is all of  $\mathbb{N}^n$ , then  $f$  is total recursive. One can show that:

- $f$  is partial recursive iff  $\phi_f$  is  $\Sigma_1$ ;
- $f$  is total recursive (or just recursive) iff  $\phi_f$  is  $\Delta_1$ ;