

Tutorial 2 _2022-23

1. Construct Truth table for the following

Make a truth table for the following:

a. $(p \vee q) \wedge r$

b. $(p \vee \sim q) \rightarrow r$

2. Is $((p \vee \sim q) \wedge (\sim p \vee \sim q)) \vee q$ a tautology? **Hint: Either solve by substitution method or by truth table.**

3. Prove the following:

a. $p \vee (\sim p \wedge q) \equiv (p \vee q)$, **Hint: solve by truth table or substitution method**

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

4. Construct the truth tables for following:

(a) $p \rightarrow p$

(b) $(p \rightarrow p) \vee (p \rightarrow \bar{p})$

(c) $(p \rightarrow p) \rightarrow (p \rightarrow \bar{p})$

(d) $(p \vee \bar{q}) \vee \bar{p}$

(e) $(p \vee \bar{q}) \rightarrow \bar{p}$

(f) $p \leftrightarrow (\bar{p} \vee \bar{q})$

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

(h) $(\bar{q} \rightarrow \bar{p}) \rightarrow (p \rightarrow q)$

5. Let P denote the statement "Weather is nice" and Q denotes "We have a picnic". Translate the following symbolic statements in English statements.

(a) $p \wedge \bar{q}$

(b) $p \leftrightarrow q$

(c) $\bar{q} \rightarrow \bar{p}$

(d) $(\bar{p} \vee q) \vee (p \wedge \bar{q})$

6. Consider the following conditional statement:

If the flood destroy my house or the fires destroy my house, then my insurance company will pay me.

Write the converse, inverse and contrapositive of the statement.