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## INSTRUCTIONS:

Problems to be discussed in Tutorial in the week 26th Aug-31st Aug 2019.

1. **(Well formed formulas)** Which of the following formulas are well formed?
  - (a)  $(P \rightarrow (P \vee Q))$
  - (b)  $((P \rightarrow (\neg P)) \rightarrow \neg P)$
  - (c)  $((\neg Q \wedge P) \wedge Q)$
  - (d)  $((\neg P \rightarrow Q) \rightarrow (Q \rightarrow P))$
2. **(Implications)** Show the following implications **without** constructing the truth table.
  - (a)  $P \rightarrow Q \implies P \rightarrow (P \wedge Q)$
  - (b)  $(P \rightarrow Q) \rightarrow Q \implies P \vee Q$
3. **(Equivalences)** Show the following equivalences **without** constructing the truth table. Note in the following  $\leftrightarrow$  stands for biconditional.
  - (a)  $P \rightarrow (Q \rightarrow P) \iff \neg P \rightarrow (P \rightarrow Q)$
  - (b)  $P \rightarrow (Q \vee R) \iff (P \rightarrow Q) \vee (P \rightarrow R)$
  - (c)  $\neg(P \leftrightarrow Q) \iff (P \wedge \neg Q) \vee (\neg P \wedge Q)$
4. **(Functionally complete connectives)**
  - (i) Write formulas which are equivalent to the formulas given below, and which contain the connectives  $\wedge$  and  $\neg$  only.
    - (a)  $\neg(P \leftrightarrow (Q \rightarrow (R \vee P)))$
    - (b)  $((P \vee Q) \wedge R) \rightarrow (P \vee R)$
  - (ii) Show that  $\{\wedge, \vee\}$  is not functionally complete.