

# HW 1

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1.  $P = \text{"There is water in the cylinders."}$

$q = \text{"The head gasket is blown."}$

$r = \text{"The car will start."}$

$$(a) (q \wedge P) \rightarrow \neg r$$

(b) If the car doesn't start then it is not true that there is water in the cylinders nor that the head gasket is blown.

2.  $P = \text{"You are in Seoul."}$

$q = \text{"You are in Kwangju."}$

$r = \text{"You are in South Korea."}$

$$(a) \neg r \rightarrow \neg (P \vee q)$$

(b) If you are in Kwangju then you are in South Korea or you are not in Seoul.

Show

3.  $(a \vee b) \wedge (\neg(a \wedge b))$  is equivalent to  $a \Leftrightarrow \neg b$

$a$	$b$	$\neg b$	$a \vee b$	$a \wedge b$	$\neg(a \wedge b)$	$(a \vee b) \wedge (\neg(a \wedge b))$	$a \Leftrightarrow \neg b$
T	T	F	T	T	F	F	F
T	F	T	T	F	T	T	T
F	T	F	T	F	T	T	T
F	F	T	F	F	T	F	F

$$(a \vee b) \wedge (\neg(a \wedge b)) \Leftrightarrow a \Leftrightarrow \neg b$$

4. Statement P:  $x$  is a multiple of 4.

Statement Q:  $x/2$  is an even integer.

By these conditions saying  $P \rightarrow Q$ ,  
it is sufficient.

5.

	P	q	$p \uparrow q$	$p \wedge q$	$\neg(p \wedge q)$	$p \wedge q \Leftrightarrow \neg(p \wedge q)$
T	T	T	F	T	F	
T	F	T	T	F	T	
F	T	T	T	F	T	
F	F	T	F	F	T	

6.

P	q	$p \uparrow q$	$\neg(p \wedge p)$	$\neg(q \wedge q)$	$p \uparrow p$	$q \uparrow q$
T	T	F	F	F	F	F
T	F	T	.F	T	F	T
F	T	T	T	F	T	F
F	F	T	T	T	T	T

Addition to the table above,

(a)

$(p \uparrow q) \uparrow (p \uparrow q)$	$p \wedge q$	By this truth table, $(p \uparrow q) \uparrow (p \uparrow q)$ is logically equivalent to $p \wedge q$
T	T	
F	F	
F	F	
F	F	

(b)

$(p \uparrow p) \uparrow (q \uparrow q)$	$p \vee q$	$(p \uparrow p) \uparrow (q \uparrow q) \Leftrightarrow p \vee q$
T	T	
T	T	
T	T	
F	F	

(c)

$p \uparrow (q \uparrow q)$	$p \rightarrow q$	$p \uparrow (q \uparrow q) \Leftrightarrow p \rightarrow q$
T	T	
F	F	
T	T	
T	T	

7.	Statement	Reasons
1.	$P \wedge (\neg r)$	given
2.	$\neg(P \wedge r)$	given
3.	$\neg P \vee \neg r$	De Morgan's laws, 2
4.	$\neg r \vee \neg P$	Commutativity, 3
5.	$r \rightarrow \neg P$	implication, 4
6.	$P$	simplification, 1
7.	$\neg(\neg P)$	double negation, 6
8.	$\neg r$	modus tollens, 6, 5
9.	$(\neg r) \wedge P$	commutativity, 1
10.	$\neg r$	simplification, 9
11.	$P \vee r$	commutativity, 10
12.	$\neg(\neg P) \vee r$	double negation, 11
13.	$\neg P \rightarrow r$	implication, 12
14.	$\neg(\neg r)$	modus tollens, 8, 13
15.	$r$	double negation, 14
16.	$P \wedge r$	conjunction, 6, 16

8.	$a \not\rightarrow a$	$a \rightarrow \neg a$	It is not a contradiction, if $a$ is true $a \rightarrow a$ is false, if $a$ is false $a \rightarrow \neg a$ is True. $a \rightarrow \neg a$ is a statement that is a declarative sentence that is either true or false, but not both. And it doesn't contradict the assumption.
	T	F	
	F	T	