

Math 1137, Summer 2003

Homework 1: 1,3,8,23,24,29,33,34 p.15

Exercise: 1 p.15

- a) "Boston is the capital of Massachusetts." is a proposition. Its truth value is T.
- b) "Miami is the capital of Florida." is a proposition. Its truth value is F. (Tallahassee is the capital.)
- c) "2+3=5" is a proposition. Its truth value is T.
- d) "5+7=10" is a proposition. Its truth value is F.
- e) " $x + 2 = 11$ " is not a proposition. As written, we cannot decide whether it is true or not.
- f) "Answer this question." is not a proposition.
- g) " $x + y = y + x$ for every pair of real numbers x and y ." is a proposition. Its truth value is T.

Exercise: 3 p.16

- a) "Today is not Thursday."
- b) "There is pollution in New Jersey."
- c) " $2 + 1 \neq 3$ "
- d) "It is not the case that the summer in Maine is hot and sunny." (Using what we will soon call DeMorgan laws, this can be rephrased as: "The summer in Maine is not hot or is not sunny.")

Exercise: 8 p.16

Let p , q and r be the following propositions: p ="You have the flu." ; q ="You miss the final exam."; r ="You pass the course."

- a) $p \rightarrow q$: "If you have the flu then you miss the final exam."
- b) $\neg q \leftrightarrow r$: "You don't miss the final exam if and only if you pass the course."
- c) $q \rightarrow \neg r$: "If you miss the final exam then you do not pass the course."
- d) $p \vee q \vee r$: "You have the flu or you rmiss the final exam or you pass the course."
- e) $(p \rightarrow \neg r) \vee (q \rightarrow \neg r)$: "Your having the flu implies that you don't pass the course or your missing the final exam implies you don't pass the course."
- f) $(p \wedge q) \vee (\neg q \wedge r)$: "You have the flu and miss the final exam or you don't miss the final exam and you pass the course."

Exercise: 23 p.18

Truth tables for compound propositions.

a)	p	$\neg p$	$p \wedge \neg p$
	T	F	F
	F	T	F

b)	p	$\neg p$	$p \vee \neg p$
	T	F	T
	F	T	T

c)	p	q	$\neg q$	$p \vee \neg q$	$(p \vee \neg q) \rightarrow q$
	T	T	F	T	T
	T	F	T	T	F
	F	T	F	F	T
	F	F	T	T	F

d)	p	q	$p \vee q$	$p \wedge q$	$(p \vee q) \rightarrow (p \wedge q)$
	T	T	T	T	T
	T	F	T	F	F
	F	T	T	F	F
	F	F	F	F	T

e)	p	q	①: $p \rightarrow q$	$\neg q$	$\neg p$	②: $\neg q \rightarrow \neg p$	① \leftrightarrow ②
	T	T	T	F	F	T	T
	T	F	F	T	F	F	T
	F	T	T	F	T	T	T
	F	F	T	T	T	T	T

By the way, in the language of section 1.2 this is a proof that a conditional statement and its contropositive are logically equivalent.

p	q	①: $p \rightarrow q$	②: $q \rightarrow p$	① \rightarrow ②
T	T	T	T	T
T	F	F	T	T
F	T	T	F	F
F	F	T	T	T

Exercise: 24 p.18

Truth tables for compound propositions.

p	$\neg p$	$p \rightarrow \neg p$	p	$\neg p$	$p \leftrightarrow \neg p$	p	q	$p \vee q$	$p \oplus (p \vee q)$
T	F	F	T	F	F	T	T	T	F
F	T	T	F	T	F	T	F	T	F
F	T	T	F	T	F	F	T	T	F
F	T	T	F	T	F	F	F	F	F

p	q	$p \wedge q$	$p \vee q$	$(p \wedge q) \rightarrow (p \vee q)$
T	T	T	T	T
T	F	F	T	T
F	T	F	T	T
F	F	F	F	T

In the language of section 1.2, this says that $(p \wedge q) \rightarrow (p \vee q)$ is a tautology, or in other words that $p \wedge q$ logically implies $p \vee q$ - also written $p \wedge q \implies p \vee q$.

p	q	$\neg p$	①: $q \rightarrow \neg p$	②: $p \leftrightarrow q$	① \leftrightarrow ②
T	T	F	F	T	F
T	F	F	T	F	F
F	T	T	T	F	F
F	F	T	T	T	T

p	q	①: $p \leftrightarrow q$	$\neg q$	②: $p \leftrightarrow \neg q$	① \oplus ②
T	T	T	F	F	T
T	F	F	T	T	T
F	T	F	F	T	T
F	F	T	T	F	T

Exercise: 29 p.18

Truth tables for compound propositions.

p	q	r	$\neg q$	$\neg q \vee r$	$p \rightarrow (\neg q \vee r)$
T	T	T	F	T	T
T	T	F	F	F	F
T	F	T	T	T	T
T	F	F	T	T	T
F	T	T	F	T	T
F	T	F	F	F	T
F	F	T	T	T	T
F	F	F	T	T	T

p	q	r	$\neg p$	$q \rightarrow r$	$\neg p \rightarrow (q \rightarrow r)$
T	T	T	F	T	T
T	T	F	F	F	T
T	F	T	F	T	T
T	F	F	F	T	T
F	T	T	T	T	T
F	T	F	T	F	F
F	F	T	T	T	T
F	F	F	T	T	T

c)

p	q	r	$p \rightarrow q$	$\neg p$	$\neg p \rightarrow r$	$(p \rightarrow q) \vee (\neg p \rightarrow r)$
T	T	T	T	F	T	T
T	T	F	T	F	T	T
T	F	T	F	F	T	T
T	F	F	F	F	T	T
F	T	T	T	T	T	T
F	T	F	T	T	F	T
F	F	T	T	T	T	T
F	F	F	T	T	F	T

d)

p	q	r	$p \rightarrow q$	$\neg p$	$\neg p \rightarrow r$	$(p \rightarrow q) \wedge (\neg p \rightarrow r)$
T	T	T	T	F	T	T
T	T	F	T	F	T	T
T	F	T	F	F	T	F
T	F	F	F	F	T	F
F	T	T	T	T	T	T
F	T	F	T	T	F	F
F	F	T	T	T	T	T
F	F	F	T	T	F	F

e)

p	q	r	$p \leftrightarrow q$	$\neg q$	$\neg q \leftrightarrow r$	$(p \leftrightarrow q) \vee (\neg q \leftrightarrow r)$
T	T	T	T	F	F	T
T	T	F	T	F	T	T
T	F	T	F	T	T	T
T	F	F	F	T	F	F
F	T	T	F	F	F	F
F	T	F	F	F	T	T
F	F	T	T	T	T	T
F	F	F	T	T	F	T

f)

p	q	r	$\neg p$	$\neg q$	$\neg p \leftrightarrow \neg q$	$q \leftrightarrow r$	$(\neg p \leftrightarrow \neg q) \leftrightarrow (q \leftrightarrow r)$
T	T	T	F	F	T	T	T
T	T	F	F	F	T	F	F
T	F	T	F	T	F	F	T
T	F	F	F	T	F	T	F
F	T	T	T	F	F	T	F
F	T	F	T	F	F	F	T
F	F	T	T	T	T	F	F
F	F	F	T	T	T	T	T

Exercise: 33 p.18

- a) 101 1110 *OR* 010 0001 = 111 1111
 101 1110 *AND* 010 0001 = 000 0000
 101 1110 *XOR* 010 0001 = 111 1111
- b) 1111 0000 *OR* 1010 1010 = 1111 1010
 1111 0000 *AND* 1010 1010 = 1010 0000
 1111 0000 *XOR* 1010 1010 = 0101 1010
- c) 00 0111 0001 *OR* 10 0100 1000 = 10 0111 1001
 00 0111 0001 *AND* 10 0100 1000 = 00 0100 0000
 00 0111 0001 *XOR* 10 0100 1000 = 10 0011 1001
- d) 11 1111 1111 *OR* 00 0000 0000 = 11 1111 1111
 11 1111 1111 *AND* 00 0000 0000 = 00 0000 0000
 11 1111 1111 *XOR* 00 0000 0000 = 11 1111 1111

Exercise: 34 p.18

- a) $1\ 1000 \wedge (0\ 1011 \vee 1\ 1011) = 1\ 1000 \wedge 1\ 1011 = 1\ 1000$

$$\text{b) } (0\ 1111 \wedge 1\ 0101) \vee 0\ 1000 = 0\ 0101 \vee 0\ 1000 = 0\ 1101$$

$$\text{c) } (0\ 1010 \oplus 1\ 1011) \oplus 0\ 1000 = 1\ 0001 \oplus 0\ 1000 = 1\ 1001$$

$$\text{d) } (1\ 1011 \vee 0\ 1010) \wedge (1\ 0001 \vee 1\ 1011) = 1\ 1011 \wedge 1\ 1011 = 1\ 1011$$