

CS 222 Homework 1 [100 Points Total] David Jefts

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1. (30 pts) Given **P**: $\neg(\neg p \vee \neg q \vee \neg(r \vee \neg r)) \equiv p \wedge q$

(a) Prove **P** by truth table.

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

(b) Prove **P** by using the Laws of Logic.

$$\begin{aligned}
 &\neg(\neg p \vee \neg q \vee \neg(r \vee \neg r)) && \text{Negation Law} \\
 &\equiv \neg(\neg p \vee \neg q \vee \neg T) && \text{DeMorgan's Law} \\
 &\equiv \neg(\neg p \vee \neg q \vee F) && \text{Identity Law} \\
 &\equiv \neg(\neg p \vee \neg q) && \text{DeMorgan's Law} \\
 &\equiv p \wedge q
 \end{aligned}$$

2. (20 pts) Are $(p \implies q) \rightarrow r$ and $p \rightarrow (q \rightarrow r)$ logically equivalent? Show steps to support your conclusion.

$(p \rightarrow q) \rightarrow r$	1	$p \rightarrow (q \rightarrow r)$
$(p \rightarrow q) \rightarrow r$	2	$p \rightarrow (q \rightarrow r)$
$(\neg p \vee q) \rightarrow r$	3	$p \rightarrow (\neg q \vee r)$
$\neg(\neg p \vee q) \vee r$	4	$\neg p \vee (\neg q \vee r)$
$(p \wedge \neg q) \vee r$	5	$(\neg p \vee \neg q) \vee r$
$(p \wedge \neg q) \vee r$	\neq	$\neg(p \wedge q) \vee r$

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

3. (30 pts) Let p and q be the propositions: **p**: I bought a lottery ticket this week; **q**: I won the million dollar jackpot. Express each of these propositions as an English sentence.

- $\neg p$
 - I did not buy a lottery ticket this week.
- $p \vee q$
 - I bought a lottery ticket this week or I win the million dollar jackpot.
- $p \rightarrow q$
 - If I buy a lottery ticket then I will win the million dollar jackpot.
- $p \wedge q$
 - I bought a lottery ticket this week and won the million dollar jackpot.
- $p \leftrightarrow q$
 - I will win the million dollar jackpot if, and only if, I buy a lottery ticket.
- $\neg p \rightarrow \neg q$
 - If I do not buy a lottery ticket this week, then I will not win the million dollar jackpot.

4. (20 pts) Given the truth table, construct the its logical formula using true rows. Can you simplify your formula? If so, how?

p	q	Output
T	T	T
T	F	T
F	T	F
F	F	F

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