## COM S 230 HW01

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#### 1. Translations from english to logic

F: Passing the final; A: Attending class regularly; P: Pass the class.

- a) The thing that is sufficient is first in implication  $F \lor A \to P$
- b) if P is true, then A is necessarily true  $P \to A$
- c) This is a straightforward translation  $P \iff (A \land F)$
- 2. Implication is not associative;  $((p \to q) \to r) \iff (p \to (q \to r))$  is not a tautology.

p	q	r	$p \rightarrow q$	$(p \to q) \to r$	$q \rightarrow r$	$p \to (q \to r)$	$ \mid ((p \to q) \to r) \iff (p \to (q \to r)) \mid $
0	0	0	1	0	1	1	0
0	0	1	1	1	1	1	1
0	1	0	1	0	0	1	0
0	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
1	0	0	0	1	1	1	1
1	0	1	0	1	1	1	1
1	1	0	1	0	0	0	1
1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1

# 3. Prove $(p \to \neg q) \land (q \to \neg r) \equiv (p \lor r) \to \neg q$

- $(\neg p \lor \neg q) \land (\neg q \lor \neg r)$  Implication 1 x 2
- $\neg\neg((\neg p \vee \neg q) \wedge (\neg q \vee \neg r))$  Double Negation
- $\neg((p \land q) \lor (q \land r))$  De Morgan's x 2
- $\neg(((p \land q) \lor q) \land ((p \land q) \lor r))$  Distribution
- $\neg (q \land ((p \land q) \lor r))$  Absorption
- $\neg (q \land ((p \lor r) \land (q \lor r)))$  Distributive
- $\neg (q \land (q \lor r) \land (p \lor r))$  Associative
- $\neg((p \lor r) \land q)$  Absorption & Commutative

- $\neg (p \lor r) \lor \neg q$  De Morgan's
- $(p \lor r) \to \neg q$  Implication 1
- 4. Who's lying? T is Tom's claim, and S is Sue's claim. C:  $T \oplus S \equiv TRUE$ 
  - 1) Suppose T is true.
  - 2) Then S is also true.
  - 3) (1) and (2) Contradicts C. T cannot be true.
  - 4) If Tom is the SE Major, and Sue is the CS Major, then T is false and S remains true.
  - 5) (4) Satisfies C. Tom is SE and Sue is CS.
- 5. Prove any compound proposition is logically equivalent to some proposition in CNF
  - For all compound propositions, there exists  $2^n$  combinations of basic propositions, where n is the number of basic propositions.
  - For all combinations, the compound proposition is either true or false.
  - CNF can be written as "as long as none of the variable combinations that make the proposition false are satisfied, then the compound proposition is true."
  - Basically,  $\neg((a_1 \land a_2 \land ... \land a_n) \lor (b_1 \land b_2 \land ... \land b_n) \lor ...)$  where a, b, ... are combinations of basic propositions that make the proposition false.
  - Applying De Morgan's, we get  $\neg(a_1 \land a_2 \land ... \land a_n) \land \neg(b_1 \land b_2 \land ... \land b_n)...$
  - Again.  $(\neg a_1 \lor \neg a_2 \lor ... \lor \neg a_n) \land (\neg b_1 \lor \neg b_2 \lor ... \lor \neg b_n) \land ...$
  - This is CNF. All conjugated clauses are the disjunction of the negation of basic propositions which make the compound proposition false.
- 6. Prove  $\oplus$ ,  $\wedge$ , TRUE is functionally complete
  - $\bullet$   $\land$  is already present
  - $(p \oplus TRUE) \equiv \neg p$ 
    - 1)  $(p \land \neg TRUE) \lor (\neg p \land TRUE)$  Definition of  $\oplus$
    - 2)  $(p \land FALSE) \lor \neg p$  Identity
    - 3)  $FALSE \lor \neg p$  Domination
    - **4)**  $\neg p$  Identity
  - $\vee$  is constructed by  $\neg$  and  $\wedge$  via De Morgan's.  $\neg$  is implemented by previous proof.
    - 1)  $p \vee q$
    - **2)**  $\neg \neg (p \lor q)$  Double negation
    - 3)  $\neg(\neg p \land \neg q)$  De Morgan's; All necessary components for this definition are present
  - $\neg, \land, \lor$  functionally complete, so  $\oplus, \land, TRUE$  is complete as well.