## 22AIE 201 Fundamentals of AI

## **Theory Assignment 2**

## **Propositional Logic**

- 1. Suppose that the statement  $p \to \neg q$  is false. Find all combinations of truth values of r and s for which  $(\neg q \to r) \land (\neg p \lor s)$  is true.
- 2. Without using truth table prove  $(p \land q) \rightarrow (p \lor q) \equiv T$
- 3. When is a propositional formula P valid? When is P satisfiable?
- 4. Use the truth table to answer the following questions about logical entailment.

a. 
$$\{p \Rightarrow q \lor r\} \vDash (p \Rightarrow r)$$

b. 
$$\{p \Rightarrow r\} \vDash (p \Rightarrow q \lor r)$$

c. 
$$\{q \Rightarrow r\} \vDash (p \Rightarrow q \lor r)$$

d. 
$$\{p \Rightarrow q \lor r, p \Rightarrow r\} \vDash (q \Rightarrow r)$$

e. 
$$\{p \Rightarrow q \lor r, q \Rightarrow r\} \vDash (p \Rightarrow r)$$

5. Determine whether each of the following is a tautology, a contradiction or neither:

$$a.\ p \to (p\ V\ q)$$

b. 
$$(p \rightarrow q) \land (p \lor q)$$

c. 
$$(p \lor q) \leftrightarrow (q \lor p)$$

$$d.\ (p \land q) \to p$$

## **Predicate Logic**

- 6. Translate the following English sentences to first-order logic using the following predicates: Owns(x, y), Dog(x), Cat(x), Cute(x), and Scary(x). For example, Owns(x, y) means that object x owns object y:
- (a) Joe has a cute dog.
- (b) All of Joe's dogs are cute
- (c) Unless Joe owns a dog, he is scary.
- (d) Either Joe has at least one cat and at least one dog or he is scary (but not both at the same time).
- (e) Not all dogs are both scary and cute.
- 7. Consider the following axioms:

- 1. All hounds howl at night.
- 2. Anyone who has any cats will not have any mice.
- 3. Light sleepers do not have anything which howls at night.
- 4. John has either a cat or a hound.

Prove by Resolution tree "If John is a light sleeper, then John does not have any mice"