Foundations of Computer Science
CS 145
Fall 2015
Homework 2
Due AT THE BEGINNING OF CLASS Thursday, September 24

• A general note: When writing up your homework, please explain your arguments clearly and write neatly. Make sure that your proofs are clear, that each step is justified, and that you don’t skip over too many intuitively obvious steps; use only the definitions seen in class or in the book.

Graders may not award credit to incomplete or unclear solutions. Clear communication is the point, on every assignment.

1. Write the full truth tables for the following propositions:
   (a) \( \neg(p \land q) \iff (\neg p \lor \neg q) \)
   (b) \((p \rightarrow q) \rightarrow r \rightarrow s\)

2. Power set exercises! Recall that for a set \( A \), the power set \( \mathcal{P}(A) \) is the set of all subsets of \( A \). For each claim below, either give a counterexample that demonstrates that it is false for some sets \( A \) and \( B \), or give a rigorous proof (explicitly citing all of the formal definitions that you use) that the claim is true for all sets \( A \) and \( B \).
   (a) Claim: If \( a \in A \) and \( b \in B \), then \( \{a, b\} \in \mathcal{P}(A \cap B) \).
   (b) Claim: If \( A \) is a proper subset of \( B \), then \( \mathcal{P}(A) \) is a proper subset of \( \mathcal{P}(B) \).
   (c) Claim: \( \mathcal{P}(A \cap B) = \mathcal{P}(A) \cap \mathcal{P}(B) \).

3. Prove that if relations \( R \) and \( S \) are both transitive, then their intersection \( R \cap S \) must also be a transitive relation.

4. Give an example of two relations \( R \) and \( S \), both relations over the set \( A = \{0, 1, 2\} \), such that \( R \) and \( S \) are both transitive, but their union \( R \cup S \) is not transitive.
   Recall that a relation is a set of ordered pairs. Therefore, be sure to give your answer as a set of ordered pairs.