CSE 311: Foundations of Computing

AND OVER THERE WE HAVE THE LABYRINTH GUARDS. ONE ALWAYS LIES, ONE ALWAYS TELLS THE TRUTH, AND ONE STABS PEOPLE WHO ASK TRICKY QUESTIONS.
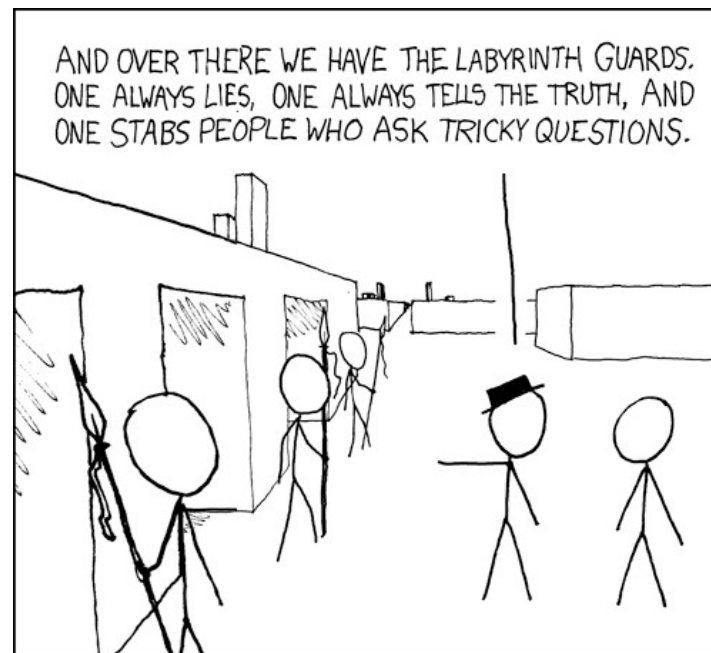
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T	T	T
T	F	F
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"p only if q"

P (can be true) only if q (is also true)

Homework #1

- ## You should have received
    - An e-mail from [cse311a/cse311b] with information pointing you to look at Canvas to submit HW

    - An e-mail from UW Canvas with a notification about the homework assignment. Click on "Assignments" to see all the questions

If you haven't received one, send e-mail to cse311-staff@cs.washington.edu

Last class: Logical Equivalence $A \equiv B$

$A \equiv B$ is an assertion that *two propositions* A and B always have the same truth values.

tautology

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

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

p	q	$p \wedge q$	$q \wedge p$	$(p \wedge q) \leftrightarrow (q \wedge p)$
T	T	T	T	T
T	F	F	F	T
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$p \wedge q \not\equiv q \vee p$

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

Last class: De Morgan's Laws

De Morgan's Laws

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

Last class: Equivalences Related to Implication

Law of Implication

$$p \to q \equiv \neg p \lor q$$

Contrapositive

$$p \to q \equiv \neg q \to \neg p$$

Biconditional

$$p \leftrightarrow q \equiv (p \to q) \land (q \to p)$$

$$p \to q$$
$$\equiv \neg(p \land \neg q)$$
$$\equiv \neg p \lor q$$

Last class: Properties of Logical Connectives

- **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**
  - $p \vee q \equiv q \vee p$
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- **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**
  - $p \vee \neg p \equiv T$
  - $p \wedge \neg p \equiv F$

law of
~~E.~~ excluded
middle.

non-contradiction

One more easy equivalence

Double Negation

$$p \leftrightarrow \neg \neg p$$

p	$\neg p$	$\neg \neg p$	$p \leftrightarrow \neg \neg p$
T	F	T	T
F	T	F	T

Last class: 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)
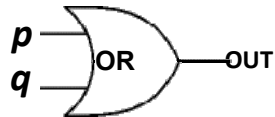
Last class: AND, OR, NOT Gates

AND Gate

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

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

OR Gate

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

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

NOT Gate
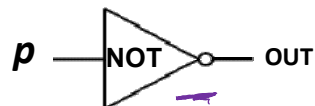
p	OUT
1	0
0	1

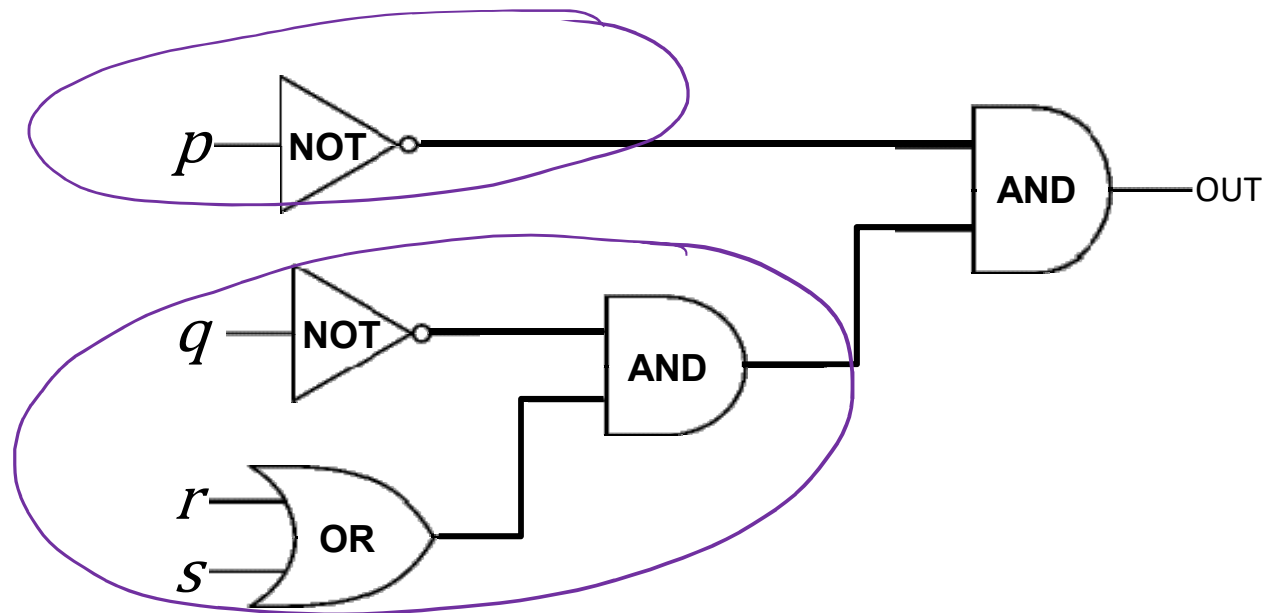| p	$\neg p$
T	F
F	T

Combinational Logic Circuits
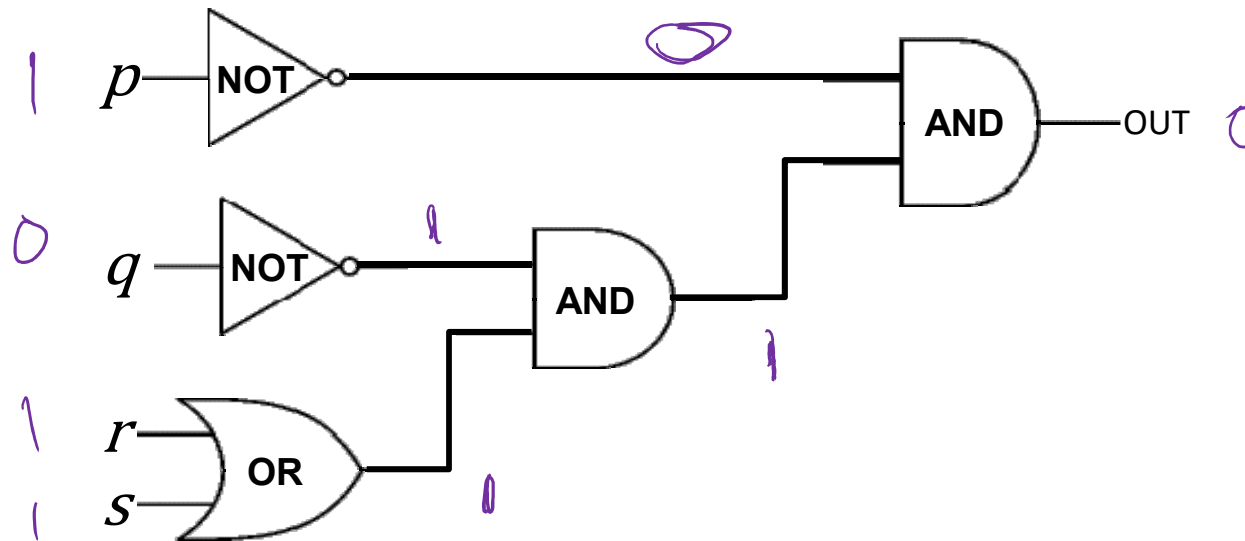
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Combinational Logic Circuits

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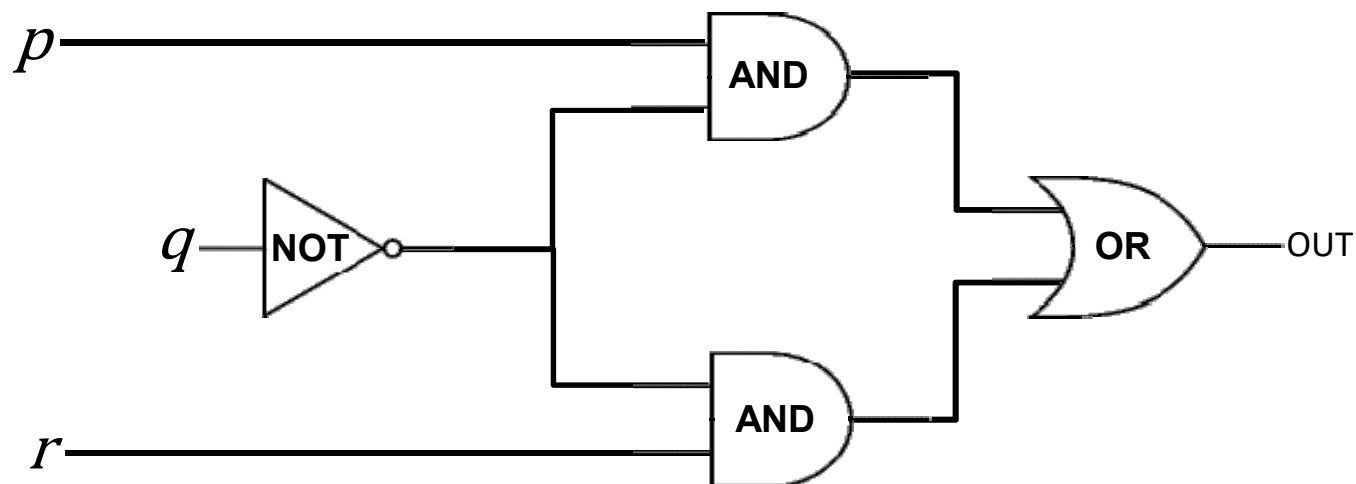$$\neg p \wedge (\neg q \wedge (r \vee s))$$

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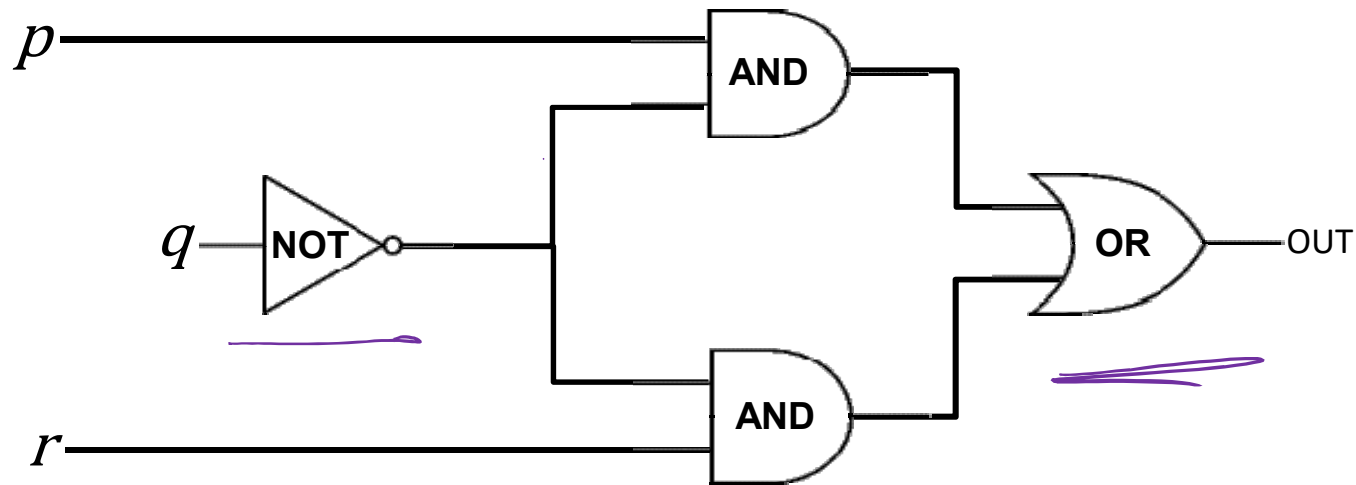
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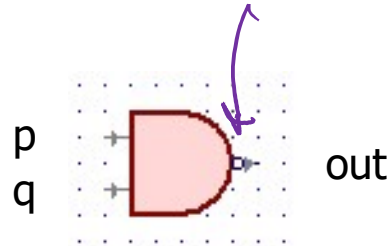$$(p \wedge \neg q) \vee (\neg q \wedge r)$$

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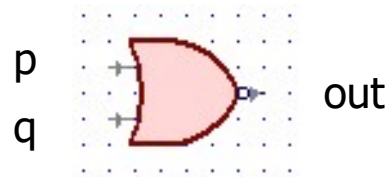
Other Useful Gates

NAND
$\neg(p \land q)$

p	q	out
0	0	1
0	1	1
1	0	1
1	1	0

NOR
$\neg(p \lor q)$

p	q	out
0	0	1
0	1	0
1	0	0
1	1	0

XOR
$p \oplus q$
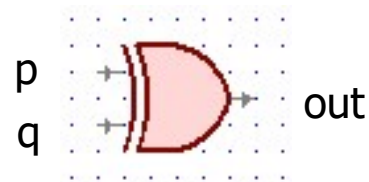
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XNOR
$p \leftrightarrow q$
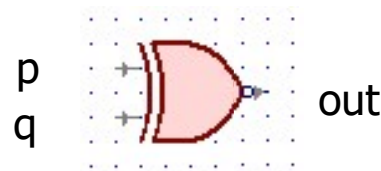
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Understanding logic and circuits

When do two logic formulas mean the same thing?

When do two circuits compute the same function?

What logical properties can we infer from other ones?

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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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.

Another approach: Logical Proofs

To show A is equivalent to B
- Apply a series of logical equivalences to sub-expressions to convert A to B

To show A is a tautology
- Apply a series of logical equivalences to sub-expressions to convert A to **T**

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Example:

Let A be "$p \vee (p \wedge p)$", and B be "p".
Our general proof looks like:

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De Morgan's Laws

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Law of Implication

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Contrapositive

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Biconditional

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Double Negation

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Example:

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Our general proof looks like:

$$p \vee (p \wedge p) \equiv (\ p \vee p\ ) \qquad \text{idempotent}$$
$$\equiv p$$

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Example:
Let A be "$\neg p \vee (p \vee p)$".
Our general proof looks like:

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$$\equiv \textbf{T}$$

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$$\equiv p \vee \neg p \qquad \text{commutative}$$
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Logical Proofs

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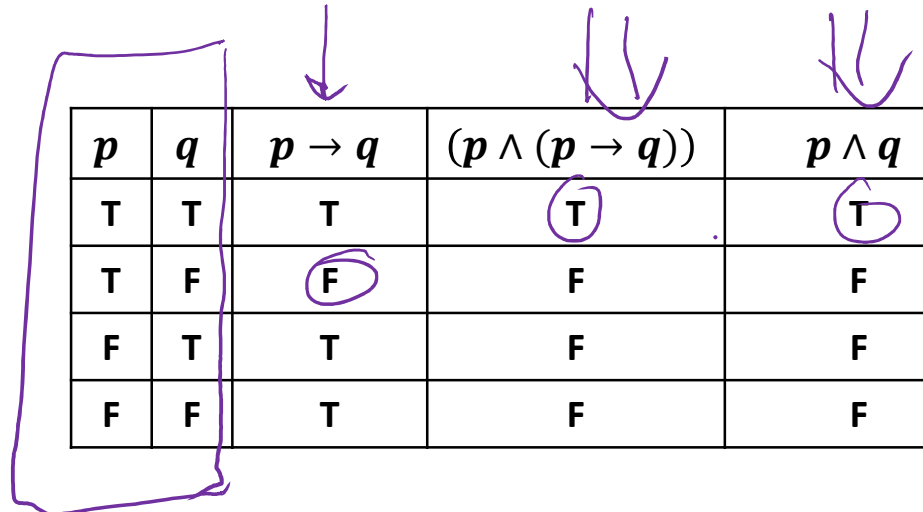Let A be "$\neg p \vee (p \vee p)$".

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$$\neg p \vee (p \vee p) \equiv (\quad \neg p \vee p \quad) \qquad \text{Idempotent}$$
$$\equiv \mathrm{T} \qquad\qquad\qquad \text{Negation}$$

Prove these propositions are equivalent: Option 1

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

Make a Truth Table and show:

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

p	q	$p \rightarrow q$	$(p \wedge (p \rightarrow q))$	$p \wedge q$	$(p \wedge (p \rightarrow q)) \leftrightarrow (p \wedge q)$
T	T	T	T	T	T
T	F	F	F	F	T
F	T	T	F	F	T
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Prove these propositions are equivalent: Option 2

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

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

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

$\equiv$ $F \vee (p \wedge q)$ negation

$\equiv$ $(p \wedge q) \vee F$ commutative

$\equiv p \wedge q$

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Double Negation

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Prove these propositions are equivalent: Option 2

Prove: $p \wedge (p \to q) \equiv p \wedge q$

$p \wedge (p \to q) \equiv p \wedge (\neg p \vee q)$ **Law of Implication**

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

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

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

$\equiv p \wedge q$ **Identity**

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Prove this is a Tautology: Option 1

$$(p \land q) \rightarrow (q \lor p)$$

Make a Truth Table and show:

$$(p \land q) \rightarrow (q \lor p) \equiv \text{T}$$

p	q	$p \land q$	$q \lor p$	$(p \land q) \rightarrow (q \lor p)$
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

$$(p \land q) \to (q \lor p)$$

Use a series of equivalences like so:

$$(p \land q) \to (q \lor p) \equiv \neg(p \land q) \lor (q \lor p)$$
$$\equiv (\neg p \lor \neg q) \lor (q \lor p)$$
$$\equiv \neg p \lor (\neg q \lor (q \lor p)) \quad \text{assoc}$$
$$\equiv \neg p \lor ((\neg q \lor q) \lor p)) \quad \text{assoc2}$$
$$\equiv \neg p \lor ((q \lor \neg q) \lor p) \quad \text{comm}$$
$$\equiv \neg p \lor (T \lor p)$$
$$\equiv \neg p \lor (p \lor T) \quad \text{comm}$$
$$\equiv (\neg p \lor p) \lor T \quad \text{done}$$
$$\equiv T$$

Prove this is a Tautology: Option 2

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

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

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

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Use a series of equivalences like so:

$$
\begin{aligned}
(p \wedge q) \rightarrow (q \vee p) &\equiv \neg(p \wedge q) \vee (q \vee p) \qquad &&\textbf{Law of Implication} \\
&\equiv (\neg p \vee \neg q) \vee (q \vee p) &&\textbf{DeMorgan} \\
&\equiv \neg p \vee (\neg q \vee (q \vee p)) &&\textbf{Associative} \\
&\equiv \neg p \vee ((\neg q \vee q) \vee p) &&\textbf{Associative} \\
&\equiv \neg p \vee (p \vee (\neg q \vee q)) &&\textbf{Commutative} \\
&\equiv (\neg p \vee p) \vee (\neg q \vee q) &&\textbf{Associative} \\
&\equiv (p \vee \neg p) \vee (q \vee \neg q) &&\textbf{Commutative (twice)} \\
&\equiv \mathbf{T} \vee \mathbf{T} &&\textbf{Negation (twice)} \\
&\equiv \mathbf{T} &&\textbf{Domination/Identity}
\end{aligned}
$$

Identity
- $p \wedge \mathrm{T} \equiv p$
- $p \vee \mathrm{F} \equiv p$

Domination
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- $p \wedge \mathrm{F} \equiv \mathrm{F}$

Idempotent
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- $p \wedge p \equiv p$

Commutative
- $p \vee q \equiv q \vee p$
- $p \wedge q \equiv q \wedge p$

Logical Proofs of Equivalence/Tautology

- Not smaller than truth tables when there are only a few propositional variables...

- ...but usually *much shorter* than truth table proofs when there are many propositional variables

- A big advantage will be that we can extend them to a more in-depth understanding of logic for which truth tables don't apply.