CS206 Spring 2005 Compensation Quiz 1

Time: 25 mins

- The exam is open book and notes.
- You must write your roll no. at the top right corner, and your answers in the spaces provided.
- Results/proofs covered in class/problem sessions/assignments may simply be cited, unless specifically asked for.
- If you need to make any assumptions, state them clearly.
- Do not copy solutions from others or indulge in unfair means.
- 1. [5 marks] Find a (possibly partial) satisfying assignment returned by the DPLL procedure for the following propositional logic formula in CNF:

 $\phi = (\neg x \lor y \lor z) \land (\neg y \lor x) \land (\neg z \lor x) \land x \land (y \lor \neg z).$

Here, x, y, z are propositonal variables. You must show for each step of the DPLL procedure, the assignments/choices made and the resulting simplified formula. You must also indicate the precise satisfying assignment returned by DPLL, even if it is a partial assignment of variables.

2. [5 marks] Show using natural deduction that:

 $\phi_1 \to \phi_2, \, \phi_2 \to (\phi_3 \lor \phi_1), \, \phi_3 \to \neg \phi_1 \vdash \phi_3 \lor (\phi_2 \to \phi_1).$

You may use the Law of Excluded Middle **atmost once**. In addition, you are allowed to use **only** the following proof rules: $\forall_i, \forall_e, \wedge_i, \wedge_e, \rightarrow_i, \rightarrow_e, \neg_i, \perp_i$ (also called \neg_e), \perp_e and $\neg\neg_e$. No other rules (including those derived in class) may be used. You may use the other side of this sheet for writing your answer.