

Computer Science & IT

Discrete Mathematics

Mathematical Logic

Lecture No. 06

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Recap of Previous Lecture



Topic

Quantifiers

Topic

Scope of the quantifier

Topic

Negation of a statement formula





Topics to be Covered



✓ **Topic** Sentences with multiple quantifiers

✓ **Topic** Relationship diagram

✓ **Topic** Rules of inference w.r.t. predicate logic

✓ **Topic** Equivalences and implications



Topic : Sentences with multiple quantifiers

let
Universe: Set of all human being



P : likes, $P(x, y)$: x likes $y \equiv y$ is liked by x

✓
① $\forall x \forall y \{P(x, y)\}$: Everybody likes Everybody.
(All x likes All y)

✓
② $\forall y \forall x \{P(x, y)\}$: Everybody liked by Everybody
(All y liked by all x)

$$\forall x \forall y \{P(x, y)\} \equiv \forall y \forall x \{P(x, y)\}$$



Topic : Sentences with multiple quantifiers

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③ $\exists x \forall y \{P(x, y)\}$: Someone likes Everybody
There exist at least one x who likes all y .

④ $\forall y \exists x \{P(x, y)\}$: Everybody is liked by somebody.
All y are liked by some x .

$\forall x \forall y \{P(x, y)\} \Rightarrow \exists x \forall y \{P(x, y)\} \Rightarrow \forall y \exists x \{P(x, y)\}$



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P : likes, $P(x, y)$: x likes $y \equiv y$ is liked by x

⑤ $\exists y \forall x \{P(x, y)\}$: Someone is liked by Everyone.
There is at least one 'y' who is liked by Every x

⑥ $\forall x \exists y \{P(x, y)\}$: Every body likes somebody.
Every person likes at least one person
need not be same for all x .

$$\exists y \forall x \{P(x, y)\} \Rightarrow \forall x \exists y \{P(x, y)\}$$

\Leftarrow (with a red 'x' at the end of the arrow)



Topic : Sentences with multiple quantifiers

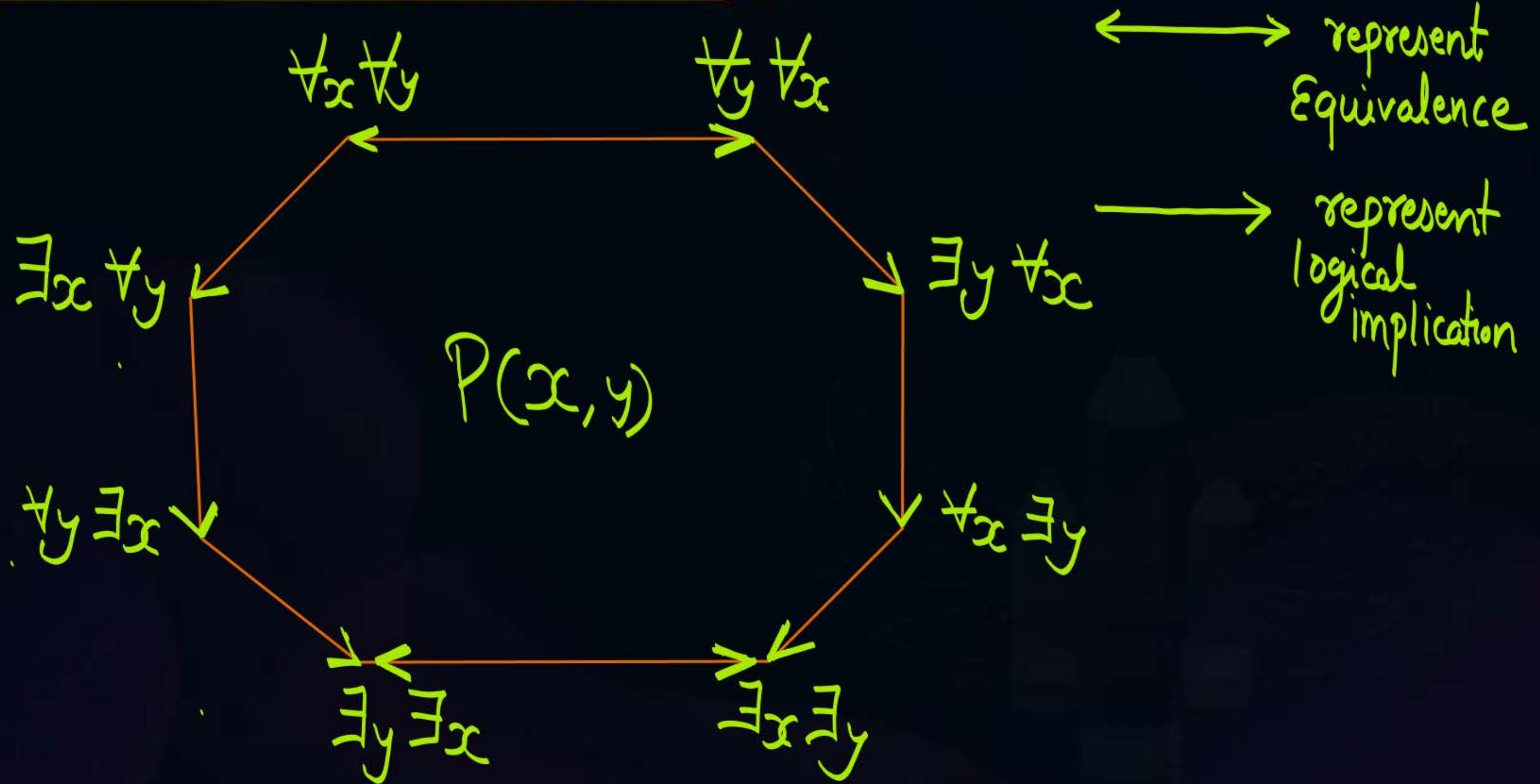
⑦ $\exists x \exists y \{P(x, y)\}$: Somebody likes somebody

⑧ $\exists y \exists x \{P(x, y)\}$: Somebody is liked by somebody

$$\exists x \exists y \{P(x, y)\} \equiv \exists y \exists x \{P(x, y)\}$$



Topic : Relationship diagram



#Q. Which of the following is/are true?

A

$$\forall x \exists y P(x,y) \Rightarrow \exists y \forall x P(x,y)$$

B

$$\forall x \forall y P(x,y) \Rightarrow \exists y \forall x P(x,y)$$

C

$$\exists x \forall y P(x,y) \Rightarrow \forall y \exists x P(x,y)$$

D

$$\exists x \exists y P(x,y) \Rightarrow \forall y \exists x P(x,y)$$

[MCQ]



#Q. Consider the first order logic sentence $F: \forall x(\exists y R(x, y))$. Assuming non-empty logical domains, which of the sentences below are implied by F ?

$$F \Rightarrow \text{I. } \exists y (\exists x R(x, y))$$

$$F \not\Rightarrow \text{III. } \exists y (\forall x R(x, y))$$

$$F \Rightarrow \text{II. } \forall y (\exists x R(x, y))$$

$$F \not\Rightarrow \text{IV. } \sim \exists x (\forall y \sim R(x, y))$$

A IV only

B I and IV only

C II only

D II and III only



Topic : Rules of Inferences w.r.t. predicate logic

- In predicate logic, we can use some additional inference rules, along with all the rules of inference we have discussed in propositional logic.
- Additional Rules of Inference w.r.t. Predicate Logic
 - ✓ 1. Universal Instantiation (Universal Specification)
 - ✓ 2. Universal Generalization
 - ✓ 3. Existential Instantiation (Existential Specification)
 - ✓ 4. Existential Generalization



Topic : Universal Instantiation

/ Universal specification



$$\forall x \{ P(x) \}$$

◦◦ $P(c)$ is true for all 'c' in universe of discourse



Topic : Universal Generalization

$P(c)$ is true for all 'c' in the universe of discourse

$$\therefore \forall z \{ P(z) \}$$

We can use any variable



Topic : Existential Instantiation

$$\exists x \{ P(x) \}$$

$\therefore P(c)$ is true for some 'c' in the universe of discourse



Topic : Existential Generalization



$P(c)$ is true for some 'c' in the universe of discourse

$$\therefore \exists y \{P(y)\}$$

→ Logical Equivalences & Implications

$$\textcircled{1} \quad \forall x \{ P(x) \wedge Q(x) \} \begin{array}{c} \xRightarrow{\textcircled{1}} \\ \xleftarrow{\textcircled{2}} \end{array} \forall x \{ P(x) \} \wedge \forall x \{ Q(x) \}$$

$$\textcircled{1} \quad \forall x \{ P(x) \wedge Q(x) \} \equiv \forall x \{ P(x) \} \wedge \forall x \{ Q(x) \}$$

→ Logical Equivalences & Implications

$$\textcircled{2} \quad \exists x \{ P(x) \vee Q(x) \} \begin{array}{c} \xrightarrow{\textcircled{1}} \\ \equiv \\ \xleftarrow{\textcircled{2}} \end{array} \exists x \{ P(x) \} \vee \exists x \{ Q(x) \}$$

for at least one x
disjunction of P & Q
must be true

i.e. for at least one ' x '
 $P(x)$ or $Q(x)$ must be
true.

For R.H.S to be true
Either P should be true
for at least one x

or
 Q should be true
for at least one x

→ Logical Equivalences & Implications

$$\textcircled{3} \quad \forall x \{ P(x) \vee Q(x) \} \not\equiv \forall x \{ P(x) \} \vee \forall x \{ Q(x) \}$$

①
②

for all x disjunction of P & Q must be true

$$U = \{1, 2\}$$

$$\begin{array}{ll} P(1) = T & Q(1) = F \\ P(2) = F & Q(2) = T \end{array}$$

$$\forall x \{ P(x) \} = F \quad \forall x \{ Q(x) \} = F$$

$$\begin{array}{ll} P(1) \vee Q(1) = T \\ P(2) \vee Q(2) = T \end{array}$$

$$\therefore \forall x \{ P(x) \vee Q(x) \} \text{ is true}$$

R.H.S. Can be true only if P is true for all x or Q is true for all x , in that case disjunction of P & Q will also be true for all x \therefore L.H.S. will also be true

\vee
 \textcircled{F}

→ Logical Equivalences & Implications

(2) $\exists x \{P(x) \wedge Q(x)\}$ \neq $\exists x \{P(x)\} \wedge \exists x \{Q(x)\}$

① ✓
② ✗

for L.H.S. to be true
for at least one x
Conjunction of P & Q
must be true

for R.H.S. to be true
 $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} P \text{ must be true for at least} \\ \text{one } x, \text{ and } Q \text{ must be} \\ \text{true for at least one } x \end{array} \right.$
but it is not necessary for
 P & Q to be true for same x
→ i.e. L.H.S. may be false

i.e., for at least one x
both P & Q should
be true simultaneously

if it is true,
then for at least one x
 $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} P \text{ will be true} \\ \text{for at least one } x \\ Q \text{ will be true} \end{array} \right.$

∴ R.H.S. will also
be true



Topic : Equivalences & Implications

✓ 1. $\forall x [P(x) \wedge Q(x)] \equiv [\forall x P(x)] \wedge [\forall x Q(x)]$

✓ 2. $\exists x [P(x) \vee Q(x)] \equiv [\exists x P(x)] \vee [\exists x Q(x)]$

✓ 3. $[\forall x P(x)] \vee [\forall x Q(x)] \Rightarrow \forall x [P(x) \vee Q(x)]$

✓ 4. $\exists x [P(x) \wedge Q(x)] \Rightarrow [\exists x P(x)] \wedge [\exists x Q(x)]$

✓ 5. $\forall x [P(x) \rightarrow Q(x)] \Rightarrow [\forall x P(x)] \rightarrow [\forall x Q(x)]$

We have already discussed when we were discussing "for all" quantifier



Topic : Some important equivalences

H.W.

1. $\forall x [P(x) \wedge Q] \equiv \forall x P(x) \wedge Q$

2. $\exists x [P(x) \vee Q] \equiv \exists x P(x) \vee Q$

3. $\forall x [P(x) \vee Q] \equiv \forall x P(x) \vee Q$

4. $\exists x [P(x) \wedge Q] \equiv \exists x P(x) \wedge Q$

Assume,
 Q is a predicate formula
in which x is not
a free variable.

↳ i.e., truth value of Q
will not vary with x .

↳ i.e. if Q is true
it will remain true
for all x ,
& if Q is false it will
remain false for all x



Topic : Some important equivalences



H.W. 5. $\forall x [P \rightarrow Q(x)] \equiv P \rightarrow \forall x Q(x)$

6. $\exists x [P \rightarrow Q(x)] \equiv P \rightarrow \exists x Q(x)$

7. $\forall x [P(x) \rightarrow Q] \equiv \exists x P(x) \rightarrow Q$

8. $\exists x [P(x) \rightarrow Q] \equiv \forall x P(x) \rightarrow Q$

H.W.

#Q. Let $P(x)$ and $Q(x)$ be arbitrary predicates. Which of the following statements is always TRUE?

- A** $(\forall x(P(x) \vee Q(x))) \Rightarrow ((\forall x P(x)) \vee (\forall x Q(x)))$
- B** $(\forall x(P(x) \Rightarrow Q(x))) \Rightarrow ((\forall x P(x)) \Rightarrow (\forall x Q(x)))$
- C** $(\forall x(P(x) \Rightarrow \forall x Q(x))) \Rightarrow (\forall x (P(x) \Rightarrow Q(x)))$
- D** $((\forall x(P(x)) \Leftrightarrow (\forall x Q(x))) \Rightarrow (\forall x(P(x) \Leftrightarrow Q(x))))$



2 mins Summary



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Topic

Sentences with multiple quantifiers

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Topic

Relationship diagram

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Topic

Rules of inference w.r.t. predicate logic

✓
Topic

Equivalences and implications

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