

**SOP (CS536)**  
**Assignment 1**

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## # ASSIGNMENT - 1

Q1, Let  $e_1$  and  $e_2$  be two expressions.

a, In general does  $e_1 = e_2$  logically implies  $e_1 \equiv e_2$ ?  
If yes, briefly justify it (in a sentence or two); if  
no, give a counter example.

→ No,  $e_1 = e_2$  doesn't logically implies  $e_1 \equiv e_2$ .

As,  $e_1 = e_2$  implies that the two expressions  
 $e_1$  and  $e_2$  have the same value which is  
semantically equivalent. On the other hand,  
 $e_1 \equiv e_2$  means that the expressions  $e_1$  and  $e_2$   
are syntactically equivalent that is it means  
something about grammar. These two expressions  
are textually identical.

For ex.. let's take two expressions-

$$e_1 = 7 + 5$$

$$e_2 = 9 + 3$$

The two expressions are semantically equal " $e_1 = e_2$ "  
as they give value which is 12. However, their  
"syntactic expression" so that is textual mean  
structure is different.

b, In general, does  $e_1 \neq e_2$  logically implies  $e_1 \not\equiv e_2$ ? Again, give a brief justification or counter example.

→ Yes, if  $e_1 \neq e_2$  it logically implies that  $e_1 \not\equiv e_2$ . As,  $e_1 \neq e_2$  means that the expressions  $e_1$  and  $e_2$  do not have the same value. Furthermore, syntactic equality logically implies semantic equality i.e...  $A \equiv B \Rightarrow A = B$ .

Q2, Rewrite each of the three statements in the form, "if  $p$ , then  $q$ " in English:

a, It is necessary to wash the boss's car to get promoted.

→ If you want to get promoted, then it is necessary to wash the boss's car.

b, Winds from the South imply a spring thaw

→ If there are winds from the South, then it is a spring thaw.

c, Willy gets caught whenever he cheats.

→ If Willy cheats, then he gets caught.

d, You will reach the summit unless you begin your climb too late.

→ If you begin your climb too late, then you will not reach summit.

e, You can access the website only if you pay a subscription fee.

→ If you pay a subscription fee, then you can access the website.

Q3, Create truth table for proposition  $p \wedge \neg(q \vee r)$   
 $\rightarrow q \vee r \rightarrow \neg p$ . Is it tautology, contingency or contradiction and why.

$\neg p$	$p$	$q$	$r$	$q \vee r$	$\neg(q \vee r)$	$p \wedge \neg(q \vee r)$ $(\neg p)$	$q \vee r$	$\rightarrow \neg p$	$e_1 \rightarrow e_2$
F	T	T	T	T	F	F	F		
F	T	T	F	T	F	F	F		
F	T	F	T	T	F	F	F		
F	T	F	F	F	T	T	T		
T	F	T	T	T	F	F	T		
T	F	T	F	T	F	F	T		
T	F	F	T	T	F	F	T		
T	F	F	F	F	T	F	T		

$q \vee r \rightarrow \neg p$  has the same truth value as  $\neg(q \vee r) \vee \neg p$

$e_1 \rightarrow e_2$  has the same truth value as  $\neg e_1 \vee e_2$ .

$\neg e_1$	$e_2$	$\neg e_1 \vee e_2$ (or $e_1 \rightarrow e_2$ )
F	F	
F	F	
F	F	
T	T	
F	T	
F	T	
F	T	
F	T	

$\neg p$	$p$	$q$	$\sigma$	$q \vee \sigma$	$\neg(q \vee \sigma)$	$p \wedge$ $\neg(q \vee \sigma)$	$q \vee \sigma$	$\neg e_1$	$e_1 \rightarrow e_2$ $(\neg e_1 \vee e_2)$
						$(\text{let})$ $e_1$	$\neg(q \vee \sigma)$		
							$\neg(q \vee \sigma)$		
							$\vee \neg p$		
								$(\neg e_1 \vee e_2)$	
F	T	T	T	T	F	F	F	T	T
F	T	T	F	T	F	F	F	T	T
F	T	F	T	T	F	F	F	T	T
F	T	F	F	F	T	T	T	F	T
T	F	T	T	T	F	F	T	T	T
T	F	T	F	T	F	F	T	T	T
T	F	F	T	T	F	F	T	T	T
T	F	F	F	F	T	F	T	T	T

remember,  $q \vee \sigma \rightarrow \neg p$  is  $\neg(q \vee \sigma) \vee \neg p$  is  $e_2$

$p \wedge \neg(q \vee \sigma)$  is  $e_1$

This proposition is a tautology from  
 $e_1 \rightarrow e_2$  column.

Q4, Give full parenthesization for each of the following propositions / predicates

a,  $p \wedge \neg r \vee s \rightarrow \neg q \wedge r \rightarrow \neg p \leftrightarrow \neg s \rightarrow t$ .

Solution:-  $p \wedge (\neg r) \vee s \rightarrow (\neg q) \wedge r \rightarrow (\neg p) \leftrightarrow (\neg s) \rightarrow t$

$$(p \wedge (\neg r)) \vee s \rightarrow ((\neg q) \wedge r) \rightarrow (\neg p) \leftrightarrow (\neg s) \rightarrow t.$$

$$(((p \wedge (\neg r)) \vee s) \rightarrow ((\neg q) \wedge r) \rightarrow ((\neg p) \leftrightarrow (\neg s)) \rightarrow t))$$

b,  $\forall m \cdot 0 < m < n \wedge \exists 0 \leq j \leq m \cdot b[0] \leq b[j] \wedge b[j] \leq b[m]$ .

Solution:-  $\left( \forall m \cdot \left( (0 < m < n) \wedge \exists (0 \leq j < m) \cdot \left( (b[0] \leq b[j]) \wedge (b[j] \leq b[m]) \right) \right) \right)$

Q.5, Use only logic rules to prove the following logic equalities. In each step, clarify which rules you use:-

$$a, \neg p \rightarrow q \rightarrow r \Leftrightarrow q \rightarrow (p \vee r)$$

$$LHS = \neg p \rightarrow q \rightarrow r$$

$$\Leftrightarrow \neg p \rightarrow (q \rightarrow r) \quad \left. \begin{array}{l} \text{implication is right} \\ \text{associative} \end{array} \right\}$$

$$\Leftrightarrow \neg p \rightarrow (\neg q \vee r) \quad \left. \begin{array}{l} \text{definition of} \\ \text{implication} \end{array} \right\}$$

$$\Leftrightarrow p \vee (\neg q \vee r) \quad \left. \begin{array}{l} \text{definition of implication} \end{array} \right\}$$

$$\Leftrightarrow \neg q \vee (p \vee r) \quad \left. \begin{array}{l} \text{Associativity} \end{array} \right\}$$

$$\Leftrightarrow q \rightarrow (p \vee r) \quad \left. \begin{array}{l} \text{definition of Implication} \end{array} \right\}$$

$$\Leftrightarrow \text{RHS } \underline{\text{proved}}$$

$$b, (p \rightarrow q) \wedge (p \rightarrow r) \Leftrightarrow p \rightarrow q \wedge r$$

$$RHS = p \rightarrow q \wedge r.$$

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

$$\Leftrightarrow \neg p \vee (q \wedge r) \{ \text{definition of implication} \}$$

$$\Leftrightarrow (\neg p \vee q) \wedge (\neg p \vee r) \{ \text{definition of "Distributivity"} \\ \text{De Morgan's laws} \}$$

$$\Leftrightarrow (p \rightarrow q) \wedge (p \rightarrow r) \{ \text{definition of Implication} \}$$

$$\Leftrightarrow L.H.S \quad \underline{\text{proved}}$$

Q6. Use Quantified predicates to express the following sentences :-

a, The sum of two negative integers will always be negative.

$$\rightarrow \forall x \in \mathbb{Z}, \forall y \in \mathbb{Z} \cdot (((x < 0) \wedge (y < 0)) \rightarrow (x+y < 0))$$

b, For each positive integer, there doesn't exist any negative integer that has the same value as it.

$$\rightarrow \forall x \in \mathbb{Z} \cdot ((x > 0) \rightarrow \neg \exists y \in \mathbb{Z} \cdot ((y < 0) \wedge (x = y)))$$

c, For any two integers, there is always another integer equals to their (the first two integer's) product.

$$\rightarrow \forall x \in \mathbb{Z}, \forall y \in \mathbb{Z}, \exists p \in \mathbb{Z} \cdot (p = x * y).$$

Q7. Negate each predicate you created in question 6, then simplify them to remove the negation operators. While simplifying, clarify which logic rule(s) you use in each step.

$$a, \neg \left[ \forall x \in \mathbb{Z}, \forall y \in \mathbb{Z} \cdot ((x < 0) \wedge (y < 0)) \rightarrow ((x+y) < 0) \right]$$

$$\rightarrow \exists x \cdot \exists y \cdot \neg \left[ ((x < 0) \wedge (y < 0)) \rightarrow ((x+y) < 0) \right]$$

$\left\{ \text{in this step we applied De Morgan's law in predicate logic} \right\}$

$$\exists x \cdot \exists y \cdot \left[ ((x < 0) \wedge (y < 0)) \wedge \neg ((x+y) < 0) \right]$$

$\left\{ \text{in this step we applied negation of implication} \right\}$

$$\exists x \cdot \exists y \cdot \left[ ((x < 0) \wedge (y < 0)) \wedge ((x+y) \geq 0) \right]$$

$\left\{ \text{in this step we applied De Morgan's law in propositional logic} \right\}$

$$Q7, b, \neg [\forall x \in \mathbb{Z} ((x > 0) \rightarrow \neg \exists y \in \mathbb{Z}. (y < 0 \wedge y = x))]$$

$$\exists x \in \mathbb{Z} \neg [((x > 0) \rightarrow \neg \exists y \in \mathbb{Z}. (y < 0 \wedge y = x))]$$

*{ De Morgan's law in predicate logic }*

$$\exists x \in \mathbb{Z}. ((x > 0) \wedge \neg (\neg \exists y \in \mathbb{Z}. (y < 0 \wedge y = x)))$$

*{ Negation of implication }*

$$\exists x \in \mathbb{Z}. ((x > 0) \wedge \neg (\forall y \in \mathbb{Z}. (y < 0 \wedge y = x))).$$

*{ De Morgan's law in predicate logic }*

Ans

$$\exists x \in \mathbb{Z} ((x > 0) \wedge \exists y \in \mathbb{Z}. \neg (y < 0 \wedge y = x))$$

*{ De Morgan's law in predicate logic as }*

$$\exists x \quad \neg \forall y \Rightarrow \exists y \}$$

$$\exists x \in \mathbb{Z} ((x > 0) \wedge \exists y \in \mathbb{Z}. (y \geq 0 \vee y \neq x))$$

*{ De Morgan's law in propositional logic }*

Q7, c,  $\neg [\forall x \in \mathbb{Z}, \forall y \in \mathbb{Z}, \exists p \in \mathbb{Z} \cdot (p = x * y)]$

$\exists x, \exists y, \forall p \in \mathbb{Z} \cdot \neg [p = x * y]$

{ applying De Morgan's law in predicate logic }

$\exists x, \exists y, \forall p \in \mathbb{Z} \cdot (p \neq x * y)$

{ De Morgan's law in propositional logic }

Q8, For each sub-question, please answer the following questions : Is state  $\sigma$  proper for proposition / predicate  $e$ ? If no explain why; if yes, does  $\sigma$  satisfy  $e$ ?

a,  $\sigma = \{p = T\}$ ,  $e \equiv (\sigma \rightarrow p) \wedge (\neg \sigma \rightarrow p)$

→ Yes, state  $\sigma$  is proper for  $e$  as with  $p = T$  (True) the expression 'e' becomes,

$$(\sigma \rightarrow T) \wedge (\neg \sigma \rightarrow T)$$

using the definition of implication

$$(\neg \sigma \vee T) \wedge (\sigma \vee T)$$

so, if  $\sigma$  = True or False, the expression is True, and  $\sigma$  satisfies  $e$ .

b,  $C = \{p = F, q = T\}$ ,  $\sigma = C \cup \{\sigma = F\}$ ,  $e \equiv p \wedge q$

→ State  $\sigma$  is proper for  $e$ .

Yes,  $\sigma$  satisfies  $e$ .

Q8, c,  $\sigma = \{b=5, i=0, x=6\}$ ,  $e \equiv x > b[i]$

→ Yes,  $\sigma$  is proper for proposition e.

→ No,  $\sigma$  doesn't satisfy e as when we put the values in the expression e it becomes

$x > b[0]$  which is not meaningful as b is not an array.

Q8, d,  $\sigma = \{x=5, b=(5,8)\}$ ,  $e \equiv x+1 = b[0]$ .

→ Yes, state  $\sigma$  is proper for e as it contains all the values mentioned in proposition e.

→ ~~No~~, state  $\sigma$  satisfies e, as substituting the values we get,

$$x+1 = 5+1 = 6$$

$$\text{and } b[0] = 5$$

Thus,  $x+1 \neq b[0]$ , so it isn't satisfying.

Q9, Find all states  $\sigma$  (containing only bindings for  $p, q$  and  $r$ ) such that  $\sigma \models p \leftarrow q \leftarrow r$ .  
 Briefly explain each state.

Solution:- Let's look at all the states of  $\sigma$ , containing considering all possible combinations of variables  $p, q$  and  $r$ .

There would be,  $2^3 = 8$  combinations possible

Note,  $\sigma \models p \leftarrow q \leftarrow r$

as bi-conditional statements are right associative  
 $\Rightarrow p \leftrightarrow (q \leftrightarrow r)$

let's say  $q \leftrightarrow r \Rightarrow e_1$

$\Rightarrow p \leftrightarrow e_1$

Truth Table:-

$p$	$q$	$r$	$(q \leftrightarrow r)$ let's $e_1$	$p \leftrightarrow (q \leftrightarrow r)$ $(p \leftrightarrow e_1)$
T	T	T	T	T
T	T	F	F	F
T	F	T	F	F
T	F	F	T	T
F	T	T	T	F
F	T	F	F	T
F	F	T	F	T
F	F	F	T	F

### Note

In the truth table above, first we explored the truth value of  $(q \leftrightarrow r)$  and then it's result that is  $e_1$  is calculated with  $p$  as  $p \leftrightarrow (e_1)$  where,  $e_1 = (q \leftrightarrow r)$ .

Each states are as follows

i,  $\sigma = \{p=T, q=T, r=T\}$ , then  $p \leftrightarrow q \leftrightarrow r \Rightarrow \text{True}$ .

ii,  $\sigma = \{p=T, q=T, r=F\}$ , then  $p \leftrightarrow q \leftrightarrow r \Rightarrow \text{False}$ .  
as,  $q \leftrightarrow r \Rightarrow F$  and  $p \leftrightarrow e_1 \Rightarrow F$ .

iii,  $\sigma = \{p=T, q=F, r=T\}$ , then  $p \leftrightarrow q \leftrightarrow r \Rightarrow \text{False}$ .  
as,  $q \leftrightarrow r \Rightarrow F$  and  $p \leftrightarrow e_1 \Rightarrow F$ .

iv,  $\sigma = \{p=T, q=F, r=F\}$ , then  $p \leftrightarrow q \leftrightarrow r \Rightarrow \text{True}$ .  
as,  $q \leftrightarrow r \Rightarrow T$  and  $p \leftrightarrow e_1 \Rightarrow T$ .

v,  $\sigma = \{p=F, q=T, r=T\}$ , then  $p \leftrightarrow q \leftrightarrow r \Rightarrow \text{False}$ .  
as,  $q \leftrightarrow r \Rightarrow T$  and  $p \leftrightarrow e_1 \Rightarrow F$ .

vi,  $\sigma = \{p=F, q=T, r=F\}$ , then  $p \leftrightarrow q \leftrightarrow r \Rightarrow \text{True}$ .  
as,  $q \leftrightarrow r \Rightarrow F$  and  $p \leftrightarrow e_1 \Rightarrow T$ .

Vii),  $G = \{p=F, q=F, r=T\}$ , then  $p \rightarrow q \rightarrow r = \text{True}$ ,  
as  $q \rightarrow r \Rightarrow F$  and  $p \rightarrow e_1 \Rightarrow T$

Viii),  $G = \{p=F, q=F, r=F\}$ , then,  $p \rightarrow q \rightarrow r = \text{False}$ ,  
as  $q \rightarrow r \Rightarrow T$  and  $p \rightarrow e_1 \Rightarrow T$ .

Q 10. Define predicate function

a. Define predicate function  $\text{isGreater}(b, m, x)$

which returns True if and only if positive  $m$  is not larger than the length of array  $b$ , and integer  $x$  is greater than each of the first  $m$  numbers in  $b$ . For example, under state  $\sigma = \{b = (2, 4, 1, 6)\}$ ,  $\text{isGreater}(b, 3, 5)$  returns True,  $\text{isGreater}(b, 3, 4)$  returns False.

Remind that, you can use  $\text{size}(b)$  to find the length of array  $b$ .

Solution :-  $\text{isGreater}(b, m, x) = (0 < m \leq \text{size}(b)) \wedge$   
 $(\forall i : 0 \leq i < m \rightarrow x > b[i])$

$\forall m \in \mathbb{Z} (\underline{m \leq \text{size}(b)}) (\forall i \in \mathbb{Z} : 0 \leq i \leq m, b[i] \leq x)$

Another way, it can be written is,

This function returns only if  $m$  is not larger than the length of array ' $b$ ' and ' $x$ ' is greater than each of the first ' $m$ ' numbers in array ' $b$ '.

Pseudo code for this function,

```
if m > size(b) or m < 1  
    return False;
```

else

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for i in range(m)
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    if b[i] >= x
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        return False;
```

```
return True;
```

End for

6. If

For, is greater(b, 3, 5)

where, b = [2, 4, 1, 6], m = 3, x = 5,

This function would return True because m is not greater than the size of b (that is 4) and x = 5 is greater than the first m = 3 numbers in array b

For, is greater(b, 3, 4)

This function would return False because although m is not greater than the size of array b, but x = 4 is not greater than the first m = 3 numbers, as b[1] = 4 is equal to x = 4.

Q10, b. Define predicate function has Greater (a, b) which returns True if and only if every integer in array a is greater than some integer in array b.  
For example. has Greater ((4, 5, 2, 3), (8, 1, 5, 8)) returning True.

Solution:-  $\text{has Greater}(a, b) \equiv (\forall x \in a, \exists y \in b : x > y)$   
 $\text{has Greater}(a, b) \equiv \forall a : 0 \leq i < \text{size}(a) : \exists b : 0 \leq j < \text{size}(b) : a[i] > b[j]$   
Pseudo code for this function is,

```
for i in a
    foundGreater := False;
    for j in b :
        if i > j
            foundGreater := True;
            break
    if not foundGreater
        return False;
    return True;
```

has Greater ((4, 5, 2, 3), (8, 1, 5, 8)) would return True, as every element in array a is greater than some of the elements in array b.

$a[2] = 2$ , is greater than  $b[1] = 1$

and has greater  $((4, 6, 8), (5, 7, 9))$  would return False because,  $a[0]^{=4}$  is not greater than  $b[0] = 5$ .