

# Exercise 5

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1.

a) Here is the truth table of  $(p \rightarrow q) \wedge (p \rightarrow r)$  and  $p \rightarrow (q \wedge r)$ .

$p$	$q$	$r$	$p \rightarrow q$	$p \rightarrow r$	$(p \rightarrow q) \wedge (p \rightarrow r)$	$q \wedge r$	$p \rightarrow (q \wedge r)$
T	T	T	T	T	T	T	T
T	T	F	T	F	F	F	F
T	F	T	F	T	F	F	F
T	F	F	F	F	F	F	F
F	T	T	T	T	T	T	T
F	T	F	T	T	T	F	T
F	F	T	T	T	T	F	T
F	F	F	T	T	T	F	T

Thus,  $(p \rightarrow q) \wedge (p \rightarrow r)$  and  $p \rightarrow (q \wedge r)$  are logically equivalent.

b) Here is the truth table of  $(p \rightarrow r) \wedge (q \rightarrow r)$  and  $(p \vee q) \rightarrow r$ .

$p$	$q$	$r$	$p \rightarrow r$	$q \rightarrow r$	$(p \rightarrow r) \wedge (q \rightarrow r)$	$p \vee q$	$(p \vee q) \rightarrow r$
T	T	T	T	T	T	T	T
T	T	F	F	F	F	T	F
T	F	T	T	T	T	T	T
T	F	F	F	T	F	T	F
F	T	T	T	T	T	T	T
F	T	F	T	F	F	T	F
F	F	T	T	T	T	F	T
F	F	F	T	T	T	F	T

Thus,  $(p \rightarrow r) \wedge (q \rightarrow r)$  and  $(p \vee q) \rightarrow r$  are logically equivalent.

c) Here is the truth table of  $(p \rightarrow q) \vee (p \rightarrow r)$  and  $p \rightarrow (q \vee r)$ .

$p$	$q$	$r$	$p \rightarrow q$	$p \rightarrow r$	$(p \rightarrow q) \vee (p \rightarrow r)$	$q \vee r$	$p \rightarrow (q \vee r)$
T	T	T	T	T	T	T	T
T	T	F	T	F	T	T	T
T	F	T	F	T	T	T	T
T	F	F	F	F	F	F	F
F	T	T	T	T	T	T	T
F	T	F	T	T	T	T	T
F	F	T	T	T	T	T	T
F	F	F	T	T	T	F	T

Thus,  $(p \rightarrow q) \vee (p \rightarrow r)$  and  $p \rightarrow (q \vee r)$  are logically equivalent.

2. Let  $[[p]]_I = F$ ,  $[[q]]_I = T$ ,  $[[r]]_I = F$ . Then  $[(p \rightarrow q) \rightarrow r]_I = F$ ,  $[[p \rightarrow (q \rightarrow r)]]_I = T$ . Thus  $(p \rightarrow q) \rightarrow r$  and  $p \rightarrow (q \rightarrow r)$  are not logically equivalent.

3. Let  $[[p]]_I = T$ ,  $[[q]]_I = F$ ,  $[[r]]_I = F$ . Then  $[(p \wedge q) \rightarrow r]_I = T$ ,  $[(p \rightarrow r) \wedge (q \rightarrow r)]_I = F$ . Thus  $(p \wedge q) \rightarrow r$  and  $(p \rightarrow r) \wedge (q \rightarrow r)$  are not logically equivalent.

4.

a)  $\forall x \in \mathbb{N}, \exists y = x + 1, s.t. y \in \mathbb{N}$ . In this case,  $x < x + 1 = y$ , so  $\mathcal{J}_1(R, x, y) = T$ , which means  $[[\forall x. \exists y. R(x, y)]]_{\mathcal{J}_1} = T$ .

b)  $\because \mathcal{J}_2(x) = 0 \therefore \forall y \in \mathbb{N}, y \geq x$ . Thus by definition of  $\mathcal{J}_2$ ,  $\mathcal{J}_2(R, x, y) = F$ . So  $[[\exists y. R(x, y)]]_{\mathcal{J}_2} = F$ .

c) When  $x = 0$ , from b), we know  $[[\exists y. R(x, y)]]_{\mathcal{J}_3} = F$ . So  $[[\forall x. \exists y. R(x, y)]]_{\mathcal{J}_3} = F$ .

d)  $\forall x \in \mathbb{N}, \exists y = x + 1, s.t. y \in \mathbb{N}$ . In this case, if  $z \in \mathbb{N}$ ,  $z$  either greater than or equal to  $y$  or less than or equal to  $x$ , which means  $R(x, z) \wedge R(z, y) = F$ . So  $[[\forall x. \forall y. (R(x, y) \rightarrow \exists z. (R(x, z) \wedge R(z, y)))]_{\mathcal{J}_1} = F$ .

e)  $\forall x. \forall y. \mathcal{J}_4(R, x, y) = T$  iff  $x < y$ ,  $\mathcal{J}_4(R, x, y) = F$  iff  $x \geq y$ .

Case 1.  $x \geq y$ ,  $[[R(x, y)]]_{\mathcal{J}_4} = F$ .

Whatever the true value of  $(\exists z. (R(x, z) \wedge R(z, y)))$  is,  $[[R(x, y) \rightarrow (\exists z. (R(x, z) \wedge R(z, y)))]_{\mathcal{J}_4} = T$ .

Case 2.  $x < y$ ,  $[[R(x, y)]]_{\mathcal{J}_4} = T$ .

$\exists z = (x + y)/2. s.t. z > x, z < y$ , so  $[[\exists z. (R(x, z) \wedge R(z, y))]]_{\mathcal{J}_4} = T$ .

Thus  $[[\forall x. \forall y. R(x, y) \rightarrow (\exists z. (R(x, z) \wedge R(z, y)))]_{\mathcal{J}_4} = T$ .

5.

a)  $\because \forall x. \forall y. \mathcal{J}_1(f)(x, y) = \mathcal{J}_1(f)(y, x) = x + y, \therefore [[\forall x. \forall y. R(f(x, y), f(x, y))]]_{\mathcal{J}_1} = T$ .

b)  $\because \forall x. \forall y. \mathcal{J}_2(f)(x, y) = \mathcal{J}_2(f)(y, x) = x * y, \therefore [[\forall x. \forall y. R(f(x, y), f(x, y))]]_{\mathcal{J}_2} = T$ .

c)  $\because \forall x. \forall y. \mathcal{J}_3(f)(x, y) = \mathcal{J}_2(f)(y, x) = x \wedge y, \therefore [[\forall x. \forall y. R(f(x, y), f(x, y))]]_{\mathcal{J}_3} = T$ .

d) If  $\mathcal{J}_4(f, a, b) = a - b$ ,  $\mathcal{J}_4(R, a, b) = T$  iff  $a = b$ . Then  $\forall x. \forall y. \mathcal{J}_4(f)(x, y) = x - y$ .  $\mathcal{J}_4(f)(y, x) = y - x$ .

When  $x \neq y$ ,  $x - y \neq y - x$ . Thus,  $[[\forall x. \forall y. R(f(x, y), f(x, y))]]_{\mathcal{J}_4} = F$ . So  $\forall x. \forall y. R(f(x, y), f(x, y))$  is not valid.