CSE 311: Foundations of Computing I

Section: Logic

Exclusive Or

For each of the following, decide whether inclusive or or exclusive or is intended:

- (a) Experience with C or Java is required.
- (b) Lunch includes soup or salad.
- (c) Publish or perish
- (d) To enter the country you need a passport or voter registration card.

Translations

For each of the following, define propositional variables and translate the sentences into logical notation.

(a) I will remember to send you the address only if you send me an e-mail message.

(b) If berries are ripe along the trail, hiking is safe if and only if grizzly bears have not been seen in the area.

Truth Tables

(a) $(p\oplus q)\lor (p\oplus \neg q)$

(b) $(p \lor q) \to (p \oplus q)$

(c)

 $p \leftrightarrow \neg p$