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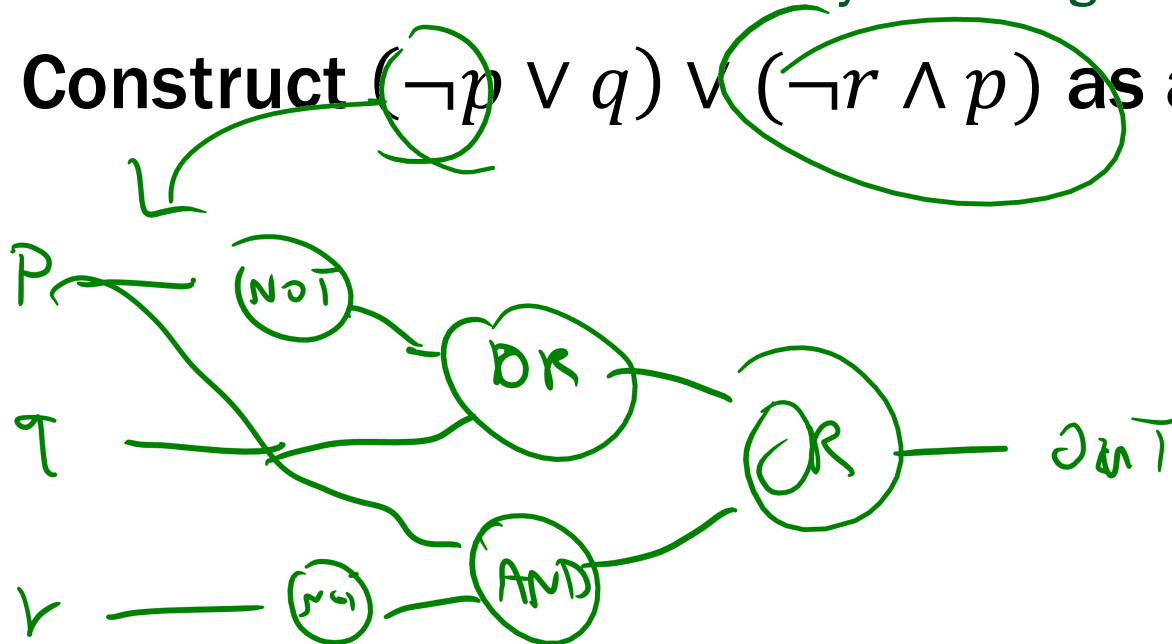
**Foundations of  
Computing I**

# Pre-Lecture Problem

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Do it! Do it now! What are you waiting for? 😊

Construct  $(\neg p \vee q) \vee (\neg r \wedge p)$  as a circuit!



# Administrivia

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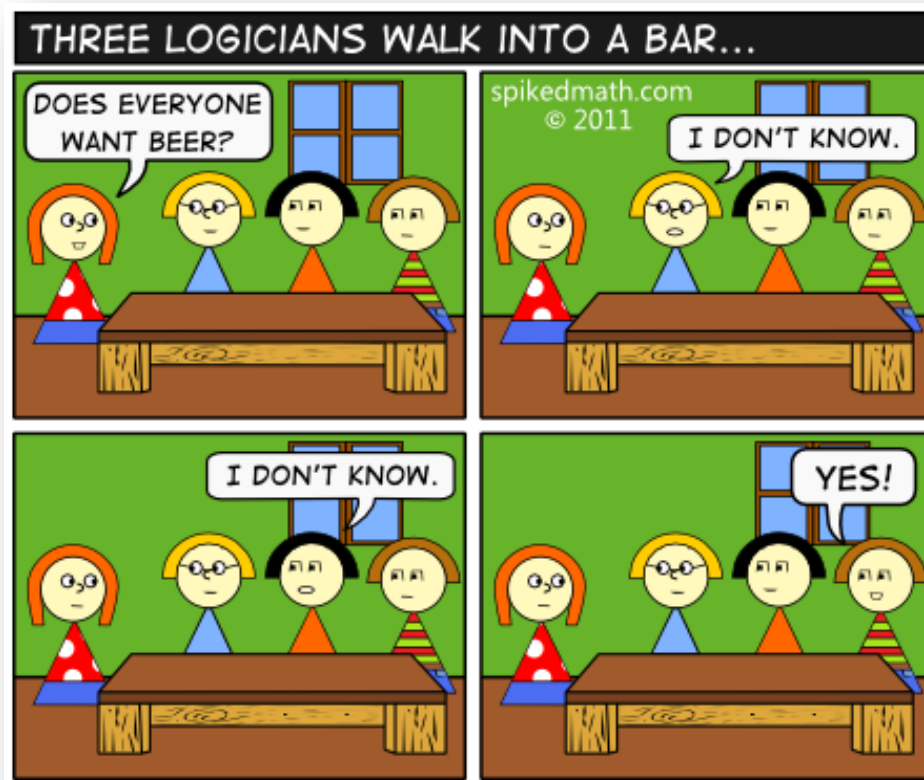
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- **Tokens: Redos for WRITTEN questions**
- **Lying TAs**



# CSE 311: Foundations of Computing

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## Lecture 3: More Equivalence & Boolean Algebra



# Some Familiar Properties of Arithmetic

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What are there logical versions of these rules?

•  $x + y = y + x$        $x \cdot y = y \cdot x$       **(Commutativity)**

→  $x \wedge y \equiv y \wedge x$  ✓  
 $x \vee y \equiv y \vee x$

•  $x \cdot (y + z) = x \cdot y + x \cdot z$       **(Distributivity)**

$x \vee (y \wedge z) \equiv (x \vee y) \wedge (x \vee z)$

•  $(x + y) + z = x + (y + z)$       **(Associativity)**

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- $x + y = y + x$  (Commutativity)

- $p \vee q \equiv q \vee p$

- $p \wedge q \equiv q \wedge p$

$$x \rightarrow (y \wedge z) \stackrel{?}{=} (x \rightarrow y) \wedge (x \rightarrow z)$$

↳ proof by  $\uparrow \uparrow (y \wedge z)$

- $x \cdot (y + z) = x \cdot y + x \cdot z$  (Distributivity)

- $p \wedge (q \vee r) \equiv (p \wedge q) \vee (p \wedge r)$

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- $(x + y) + z = x + (y + z)$  (Associativity)

- $(p \vee q) \vee r \equiv p \vee (q \vee r)$

- $(p \wedge q) \wedge r \equiv p \wedge (q \wedge r)$

# Properties of Logical Connectives

We will always give  
you this list!

- **Identity**

- $p \wedge T \equiv p$

- $p \vee F \equiv p$

- **Domination**

- $p \vee T \equiv T$

- $p \wedge F \equiv F$

- **Idempotent**

- $p \vee p \equiv p$

- $p \wedge p \equiv p$

- **Commutative**

- $p \vee q \equiv q \vee p$

- $p \wedge q \equiv q \wedge p$

- **Associative**

- $(p \vee q) \vee r \equiv p \vee (q \vee r)$

- $(p \wedge q) \wedge r \equiv p \wedge (q \wedge r)$

- **Distributive**

- $p \wedge (q \vee r) \equiv (p \wedge q) \vee (p \wedge r)$

- $p \vee (q \wedge r) \equiv (p \vee q) \wedge (p \vee r)$

- **Absorption**

- $p \vee (p \wedge q) \equiv p$

- $p \wedge (p \vee q) \equiv p$

- **Negation**

- $p \vee \neg p \equiv T$

- $p \wedge \neg p \equiv F$

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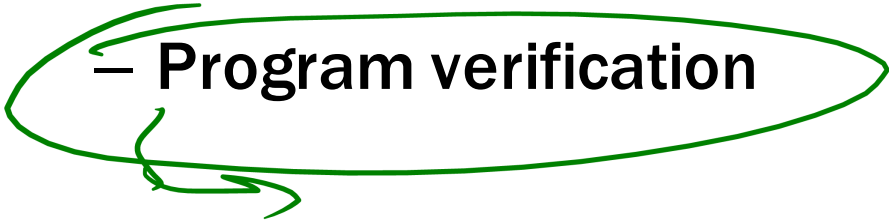
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# Understanding Connectives

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- **Reflect basic rules of reasoning and logic**
  - **Allow manipulation of logical formulas**
    - Simplification
    - Testing for equivalence
  - **Applications**
    - Query optimization
    - Search optimization and caching
    - Artificial Intelligence
    - Program verification
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# Computing Equivalence

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Given two propositions, can we write an algorithm to determine if they are equivalent?

What is the runtime of our algorithm?

$n$  vars?  
 $\hookrightarrow O(2^n)$

# Computing Equivalence

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Given two propositions, can we write an algorithm to determine if they are equivalent?

Yes! Generate the truth tables for both propositions and check if they are the same for every entry.

What is the runtime of our algorithm?

Every atomic proposition has two possibilities (T, F). If there are  $n$  atomic propositions, there are  $2^n$  rows in the truth table.

# Logical Proofs

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## To show A is equivalent to B:

Apply a series of logical equivalences to sub-expressions to convert A to B

Example:

Let A be " $p \vee (p \vee p)$ ", and B be " $p$ ".

Our general proof looks like:

$$\begin{aligned} p \vee (p \vee p) &\equiv (p \vee p) && \text{Idempol.} \\ &\equiv p && \text{Idempol.} \end{aligned}$$

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# Logical Proofs

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## To show A is a Tautology:

Apply a series of logical equivalences to sub-expressions to convert P to T.

Example:

Let A be " $\neg p \vee (p \vee p)$ ".

Our general proof looks like:

$$\begin{aligned} \neg p \vee (p \vee p) &\equiv (\neg p \vee p) \vee p && \text{Comm.} \\ &\equiv \text{T} && \text{? negation} \end{aligned}$$

# Logical Proofs

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$$\begin{aligned} \neg p \vee (p \vee p) &\equiv ( \quad \neg p \vee p \quad ) \text{ By Idempotency} \\ &\equiv \mathbf{T} \quad \text{By Negation} \end{aligned}$$

# Prove this is a Tautology: Option 1

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

Make a Truth Table and show:

$$(p \wedge q) \rightarrow (p \vee q) \equiv \mathbf{T}$$

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







# Prove this is a Tautology: Option 2

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

Use a series of equivalences like so:

$(p \wedge q) \rightarrow (p \vee q) \equiv \neg(p \wedge q) \vee (p \vee q)$	By Law of Implication
$\equiv (\neg p \vee \neg q) \vee (p \vee q)$	By DeMorgan's Laws
$\equiv \neg p \vee (\neg q \vee (p \vee q))$	By Associativity
$\equiv \neg p \vee (\neg q \vee (q \vee p))$	By Commutativity
$\equiv \neg p \vee ((\neg q \vee q) \vee p)$	By Associativity
$\equiv \neg p \vee ((q \vee \neg q) \vee p)$	By Commutativity
$\equiv \neg p \vee (\mathbf{T} \vee p)$	By Negation
$\equiv \neg p \vee (p \vee \mathbf{T})$	By Commutativity
$\equiv \neg p \vee \mathbf{T}$	By Domination
$\equiv \mathbf{T}$	By Domination

# Prove these propositions are equivalent

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**Prove:  $p \wedge (p \rightarrow q) \equiv p \wedge q$**

$$\begin{aligned} p \wedge (p \rightarrow q) &\equiv \overline{p} \wedge (\overline{\overline{p}} \vee \overline{\overline{q}}) && \text{imp.} \\ &\equiv (\overline{p} \wedge \overline{\overline{p}}) \vee (\overline{p} \wedge \overline{\overline{q}}) && \text{dist.} \\ &\equiv \overline{p} \vee (\overline{p} \wedge \overline{\overline{q}}) && \text{neg.} \\ &\equiv (\overline{p} \wedge \overline{\overline{q}}) \vee \overline{p} && \text{comm} \\ &\equiv p \wedge q && \text{id.} \end{aligned}$$

# Prove these propositions are equivalent

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**Prove:  $p \wedge (p \rightarrow q) \equiv p \wedge q$**

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

By Law of Implication

$$\equiv (p \wedge \neg p) \vee (p \wedge q)$$

By Distributivity

$$\equiv \mathbf{F} \vee (p \wedge q)$$

By Negation

$$\equiv (p \wedge q) \vee \mathbf{F}$$

By Commutativity

$$\equiv p \wedge q$$

By Identity

# Prove these are not equivalent

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$$\overset{F}{(p \rightarrow q) \rightarrow r}$$

$$\overset{F}{p \rightarrow (q \rightarrow r)}$$

Consider:  $p$  is  $F$ ,  $q$  is  $F$ , and  $r$  is  $F$ ...

$$\begin{aligned} \underline{(F \rightarrow F) \rightarrow F} &\equiv T \rightarrow F \\ &\equiv (F) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} F \rightarrow (F \rightarrow F) &\equiv F \rightarrow T \\ &\equiv (T) \end{aligned}$$

Not equiv.

# Prove these are not equivalent

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$$(p \rightarrow q) \rightarrow r$$

$$p \rightarrow (q \rightarrow r)$$

Consider: p is F, q is F, and r is F...

$$\begin{aligned} (F \rightarrow F) \rightarrow F &\equiv T \rightarrow F \\ &\equiv F \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} F \rightarrow (F \rightarrow F) &\equiv F \rightarrow F \\ &\equiv T \end{aligned}$$

# Boolean Logic

## Combinational Logic

- output =  $F(\text{input})$

## Sequential Logic

- $\text{output}_t = F(\text{output}_{t-1}, \text{input}_t)$ 
  - output dependent on history
  - concept of a time step (clock,  $t$ )



## Boolean Algebra consists of...

- a set of elements  $B = \{0, 1\}$
- binary operations  $\{+, \cdot\}$  (OR, AND)
- and a unary operation  $\{\prime\}$  (NOT)

$\text{"}x \neq y\text{"}$   
 $x \vee 1y$

$(y+x)'$   
 $y'$

# A Combinational Logic Example

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## Sessions of Class:

We would like to compute the number of lectures or quiz sections remaining *at the start* of a given day of the week.

- **Inputs:** Day of the Week, Lecture/Section flag
- **Output:** Number of sessions left

Examples: Input: (Wednesday, Lecture) Output: **2**

Input: (Monday, Section) Output: **1**

# Implementation in Software

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```
public int classesLeftInMorning(weekday, lecture_flag) {  
    switch (weekday) {  
        case SUNDAY:  
        case MONDAY:  
            return lecture_flag ? 3 : 1;  
        case TUESDAY:  
        case WEDNESDAY:  
            return lecture_flag ? 2 : 1;  
        case THURSDAY:  
            return lecture_flag ? 1 : 1;  
        case FRIDAY:  
            return lecture_flag ? 1 : 0;  
        case SATURDAY:  
            return lecture_flag ? 0 : 0;  
    }  
}
```

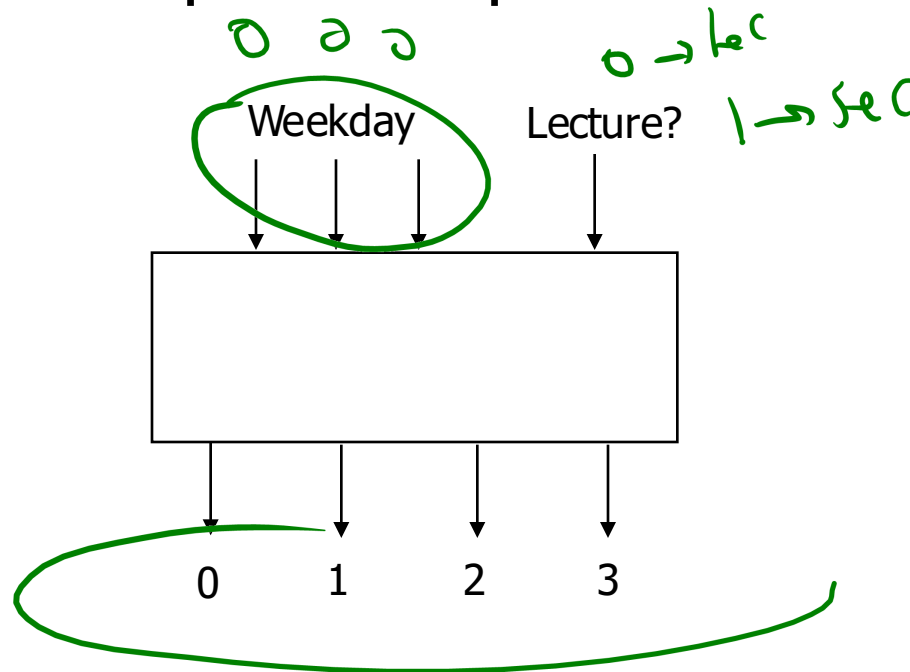


# Implementation with Combinational Logic

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## Encoding:

- How many bits for each input/output?
- Binary number for weekday
- One bit for each possible output



# Defining Our Inputs!

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## Weekday Input:

- Binary number for weekday
- Sunday = 0, Monday = 1, ...
- We care about these in binary:

Weekday	Number	Binary
Sunday	0	(000) <sub>2</sub>
Monday	1	(001) <sub>2</sub>
Tuesday	2	(010) <sub>2</sub>
Wednesday	3	(011) <sub>2</sub>
Thursday	4	(100) <sub>2</sub>
Friday	5	(101) <sub>2</sub>
Saturday	6	(110) <sub>2</sub>

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# Combinational Logic

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- **Switches**
- **Basic logic and truth tables**
- **Logic functions**
- **Boolean algebra**
- **Proofs by re-writing and by truth table**