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1. Which of the following are valid deductions?

- (a) Mammals are warm-blooded animals. Whales are mammals.
Therefore whales are warm-blooded animals.
- (b) Mammals are warm-blooded animals. Fish are not mammals.
Therefore fish are not warm-blooded animals.
- (c) Some doctors are surgeons. Some women are doctors. Therefore some women are surgeons.
- (d) All horses are animals. Therefore all horses' heads are animal heads.

ANSWER:

2. The “exclusive or” operation $p \oplus q$ says that one of p and q is true and the other is false.

- (a) Write down the truth table of the “exclusive or” operator.

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| ANSWER: | <u>p</u> | <u>q</u> | <u>$p \oplus q$</u> |
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- (b) Express the “exclusive or” operator using
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ANSWER:

- (c) Write down the truth table for the formula you gave in (b) to confirm that it coincides with (a).

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| ANSWER: | <u>p</u> | <u>q</u> | |
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