

## 11. Tableaux with TBoxes

**Exercise 11.1** Consider the following  $\mathcal{ALC}$  TBox  $\mathcal{T}$ :

$$\begin{aligned} A &\equiv \forall R. \neg(\neg B \sqcap C) \\ B &\equiv \exists R. C \end{aligned}$$

1. Analyze whether  $\mathcal{T}$  is cyclic.
2. Determine, using tableaux, whether the concepts

- (a)  $\exists R.(A \sqcap B)$  and
- (b)  $A \sqcap \exists R.A \sqcap \neg(\exists R. \neg C \sqcup \exists R. \exists R.C)$

are satisfiable w.r.t.  $\mathcal{T}$ .

3. Suppose that the assertion  $C \equiv A \sqcup D$  is added to  $\mathcal{T}$ . Discuss whether the same tableaux technique used before can be applied, motivating your answer. If not, explain how the tableaux technique has to be extended.