**Ch 7 - Conditionals**

**7.22**

claire asserts **Max managed to get Carl home.**

**“It was hard to get Carl home”**

If claire then further elaborates, by saying “Max was at a party at the next door neighbor”, she cancels the suggestion that it was hard to get Carl home. The elaboration does not contradict the initial assertion at all.

The suggestion is thus a conversational implicature, ie it is a conclusion that is not part of the meaning of the initial assertion, but was inferred from it.

**7.23**

max asserts **We can walk to the movie or we can drive.**

If max then elaborates and says “we can also do both: walk part of the way and drive part of the way” then he is cancelling a suggestion that they cannot both walk and drive.

The suggestion is thus an implicature of the initial assertion.