

1. Prove that the following problems are self reducible by a (direct) polynomial Cook reduction from the search version to the decision version of the same problem.
  - (a) Clique =  $\{ (G, k) \mid G \text{ contains a clique of size } k \}$ .<sup>1</sup>
  - (b) GraphIsomorphism =  $\{ (G_1, G_2) \mid G_1 \text{ and } G_2 \text{ are isomorphic} \}$ .<sup>2</sup>
2. For a number  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ , denote by  $\text{bin}(n)$  the binary representation of  $n$ , e.g.,  $\text{bin}(13) = 1101$ . Let  $L \subseteq \{1\}^*$  be a unary language, and define  $\text{bin}(L) = \{\text{bin}(n) \mid 1^n \in L\}$ . Show that  $L \in \text{P}$  if and only if  $\text{bin}(L) \in \text{E}$ , where  $\text{E} = \bigcup_{c \geq 1} \text{DTIME}(2^{cn})$ .
3. Let UpToOneSat be the following language:  
UpToOneSat =  $\{ \phi \mid \phi \text{ is a CNF formula that has at most one satisfying assignment} \}$ .  
Prove that UpToOneSat  $\in \text{NP}$  if and only if  $\text{NP} = \text{coNP}$ .
4. We say that a non-deterministic machine is *nice* if for every input  $x \in \{0, 1\}^*$  the following holds: every computation path returns either 'accept', 'reject' or 'quit'. There is at least one non-quit path, and all non-quit paths have the same value. Let NICE be the class of all languages that are accepted by some non-deterministic, polynomial time, nice machine. Prove that  $\text{NICE} = \text{NP} \cap \text{coNP}$ .
5. The class DP is defined as the set of all languages  $L$  for which there are two languages  $L_1 \in \text{NP}$  and  $L_2 \in \text{coNP}$  such that  $L = L_1 \cap L_2$ . Let SAT-UNSAT be the language of all the pairs  $(\phi_1, \phi_2)$  such that  $\phi_1$  and  $\phi_2$  are CNF formulas,  $\phi_1$  is satisfiable and  $\phi_2$  is not. Show that SAT-UNSAT is DP-complete, i.e.,  $\text{SAT-UNSAT} \in \text{DP}$  and every language in DP is polynomial-time reducible to it.

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<sup>1</sup>The decision version is "Given a pair  $(G, k)$  does  $G$  contain a clique of size  $k$ ?" and the search version is "Given a pair  $(G, k)$  find a clique of size  $k$  in  $G$  if exists, and reject otherwise".

<sup>2</sup>Two graphs are *isomorphic* if there is a way to label the vertices of one graph, such that the two graphs become identical.