

3. (40 points) Consider the following statements:

1. "If John either came late or did not send recommendation, then he did not get the job"
2. "If John did not get the job, then either he came late or did not send recommendation"
3. "Either John came late or he did not send recommendation, only if he did not get the job"
4. "John did get the job if neither did he come late nor did he not send recommendation"
5. "Not coming late and sending recommendation is necessary for John to get the job"
6. "Coming late and not sending recommendation is sufficient for John to not get the job"

a) (15 points) Define 3 statement variables  $p, q, & r$  (based on stat. 1.), and write the **statement form** of the above 7 statements involving " $\sim, \rightarrow, \vee$  or  $\wedge$ ". In statement form for 1, DO NOT USE " $\sim$ ".

$p =$  John came late.

$q =$  John did not send recommendation.

$r =$  John did not get the job.

Statement form for 1

$$(p \vee q) \rightarrow r$$

Statement form for 2

$$r \rightarrow (p \vee q)$$

Statement form for 3

$$(p \vee q) \rightarrow r$$

Statement form for 4

$$(\sim p \wedge \sim q) \rightarrow \sim r \quad (\text{can't use } \leftarrow)$$

Statement form for 5

$$\sim r \rightarrow (\sim p \wedge \sim q) \quad (\text{can't use } \leftarrow)$$

Statement form for 6

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

b) (18 points) For each sentence below, fill in

- the 1<sup>st</sup> blank with either " $\equiv$ " or " $\neq$ ",
- the 2<sup>nd</sup> blank with either "converse of", "inverse of", "contrapositive of", or "negation of".
- and the 3<sup>rd</sup> blank with the name of supporting logical equivalence law(s) if needed, otherwise write none.

Note: "S" and "SF" represent "Statement" and "Statement Form" respectively.

S2  $\neq$  S1 because SF2 is the (converse of) SF1) by none

S4  $\neq$  S1 because SF4 is the (inverse of) SF1) by DeMorgan's Law

S5  $\equiv$  S1 because SF5 is the (contrapositive of) SF1) by DeMorgan's Law

c) (7 points) Prove/disprove the following **without** using truth tables: Statement 1  $\equiv$  Statement 6.

when  $(p, q, r) = (T, F, F)$ ,  $SF1 = F$ , but  $SF6 = T$ , thus  $S1 \neq S6$

Scratch work for b)

SF4

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

$$\equiv \sim(p \vee q) \rightarrow \sim r \text{ by DML}$$

SF5

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

$$\equiv \sim r \rightarrow \sim(p \vee q) \text{ by DML}$$



## HW 2.2

1. (8 points) Suppose  $n$  is a fixed integer. Write the negation of the following statement:

"If  $\underbrace{n \text{ is prime}}_p$ , then  $\underbrace{n \text{ is odd}}_q$ "

$$p \wedge \sim q$$

$n$  is prime and  $n$  is not odd.

2. (22 points) Consider the following statement:

"If it rained today then not only did Sean's car break down, but also he did not go to school"

- a) (5 points) Define 3 statement variables  $p, q, \& r$ , and write the **statement form** of the above conditional statement involving " $\rightarrow$ ,  $\vee$  or  $\wedge$ " WITHOUT using " $\sim$ ".

$p$  = it rained today.

$q$  = Sean's car did break down.

$r$  = Sean did not go to school.

Statement form:

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

- b) (7 points) Apply the negation " $\sim$ " to the statement form found in part a), and *simplify* it using logical equivalences laws. Use only one law in each step & include a name for each law.

$$\begin{aligned} \sim(p \rightarrow (q \wedge r)) &\equiv p \wedge \sim(q \wedge r) && \text{by negation of } "\rightarrow" \text{ law} \\ &\equiv p \wedge (\sim q \vee \sim r) && \text{by De Morgan's law} \end{aligned}$$

- c) (10 points) Write in words the negation of the conditional statement given at the beginning.

it rained today & either Sean's car did not break down or Sean did go to School.