

# studyguide

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# 1 Chapter 1

## 1.1 Propositional Logic

### 1.1.1 Converse Contrapositive and Inverse ( $p \rightarrow q$ )

- Converse

$$- q \rightarrow p$$

- Contrapositive

$$- q \rightarrow \neg p$$

- Inverse

$$- \neg p \rightarrow \neg q$$

## 1.2 Applications of Propositional Logic

### 1.2.1 Examples of turning sentences into propositional Logic.

## 1.3 Propositional Equivalences

### 1.3.1 Logical Equivalences

$p \wedge T$	$p$	Identity Laws
$p \vee F$	$p$	
$p \vee T$	$T$	Domination Laws
$p \wedge F$	$F$	
$p \vee p$	$p$	Idempotent Laws
$p \wedge p$	$p$	
$\neg(\neg p)$	$p$	Double Negation Laws
$p \vee q$	$q \vee p$	Commutative Laws
$p \wedge q$	$q \wedge p$	
$(p \vee q) \vee r$	$p \vee (q \vee r)$	Associative Laws
$(p \wedge q) \wedge r$	$p \wedge (q \wedge r)$	
$p \vee (q \wedge r)$	$(p \vee q) \wedge (p \vee r)$	Distributive Laws
$p \wedge (q \vee r)$	$(p \wedge q) \vee (p \wedge r)$	
$\neg(p \wedge q)$	$\neg p \vee q$	De Morgans Laws
$\neg(p \vee q)$	$\neg p \wedge q$	
$p \vee (p \wedge q)$	$p$	Absorption Laws
$p \wedge (p \vee q)$	$p$	
$p \vee \neg p$	$T$	Negation Laws
$p \wedge p$	$F$	

### 1.3.2 Logical Equivalences Involving Conditional Statements

$p \rightarrow q$	$\neg p \vee q$
$p \rightarrow q$	$\neg q \rightarrow p$
$p \vee q$	$\neg p \rightarrow q$
$p \wedge q$	$\neg(p \rightarrow q)$
$\neg(p \rightarrow q)$	$p \wedge q$
$(p \rightarrow q) \wedge (p \rightarrow r)$	$p \rightarrow (q \wedge r)$
$(p \rightarrow r) \wedge (q \rightarrow r)$	$(p \vee q) \rightarrow r$
$(p \rightarrow q) \vee (p \rightarrow r)$	$p \rightarrow (q \vee r)$
$(p \rightarrow r) \vee (q \rightarrow r)$	$(p \wedge q) \rightarrow r$

### 1.3.3 Logical Equivalences Involving Biconditional Statements

$p \leftrightarrow q$	$(p \rightarrow q) \wedge (q \rightarrow p)$
$p \leftrightarrow q$	$\neg p \leftrightarrow q$
$p \leftrightarrow q$	$(p \wedge q) \vee (p \wedge q)$
$\neg(p \leftrightarrow q)$	$p \leftrightarrow q$

## 1.4 Predicates and Quantifiers

### 1.4.1 Quantifiers

- Universal Quantifier

- $\forall(x) P(x)$

- \* Definition: For all x in the universe P(x) is true;

- \* Negation

- $\neg\forall(x) P(x)$  can also be written as  $\exists\neg P(x)$

- There exists an x such that P(x) is false

- Existential Quantifier

- $\exists(x) P(x)$

- \* Definition: For all x in the universe P(x) is true for at least one x;

- \* Negation

- $\neg\exists(x) P(x)$  can also be written as  $\forall\neg P(x)$

- All x in the universe make P(x) false

## 1.5 Nested Quantifiers

### 1.5.1 Nested Quantifiers can be used when there are multiple variables such as x and y

- $\forall (x) \exists (y) (x + y = 0)$

### 1.5.2 Quantification of Two Variables

Statement	When True	When False
$\forall(x)\forall(y)P(x,y)$	$P(x,y)$ is true for every pair	When there is a $x,y$ for which $P(x,y)$ is false
$\forall(x)\exists(y)P(x,y)$	For every $x$ there is a $y$ for which $P(x,y)$ is true	When there is an $x$ such that $P(x,y)$ is false for every $y$
$\exists(x)\forall(y)P(x,y)$	There is an $x$ for which $P(x,y)$ is true for every $y$	When for every $x$ there is a $y$ for which $P(x,y)$ is false
$\exists(x)\exists(y)P(x,y)$	There is a pair for $x,y$	$P(x,y)$ is false for
$\exists(y)\exists(x)P(x,y)$	for which $P(x,y)$ is true	every pair of $x$ and $y$

## 1.6 Rules of Inference

### 1.6.1 Rules of inference

Rule of Inference	Tautology	Name
$p$ $p \rightarrow q$ <hr/> $q$	$(p \wedge (p \rightarrow q)) \rightarrow q$	Modus Ponens
$\neg q$ $p \rightarrow q$ <hr/> $\neg p$	$(\neg q \wedge (p \rightarrow q)) \rightarrow p$	Modus Tollens
$p \rightarrow q$ $q \rightarrow r$ <hr/> $p \rightarrow r$	$((p \vee q) \wedge p) \rightarrow q$	Hypothetical Syllogism
$p \vee q$ $\neg p$ <hr/> $q$	$p \rightarrow (p \vee q)$	Disjunctive Syllogism
$p$ <hr/> $p \vee q$	$p \rightarrow (p \vee q)$	Addition
$p \wedge q$ <hr/> $p$	$(p \wedge q) \rightarrow p$	Simplification
$p$ $q$ <hr/> $p \wedge q$	$((p) \wedge (q)) \rightarrow (p \wedge q)$	Conjunction
$p \vee q$ $\neg p \vee r$ <hr/> $q \vee r$	$((p \vee q) \wedge (p \vee r)) \rightarrow (q \vee r)$	Conjunction

### 1.6.2 Rules of Inference for Quantifies Statements

Rules of Inference	Name
$\forall(x)P(x)$	Universal Instantiation
$P(c)$	
$P(x)$ for an Arbitrary $c$	Universal Generalization
$\forall(x)P(x)$	
$\exists(x)P(x)$	Existential Instantiation
$P(c)$ for some element $c$	
$P(x)$ for some element $c$	Existential Generalization
$\exists P(x)$	

## 1.7 Introduction to Proofs

### 1.7.1 There are 3 main methods for proofs.

- Direct Proof
  - Construct a conditional statement  $p \rightarrow q$
  - Assume  $p$  to be true
  - Use rules of inference to then show that when  $p$  is true  $q$  must be true ( $p$  true and  $q$  false can not happen)
- Proof by Contraposition
  - Construct a conditional statement  $p \rightarrow q$
  - Set up the contrapositive to be  $\neg q \rightarrow \neg p$
  - Prove that if  $\neg q$  is true then  $\neg p$  has to be true
- Proof by Contradiction
  - If we want to prove  $p$  is true set up the contradiction to be  $\neg p \rightarrow q$
  - Because  $q$  is false but  $\neg p \rightarrow q$  is true we know is false which means  $p$  is true
  - You are assuming your premise to be false then attempting to show that the conditional statement is then false

## 1.8 Proof methods and Strategy

### 1.8.1 Exhaustive Proof

- Sometimes we cannot prove a theorem using a single argument that holds for all possible cases.
- Proofs by exhaustion use proof by cases for every element and check examples.
- Example
  - Prove that  $(n+1)^3 \geq 3^n$  if  $n$  is a positive integer  $\leq 4$
  - To do this test for  $n = \{1,2,3,4\}$
  - Since for  $n = \{1,2,3,4\}$   $3^n$  is greater we proved this statement through Proof by Exhaustion
- Proof by Cases
  - A proof by cases must cover all possible cases that arise in a theorem.
  - Example
    - \* Prove that if  $n$  is an integer then  $n^2 \geq n$
    - \* We check 3 cases
    - \* 1)  $n = 0$ ;  $0^2 = 0$  which follows  $n^2 \geq n$
    - \* 2)  $n \geq 1$ ; Multiply both sides of the inequality  $n \geq 1$  by the positive integer  $n$ . We get  $n^2 > n \cdot 1$  for  $n \geq 1$
    - \* 3)  $n \leq 1$ ; Since  $n^2 \geq 0$  it follows  $n^2 \geq n$
- Leveraging Proof by Cases
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- Existence Proofs
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- Proof Strategies
  - Forward and Backward Reasoning
  - Adapting Existing Proofs
  - Looking for Counterexamples



## 2 Chapter 2

### 2.1 Sets

#### 2.1.1 Definition

- A set is an unordered collection of objects.  $a \in A$
- Set builder notation
  - Set builder notation is used to describe a set.
  - $O = \{x \mid x \text{ is a positive integer less than } 10\}$
  - $O = \{x \mid x < 10 \wedge 2x+1 \in \mathbb{Z}^+ \}$

#### 2.1.2 Number sets

- $\mathbb{N} = \{0, 1, 2, \dots\}$  - Set of Natural Numbers
- $\mathbb{Z} = \{\dots, -1, 0, 1, \dots\}$  - Set of Integers
- $\mathbb{Z}^+ = \{1, 2, 3, \dots\}$  - Set of Positive Integers
- $\mathbb{Q} = \{p/q \mid p \in \mathbb{Z}, q \in \mathbb{Z}, \text{ and } q \neq 0\}$  - Set of Rational Numbers
- $\mathbb{R}$  = Set of Real Numbers
- $\mathbb{R}^+$  = Set of positive Real Numbers
- $\mathbb{C}$  = Set of complex numbers

#### 2.1.3 Interval Notation

$[a, b]$	$\{a \leq x \leq b\}$
$[a, b)$	$\{a \leq x < b\}$
$(a, b]$	$\{a < x \leq b\}$
$(a, b)$	$\{a < x < b\}$

#### 2.1.4 Empty Set

- Denoted by  $\emptyset$
- All sets contain the empty set although it does not count as a element when measuring cardinality

### 2.1.5 Subsets

- The set  $A$  is a subset of  $B$  iff every element of  $A$  is also in  $B$ . Denoted by  $A \subseteq B$

### 2.1.6 Proper Subset

- The set  $A$  is a subset of  $B$  iff every element of  $A$  is also in  $B$  but  $A \neq B$ . Denoted by  $A \subset B$

### 2.1.7 Set Cardinality

- If  $S$  is a set the cardinality of the set denoted by  $|S|$  is the number of UNIQUE elements.

– Example  $S = \{1,2,3,3,4,4,5\}$   $|S| = 5$

## 2.2 Set Operations

## 2.3 Functions

## 2.4 Sequences and Summations

## 2.5 Cardinality of Sets

## 2.6 Matrices

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