

**CSE
31F**

**Foundations of
Computing I**

Collaboration Policy

- **There are two types of HW questions:**

- **Written:**

- You may work with other students, but you must write your work up individually.

- **Online:**

- You may not discuss these with anyone other than course staff!** You will have multiple attempts though!

Implication

$\top \rightarrow \perp$
“If it’s raining, then I have my umbrella”
if this I promise this

It’s useful to think of implications as promises. That is “Did I lie?”

p	q	$p \rightarrow q$
T	T	T
T	F	F
F	T	T
F	F	T

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I have my umbrella		
I do not have my umbrella	☹	

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	It’s raining	It’s not raining
I have my umbrella	No	No
I do not have my umbrella	Yes	No

The only lie is when:

(a) It’s raining AND

(b) I don’t have my umbrella

Implication

“If it’s raining, then I have my umbrella”

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Are these true?

$2 + 2 = 4 \rightarrow$ earth is a planet

T

T

T

$2 + 2 = 5 \rightarrow$ bears are commonly found near seals

F

T

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The fact that these are unrelated doesn’t make the statement false! “ $2 + 2 = 4$ ” is true; “earth is a planet” is true. $T \rightarrow T$ is true. So, the statement is true.

$2 + 2 = 5 \rightarrow$ bears are commonly found near seals

Again, these statements may or may not be related. “ $2 + 2 = 5$ ” is false; so, the implication is true. (Whether 26 is prime or not is irrelevant).

Implication is not a causal relationship!

$p \rightarrow q$

(1) "I have collected all 151 Pokémon if I am a Pokémon master"

(2) "I have collected all 151 Pokémon only if I am a Pokémon master"

These sentences are "duals" of each other:

(1)

(2)

$$p \rightarrow q$$

F

T

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- (2) *"I have collected all 151 Pokémon only if I am a Pokémon master"*

T

F

These sentences are "duals" of each other:

- (1) **"To be a Pokémon master, I must have all 151 Pokémon"**
- (2) **"To collect all 151 Pokémon, I must be a Pokémon master."**

So, the implications are:

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- (2)

$$p \rightarrow q$$

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- (1) **“To be a Pokémon master, I must have all 151 Pokémon”**
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So, the implications are:

- (1) **If I am a Pokémon master, then I have collected all 151 Pokémon.**
- (2) **If I have collected all 151 Pokémon, then I am a Pokémon master.**

$$p \rightarrow q$$

Implication:

- p implies q
- whenever p is true q must be true
- if p then q
- q if p
- p is sufficient for q
- p only if q

p	q	$p \rightarrow q$
T	T	T
T	F	F
F	T	T
F	F	T

A Note On Formality

```
Console.WriteLine("Hello World!");
```

vs.

```
System.out.println("Hello World!");
```

It's clear what both of these mean, but the Java compiler will only accept one and the C# compiler will accept the other. Neither one of them is **WRONG, it's just a context change.**

Why are we talking about this? We're dealing with a formal language here:

$$p \rightarrow q \text{ vs. } p \Rightarrow q$$

Our formal language uses the former.

You may not use the latter.

Biconditional: $p \leftrightarrow q$

- p iff q
- p is equivalent to q
- p implies q and q implies p

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Converse, Contrapositive, Inverse

Implication:

$$p \rightarrow q$$

T → T ~ T

Converse:

$$q \rightarrow p$$

T

Contrapositive:

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

F → F ~ T

Inverse:

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

F → F ~ T

How do these relate to each other?

Consider

p : x is divisible by 2

q : x is divisible by 4

	Divisible By 2	Not Divisible By 2
Divisible By 4	ALL ARE SAME 4	X
Not Divisible By 4	2	7

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Divisible By 4	4	Nothing Here!
Not Divisible By 4	2	3

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$\neg q \rightarrow \neg p$	F
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$\neg p \rightarrow \neg q$	T

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Inverse:

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

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An **implication** and its **contrapositive** have the same truth value!

Back to Roger's Sentence

“Roger is an orange elephant who has toenails if he has tusks, and has toenails, tusks, or both.”

$\exists x (RElephant(x) \wedge (RToenails(x) \rightarrow RTusks(x)) \wedge (RToenails(x) \vee RTusks(x) \vee (RToenails(x) \wedge RTusks(x))))$

Define shorthand ...

$p : RElephant$

$q : RTusks$

$r : RToenails$



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$a \text{ if } b$ $b \text{ if } a$ $a \rightarrow b$
 ~~$b \rightarrow a$~~

$\text{RElephant} \wedge (\text{RToenails} \text{ if } \text{RTusks}) \wedge (\text{RToenails} \vee \text{RTusks} \vee (\text{RToenails} \wedge \text{RTusks}))$

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q : RTusks

r : RToenails

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

Roger's Sentence with a Truth Table

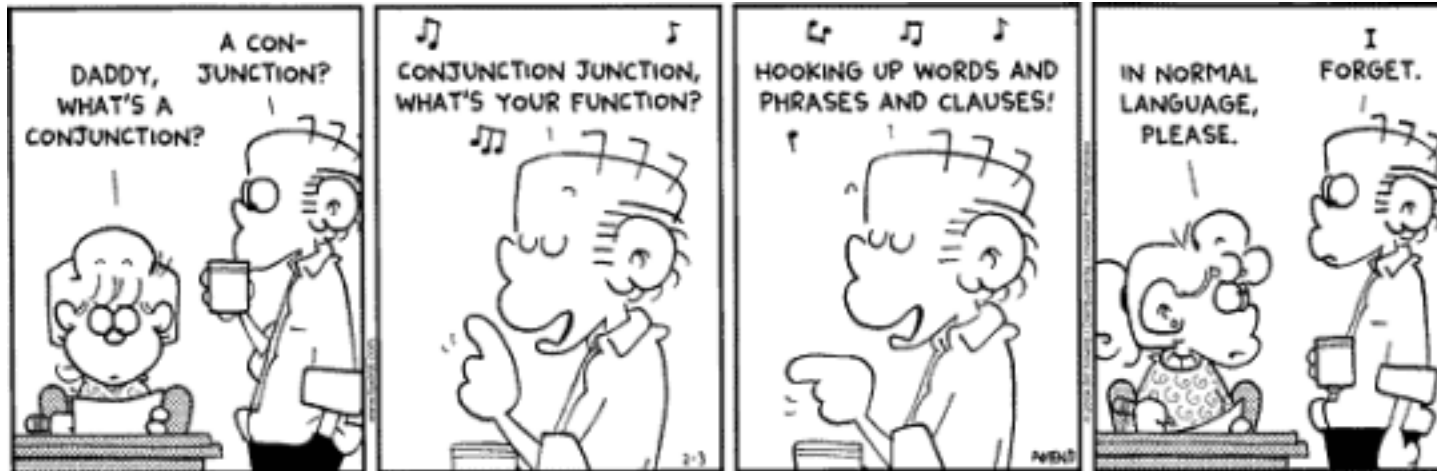
p	q	r	$q \rightarrow r$	$p \wedge (q \rightarrow r)$	$r \vee q$	$r \wedge q$	$(r \vee q) \vee (r \wedge q)$	$p \wedge (q \rightarrow r) \wedge (r \vee q) \vee (r \wedge q)$
T	T	T	T					
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F	F	F	T	F	F	F	F	F

CSE 311: Foundations of Computing

Lecture 2: Logical Equivalence & Digital Circuits



Tautologies!

Terminology: A compound proposition is a...

- *Tautology* if it is always true
- *Contradiction* if it is always false
- *Contingency* if it can be either true or false

$$p \vee \neg p$$

This is a tautology. It's called the "law of the excluded middle. If p is true, then $p \vee \neg p$ is true. If p is false, then $p \vee \neg p$ is true.

$$p \oplus p$$

This is a contradiction. It's always false no matter what truth value p takes on.

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

This is a contingency. When $p=T, q=T, (T \rightarrow T) \wedge T$ is true.
When $p=T, q=F, (T \rightarrow F) \wedge T$ is false.

Logical Equivalence

A = B means **A** and **B** are identical “strings”:

– $p \wedge q = p \wedge q$

These are equal, because they are character-for-character identical.

– $p \wedge q \neq q \wedge p$

These are NOT equal, because they are different sequences of characters. They “mean” the same thing though.

A ≡ B means **A** and **B** have identical truth values:

– $p \wedge q \equiv p \wedge q$

$$(p = q) \rightarrow (p \equiv q)$$

– $p \wedge q \equiv q \wedge p$

– $p \wedge q \neq q \vee p$

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Two formulas that are equal also are equivalent.

– $p \wedge q \equiv q \wedge p$

These two formulas have the same truth table!

– $p \wedge q \neq q \vee p$

When $p=T$ and $q=F$: $T \wedge F$ is false, but $F \vee T$ is true!

$A \leftrightarrow B$ vs. $A \equiv B$

$A \equiv B$ is an **assertion over all possible truth values** that A and B always have the same truth values.

$A \leftrightarrow B$ is a **proposition** which depends on what may be true or false depending on the truth values of the variables in A and B .


$A \equiv B$ and $(A \leftrightarrow B) \equiv \mathbf{T}$ have the same meaning.

De Morgan's Laws

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

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


Negate the statement:

“My code compiles or there is a bug.”


To negate the statement, ask “when is the original statement false”.

It's false when not(my code compiles) AND not(there is a bug).

Translating back into English, we get:

My code doesn't compile and there is not a bug.


De Morgan's Laws

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

p	q	$\neg p$	$\neg q$	$\neg p \vee \neg q$	$p \wedge q$	$\neg(p \wedge q)$	$\neg(p \wedge q) \leftrightarrow (\neg p \vee \neg q)$
T	T	F	F	F	T	F	T
T	F	F	T	T	F	T	T
F	T	T	F	T	F	T	T
F	F	T	T	T	F	T	T

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```
if (!(front != null && value > front.data))
    front = new ListNode(value, front);
else {
    ListNode current = front;
    while (current.next != null && current.next.data < value))
        current = current.next;
    current.next = new ListNode(value, current.next);
}
```

De Morgan's Laws

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```
!(front != null && value > front.data)
```

≡

```
front == null || value <= front.data
```

You've been using these for a while!

Law of Implication

$$p \rightarrow q \equiv \neg p \vee q$$

p	q	$p \rightarrow q$	$\neg p$	$\neg p \vee q$	$p \rightarrow q \leftrightarrow \neg p \vee q$
T	T	T	F	T	T
T	F	F	F	F	T
F	T	T	T	T	T
F	F	T	T	T	T

$$\begin{aligned} \neg \neg (p \rightarrow q) &\equiv (p = T \wedge q = F) \\ &\equiv \neg(p \wedge \neg q) \\ &\equiv \neg p \vee q \end{aligned}$$

Some Equivalences Related to Implication

$p \rightarrow q$

\equiv

$\neg p \vee q$

$p \rightarrow q$

\equiv

$\neg q \rightarrow \neg p$

$p \leftrightarrow q$

\equiv

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

$p \leftrightarrow q$

\equiv

$\neg p \leftrightarrow \neg q$

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**

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

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

NO

MEMORIZE

- **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**

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

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

Digital Circuits

Computing With Logic

- **T** corresponds to **1** or “high” voltage
- **F** corresponds to **0** or “low” voltage

Gates

- Take inputs and produce outputs (functions)
- Several kinds of gates
- Correspond to propositional connectives (most of them)

And Gate

AND Connective

vs.

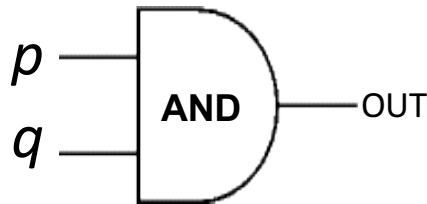
AND Gate

$p \wedge q$

p	q	$p \wedge q$
T	T	T
T	F	F
F	T	F
F	F	F



p	q	OUT
1	1	1
1	0	0
0	1	0
0	0	0



“block looks like D of AND”

Or Gate

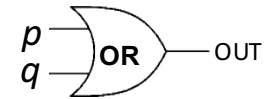
OR Connective

vs.

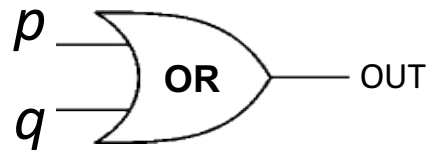
OR Gate

$p \vee q$

p	q	$p \vee q$
T	T	T
T	F	T
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F	F	F



p	q	OUT
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1	0	1
0	1	1
0	0	0



“arrowhead block looks like V”

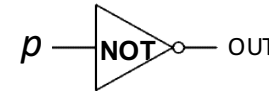
Not Gates

NOT Connective

vs.

NOT Gate

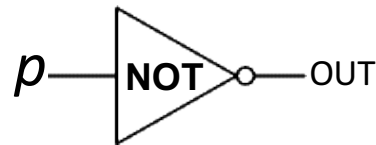
$\neg p$



Also called
inverter

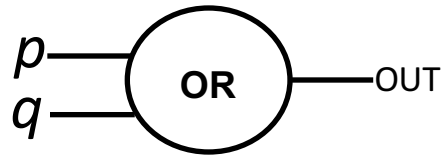
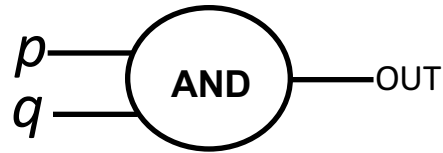
p	$\neg p$
T	F
F	T

p	OUT
1	0
0	1

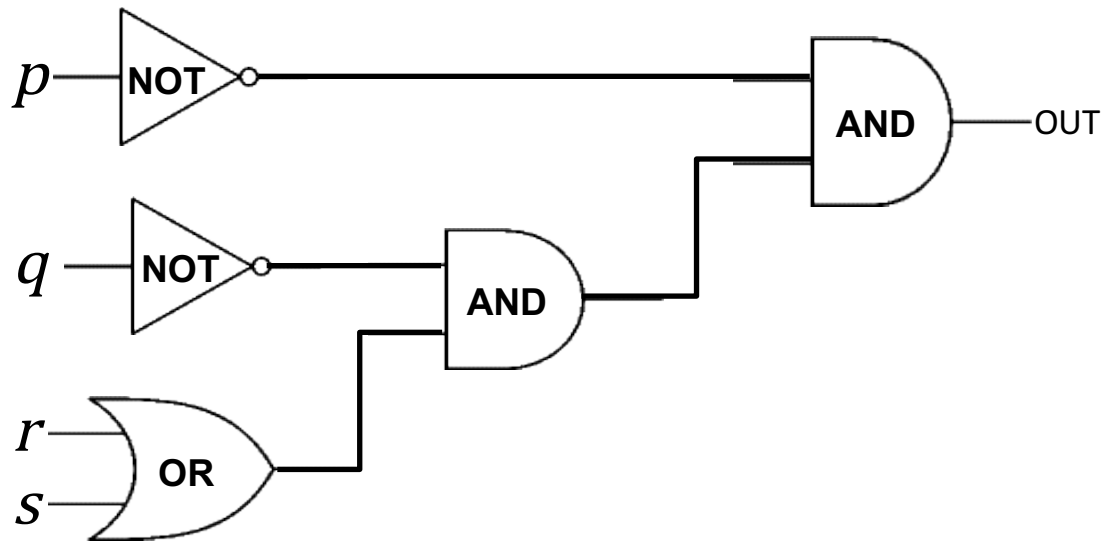


Blobs are Okay!

You may write gates using blobs instead of shapes!



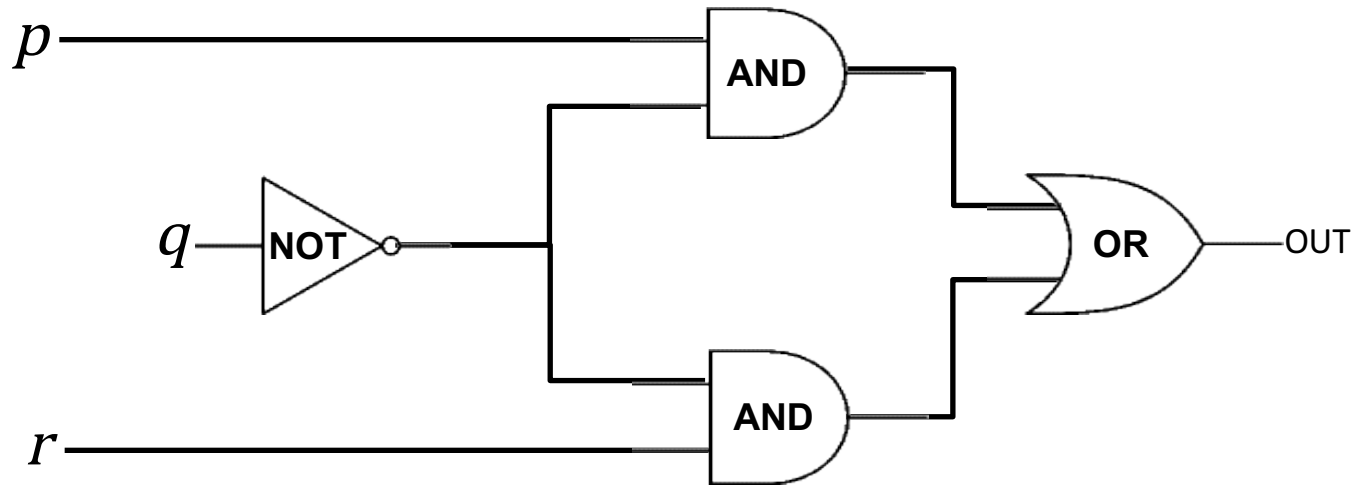
Combinational Logic Circuits



Values get sent along wires connecting gates

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

Combinational Logic Circuits



Wires can send one value to multiple gates!

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

Computing Equivalence

Describe an algorithm for computing if two logical expressions/circuits are equivalent.

What is the run time of the algorithm?

Compute the entire truth table for both of them!

There are 2^n entries in the column for n variables.

Understanding Connectives

- **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