

Unit - V

# Elementary Number Theory and Cryptography

## Fundamentals of logic

### Proposition or Statement:

A proposition or a statement is a sentence which can be either true or false but not both.

For Ex :—

1) Bangalore is a IT hub of India (true)

2) 1 is an odd numbers (true)

3)  $2 + 3 = 4$  (False)

### Logical Conjunctions :-

Compound propositions / statement obtained by the use of words or phrases like 'not', 'and', 'or', 'if', .. 'then' and 'if and only if' are called logical conjunctions.

#### 1) Negation ('not' or $\sim$ )

If  $P$  is a proposition, then negation of  $P$  is denoted by  $\sim P$  and defined by 'not  $P$ '.

For example :

$p$  : mumbai is a capital of maharashtra

$\sim p$  : mumbai is not a capital of maharashtra

Truth Table :-

$p$	$\sim p$
T	F
F	T

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Conjunction ('and' OR  $\wedge$ )

A compound proposition obtained by combining 2 given propositions  $p$  and  $q$  by inserting a word 'and' in b/w is called conjunction and it is denoted by ' $p$  and  $q$ ' or ' $p \wedge q$ '

Remark:- The Conjunction  $p \wedge q$  is true only when both  $p$  and  $q$  are true ; in all other cases it is false

T.T	$p$	$q$	$p \wedge q$
T	T	T	T
T	F	F	F
F	T	F	F
F	F	F	F

### 3) Disjunction ('or' OR v)

A compound proposition or statement obtained by combining two given proposition p and q by inserting a word 'or' in b/w is called Disjunction and it is denoted by ' $p \vee q$ ' or ' $p \vee q$ '

**Remark :-** The disjunction  $p \vee q$  is true only when one of both or both are true  
Otherwise false (i.e. when both are false)

T . T	P	q	$p \vee q$
	T	T	T
	T	F	T
	F	T	T
	F	F	F

### 4) Conditional ( $p \rightarrow q$ )

A compound proposition obtained by combining two given propositions p and q by using the words 'if' and 'then' at appropriate places is called Conditional and it is denoted by ' $p \rightarrow q$ '

**Remark :-** The conditional  $p \rightarrow q$  is false only when p is true and q is false in all other cases its  $\not\perp$  true.

$p$ : 2 is a prime number       $\sim p$ : 2 is not a prime number

$q$ : 2 is divided by 1       $\sim q$ : 2 is not divided by 1

①  $p \rightarrow q$ : If 2 is a prime no, then 2 is divided by 1 (+)

②  $p \rightarrow \sim q$ : If 2 is a prime num, then 2 does not divide by 1 (-)

③  $\sim p \rightarrow q$ : If 2 is not a prime no, then 2 is divided by 1 (+)

④  $\sim p \rightarrow \sim q$ : If 2 is not a prim number, then 2 does not divide by 1 (-)

T. T

$p$	$q$	$p \rightarrow q$
T	T	T
T	F	F
F	T	T
F	F	T

5) Biconditional ( $p \leftrightarrow q$ )

Let  $p$  &  $q$  are 2 proposition. Then the conjunction of the conditionals  $p \rightarrow q$  and  $q \rightarrow p$  is called ~~the~~ Biconditional of  $p$  and  $q$ . And it is denoted by  $p \leftrightarrow q$

$$\text{i.e } (p \rightarrow q) \wedge (q \rightarrow p) = p \leftrightarrow q$$

T. T

$p$	$q$	$p \rightarrow q$	$q \rightarrow p$	$p \leftrightarrow q$
T	T	T	T	T
T	F	F	T	F
F	T	T	F	F
F	F	T	F	T

## 6) Tautology

A compound proposition which is true for all the possible truth values of its components is called Tautology

For ex:  $P \vee \neg P$  is a tautology

T. T

$P$	$\neg P$	$P \vee \neg P$
T	F	T
F	T	T

## Contradiction

A compound proposition which is false for all the possible truth values of its components is called contradiction.

For Ex:-

$P \wedge \neg P$  is a contradiction

T.T :

P	$\neg P$	$P \wedge \neg P$
T	F	F
F	T	F

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## laws of logic :-

1) Law of double negation

If  $P$  is any proposition, then  $\sim(\sim P) \equiv P$ 

Proof :-

$P$	$\sim P$	$\sim(\sim P)$
T	F	T
F	T	T

$$\therefore \sim(\sim P) \equiv P$$

2) Idempotent Laws

If  $P$  is any proposition, then

(i)  $(P \vee P) \equiv P$

(ii)  $(P \wedge P) \equiv P$

$P$	$P$	$P \wedge P$	$(P \wedge P) \equiv P$
T	T	T	
F	F	F	

$P$	$P$	$P \vee P$	$(P \vee P) \equiv P$
T	T	T	
F	F	F	

### 3) Identity Laws

If  $P$  is any proposition and  $T_0$  and  $F_0$  are Tautology and contradiction respectively

$$(i) (P \wedge T_0) \equiv P \quad (ii) (P \vee F_0) \equiv P$$

Proof :-

	$P$	$T_0$	$(P \wedge T_0)$	Q (ii)	$P$	$F_0$	$(P \vee F_0)$
i	T	T	T	T	T	F	T
	F	T	F	T	F	F	F

$$\therefore (P \wedge T_0) \equiv P$$

### 4) Inverse Laws

$$(i) (P \vee \sim P) \equiv T_0, \quad (ii) (P \wedge \sim P) \equiv F_0$$

when  $T_0$  &  $F_0$  are tautology and contradiction respectively

Proof : (i)

$P$	$\sim P$	$(P \vee \sim P)$
T	F	T
F	T	T

$T_0$

$$(P \vee \sim P) \equiv T_0$$

(ii)	P	$\sim P$	$P \wedge \sim P$
	T	F	F
	F	T	F

$$(P \wedge \sim P) \equiv F_0$$

### 5) Domination Laws

If P is any proposition, then

$$(i) (P \vee T_0) \equiv T_0 \quad (ii) (P \wedge F_0) \equiv F_0$$

where  $T_0$  and  $F_0$  are tautology and contradiction respectively

Proof: (i)

P	$T_0$	$P \vee T_0$
T	T	T
F	T	T

(ii)

P	$F_0$	$P \wedge F_0$
T	F	F
F	F	F

$$(P \vee T_0) \equiv T_0$$

$$(P \wedge F_0) \equiv F_0$$

$$(P \wedge F_0) \equiv F_0$$

### 6) Commutative Law

If P and q are any propositions, then

$$(i) (P \wedge q) \equiv (q \wedge p)$$

$$(ii) (P \vee q) \equiv (q \vee p)$$

Proof:-

$P$	$q$	$P \wedge q$	$q \wedge P$	$(P \wedge q) \equiv (q \wedge P)$
T	T	T	T	
T	F	F	F	
F	T	F	F	
F	F	F	F	

$P$	$q$	$P \vee q$	$q \vee P$	$(P \vee q) \equiv (q \vee P)$
T	T	T	T	
T	F	T	T	
F	T	T	T	
F	F	F	F	

### ⑦ Absorption Law

if  $p$  and  $q$  are any 2 propositions then

$$(i) [P \vee (P \wedge q)] \equiv P$$

$$(ii) [P \wedge (P \vee q)] \equiv P$$

Proof:

	$P$	$q$	$P \wedge q$	$P \vee (P \wedge q)$
(i)	T	F	F	T
	T	F	F	T
	F	T	F	F
	F	F	F	F

$$\therefore P \vee (P \wedge q) \equiv P$$

(ii)	P	q	$P \vee q$	$[P \wedge (P \vee q)]$
	T	T	T	T
	T	F	T	T
	F	T	T	F
	F	F	F	F

$$\therefore P \wedge (P \vee q) \equiv P$$

18) De-morgan's Law.

If  $p$  and  $q$  are any two propositions  
then the first one is negation of  $p$ .

$$(i) \quad \sim(P \vee q) \equiv (\sim p) \wedge (\sim q)$$

$$(ii) \quad \sim(P \wedge q) \equiv (\sim p) \vee (\sim q)$$

(i)	P	q	$\sim p$	$\sim q$	$\sim(P \vee q)$	$\sim(P \wedge q)$	$(\sim p) \wedge (\sim q)$
	T	T	F	F	T	F	F
	T	F	F	T	T	F	F
	F	T	T	F	T	F	F
	F	F	T	T	F	T	T

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

(ii)

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P	q	$\sim p$	$\sim q$	$p \wedge q$	$\sim(p \wedge q)$	$(\sim p) \vee (\sim q)$
T	T	F	F	T	F	F
T	F	F	T	F	T	T
F	T	T	F	F	T	T
F	F	T	T	F	T	T

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

(iii)

Associative Laws

If  $p, q, r$  are any 3 propositions,  
then

$$(i) p \vee (q \vee r) \equiv (p \vee q) \vee r, (ii) p \wedge (q \wedge r) \equiv (p \wedge q) \wedge r$$

(i)	(ii)	(iii)	(iv)	(v)	(vi)	(vii)	(viii)
p	q	r	$q \vee r$	$p \vee q$	$p \vee (q \vee r)$	$(p \vee q) \vee r$	
T	T	T	T	T	T	T	
T	T	F	T	T	T	T	
T	F	T	T	T	T	T	
T	F	F	F	T	T	T	
F	T	T	T	T	T	T	
F	T	F	T	T	T	T	
F	F	T	T	F	T	T	
F	F	F	F	F	F		F

(i)	P	q	r	$\neg q \wedge r$	$\neg p \wedge (q \wedge r)$	$p \wedge q$	$(p \wedge q) \wedge r$
	T	T	T	T	T	T	T
	T	T	F	F	F	T	F
	T	F	T	F	F	F	F
	F	F	F	F	F	F	F
	T	F	F	F	F	F	F
	F	T	F	F	F	F	F
	F	F	T	F	F	F	F
	F	F	F	F	F	F	F

## L 10 Distributive Law

If any  $P, q, r$ , are any three propositions  
then

$$(i) \quad \text{pr}(q \wedge r) \equiv (\text{pr}q) \wedge (\text{pr}r)$$

$$(ii) \quad P \wedge (Q \vee R) = (P \wedge Q) \vee (P \wedge R)$$

(ii)	P	q	r	$q \vee r$	$p \wedge (q \vee r)$	$(p \wedge q)$	$(p \wedge q) \vee (p \wedge r)$	$(p \wedge r)$
	T	T	T	T	T	T	T	T
	T	T	F	T	T	T	F	T
	T	F	T	T	T	F	T	T
	T	F	F	F	F	F	F	F
	F	T	T	T	F	F	F	F
	F	F	T	T	F	F	F	F
	F	F	F	F	F	F	F	F

$$p \wedge (q \vee r) \equiv (p \wedge q) \vee (p \wedge r)$$

T	T	T	T	T	T	T	T
T	T	F	T	F	F	F	F
T	F	T	T	F	F	F	F
F	F	F	F	F	F	F	F

$$(p \wedge q) \vee (p \wedge r) = p \wedge (q \vee r)$$

## Law of the Negation of the conditional

If  $p$  and  $q$  are any 2 propositions and given conditional is  $p \rightarrow q$ , then negative of  $p \rightarrow q$  is obtained by the following

$$\sim(p \rightarrow q) \equiv p \wedge (\sim q)$$

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

$$\therefore \sim(p \rightarrow q) \equiv p \wedge (\sim q)$$

Remarks: —

- 1)  $\sim(p \vee q) \equiv \sim p \wedge \sim q$
- 2)  $\sim(p \wedge q) \equiv \sim p \vee \sim q$
- 3)  $\sim(p \rightarrow q) \equiv p \wedge \sim q$
- 4)  $p \rightarrow q \equiv \sim[\sim(p \rightarrow q)]$  ( $\because$  By the law of double negation)  
 $\equiv \sim[(p \wedge \sim q)]$   $\therefore$  By 3  
 $\equiv \sim p \vee \sim(\sim q)$  ( $\because$  By 2)  
 $p \rightarrow q \equiv \sim p \vee q$

Transitive Rule: —

If  $p, q, r$  are any propositions, such that  $p \equiv q$  and  $q \equiv r$ , then  $p \equiv r$  is called transitive rule.

Substitution Rule: —

- Suppose a compound statement  $u$  is a tautology, and  $p$  is a component of  $u$ , if we replace each occurrence  $p$  in  $u$  by the proposition  $q$ , then resulting compound proposition  $v$  is also a tautology. This rule is called substitution rule.

$$u : (p \wedge \sim r) \wedge p \longrightarrow \text{Tautology}$$

$$v : (q \wedge \sim r) \wedge q \longrightarrow "$$

2) Suppose  $\alpha$  is a compound proposition which contains a compound  $p$ . Let  $q$  be a proposition such that  $p \equiv q$  if we replace one or more occurrences of  $p$  by  $q$ , and obtained a compound proposition  $\beta$ , then  $\alpha \equiv \beta$ . This is also called a substitution rule.

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Examples  
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① Let  $x$  be a specified number. Write down the negation of the following conditional.

"If  $x$  is an integer, then  $x$  is a rational number."

Sol:

Given conditional is

"If  $x$  is an integer, then  $x$  is a rational number."

$P$ :  $x$  is an integer

$q$ :  $x$  is a rational number

Given conditional can also be written as

$$P \rightarrow q$$

Negation of the above conditional is

$$\sim(P \rightarrow q) \equiv P \wedge \sim q$$

$\therefore$  "x is an integer and it is not a rational number"

Q. Let  $\alpha$  be a specified number. Write down the negation of the following proposition

"If  $\alpha$  is not a real no. then it is not a rational number and not an irrational number."

→ So Given Compound proposition is  
 " If  $\alpha$  is not a real no. then it is not a rational no and not an irrational number.

- |    |                              |            |                     |
|----|------------------------------|------------|---------------------|
| p: | $\alpha$ is a real num       | $\sim p$ : | not real no         |
| q: | $\alpha$ is a rational num   | $\sim q$ : | not a rational no   |
| r: | $\alpha$ is a irrational num | $\sim r$ : | not a irrational no |

Above compound statement

$$\sim p \rightarrow (\sim q \wedge \sim r)$$

$\therefore$  Negation of the above statement is

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \sim [\sim p \rightarrow (\sim q \wedge \sim r)] \equiv \\
 & \quad \sim p \wedge \sim (\sim q \wedge \sim r) (\because \sim p \rightarrow (\sim q \wedge \sim r)) \\
 & \quad = \sim p \wedge [\sim(\sim q) \vee \sim(\sim r)] (\because \sim \sim p \equiv p) \\
 & \quad = \sim p \wedge q \vee r
 \end{aligned}$$

∴ "  $x$  is <sup>not</sup> a real number and it is irrational number or ~~is~~ an irrational number".

3) Simplify the following compound propositions using the laws of logic.

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \text{(i)} \quad (p \vee q) \wedge [\sim(\sim p \wedge q)] \quad \text{(ii)} \quad (p \vee q) \wedge [\sim(\sim p \vee q)]
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \text{(i)} \quad (p \vee q) \wedge [\sim(\sim p) \vee \sim q] \quad (\because \text{DeMorgan's Law}) \\
 & \equiv (p \vee q) \wedge [p \vee \sim q] \quad (\because p \vee (q \wedge \sim q) = (p \vee q) \wedge (p \vee \sim q)) \\
 & \equiv p \vee (q \wedge \sim q) \quad (\because p \wedge \sim p \equiv F_0) \\
 & \equiv p \vee F_0 \\
 & \equiv p \quad [\text{Ex-}(p \vee F_0) \wedge (p \vee \sim p) = p]
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \text{(ii)} \quad (p \vee q) \wedge [\sim(\sim p \vee q)] \\
 & \equiv (p \vee q) \wedge [\sim(\sim p) \wedge \sim q] \quad (\text{D.M.}) \\
 & \equiv (p \vee q) \wedge (p \wedge \sim q) \\
 & \equiv [(p \vee q) \wedge p] \wedge \sim q \quad (\text{Associative Law}) \\
 & \equiv [p \wedge (p \vee q)] \wedge \sim q \quad (\because \text{Commutative Law}) \\
 & \equiv p \wedge \sim q \quad \therefore (\text{Absorption Law}) \\
 & \therefore (p \vee q) \wedge [\sim(\sim p \vee q)] = p \wedge \sim q.
 \end{aligned}$$

4) Prove the following logical equivalences without using T.T.

$$(i) [p \vee q \vee (\sim p \wedge \sim q \wedge r)] \equiv (p \vee q \vee r)$$

$$(ii) [(\sim p \vee \sim q) \rightarrow (p \wedge q \wedge r)] \equiv (\sim p \wedge q \wedge r)$$

Sol: (i) Given that

$$\begin{aligned} & [p \vee q \vee (\sim p \wedge \sim q \wedge r)] \\ & \equiv p \vee q \vee \{(\sim p \wedge \sim q) \wedge r\} \quad (\text{Associative Law}) \\ & \equiv [p \vee q \vee \{ \sim(p \wedge q) \wedge r \}] \quad (\because D.M \text{ Law}) \\ & \equiv \underline{(p \vee q)} \vee \underline{\{ \sim(p \wedge q) \wedge r \}} \quad (\text{Distributive Law}) \end{aligned}$$

$$\equiv [(p \vee q) \vee \sim(p \wedge q)] \wedge [(p \vee q) \wedge r]$$

$$\equiv \underbrace{(p \vee q)}_{T_0} \wedge [(p \vee q) \wedge r]$$

$$\equiv T_0 \wedge [(p \vee q) \wedge r] \quad (\because p \vee \sim p \equiv T_0)$$

$$\equiv (p \vee q \vee r) \wedge T_0 \quad (\because \text{Commutative Law})$$

$$\equiv (p \vee q \vee r) \quad (\because \text{Identity Law})$$

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(ii)  $\underline{[(\sim p \vee \sim q) \rightarrow (p \wedge q \wedge r)]} \quad (\because p \rightarrow q \equiv \sim p \vee q)$

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

$$\equiv \sim(\sim p) \wedge \sim(\sim q) \vee (p \wedge q \wedge r) \quad (\because DM \text{ Law})$$

$$\equiv (p \wedge q) \vee (p \wedge q \wedge r) \quad (\text{Law of Double Negation})$$

$$\equiv (p \wedge q) \vee [(\underline{p \wedge q}) \wedge \underline{r}] \quad (\text{Absorption Law})$$

$$\equiv (p \wedge q)$$

\*  $\underline{[(\sim p \vee \sim q) \rightarrow (p \wedge q \wedge r)]} \equiv (p \wedge q)$

5 Prove the following logical equivalence that is

$$(p \rightarrow q) \wedge [\sim q \wedge (\sim p \vee \sim q)] \equiv \sim(p \vee q)$$

Sol:

$$(p \rightarrow q) \wedge [\sim q \wedge (\sim p \vee \sim q)] \quad (\text{commutative law})$$

$$\equiv (p \rightarrow q) \wedge [\sim q \wedge (\sim q \vee \sim p)]$$

$$\equiv (p \rightarrow q) \wedge (\sim q) \quad (\text{absorption law})$$

$$\equiv \sim [(p \rightarrow q) \rightarrow q] \quad (\because \sim(p \rightarrow q) \equiv p \wedge \sim q)$$

$$\equiv \sim [p(\sim p \vee q) \rightarrow q]$$

$$\equiv \sim [\sim(p \rightarrow q) \vee q] \quad (\because p \rightarrow q \equiv \sim p \vee q)$$

$$\equiv \sim [(p \wedge \sim q) \vee q] \quad (\because \sim p \rightarrow q \equiv p \wedge \sim q)$$

$$\equiv \sim [q \vee (p \wedge \sim q)] \quad (\because \text{Commutative Law})$$

$$\equiv \sim [(q \vee p) \wedge (q \vee \sim q)] \quad (\text{Distribution Law})$$

$$\equiv \sim [(q \vee p) \wedge T_0] \quad (\because \text{Inverse Law})$$

$$\equiv \sim (q \vee p) \quad (\text{Identity Law})$$

$$\equiv \sim (p \vee q) \quad (\because \text{Commutative Law})$$

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

$$\sim (p \vee q) //$$

$$(p \vee q) \equiv [(p \wedge p) \wedge (q \wedge q)]$$

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$$(p \vee q) \equiv [(p \wedge r) \vee (q \wedge r)] \wedge (p \rightarrow r)$$

$$(p \wedge r) \Rightarrow [(p \wedge r) \wedge (q \wedge r)] \wedge (p \rightarrow r)$$

$$(p \wedge r) \Rightarrow [(p \wedge r) \wedge (q \wedge r)] \wedge (p \rightarrow r)$$

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## Duality

Suppose  $u$  is a compound statement/proposition that contains the connectives  $\wedge$  and  $\vee$ , also and contains the components  $T_0$  and  $F_0$ .

Suppose we replace each occurrences of  $\wedge$ ,  $\vee$ ,  $T_0$  and  $F_0$  by  $\vee$ ,  $\wedge$ ,  $F_0$  &  $T_0$  respectively.

Then resulting Compound proposition is good dual of  $u$  and it is denoted by  $u^d$ .

For ex:- Given compound proposition is

$$u: P \vee (q \wedge \neg r) \vee (r \wedge T_0)$$

Then dual of  $u$  is given by

$$u^d = P \wedge (q \vee \neg r) \wedge (r \vee F_0)$$

Remark:

- 1) If  $u$  is compound proposition and  $u^d$  is its dual, then  $(u^d)^d = u$
- 2) For any 2 compound proposition  $u$  &  $v$ , if  $u \equiv v$ , then  $u^d \equiv v^d$ . This is known as principle of duality.

Ex:-

> Write down the duals of following proposition

$$(i) u: p \rightarrow q \equiv \sim p \vee q$$

$$u = \sim p \vee d$$

$\therefore u^d$   
dual of  $u$  is  $u^d: \sim p \wedge d$

$$(ii) (p \rightarrow q) \rightarrow r \equiv (\sim p \vee q) \rightarrow r$$

$$(\because p \rightarrow q \equiv \sim p \vee q)$$

$$\equiv \sim(\sim p \vee q) \vee r$$

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

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

$$\therefore u: (p \rightarrow q) \rightarrow r \equiv (p \wedge \sim q) \vee r$$

$$\therefore u^d: (p \vee \sim q) \wedge r$$

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Given that

$$(\because p \rightarrow q \equiv \sim p \vee q)$$

$$u: p \rightarrow (q \rightarrow r) \equiv \sim p \vee (q \rightarrow r)$$

$$= \sim p \vee (\sim q \vee r)$$

$$\therefore u = \sim p \vee (\sim q \vee r)$$

$$u: (p \rightarrow q) \rightarrow r \equiv \sim p \vee (\sim q \vee r)$$

$$u^d: \sim p \wedge (\sim q \wedge r)$$

Ex : 2

- (2) Verify the principle of duality for the following logical equivalence

$$\sim(u(p \wedge q)) \rightarrow \sim p \vee (\sim p \vee q) \equiv (\sim p \vee q)$$

Sol.MHS

$$\therefore u : \sim(u(p \wedge q)) \rightarrow \sim p \vee (\sim p \vee q)$$

$$v : (\sim p \vee q)$$

$$(i) u : \sim(u(p \wedge q)) \rightarrow \sim p \vee (\sim p \vee q)$$

$$= \sim(\sim(p \wedge q)) \rightarrow (\sim p \vee \sim p) \vee q \quad (\because \text{Associative Law})$$

$$= \sim(p \wedge q) \rightarrow \sim p \vee q \quad (\because \text{Idempotent Law})$$

$$= \sim[\sim(p \wedge q)] \vee (\sim p \vee q)$$

$(p \rightarrow q \equiv \sim p \vee q)$

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

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

$$= [(\sim p \vee q) \wedge p] \vee [(\sim p \vee q) \wedge q]$$

$$\equiv [p \vee (\neg p \vee q)] \wedge [\neg p \vee (\neg q \vee q)]$$

$$\equiv [(p \vee \neg p) \vee q] \wedge [\neg p \vee q]$$

$$\begin{aligned} &\equiv [T_0 \vee q] \wedge [\neg p \vee q] \quad (\text{Associativity of Disjunction}) \\ &\equiv T_0 \wedge [\neg p \vee q] \quad (\text{Domination Law}) \end{aligned}$$

$$\equiv \neg p \vee q$$

$\therefore u: \neg p \vee q$

$u^d: \neg p \wedge q$  dual of  $u$

$$v: \neg p \vee q$$

$v^d: \neg p \wedge q$

dual of  $v$

$$\boxed{u^d \equiv v^d}$$

(3) Verify the principle of duality for the following logical equivalence

$$(i) (P \vee q) \wedge [\neg p \wedge (\neg p \wedge q)] \equiv (\neg p \wedge q)$$

~~so~~ Given that:

$$(P \vee q) \wedge [\neg p \wedge (\neg p \wedge q)] \equiv (\neg p \wedge q)$$

$$\therefore u: (P \vee q) \wedge [\neg p \wedge (\neg p \wedge q)];$$

$$v: \neg p \wedge q$$

Consider

$$u: (P \wedge q) \wedge [\neg p \wedge (\neg p \wedge q)] \equiv (P \vee q) \wedge [\neg p \wedge \neg p]$$

( $\because$  Associative law)

$$= (P \vee q) \wedge [\neg p \wedge q] \quad (\because \text{Idempotent law})$$

$$P \wedge P \equiv P$$

$$\equiv (\neg p \wedge q) \wedge (P \vee q)$$

( $\because$  Commutative law)

$$\equiv [(\neg p \wedge q) \wedge p] \vee [(\neg p \wedge q) \wedge q]$$

( $\because$  Distributive law)

$$= [P \wedge (\neg p \wedge q)] \vee [(\neg p \wedge q) \wedge q] \quad (\because \text{Assoc Comm law})$$

$$= [(P \wedge \neg p) \wedge q] \vee [\neg p \wedge (q \wedge q)]$$

$$= [F \wedge q] \vee [\neg p \wedge q]$$

$$= F \vee [\neg p \wedge q] \equiv \neg p \wedge q$$

(Dominant law)

$$\therefore u: (p \vee q) \wedge [\neg p \wedge (\neg p \wedge q)] \equiv \neg p \wedge q$$

Dual of  $u$  is

$$u^d : \neg p \vee q$$

Dual of  $v$  is  $\neg(\neg p \wedge q) \wedge (p \vee q) \equiv p \vee q$

$$v^d : \neg p \vee q$$

$$u^d \equiv v^d$$

$\therefore$  This proves the principle of duality

The Connective ~~NAND~~ and ~~NOR~~

### NAND

The Compound proposition  $\neg(p \wedge q)$  is read as "not  $p$  and  $q$ " and it is denoted by  $p \uparrow q$  (or  $P \bar{\wedge} q$ ). This is called the connective NAND.

$$\text{i.e. } P \uparrow q \equiv P \bar{\wedge} q \equiv \neg(p \wedge q) \equiv \neg p \vee \neg q$$

### NOR

The compound proposition  $\neg(p \vee q)$  is read as "not  $p$  or  $q$ " and it is denoted by  $p \downarrow q$  (or  $P \bar{\vee} q$ ). This is called the connective NOR.

$$\text{i.e } P \downarrow q \equiv P \vee q \equiv \sim(P \vee q) \equiv \sim P \wedge \sim q$$

Remarks

- (i) The connective NAND is combinat<sup>n</sup> of the connectives 'not' and 'A AND'
- (ii) The connective NOR is combinat<sup>n</sup> of the connectives 'not' and 'NOR'
- (iii) Evidently  $P \text{ NAND}(q)$  and  $P \downarrow q$  are duals of each other

Example:

- (i) Express the following proposition in terms of only NAND and only NOR connectives

$$(i) \sim P \quad (ii) P \wedge q \quad (iii) P \vee q \quad (iv) P \rightarrow q$$

(i) By Idempotent law, we have

$$P \wedge q \equiv P \quad \text{and} \quad P \vee P \equiv P$$

$$\sim(P \wedge P) \equiv \sim P \quad \text{and} \quad \sim(P \vee P) \equiv \sim P$$

$$P \uparrow P \equiv \sim P \quad \text{and} \quad P \downarrow P \equiv \sim P$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 (ii) \quad P \wedge q &\equiv \sim[\sim(P \wedge q)] \quad (\because \text{Double negation}) \\
 &= \sim[\sim\sim P \vee \sim q] \quad (\because \text{De Morgan's law}) \\
 &\equiv [P \uparrow q] \uparrow [\sim P \vee \sim q] \quad (\text{defined by NAND})
 \end{aligned}$$

$$P \wedge q \equiv (P \uparrow q) \uparrow (P \uparrow q)$$

Also,  $P \wedge q \equiv \sim [\sim (P \wedge q)]$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \sim [\sim P \wedge \sim q] \quad (\text{DeMorgan law}) \\ &\equiv \sim (\sim P) \wedge \sim (\sim q) \\ &\equiv \sim P \downarrow \sim q \\ &\equiv (P \downarrow P) \downarrow (q \downarrow q) \end{aligned}$$

(iii)  $P \vee q \equiv \sim [\sim (P \vee q)] \quad (\because \text{Double negation})$

$$\begin{aligned} &\equiv \sim [\sim p \wedge \sim q] \\ &\equiv \sim ((\sim p \wedge \sim q) \downarrow (\sim p \wedge \sim q)) \\ &\equiv (P \downarrow q) \downarrow (P \downarrow q) \end{aligned}$$

Also  $P \vee q \equiv \sim [\sim (P \vee q)]$

$$\begin{aligned} &\equiv \sim [\sim p \wedge \sim q] \\ &\equiv \sim (\sim p) \vee \sim (\sim q) \\ &\equiv \sim p \uparrow \sim q \\ &\equiv (P \uparrow P) \uparrow (q \uparrow q) \end{aligned}$$

(iv)  $P \rightarrow q \equiv \sim P \vee q$

$$\begin{aligned} &\equiv \sim (P \wedge \sim q) \quad (\because \text{De-Morgan's law}) \\ &\equiv P \uparrow \sim q \quad (\because \text{def of Mdn}) \\ &\equiv P \uparrow (q \uparrow q) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} p \rightarrow q &\equiv \neg p \vee q \\ &\equiv \neg(\neg p \wedge \neg q) \end{aligned}$$

also:

$$\begin{aligned} p \rightarrow q &= \neg[\neg(p \rightarrow q)] \quad (\text{double negation}) \\ &\equiv \neg[\neg(\neg p \wedge \neg q)] \\ &\equiv \neg[p \wedge \neg q] \\ &\equiv \neg p \vee \neg q \\ &\equiv (\neg p \wedge \neg q) \downarrow (\neg p \wedge \neg q) \quad (\text{IDM Law}) \\ &\equiv \neg(\neg p \vee q) \downarrow (\neg(\neg p \vee q)) \\ &\equiv (\neg p \downarrow q) \downarrow (\neg p \downarrow q) \\ p \rightarrow q &= ((\neg p \downarrow p) \downarrow q) \downarrow ((p \downarrow p) \downarrow q) \end{aligned}$$

## Converse, Inverse and Contrapositive of a Conditional

"If  $x$  is an even number, then it is divisible by 2"

$p$ :  $x$  is an even number

$q$ :  $x$  is divisible by 2

$\sim p$ :  $x$  is not an even no

$\sim q$ :  $x$  is not divisible by 2

$$p \rightarrow q$$

Converse of  $p \rightarrow q$

$q \rightarrow p$ : If  $x$  is divisible by 2, then it is an even number

Inverse of  $p \rightarrow q$

$\sim p \rightarrow \sim q$ : If  $x$  is not an even no, then  $x$  is not divisible by 2

Contrapositive of  $p \rightarrow q$

$\sim q \rightarrow \sim p$ : If  $x$  is not divisible by 2, then it is not an even number

Let  $p$  and  $q$  are 2 propositions and  $p \rightarrow q$  is a conditional then

(i)  $q \rightarrow p$  is called converse of  $p \rightarrow q$

(ii)  $\sim p \rightarrow \sim q$  is called Inverse of  $p \rightarrow q$

(iii)  $\sim q \rightarrow \sim p$  is called Contrapositive of  $p \rightarrow q$

Truth Table

$P$	$q$	$\sim p$	$\sim q$	$p \rightarrow q$	$q \rightarrow p$	$\sim p \rightarrow \sim q$	$\sim q \rightarrow \sim p$
T	F	F	T	T	T	T	T
T	F	F	F	T	T	F	
F	T	T	F	T	F	F	T
F	F	T	T	T	T	T	T

Remark : From above we have following results

(i) Conditional and its contrapositive are logically equivalent.

$$\text{i.e. } p \rightarrow q \equiv \sim q \rightarrow \sim p$$

(ii) The converse and inverse of a conditional are logically equivalent i.e.  $q \rightarrow p \equiv \sim p \rightarrow \sim q$

Example

State the converse, inverse and contrapositive of the following conditionals

- 1) "If  $x$  is an even no, then it is divisible by 2"
- 2) "If a quadrilateral is a parallelogram, then its diagonal bisect each other".
- 3) "If a real number  $x^2$  is greater than zero, then  $x$  is not equal to zero".

Sol: Given statement is

"If  $x$  is an even number, then it is divisible by 2"

$p$ :  $x$  is an even number.

$q$ :  $x$  is divisible by 2.

$\sim p$ :  $x$  is not an even no

$\sim q$ :  $x$  is not divisible by 2.

Given statement can be written as

$$p \rightarrow q$$

Converse of  $p \rightarrow q$

$q \rightarrow p$ : If  $x$  is divisible by 2, then it is an even number

Inverse of  $p \rightarrow q$

$\sim p \rightarrow \sim q$ : If  $n$  is not an even number, then it is not divisible by 2.

Contrapositive of  $p \rightarrow q$

$\sim q \rightarrow \sim p$ : If  $n$  is not divisible by 2, then it is not an even number.



Given statement is

"If a quadrilateral is a parallelogram, then its diagonals bisect each other"

$p$ : A quadrilateral is a parallelogram

$q$ : Diagonals of a quadrilateral bisect each other

$\sim p$ : A quadrilateral is not a parallelogram

$\sim q$ : Diagonals of a quadrilateral do not bisect each other

Continuation of Ex 2)

Given statement can also be written as  
 $p \rightarrow q$

Converse of  $p \rightarrow q$

$q \rightarrow p$ : If the diagonals of a quadrilateral bisect each other, then it is a parallelogram.

Inverse of  $p \rightarrow q$

$\sim p \rightarrow \sim q$ : If a quadrilateral is not a parallelogram, then its diagonal do not bisect each other.

Contrapositive of  $p \rightarrow q$

$\sim q \rightarrow \sim p$ : If the diagonal of a quadrilateral do not bisect each other, then it is not a parallelogram.

3) Given statement.

3)

Given statement is

"If a real number  $x^2$  is greater than zero, then  $x$  is not equal to zero"

$p$ : A real number  $x^2$  is greater than zero

$q$ :  $x$  is not equal to zero

$\sim p$ : A real number  $x^2$  is not greater than zero

$\sim q$ :  $x$  is equal to zero

Given statement can also be written as

$$p \rightarrow q$$

Converse of  $p \rightarrow q$

$q \rightarrow p$ : If a real number  $x$  is not equal to zero, then  $x^2$  is greater than zero

Inverse of  $p \rightarrow q$

$\sim p \rightarrow \sim q$ : If a real number  $x^2$  is not greater than zero, then  $x$  is equal to zero.

Contrapositive of  $p \rightarrow q$

$\sim q \rightarrow \sim p$ : If a real number  $x$  is equal to zero, then  $x^2$  is not equal to zero.

## Implicative Statement or Hypothetical statement

The conditional  $p \rightarrow q$ , where  $p$  and  $q$  are any two propositions such that both are related in some way. So that the truth value of  $q$  depends on the truth value of  $p$  and vice-versa. Such conditional  $p \rightarrow q$  are called implicative statement or hypothetical statement.

### Logical implication

In an implicative statement  $p \rightarrow q$ ,  $q$  is true whenever  $p$  is true, then we say the "p logically implies to q" or "p implies q". This is symbolically written as

$$p \Rightarrow q$$

In an implicative statement  $p \rightarrow q$ ,  $q$  is not necessarily true when even  $p$  is true, then we say that "p does not imply q". This is symbolically written as

$$p \not\Rightarrow q$$

Example

i) Prove the following

- (i)  $[p \wedge (p \rightarrow q)] \rightarrow q$ , (ii)  $[(p \rightarrow q) \wedge \neg q] \rightarrow \neg p$
- (iii)  $[(p \vee q) \wedge \neg p] \rightarrow q$

Sol: The truth table is as following

p	q	$\neg p$	$\neg q$	$p \vee q$	$p \rightarrow q$
T	T	F	F	T	T
T	F	F	T	T	F
F	T	T	F	T	T
F	F	T	T	F	T

(i) From the above truth table

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

T	F	F
F	F	F
F	F	T
F	T	F

(ii) From the above truth table  $p \wedge (p \rightarrow q)$  true, then  $q$  is also true

$$\therefore p \wedge (p \rightarrow q) \Rightarrow q$$

(ii) From the above truth table,  $(p \rightarrow q) \wedge \neg p$  is true then  $\neg p$  is also true  
 $\therefore (p \rightarrow q) \wedge \neg p \Rightarrow \neg p$

(iii) From the above truth table  $(p \vee q) \wedge \neg p$  is true, then  $q$  is also true  
 $\therefore (p \vee q) \wedge \neg p \Rightarrow q$

2) Prove the following

$$(i) p \wedge q \Rightarrow p \vee q$$

$$(ii) \neg p \Rightarrow (p \rightarrow q)$$

$$(iii) q \Rightarrow (p \rightarrow q)$$

Sol

Truth table

P	q	$\neg p$	$p \wedge q$	$p \rightarrow q$	$p \vee q$
T	T	F	T	T	T
T	F	F	F	F	T
F	T	T	F	T	T
F	F	T	F	T	F

(i) From the truth table, we found that, if

(i)  $(P \wedge q)$  is true, then  $(P \vee q)$  is also true  
 $\therefore (P \wedge q) \Rightarrow (P \vee q)$

(ii) From the T.T., we found that, if  $\neg p$  is true, then  $(P \rightarrow q)$  is true  
 $\therefore \neg p \Rightarrow (P \rightarrow q)$

(iii) From the T.T., we found that, if  $q$  is true  
 $\therefore q \Rightarrow (P \rightarrow q)$

3) Prove the following

$$(i) P \wedge (q \vee r) \Rightarrow (P \wedge q) \vee r$$

$$(ii) (P \rightarrow q) \Rightarrow P \rightarrow (P \wedge q)$$

Sol<sup>P</sup> Truth Table

$\neg P$	$P$	$q$	$r$	$q \vee r$	$P \wedge q$	$P \rightarrow q$	$P \wedge (q \vee r)$	$q(P \wedge q) \vee r$
F	T	T	T	T	T	T	F*	T*
F	T	F	F	T	T	T	T*	T*
F	F	F	T	T	F	F	T*	T*
F	F	F	F	F	F	F	F	F
T	F	T	T	T	F	T	F	T
T	F	T	F	T	F	T	F	F
T	F	F	T	T	F	T	F	T
T	F	F	F	F	F	T	F	F

$$p \rightarrow (p \wedge q)$$

T \*\*

T \*\*

F

F

T \*\*

T \*\*

T \*\*

T \*\*

(i)

\* From T.T , we found that , if  $p \wedge (q \vee r)$  is true , then  $(p \wedge q) \vee r$  is true

$$p \wedge (q \vee r) \Rightarrow (p \wedge q) \vee r$$

(ii)

$$(p \rightarrow q) \Rightarrow p \rightarrow (p \wedge q)$$

From T.T we found that if  $(p \rightarrow q) \Rightarrow p \rightarrow (p \wedge q)$  is true , then  $p \rightarrow (p \wedge q)$

Rule of Inferences

argument : Collection of proposition  
 $\{p_1, p_2, p_3, \dots, p_n\} \vdash q$

premise  
 of an argument

$(p_1 \wedge p_2 \wedge p_3 \wedge \dots \wedge p_n) \rightarrow q$  then this is

called an argument

Conclusion of an argument

$P \text{ if } (P_1, P_2, P_3, \dots, P_n) \rightarrow q$   
 Then  $q$  is true

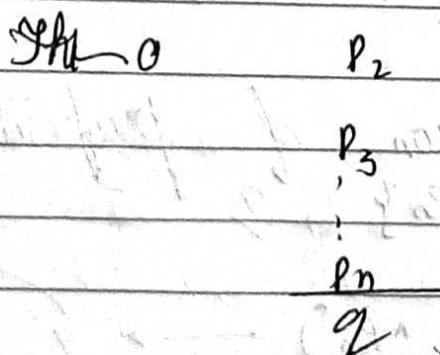
$(P_1 \wedge P_2 \wedge P_3 \wedge \dots \wedge P_n) \rightarrow q$  is argument said to be  
 valid if  $(P_1 \wedge P_2 \wedge P_3 \wedge \dots \wedge P_n) \rightarrow q$

### Rule of Inferences

argument

Let us consider a set of proposition  
 $\{P_1, P_2, \dots, P_n\}$  and another proposition  $q$ .  
 Then a compound proposition of the form  
 $(P_1 \wedge P_2 \wedge P_3 \wedge \dots \wedge P_n) \rightarrow q$   
 is called an argument.

Here  $P_1, P_2, P_3, \dots, P_n$  are called premises of  
 an argument  
 and  $q$  is called conclusion of an  
 argument.



The argument is said to be valid if each proposition of a premise  $p_1, p_2, p_3, \dots, p_n$  are true, then conclusion  $q$  is also true. On other words, the argument  $(p_1 \wedge p_2 \wedge p_3 \wedge \dots \wedge p_n) \rightarrow q$  is valid, when  $p_1 \wedge p_2 \wedge p_3 \wedge \dots \wedge p_n \Rightarrow q$

We have the following rules of inference:

1) Rule of ~~conjective simplification~~ (or ~~conjunction simplification~~)

for any 2 proposition  $p$  and  $q$ , if  $(p \wedge q)$  is true, then  $p$  is true.

$$\text{i.e } (p \wedge q) \Rightarrow p \quad (\text{or } (p \wedge q) \Rightarrow q)$$

Tableau form is

$$\frac{p \wedge q}{\therefore p} \quad (\text{or } \frac{p \wedge q}{q})$$

2) Rule of Disjunctive Simplification  
for any 2 proposition  $p$  and  $q$ , if  $p$  is true, then  $(p \vee q)$  is true

$$p \Rightarrow (p \vee q)$$

∴ The tabular form is

p

$$(p \vee q)$$

### 3) Rule of syllogism

For any three proposition  $p$ ,  $q$  and  $r$ ,  
if  $(p \rightarrow q)$  is true and  $(q \rightarrow r)$  is true  
, then  $(p \rightarrow r)$  is true

$$\text{i.e. } (p \rightarrow q) \wedge (q \rightarrow r) \Rightarrow (p \rightarrow r)$$

∴ Tabular form is

$$p \rightarrow q$$

$$q \rightarrow r$$

$$\therefore p \rightarrow r$$

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

- 4) Modus Ponens (Rule of Detachment)  
 For any two propositions  $p$  and  $q$ ,  
 if  $p$  is true and  $(p \rightarrow q)$  is true  
 then  $q$  is true  
 i.e.  $p \wedge (p \rightarrow q) \Rightarrow q$   
 ∴ Tabular form is

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

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

- 5) Modus Tollens

For any two propositions  $p$  and  $q$ ,  
 if  $(p \rightarrow q)$  is true, and  $q$  is false,  
 then  $p$  is false

$$\text{i.e. } (p \rightarrow q) \wedge \neg q \Rightarrow \neg p$$

Tableau form is

$P$	$q$	$\sim p$	$\sim q$	$P \rightarrow q$	$(P \rightarrow q) \wedge \sim q$
T	T	F	F	T	F
T	F	F	T	F	F
F	T	T	F	T	F
F	F	T	T	T	(T*)

6&gt;

Rule of Disjunctive Syllogism

For any two proposition  $p$  and  $q$ , if  $\cancel{p \vee q}$  ( $\sim p \wedge q$ ) is true and  $p$  is false, then  $q$  is true.

$$\text{i.e. } (\cancel{p \vee q}) \wedge \cancel{p} \Rightarrow \cancel{q}$$

$\therefore$  Tableau form is

$$\cancel{p \vee q}$$

$$\cancel{\sim p}$$

$$\therefore \underline{q}$$

P	q	$\neg p$	$p \vee q$	$(p \vee q) \wedge \neg p$
T	T	F	T	
T	F	F	T	
F	T*	T	T	
F	F	T	F	F

f) Rule of Contradiction

For any proposition  $P$  and contradiction  $F_0$ , if  $(\neg P \rightarrow F_0)$  is true, then  $P$  is true

$$(\neg P \rightarrow F_0) \rightarrow P$$

Jabarkan form.

$$\neg P \rightarrow F_0$$

$$\therefore P$$

P	$F_0$	$\neg P$	$\neg P \rightarrow F_0$
T*	F	F	T
F	F	T	
F	T	F	

Examples

Test whether the following are valid argument

- 1) If Sachin hits a century, then he gets free car  
Sachin hits a century  
∴ Sachin gets a free car

Given argument can be written as

P: Sachin hits century  
q: Sachin gets free car

By the rule of Modus Ponens the given argument is valid

- 2) If I drive to work, then I will arrive  
I'm not tired  
∴ I don't drive to work

Sol:

Let p: I drive to work

q: I will be tired

∴ ~p: I do not drive to work

∴ q: I am tired

$$p \rightarrow q$$

$$\sim p$$

$$\therefore \sim q$$

∴ By the rule of Modus Tollens  
the given argument is valid

- 3) I will become famous or I will not become a musician  
I will become a musician  
I will become famous

Sol:

Let p: I will become famous

q: I will become a musician

∴ q: I will not become a musician

$$q \rightarrow p \equiv \sim q \vee p$$

∴ Given argument can be also written  
as p v q

$$\begin{array}{c} \neg q \\ \hline p \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{c} q \rightarrow p \\ \hline q \end{array}$$

Q2

$$P \vee \neg q$$

q

$$\neg q \vee p$$

q

$$q \vee p$$

p

$$\equiv q \rightarrow p$$

q

$$(\neg q \rightarrow p \equiv \neg q \vee p)$$

p

$\therefore$  By the rule Modus Ponens the given argument is valid.

OR

### disjunctive syllogism

4)

If there is a strike by students, then examination will be postponed  
 There is no strike by students

$\therefore$  The examination will not be postponed

There is

P: A strike by students

q: Examinations will be postponed

kp: There is no strike by students

$\neg q$ : Examination will not be postponed

$\therefore$  Given argument can be written as

$p \rightarrow q$	$p$	$q$	$\sim p$	$\sim q$	$p \rightarrow q$	$(p \rightarrow q) \wedge \sim p$
$\sim p$	T	T	F	F	T	F
$\therefore \sim q$	T	F	F	T	F	F
	F	T	T	F	*T	
	F	F	T	T	*T	

$\therefore$  Given argument is invalid ( $\because$  By truth table)

- 5) If Ravi studies then he will pass in DMS paper  
 If Ravi does not play cricket, then he will study  
 Ravi failed in DMS paper

$\therefore$  Ravi played cricket

~~50%~~ P: Ravi will study

q: Ravi will pass in DMS paper

r: Ravi does not play cricket,

$\sim q$ : Ravi will fail in DMS paper

~~50%~~  $\sim r$ : Ravi played cricket.

$\therefore$

Given argument can be written as

$$\begin{array}{c}
 p \rightarrow q \\
 r \rightarrow p \\
 \hline
 r \rightarrow q
 \end{array}
 \quad \equiv \quad
 \begin{array}{c}
 p \rightarrow q \\
 r \rightarrow p \\
 \hline
 r \rightarrow q
 \end{array}
 \quad (\because \text{Commutative law})$$

∴ By Modus Tollens given argument is valid

## Quartiles

Universal quantifier

← "for all", "for every", "for any", "for each"

← "for some", "there exists"

## Existential

quantifiers

The words or phrases "for all", "for every", "for any", "for each", "for some", "there exists" in the proposition are associated with an idea of a quantity

Such words are called quantifiers.

For example:

- 1) For every integer  $n$ ,  $n^2$  is non-negative integer.
- 2) There exists a real number whose square is equal to itself.
- 3) For all integers  $n$ ,  $(n+2)$  is also integer.

Universal Quantifiers

The words "for all", "for any", "for each" are called the universal quantifiers.

Remark:- 1) The symbol  $\forall$  is used to denote the word for all, for every, for each and for any.

2) The symbol  $\forall$  is universal quantifier.

Existential Quantifiers

The words "for some", "there exists" are called existential quantifiers

Remark:-

- 1) The symbol  $\exists$  is used to denote words "for some" & "there exists"
- 2) The symbol  $\exists$  is an existential quantifier

Examples

1) For all matrix  $A \in M$ ,  $A$  is a square matrix symbolically written as

$$\forall A \in M, p(A)$$

where the proposition  $p(A)$ :  $A$  is a square matrix

2) There exists an integer  $x$ ,  $x$  is equal to zero symbolically written as

$$\exists x \in \mathbb{Z}, p(x)$$

where the proposition  $p(x)$ :  $x$  is equal to zero

## Symbols and its notations

- 1)  $\forall$  - for all, for every, for each, for any
- 2)  $\exists$  - there exists, for some
- 3)  $\in$  - belongs to
- 4)  $\ni$  - such that
- 5)  $\therefore$  - therefore

## Quantified statement

A proposition involving the universal or the existential quantifiers is called quantified statement.

## Truth value of Quantified statements

The following rules are employed for determining the truth value of quantified statements.

Rule 1: — The statement " $\forall x \in S, p(x)$ " is true only when  $p(x)$  is true for all  $x \in S$ .

Rule 2:- The statement " $\exists x \in S, p(x)$ " is false only when for each  $x \in S$ ,  $p(x)$  is false.

Rule 3:- Rule of Universal specification.

If the statement  $p(a)$  is known to be true for all value of  $a$  chosen from universal set  $S$ , and if  $a \in S$ , then  $p(a)$  is true.

Rule 4:- Rule of Universal Generalization

If the statement  $p(n)$  is proved to be true for any arbitrary value of  $n$  chosen from universal set  $S$ , then quantified statement " $\forall n \in S, p(n)$ " is true.

Logical Equivalence of Quantified Statement

For any open statements  $p(n)$  and  $q(n)$ , we have following results where  $n$  is an element of universal set  $S$ .

$$1) \quad \forall n \in S, [p(n) \wedge q(n)] \equiv [ \forall n \in S, p(n) ] \wedge [ \forall n \in S, q(n) ]$$

$$2) \exists x \in S, [p(x) \vee q(x)] \equiv [\exists x \in S, p(x)] \vee [\exists x \in S, q(x)]$$

$$3) \exists x \in S, [p(x) \rightarrow q(x)] \equiv \exists x \in S, [\neg p(x) \vee q(x)]$$

$$(\neg p \rightarrow q \equiv \neg p \vee q)$$

$$4) \forall x \in S, \neg p(x) \equiv \text{for no } x \in S, p(x)$$

Rule for the negation of Quantified statements

To form a negation of quantified statement, change the universal quantifier to existential quantifier and vice-versa and replace the statement by its negation.

//  $\forall n (\text{For all } n \in \mathbb{Z}, n \text{ is an odd number})$

$\neg (\text{For all } n \in \mathbb{Z}, n^2 \text{ is a +ve integer})$

$\equiv$  There exists  $n \in \mathbb{Z}$ ,  $n^2$  is not a +ve integer

For example:

$$1) \neg [\forall x \in S, p(x)] \equiv \exists x \in S, \neg p(x)$$

$$2) \neg [\exists x \in S, q(x)] \equiv \forall x \in S, \neg q(x)$$

## Examples

①

For all integer set, let

$p(x) : x > 0$

$q(x) : x \text{ is even}$

$r(x) : x \text{ is perfect square}$

$s(x) : x \text{ is divisible by 3}$

$t(x) : x \text{ is divisible by 7}$

Write down the following quantified statements in symbolic form

i) At least one integer is even

ii) There exists a positive integer that is even

iii) Some even integers are divisible by 3

iv) If  $x$  is even and perfect square, then  $x$  is divisible by 3

v) If  $x$  is odd or it is divisible by 7, then  $x$  is divisible by 3

Ans : By using the def<sup>n</sup> of quantifiers, we have

i)  $\exists x \in \mathbb{Z}, q(x)$

ii)  $\exists x \in \mathbb{Z}, [p(x) * q(x)]$

$$(iii) \exists n \in \mathbb{Z}, [q(n) \wedge s(n)]$$

$$(iv) \forall n \in \mathbb{Z}, [\{q(n) \wedge r(n)\} \rightarrow s(n)]$$

$$(v) \forall n \in \mathbb{Z}, [\{nq(n) \vee t(n)\} \rightarrow s(n)]$$

2) Consider the open statements  $p(x)$ ,  $q(x)$ ,  $r(x)$ ,  $s(x)$  and  $t(x)$  from the above example. Express each of the following symbolic statements in words and indicate the truth value.

$$(i) \forall n \in \mathbb{Z}, [r(n) \rightarrow s(n)], (ii) \exists n \in \mathbb{Z}, [s(n) \wedge q(n)]$$

$$(iii) \forall n \in \mathbb{Z}, \neg r(n), (iv) \forall n \in \mathbb{Z}, [r(n) \vee t(n)]$$

Soln Given statements are

$p(n)$ :  $n > 0$ ;  $q(n)$ :  $n$  is even

$r(n)$ :  $n$  is perfect square;  $s(n)$ :  $n$  is divisible

$t(n)$ :  $n$  is divisible by 7

$$(i) \forall n \in \mathbb{Z}, [r(n) \rightarrow s(n)]$$

For all integer value  $n$  is perfect square

then  $n$  is divisible by 3

The given statement is false as 4 does not divisible by 3.

(ii)

$$\exists n \in \mathbb{Z}, [s(n) \wedge r(n)]$$

There exists integer  $n$ ,  $n$  is divisible by 3 and  $n$  is odd

The given statement is true as

$\exists$  an integer 9 which is divisible by 3 and 9 is odd

(iii)

$$\forall n \in \mathbb{Z}, \neg s(n)$$

For all integers  $n$ ,  $n$  is not a perfect square

The given statement is false as 4 is a perfect which is a perfect square

(iv)

$$\forall n \in \mathbb{Z}, [r(n) \vee t(n)]$$

For all integers  $n$ ,  $n$  is a perfect square or  $n$  is divisible by 2 or 7

∴ The given statement is false as 3 is an integer which is neither a perfect square nor divisible by 2 or 7

3)

Write down the following propositions in symbolic form and find its negation.

3. Write down the following propositions in symbolic form and find its negation

(i) "All integers are rational numbers and some irrational numbers are not prime integers".

(ii) "If all triangles are right angled, then no triangle is equilateral".

~~so~~ (i) Given statement is

"All integers are rational numbers and some rational ~~are~~ numbers are not integers".

$p(n)$ :  $n$  is a rational number.

$q(n)$ :  $n$  is an integer

thus  $\mathbb{Z}$  is a set of integers; a set of rational numbers.

∴ Symbolic form of above statement is

$$[\forall n \in \mathbb{Z}, p(n)] \wedge [\exists n \in \mathbb{Q}, \neg q(n)]$$

Negation of the above statement is

$$\begin{aligned} & \neg [\forall n \in \mathbb{Z}, p(n)] \wedge [\exists n \in \mathbb{Q}, \neg q(n)] \\ & \equiv \neg [\forall n \in \mathbb{Z}, p(n)] \vee \neg [\exists n \in \mathbb{Q}, \neg q(n)] \\ & (\because \text{By De-Morgan's law}) \end{aligned}$$

$$\exists [ \exists x \in \mathbb{Z}, np(x) ] \vee [ \forall x \in \mathbb{Q}, q(x) ]$$

By its def of negat<sup>n</sup> quantified statm

∴ In words we can write  
"There exists an integer  $a$ ,  $a$  is not  
a rational number as for all rational  
numbers  $x$ ,  $x$  is an integer".

(ii)

Given statement is

"If all triangle are right angled, then no triangle is equilateral."

$p(x)$ :  $x$  is a right angled triangle

$q(x)$ :  $x$  is equilateral triangle

$T$  - is a set of all triangles

∴ Symbolic statement of the above is

$$\{ \forall n \in T, p(n) \} \rightarrow \{ \forall n \in T, \neg q(n) \}$$

∴ Negation of the above statement is

$$\neg [ \{ \forall n \in T, p(n) \} \rightarrow \{ \forall n \in T, \neg q(n) \} ]$$

$$\equiv \{ \forall n \in T, p(n) \} \wedge \{ \exists n \in T, \neg q(n) \}$$

$$(\because \neg(p \rightarrow q) \equiv p \wedge \neg q)$$

$$\equiv \{ \exists n \in T, p(n) \} \wedge \{ \exists n \in T, \neg q(n) \}$$

{ : def' of negation of quantified statement }

In words we write as follows:

For all triangle  $x$ ,  $x$  is a right angled triangle  
and for some triangle  $x$ ,  $x$  is equilateral  
triangle!

- ④ Negation and simplify each of the following
- $\exists x \in S, [p(x) \vee q(x)]$ ,
  - $\forall x \in S, [p(x) \wedge \neg q(x)]$
  - $\forall x \in S, [p(x) \rightarrow q(x)]$
  - $\exists x \in S, [\{p(x) \vee q(x)\} \rightarrow r(x)]$

Sol(i)  $\exists x \in S, [p(x) \vee q(x)]$

Negation of it is

$$\neg [\exists x \in S, \{p(x) \vee q(x)\}] \equiv \forall x \in S,$$

(k)

$$\neg \{p(x) \vee q(x)\} \equiv \forall x \in S, [\neg p(x) \wedge \neg q(x)]$$

( $\because$  By De Morgan law)

(ii)  $\forall x \in S, [p(x) \wedge \neg q(x)]$

Negation of it is

$$\neg [p(x) \wedge$$

$$\neg [\forall x \in S, \{p(x) \wedge \neg q(x)\}] \equiv \exists x \in S,$$

$$\neg \{p(x) \wedge \neg q(x)\}$$

$$\exists n \in S, [p(n) \vee q(n)]$$

( $\Leftarrow$  De Morgan's law)

$$(iii) \forall n \in S; [p(n) \rightarrow q(n)]$$

$\therefore$  Negation of it is

$$\sim [\forall n \in S, p(n) \rightarrow q(n)]$$

$$\exists n \in S, \sim [p(n) \rightarrow q(n)]$$

$$\equiv \exists n \in S, p(n) \wedge \sim q(n)$$

$$\therefore \sim (\sim (p \rightarrow q)) \equiv (p \wedge \sim q)$$

$$(iv) \exists n \in S, [\{p(n) \vee q(n)\} \rightarrow r(n)]$$

$\therefore$  Negation of it is

$$\sim [\exists n \in S, \{p(n) \vee q(n)\} \rightarrow r(n)]$$

$$\sim [\exists n \in S, \{p(n) \vee q(n)\} \rightarrow r(n)]$$

$$\equiv \forall n \in S, \sim [\{p(n) \vee q(n)\} \rightarrow r(n)]$$

$$\equiv \forall n \in S, [\{p(n) \vee q(n)\} \rightarrow \sim r(n)]$$

Ex 5

Consider the following open statements with the set of real numbers

$$p(n) : |n| > 3 ; q(n) : n > 3$$

Find the truth value of the quantified statement

$$\forall n \in \mathbb{R}, [p(n) \rightarrow q(n)]$$

Also write, converse, inverse and contrapositive of the statements and find their truth values

Soln

Given open statements are

$$p(n) : |n| > 3 ; q(n) : n > 3$$

$$p(n) : n < -3 \text{ and } n > 3 ; q(n) : n > 3$$

OR

$$p(n) : (-\infty, -3) \text{ and } (3, \infty), q(n) : n > 3$$

Given statements is

$$\forall n \in \mathbb{R}, [p(n) \rightarrow q(n)]$$

if  $n = +4$ , then

$$p(-4) = |-4| = 4 > 3 \text{ is true}$$

but  $q(-4) = -4 > 3$  is false

$$\therefore p \rightarrow q$$

$p(n) \rightarrow q(n)$  is false as  $p$  is true &  $q$  is false

Given Statement is false

Converse of the statement

$$\forall x \in \mathbb{R}, [q(x) \rightarrow p(x)]$$

In words real number  $x$ , if  $|x| \geq 3$ , then  $|x| > 3$ . This statement is true (obvious)

Inverse of the stat

$$\forall x_2 \in \mathbb{R}, [\neg p(x) \rightarrow \neg q(x)]$$

In words

"For every real number  $x$ , if  $|x| \leq 3$ , then  $|x| < 3$ ". This statement is true

(OR Converse and inverse are logically equivalent)

Contrapositive of the statement

$$\forall x \in \mathbb{R}, [\neg q(x) \rightarrow \neg p(x)]$$

In words

"For every real number  $x$ , if  $x < 3$ , then  $|x| \leq 3$ ".

This statement is false ( $\because$  take  $x = -4$ )

$$\begin{aligned} -4 &< 3 \text{ but} \\ |-4| &= 4 \leq 3 \end{aligned}$$

OR (Conditional and contrapositive are logically equivalent)

$$L(\neg p \rightarrow \neg q) \equiv L(\neg q \rightarrow \neg p)$$

(and) if  $\neg p$  is unknown then  $\neg q$  is  
not in formula and  $\neg q$  is not

also not to prove

$$L(\neg p \rightarrow \neg q) \equiv L(\neg q \rightarrow \neg p)$$

(and) if  $\neg q$  is unknown then  $\neg p$  is  
not in formula and  $\neg p$  is not  
unknown (because the formula is)

formula by the definition

$$L(\neg p \rightarrow \neg q) \equiv L(\neg q \rightarrow \neg p)$$

therefore

if  $\neg p$  is unknown then  $\neg q$  is  
not in formula and  $\neg q$  is not

unknown (because the formula is)