

Problem 7.1:

$$\begin{aligned}
 & (\neg X \rightarrow \neg Y) \rightarrow (\neg(X \rightarrow Y)) \\
 \text{and: } & \wedge(X, Y) := \frac{(X \rightarrow Y) \rightarrow (\neg X \rightarrow \neg Y)}{} \\
 \text{or: } & \vee(X, Y) := (X \rightarrow Y) \rightarrow Y \\
 \text{equivalence: } & \leftrightarrow(X, Y) := (X \rightarrow Y) \rightarrow (\neg(X \rightarrow Y)) \\
 \text{exclusive or: } & \dot{\vee}(X, Y) := (\neg X \rightarrow \neg Y) \rightarrow (\neg(X \rightarrow Y)) \\
 \text{not and: } & \uparrow(X, Y) := \neg((X \rightarrow Y) \rightarrow \neg X) \\
 \text{not or: } & \downarrow(X, Y) := (X \rightarrow Y) \rightarrow Y
 \end{aligned}$$

Problem 7.2:

a)

P	Q	R	S	$\neg P \vee Q$	$\neg Q \vee R$	$\neg R \vee S$	$\neg S \vee P$	ϕ
0	0	0	0	1	1	1	1	1
0	0	0	1	1	1	1	0	0
0	0	1	0	1	1	0	1	0
0	0	1	1	1	1	1	0	0
0	1	0	0	1	0	1	1	0
0	1	0	1	1	0	1	0	0
0	1	1	0	1	1	0	1	0
0	1	1	1	1	1	1	0	0
1	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	0
1	0	0	1	0	1	1	1	0
1	0	1	0	0	1	0	1	0
1	0	1	1	0	1	1	1	0
1	1	0	0	1	0	1	1	0
1	1	0	1	1	0	1	1	0
1	1	1	0	1	1	0	1	0
1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1

There are only two interpretations satisfy ϕ .

b)

$$(\bar{P} \wedge \bar{Q} \wedge \bar{R} \wedge \bar{S}) \vee (P \wedge Q \wedge R \wedge S)$$

or $(\neg P \wedge \neg Q \wedge \neg R \wedge \neg S) \vee (P \wedge Q \wedge R \wedge S)$

c)

$$\begin{aligned}
 & (\neg P \vee Q) \wedge (\neg Q \vee R) \wedge (\neg R \vee S) \wedge (\neg S \vee P) \\
 &= [(\neg P \vee Q) \wedge \neg Q] \vee [(\neg P \vee Q) \wedge R] \wedge [(\neg R \vee S) \wedge \neg S] \vee [(\neg R \vee S) \wedge P] \quad \text{distributivity} \\
 &= [(\neg P \vee Q) \wedge \neg Q] \vee [(\neg P \vee Q) \wedge R] \wedge [(\neg R \vee S) \wedge \neg S] \vee [(\neg R \vee S) \wedge P] \quad \text{distributivity} \\
 & \quad \text{① } \neg P \vee Q \\
 & \quad \text{② } \neg P \vee Q \wedge \neg Q \equiv (\neg P \vee \neg Q) \wedge \neg Q \quad \text{double negation} \\
 & \quad \text{③ } (\neg P \vee \neg Q) \wedge \neg Q \equiv \neg(P \vee Q) \wedge \neg Q \quad \text{de Morgan's laws} \\
 & \quad \therefore \neg(P \vee Q) \wedge \neg Q \equiv \neg Q \quad \text{absorption laws} \\
 & \quad \therefore (\neg P \vee Q) \wedge \neg Q \equiv \neg Q \quad \text{and } (\neg R \vee S) \wedge \neg S \equiv \neg S \\
 &= [\neg Q \vee ((\neg P \vee Q) \wedge R)] \wedge [\neg S \vee ((\neg R \vee S) \wedge P)] \\
 & \quad \therefore \neg Q \vee ((\neg P \vee Q) \wedge R) \equiv [\neg Q \vee (\neg P \vee Q)] \wedge (\neg Q \vee R) \quad \text{distributivity} \\
 & \quad \therefore \neg Q \vee (\neg P \vee Q) \equiv 1 \\
 & \quad \therefore \neg Q \vee ((\neg P \vee Q) \wedge R) \equiv \neg Q \vee R \quad \text{and } \neg S \vee ((\neg R \vee S) \wedge P) \equiv \neg S \vee P \\
 &= (\neg Q \vee R) \wedge (\neg S \vee P) \\
 &= [(\neg Q \vee R) \wedge \neg S] \vee [(\neg Q \vee R) \wedge P] \quad \text{distributivity} \\
 &= (\neg Q \wedge \neg S) \vee (R \wedge \neg S) \vee (\neg Q \wedge P) \vee (R \wedge P)
 \end{aligned}$$