

# CS & IT ENGINEERING

Inference Rule



Lecture No. 03



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## TOPICS TO BE COVERED

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The Simplest form of  $(p \wedge (\sim r \vee q \vee \sim q)) \vee ((r \vee t \vee \sim r) \wedge \sim q)$  is

(a)  $p \wedge \sim q$

(b)  $p \vee \sim q$  ✓

(c)  $t$

(d)  $(p \rightarrow \sim q)$

$$\frac{\frac{(\neg r \vee T)}{P \wedge T} \vee \frac{T \vee t}{T \wedge \neg q}}{P \vee \neg q}$$

$$A \vee \neg A \equiv T.$$

$$P \wedge T \equiv P.$$

$$P \vee \neg q$$

The Simplest form of

$$(p \vee (p \wedge q)) \vee (p \wedge q \wedge \sim r) \wedge ((p \wedge r) \wedge t) \vee t$$

(a)  $p \wedge t$

(b)  $q \wedge t$

(c)  $p \wedge r$

(d)  $p \wedge q$

$\frac{\cancel{p} \vee (\cancel{p} \wedge \sim r)}{p \wedge \sim r}$

$\frac{(p \wedge q) \wedge t}{p \wedge t}$

Which one of the following is NOT equivalent to  $p \leftrightarrow q$  ?

(GATE-15-Set1)

(a)  $(\sim p \vee q) \wedge (p \vee \sim q)$  True

$\stackrel{p \rightarrow q}{\wedge} \stackrel{\wedge (q \rightarrow p)}{\wedge}$

(b)  $(\sim p \vee q) \wedge (q \rightarrow p)$  True

(c)  $(\sim p \wedge q) \vee (p \wedge \sim q)$

(d)  $(\sim p \wedge \sim q) \vee (p \wedge q)$

$$P \leftrightarrow q \equiv (p \rightarrow q) \wedge (q \rightarrow p)$$

A)  $\frac{(\neg p \vee q) \wedge (\neg q \vee p)}{\downarrow}$

B)  $(\neg p \vee q) \wedge (q \rightarrow p)$  B

P and Q are two propositions. Which of the following logical expressions are equivalent?

I.  $P \vee \sim Q$

II.  $\sim(\sim P \wedge Q) \equiv P \vee \sim Q$

III.  $(P \wedge Q) \vee (P \wedge \sim Q) \vee (\sim P \wedge \sim Q)$

IV.  $(P \wedge Q) \vee (P \wedge \sim Q) \vee (\sim P \wedge Q)$

(GATE-08)

- (a) Only I and II
- (b) Only I, II and III
- (c) Only I, II and IV
- (d) All of I, II, III and IV

$$\begin{aligned} & (P \wedge Q) \vee (P \wedge \sim Q) \vee (\sim P \wedge \sim Q) \\ & P \wedge (Q \vee \sim Q) \\ & P \wedge T \\ & P \end{aligned}$$

$P \vee (\sim P \wedge \sim Q)$

Type-1

valid?.

( $\wedge$   $\wedge$ )  $\rightarrow$  -.

Type-2:

Solve find out  
equivalent expression.

A  $\equiv$  B.

premises → conclusion.



Take premises as

True



Check the conclusion

True

T → conclusion

✓ (T.R)

Check (True)

check (false) (T.X)

Take premises as True check the conclusion  
if it is true ( $\top \cdot R$ )  
if it is false ( $\bot \times R$ )

1. premises  $\rightarrow$  conclusion OR premises

eg:  $A \rightarrow B$  OR  $\frac{A}{\therefore B}$

2.  $\frac{\text{True}}{(P_1 \wedge P_2 \wedge P_3 \wedge \dots \wedge P_n) \rightarrow Q} \quad \text{OR}$

P<sub>1</sub>

P<sub>2</sub>

P<sub>3</sub>

.

P<sub>n</sub>

$\frac{}{\therefore Q}$

Propositional stmt  
which has been written  
on the left →  
is called premises  
Arguments.

Propositional stmt  
which has been  
written on right  
side conclusion



L

v

R.

$\rightarrow P_1 : \boxed{\text{mobile phone either in left}} \text{ or } \boxed{\text{right pocket } (\top)}$

$\rightarrow P_2 : \text{mobile phone it is not in left pocket } (\top)$

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mobile phone it is in right pocket

$$P_1 : L \vee R.$$

$$\underline{P_2 : \neg L.}$$

$$\therefore R.$$

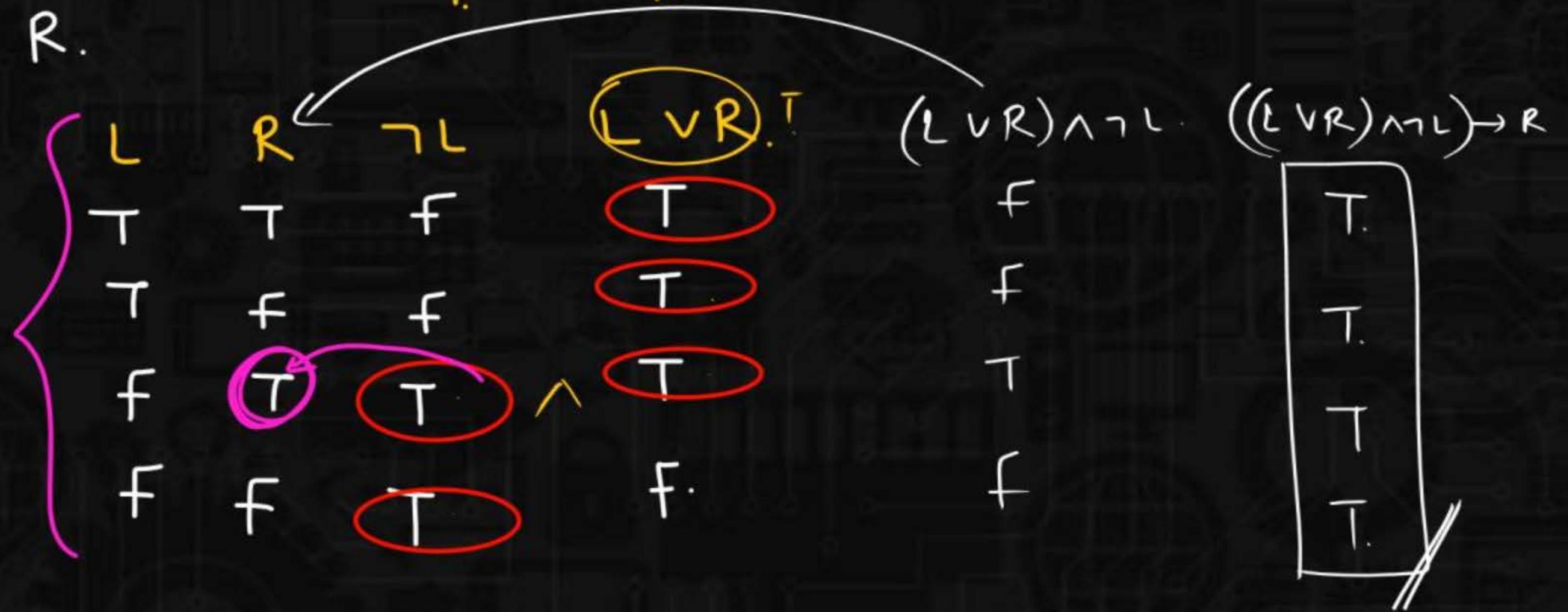
$$P_1: L \vee R$$

$$P_2: \neg L.$$

$$\therefore R.$$

OR  $(\overline{(L \vee R) \wedge \neg L}) \rightarrow R.$  (I.R)

Check.



$$\overline{((L \vee R) \wedge \neg L)} \stackrel{T}{\rightarrow} \overline{R} \text{. ( valid ) ( tautology )}$$

$$\overline{((P \vee Q) \wedge \neg P)} \rightarrow Q$$

$$((a \rightarrow b) \vee (c \rightarrow d)) \wedge \neg(a \rightarrow b) \stackrel{\therefore Q}{\rightarrow} c \rightarrow d$$

$$\frac{P \vee Q}{\neg P}$$

$$\frac{P \rightarrow Q}{\neg P} \quad Q$$

$$\frac{P \frac{(a \rightarrow b) \vee (c \rightarrow d)}{\neg(a \rightarrow b) \rightarrow P} Q}{(c \rightarrow d)}$$

$$\left( \left( \overline{L} \vee R \right) \wedge \overline{\neg L \vee U} \right) \rightarrow F.$$

$$\begin{array}{c} \left( \overline{L} \vee R \right) \wedge \overline{\neg L \vee U} \\ \downarrow \qquad \downarrow \\ (\overline{F} \vee \overline{F}) \\ \hline F \end{array}$$

$$R = F.$$

$$\neg L = T.$$

$$L = F$$

F  $\longrightarrow$

True.

$$P \rightarrow Q$$

P<sub>1</sub>: if you will win the match then i will give pizza party ( $\top$ )

P<sub>2</sub>: you won the match. ( $\top$ )

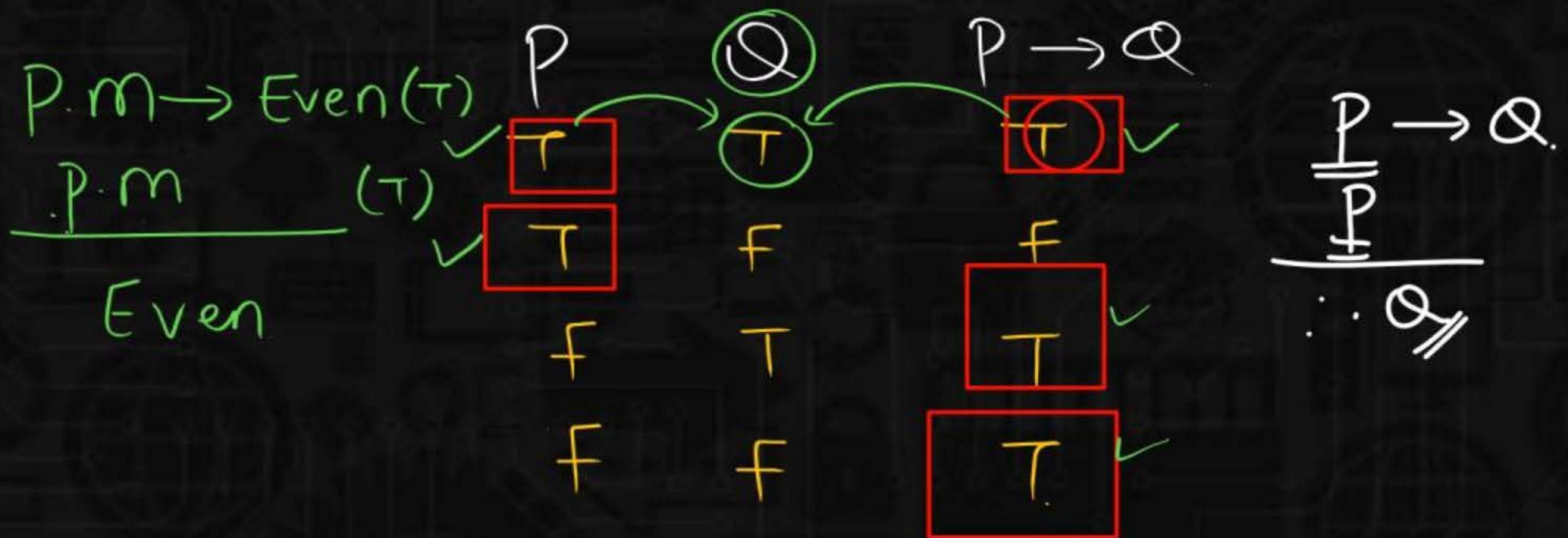
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i will give pizza party.

$$\frac{P \rightarrow Q}{\therefore Q} \quad \begin{array}{c} P \\ \text{True} \end{array}$$

$$\frac{\cdot \text{win} \rightarrow \text{pizza}(\tau) \quad \text{won.}}{\text{pizza}(\tau)} \quad \frac{P \rightarrow Q \quad (\tau)}{P \quad (\tau)} \quad \therefore Q$$

$[(P \rightarrow Q) \wedge P] \rightarrow Q. \text{ (valid)}$



(may or may not)

$$\frac{\frac{\frac{\text{win} \rightarrow \text{pizza}}{\text{pizza}}}{\text{won}} \quad P_1: \frac{P \rightarrow Q(\top)}{Q(\top)} \quad \top}{\therefore \circlearrowleft P} \quad \boxed{[(P \rightarrow Q) \wedge Q] \rightarrow P} \quad \text{check.}$$

$P \cdot m \rightarrow \text{Even}$   
Even.  
 $P \cdot m$

$P$ $T$ $T$	$Q$ $T$ $T$	$P \rightarrow Q$ $T$
$P$ $F$ $F$	$Q$ $F$ $F$	$P \rightarrow Q$ $T$ $T$

<u>check</u> $\rightarrow P$	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} P \vee Q \\ \neg P \\ \therefore Q \end{array} \right.$
<u>valid</u> $\equiv$	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} P \rightarrow Q \\ \underline{\quad P \quad} \\ \underline{\quad P \quad} \\ \hline Q \end{array} \right.$

Invalid  $P \rightarrow Q$

$$\frac{Q}{P} \times$$

$$\frac{P \rightarrow Q}{\therefore Q} \quad [(P \rightarrow Q) \wedge P] \rightarrow Q$$

$$P \rightarrow Q \equiv \neg Q \rightarrow \neg P \quad [(\neg Q \rightarrow \neg P) \wedge \neg Q] \rightarrow \neg P$$
$$\frac{\neg Q}{\therefore \neg P} \quad \frac{\neg Q}{\therefore \neg P}$$

$$\frac{P \vee Q \quad [(P \vee Q) \wedge \neg P] \rightarrow Q}{\neg P \quad \therefore Q}$$

$$\frac{P \rightarrow Q \quad Q \rightarrow R \quad [(P \rightarrow Q) \wedge (Q \rightarrow R)] \rightarrow (P \rightarrow R)}{\therefore P \rightarrow R}$$

$$\frac{P \wedge Q}{\therefore P}$$

$$\frac{\frac{T}{(P \wedge Q)} \quad \frac{T}{T}}{(P \wedge Q) \rightarrow P} \text{ check}$$

$$\frac{P}{\therefore P \vee Q}$$

$$\frac{T}{\neg P \rightarrow \frac{\frac{P \vee Q}{P} \quad \frac{T}{T}}{P \vee Q}}$$

$$\frac{\frac{P \vee Q}{\neg Q \vee R} \quad \frac{\neg Q \vee R}{R}}{P \vee R}$$

$$[(P \vee Q) \wedge (\neg Q \vee R)] \rightarrow (P \vee R)$$

$$1. \frac{P \rightarrow Q}{\therefore Q} \quad (\text{modus ponens})$$

$$2. \frac{\begin{array}{c} P \rightarrow Q \\ \neg Q \end{array}}{\therefore \neg P} \quad (\text{modus tollens})$$

$$\frac{\neg Q}{\neg Q \rightarrow \neg P}$$

$$\frac{\neg Q \rightarrow \neg P}{\neg P}$$

$$3. \frac{\begin{array}{c} P \rightarrow Q \\ Q \rightarrow R \end{array}}{P \rightarrow R} \quad (\text{Hypothetical syllogism})$$

$$4. \frac{\begin{array}{c} P \vee Q \\ \neg P \end{array}}{\therefore Q} \quad (\text{Disjunctive syllogism})$$

$$\frac{P}{P \vee Q} \quad (\text{Addition})$$

$$\frac{P \wedge Q}{\therefore P} \quad \text{or} \quad \frac{P \vee Q}{\therefore Q} \quad (\text{Simplification})$$

$$\frac{\begin{array}{c} P \vee Q \\ \neg Q \vee R \end{array}}{P \vee R} \quad (\text{Resolution})$$

$$\frac{\begin{array}{c} P \rightarrow Q \\ Q \end{array}}{\therefore P} \quad \overline{\text{Invalid}} \quad (\text{Fallacy})$$

$$\frac{\begin{array}{c} P \\ \hline P \rightarrow Q \\ \neg Q \vee m \\ \hline \therefore m \end{array}}{\text{check it is valid?}}$$

1.  $P \quad \checkmark(\tau)$

2.  $\frac{P \rightarrow Q \quad (\tau)}{\underline{Q \quad (\tau)}} \text{ (modus ponens)}$

3.  $\frac{\neg Q \vee m \quad (\tau) \quad (\text{D.S})}{\underline{m \quad (\text{valid})}} \quad ④$

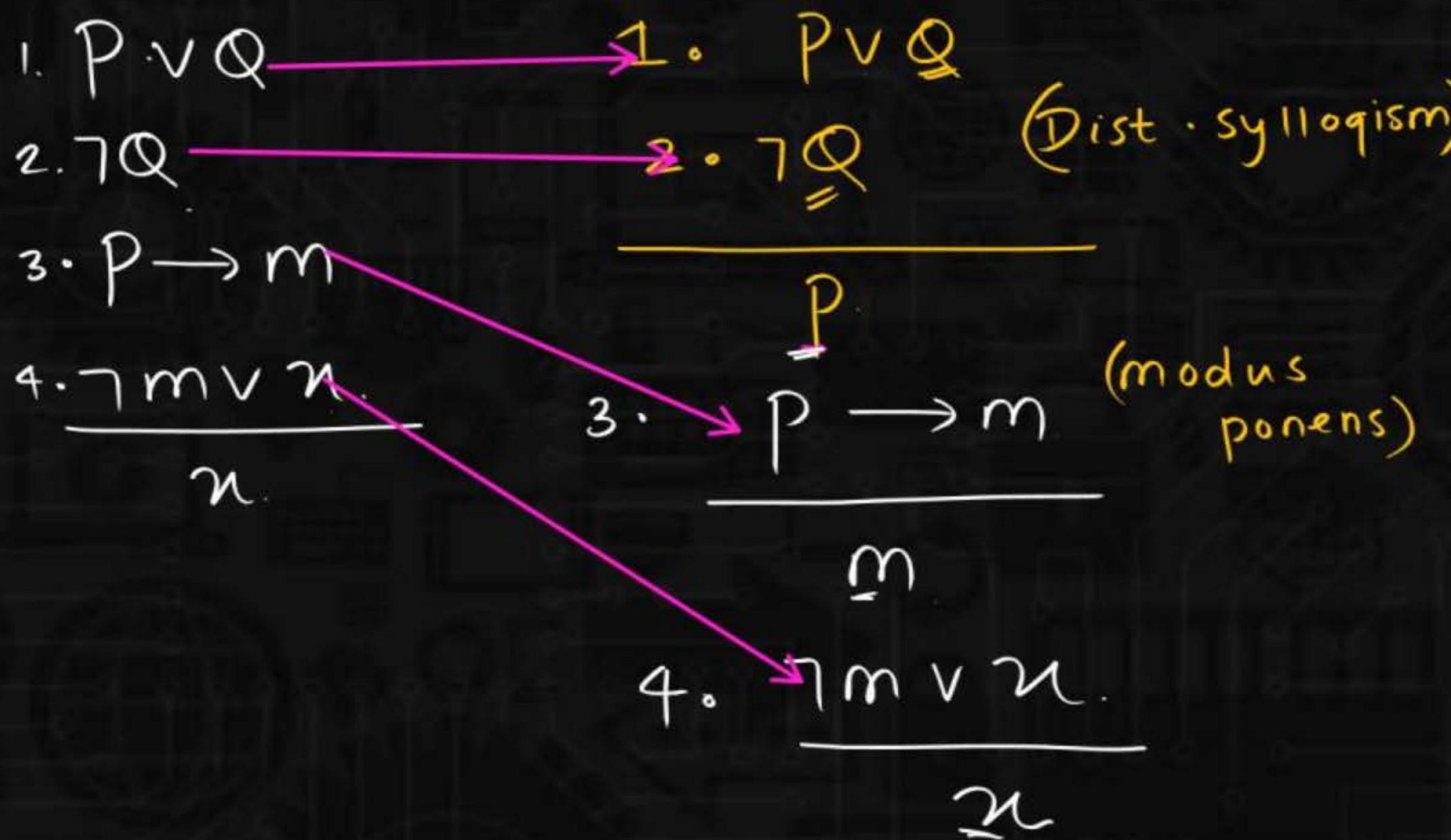
$$\frac{\begin{array}{c} P \vee Q \\ \neg P \\ \hline \end{array}}{\therefore Q}$$

or

$$\frac{\begin{array}{c} \neg P \vee Q \\ P \\ \hline \end{array}}{\therefore Q}$$

$$\begin{array}{c} P \rightarrow Q \\ Q \rightarrow m \\ \hline P \\ \hline m \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{l} 1. P \rightarrow Q \\ 2. Q \rightarrow m \\ \hline P \rightarrow m \end{array} \quad \text{(Hypothetical syllogism)}$$
$$3. \frac{P \rightarrow m}{\therefore m} \quad \text{(modus ponens)}$$

$$[(P \vee Q) \wedge \neg Q \wedge (P \rightarrow m) \wedge (\neg m \vee n)] \rightarrow n.$$



$$\frac{\begin{array}{c} P \rightarrow m \\ P \\ \hline m \end{array}}{\omega}$$
$$\frac{\begin{array}{c} P \rightarrow m \\ P \\ \hline m \end{array}}{\omega}$$
$$\frac{\begin{array}{c} m \rightarrow n \\ n \rightarrow \underline{\omega} \\ P \rightarrow m \\ \hline \omega \end{array}}{\omega}$$

$$\frac{\begin{array}{c} m \rightarrow n \\ n \rightarrow \underline{\omega} \\ P \rightarrow m \\ \hline \omega \end{array}}{\omega}$$

GATE:

if it Rains cricket match will not Played  
cricket match was played

valid

$$\frac{R \rightarrow \neg P \equiv P \rightarrow \neg R}{\neg R}$$

There was no rain.

2 if it is Rains cricket match will not Played (fallacy)

There was no Rain.

cricket match was played

$$\frac{R \rightarrow \neg P \equiv P \rightarrow \neg R}{\neg R}$$

$$\frac{\neg R}{P}$$

$$\frac{\neg R}{P}$$

Let p, q, r and s be four primitive statements. Consider the following arguments:

$$P: [(\sim p \vee q) \wedge (r \rightarrow s) \wedge (p \vee r)] \rightarrow (\sim s \rightarrow q)$$

$$Q: [(\sim p \wedge q) \wedge [q \rightarrow (p \rightarrow r)]] \rightarrow \sim r$$

$$R: [(q \wedge r) \rightarrow p] \wedge (\sim q \vee p) \rightarrow r$$

$$S: [p \wedge (p \rightarrow r) \wedge (q \vee \sim r)] \rightarrow q$$

Which of the above arguments are valid?

**(GATE - 04)**

- (a) P and Q only
- (b) P and R only
- (c) P and S only
- (d) P,Q,R and S

Twy : Type - 3

Type - 1

The statement formula  $\{(a \rightarrow c) \wedge (b \rightarrow d) \wedge (c \rightarrow \neg d)\} \rightarrow (\neg a \vee \neg b)$  is

(a) satisfiable but not-valid

(b) valid

(c) not satisfiable

(d) none of these

$$\frac{\begin{array}{l} a \rightarrow c \\ b \rightarrow d \\ c \rightarrow \neg d \end{array}}{\neg a \vee \neg b}$$

$\equiv \neg a \vee c$

$\equiv \neg b \vee d$

$\equiv \neg c \vee \neg d.$

Resolution

$$\frac{\begin{array}{l} \neg b \vee \neg c \\ \neg a \vee c \end{array}}{\neg a \vee \neg b}$$

Resolution.

