

Assignment # 8.1 Key

1. Show that **Halt** reduces to **Non-Trivial**, where
Non-Trivial = $\{ f \mid \text{for some } x \text{ and } y, x \neq y, \varphi_f(x) \downarrow, \varphi_f(y) \downarrow$
and } \varphi_f(x) \neq \varphi_f(y) \}

Let f be an arbitrary natural number. f is in **Non-Trivial** iff for some x and y , $x \neq y$, $\varphi_f(x) \downarrow$, $\varphi_f(y) \downarrow$ and $\varphi_f(x) \neq \varphi_f(y)$

Define g by $\varphi_g(z) = \exists \langle x, y, t \rangle [STP(f, x, t) \ \& \ STP(f, y, t) \ \& \ (x \neq y) \ \& \ (VALUE(f, x, t) \neq VALUE(f, y, t))]$, for all z .

Clearly, $\varphi_g(z) = 1$, for all z and so $\langle g, 0 \rangle$ is in **Halt**, iff there is some pair, x, y , $x \neq y$, such that $\varphi_f(x) \downarrow$ and $\varphi_f(y) \downarrow$ and $\varphi_f(x) \neq \varphi_f(y)$, and $\varphi_g(z) \uparrow$, for all z , otherwise, and so $\langle g, 0 \rangle$ is not in **Halt**.

Summarizing, f is in **Non-Trivial** iff g is in **Halt** and so

Non-Trivial \leq_m **Halt** as we were to show.

Assignment # 8.2 Key

2. Show that **Non-Trivial** reduces to **Halt**. (1 plus 2 show they are equally hard)

Let f be an arbitrary natural number. f is in Non-Trivial iff for some x and y , $x \neq y$, $\varphi_f(x) \downarrow$, $\varphi_f(y) \downarrow$ and $\varphi_f(x) \neq \varphi_f(y)$

Define g by $\varphi_g(z) = \exists \langle x, y, t \rangle [STP(f, x, t) \ \& \ STP(f, y, t) \ \& \ (x \neq y) \ \& \ (VALUE(f, x, t) \neq VALUE(f, y, t))]$, for all z .

Clearly, $\varphi_g(z) = 1$, for all z and so $\langle g, 0 \rangle$ is in Halt, iff there is some pair, x, y , $x \neq y$, such that $\varphi_f(x) \downarrow$ and $\varphi_f(y) \downarrow$ and $\varphi_f(x) \neq \varphi_f(y)$, and $\varphi_g(z) \uparrow$, for all z , otherwise, and so $\langle g, 0 \rangle$ is not in Halt.

Summarizing, f is in Non-Trivial iff g is in Halt and so

Non-Trivial \leq_m Halt as we were to show.

Assignment # 8.3 Alternate Key

3. Use Reduction from **Total** to show that **NoRepeats** is not even re, where
NoRepeats = { f | for all x and y , $\varphi_f(x) \downarrow$, $\varphi_f(y) \downarrow$,
and $x \neq y \Rightarrow \varphi_f(x) \neq \varphi_f(y)$ }

Let f be an arbitrary natural number. f is in **Total** iff $\forall x \varphi_f(x) \downarrow$

Define g by $\varphi_g(x) = \varphi_f(x) - \varphi_f(x) + x$ for all x .

Clearly, $\varphi_g(x) = x$, for all x , (converges everywhere with no repetitions)
iff $\forall x \varphi_f(x) \downarrow$; otherwise $\varphi_g(x) \uparrow$ for some x and so is not in **NoRepeats**.

But then f is in **Total** iff g is in **NoRepeat**.

TOTAL \leq_m **NoRepeats** as we were to show.

Assignment # 8.4 Key

4. Use reduction from **NoRepeats** to **Total**. This, together with #3, shows **NoRepeats** and **Total** are equally hard. Let f be an arbitrary natural numbers.

Let f be an arbitrary index.

Define g by $\varphi_g(\langle x, y \rangle) = \mu z [(x = y) \vee (\varphi_f(x) \neq \varphi_f(y))]$.

Clearly, $\varphi_g(\langle x, y \rangle) = 0$, for x, y , if $\varphi_f(x) \downarrow$ and $\varphi_f(y) \downarrow$, and either $x=y$ or $\varphi_f(x) \neq \varphi_f(y)$
else for some x, y , $\varphi_g(\langle x, y \rangle) \uparrow$

Summarizing, f is in **NoRepeats** implies g is in **Total** and f is not in **NoRepeats** implies g diverges somewhere and so is not in **Total**.

NoRepeats \leq_m **Total** as we were to show.

Assignment # 8.5 Key

5. Use Rice's Theorem to show that **Non-Trivial** is undecidable

First, Non-Trivial is non-trivial as $S(x) = x+1$ is in Non-Trivial and $C0(x) = 0$ is not.

Second, Non-Trivial is an I/O property.

To see this, let f and g are two arbitrary indices such that

$$\forall x [\varphi_f(x) = \varphi_g(x)]$$

$f \in \text{Non-Trivial}$ iff $\exists y, z, y \neq z$, such that $\varphi_f(y) \downarrow, \varphi_f(z) \downarrow$ and $\varphi_f(y) \neq \varphi_f(z)$
iff, since $\forall x [\varphi_f(x) = \varphi_g(x)]$, $\exists y, z, y \neq z$, (same y, z as above) such that
 $\varphi_g(y) \downarrow, \varphi_g(z) \downarrow$ and $\varphi_g(y) \neq \varphi_g(z)$ iff $g \in \text{Non-Trivial}$.

Thus, **$f \in \text{Non-Trivial}$ iff $g \in \text{Non-Trivial}$.**

Assignment # 8.6 Key

6. Use Rice's Theorem to show that **NoRepeats** is undecidable

First, NoRepeats is non-trivial as $S(x) = x+1$ is in NoRepeats and $C0(x) = 0$ is not.

Second, NoRepeats is an I/O property.

To see this, let f and g are two arbitrary indices such that

$\forall x [\varphi_f(x) = \varphi_g(x)]$.

$f \in \text{NoRepeats}$ iff, for all x, y $\varphi_f(x) \downarrow, \varphi_f(y) \downarrow$ and $x \neq y \Rightarrow \varphi_f(x) \neq \varphi_f(y)$ iff, since $\forall x [\varphi_f(x) = \varphi_g(x)]$, for all x, y , $\varphi_g(x) \downarrow, \varphi_g(y) \downarrow$ and $x \neq y \Rightarrow \varphi_g(x) \neq \varphi_g(y)$ iff $g \in \text{NoRepeats}$.

Thus, **$f \in \text{NoRepeats}$ iff $g \in \text{NoRepeats}$.**