CSE 311: Foundations of Computing I

Topic 1: Propositional Logic



Logic is a language, like English or Java

Why learn another language? We know English and Java already?

Why not use English?

– Turn right here...

Does "right" mean the direction or now?

- We saw her duck

Does "duck" mean the animal or crouch down?

Buffalo buffalo Buffalo buffalo buffalo buffalo

This means "Bison from Buffalo, that bison from Buffalo bully, themselves bully bison from Buffalo.

Natural languages can be unclear or imprecise

We need a language of reasoning to

- state sentences more precisely
- state sentences more concisely
- understand sentences more quickly

Formal logic has these properties

What is logic and why do we need it?

Logic is a language, like English or Java, with its own

- words and rules for combining words into sentences (syntax)
- ways to assign meaning to words and sentences (semantics)

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- is "well-formed"
- is either true or false

Propositions: building blocks of logic

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All cats are mammals

true

All mammals are cats

false

2 + 2 = 5

This is a proposition. It's okay for propositions to be false.

x + 2 = 5389, where x is my PIN number

This is a proposition. We don't need to know what x is.

Akjsdf!

Not a proposition because it's gibberish.

Who are you?

This is a question which means it doesn't have a truth value.

Every positive even integer can be written as the sum of two primes.

This is a proposition. We don't know if it's true or false, but we know it's one of them!

We need a way of talking about arbitrary ideas...

Propositional Variables: *p*, *q*, *r*, *s*, ...

Truth Values:

- T for true
- F for false

Java boolean represents a truth value

- constants true and false
- variables hold unknown values

Operators calculate new values from given ones

- unary: not (!)
- binary: and (&&), or (||)

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Disjunction (or)	$p \lor q$
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Biconditional	$p \leftrightarrow r$

Some Truth Tables



p	q	p ^ q
Т	Т	
Т	F	
F	Т	
F	F	

р	q	$p \lor q$
Т	Т	
Т	F	
F	Т	
F	F	

p	q	$p \oplus q$
Т	Т	
Т	F	
F	Т	
F	F	

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F	F	F

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Т	F	Т
F	Т	Т
F	F	F

Logic forces us to distinguish \lor from \oplus

"If it's raining, then I have my umbrella"

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	It's raining	lt's not raining
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l do not have my umbrella	Yes	No

The only **lie** is when:

(a) It's raining AND

(b) I don't have my umbrella

"If the Seahawks won, then I was at the game."



What's the one scenario where I lied?

	I was at the game	I wasn't at the game
Seahawks won		
Seahawks lost		

"If the Seahawks won, then I was at the game."



What's the one scenario where I lied?

	I was at the game	I wasn't at the game
Seahawks won	Ok	I lied
Seahawks lost	Ok	Ok

"If it's raining, then I have my umbrella"

Are these true?



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

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.

$2 + 2 = 5 \rightarrow 26$ is prime

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!

(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"

In English, the "if" can be written at the end of the sentence rather than at the beginning of the sentence (followed by a ",").

(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 implications in opposite directions:

- (1) "Pokémon masters have all 151 Pokémon"
- (2) "People who have 151 Pokémon are Pokémon masters"

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.

Implication:

- -p implies r
- whenever *p* is true *r* must be true
- if *p* then *r*
- *r* if *p*
- p only if r
- -p is sufficient for r
- r is necessary for p



- *p* if and only if *r*
- *p* "iff" *r*

– p and r have the same value truth value

p	r	$p \leftrightarrow r$
Т	Т	Т
Т	F	F
F	Т	F
F	F	Т

A Compound Proposition (Practical Example)

"Show the notification to the user if its their second login or they've used it for two weeks and haven't tried the feature X unless they did use the feature Y."

Not at all clear what exactly this means!

Can use logic to understand exactly when to show it

A Compound Proposition (Silly Example)

"Garfield has black stripes if he is an orange cat and likes lasagna, and he is an orange cat or does not like lasagna"

We'd like to understand what this proposition means.

"Garfield has black stripes if he is an orange cat and likes lasagna, and he is an orange cat or does not like lasagna"

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First find the simplest (atomic) propositions:

- q "Garfield has black stripes"
- *r* "Garfield is an orange cat"
- *s* "Garfield likes lasagna"

(q if (r and s)) and (r or (not s))

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$$((r \land s) \rightarrow q) \land (r \lor \neg s)$$

q	r	s	$((r \land s) \rightarrow q) \land (r \lor \neg s)$
F	F	F	
F	F	Т	
F	Т	F	
F	Т	Т	
Т	F	F	
Т	F	Т	
Т	Т	F	
Т	Т	Т	

q	r	s	$r \lor \neg s$	$(r \wedge s) \rightarrow q$	$((r \land s) \rightarrow q) \land (r \lor \neg s)$
F	F	F			
F	F	т			
F	т	F			
F	т	т			
т	F	F			
т	F	т			
т	т	F			
Т	Т	Т			

q	r	S	¬ <i>s</i>	$r \lor \neg s$	$r \wedge s$	$(r \wedge s) \rightarrow q$	$((r \land s) \rightarrow q) \land (r \lor \neg s)$
F	F	F					
F	F	Т					
F	Т	F					
F	Т	Т					
т	F	F					
т	F	Т					
т	Т	F					
т	Т	Т					

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F	F	F	Т	Т	F	Т	Т
F	F	Т	F	F	F	Т	F
F	Т	F	Т	Т	F	Т	Т
F	Т	Т	F	Т	Т	F	F
т	F	F	Т	Т	F	Т	Т
Т	F	Т	F	F	F	Т	F
Т	Т	F	Т	Т	F	Т	Т
Т	Т	Т	F	Т	Т	Т	Т

"Garfield has black stripes if he is an orange cat and likes lasagna, and he is an orange cat or does not like lasagna"

Black Stripes	Orange	Likes Lasagna	Claim
F	F	F	т
F	F	Т	F
F	Т	F	т
F	Т	Т	F
Т	F	F	т
Т	F	Т	F
Т	Т	F	т
Т	Т	Т	т

Propositional Logic makes clear exactly what is being claimed.

Most problems come to us in English

- can be hard to understand (easy to misunderstand)

First step is to "formalize"

- translate into a precise, mathematical statement

Then, we can apply our full tool set tools...

Converse, Contrapositive



<u>Consider</u> *p:* 6 is divisible by 2 *r*: 6 is divisible by 4

$p \rightarrow r$	
$r \rightarrow p$	
$\neg r \rightarrow \neg p$	
$\neg p \rightarrow \neg r$	

Converse, Contrapositive



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$p \rightarrow r$	F
$r \rightarrow p$	Т
$\neg r \rightarrow \neg p$	F
$\neg p \rightarrow \neg r$	Т

Converse, Contrapositive



How do these relate to each other?

p	r	p →r	r→p	p	_ r	¬p →¬r	$\neg r \rightarrow \neg p$
т	Т						
Т	F						
F	Т						
F	F						
Converse, Contrapositive



An implication and its contrapositive

have the same truth value!

p	r	p → r	r→p	p	¬ r	¬p →¬r	¬r → ¬p
Т	Т	Т	Т	F	F	Т	Т
Т	F	F	Т	F	Т	Т	F
F	Т	Т	F	Т	F	F	Т
F	F	T	Т	Т	Т	Т	Т

Converse, Contrapositive



An implication and its inverse do not have the same truth value!



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



р	q	OUT
1	1	1
1	0	0
0	1	0
0	0	0

	р	q	p∧q
	Т	Т	Т
Ī	Т	F	F
Ī	F	Т	F
	F	F	F

OR Gate



р	q	OUT
1	1	1
1	0	1
0	1	1
0	0	0

NOT Gate



р	OUT
1	0
0	1

р	q	$p \lor q$
Т	Г	Н
Т	F	Т
F	Т	Т
F	F	F

р	¬ <i>p</i>
Т	F
F	Т



Values get sent along wires connecting gates



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 $\neg p \land (\neg q \land (r \lor s))$

Combinational Logic Circuits



Wires can send one value to multiple gates!

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 $(p \land \neg q) \lor (\neg q \land r)$

Other Useful Gates



Boolean Algebra

- Usual notation used in circuit design
- Boolean algebra
 - a set of elements B containing {0, 1}
 - binary operations { + , }
 - and a unary operation { a' } or { \overline{a} }



Write these in Boolean Algebra:

 $\neg p \land (\neg q \land (r \lor s))$

 $(p \land \neg q) \lor (\neg q \land r)$

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 $\neg p \land (\neg q \land (r \lor s)) \qquad (p \land \neg q) \lor (\neg q \land r)$

p'q'(r+s)

pq' + q'r

 Create a Boolean Algebra expression for C below in terms of the variables a and b

а	b	C (a , b)
1	1	0
1	0	1
0	1	1
0	0	0

Note that we have only +, * (not XOR)

C = (a+b)(ab)'

How do we do this with many variables?

Would be nice to have a mechanical way to do it! (More later...)

 Create a Boolean Algebra expression for C below in terms of the variables a and b

$$C = (a+b)(ab)'$$

• Draw this as a circuit (using AND, OR, NOT)

Correspondence between logic (propositions) and computation (circuits). This isn't the last time we will see such connections...

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

}

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

Implementation with Combinational Logic

Encoding:

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



Defining Our Inputs!

Weekday Input:

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

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

Converting to a Truth Table!

```
case SUNDAY or MONDAY:
    return isLecture ? 3 : 1;
case TUESDAY or WEDNESDAY:
    return isLecture ? 2 : 1;
case THURSDAY:
    return isLecture ? 1 : 1;
case FRIDAY:
    return isLecture ? 1 : 0;
case SATURDAY:
    return isLecture ? 0 : 0;
```

Wee	kday	isLecture	C 0	c ₁	C ₂	C ₃
SUN	000	0				
SUN	000	1				
MON	001	0				
MON	001	1				
TUE	010	0				
TUE	010	1				
WED	011	0				
WED	011	1				
THU	100	-				
FRI	101	0				
FRI	101	1				
SAT	110	-				
-	111	-				

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case FRIDAY:
    return isLecture ? 1 : 0;
case SATURDAY:
    return isLecture ? 0 : 0;
```

Wee	kday	isLecture	C 0	c ₁	C ₂	C ₃
SUN	000	0	0	1	0	0
SUN	000	1	0	0	0	1
MON	001	0	0	1	0	0
MON	001	1	0	0	0	1
TUE	010	0	0	1	0	0
TUE	010	1	0	0	1	0
WED	011	0	0	1	0	0
WED	011	1	0	0	1	0
THU	100	-	0	1	0	0
FRI	101	0	1	0	0	0
FRI	101	1	0	1	0	0
SAT	110	-	1	0	0	0
-	111	-	1	0	0	0

	$d_2d_1d_0$	L	c ₀	C ₁	C ₂	C ₃
SUN	000	0	0	1	0	0
SUN	000	1	0	0	0	1
MON	001	0	0	1	0	0
MON	001	1	0	0	0	1
TUE	010	0	0	1	0	0
TUE	010	1	0	0	1	0
WED	011	0	0	1	0	0
WED	011	1	0	0	1	0
THU	100	-	0	1	0	0
FRI	101	0	1	0	0	0
FRI	101	1	0	1	0	0
SAT	110	-	1	0	0	0
-	111	-	1	0	0	0

Let's begin by finding an expression for c_3 . To do this, we look at the rows where $c_3 = 1$ (true).

	$d_2d_1d_0$	L	c ₀	C ₁	C ₂	C ₃
SUN	000	0	0	1	0	0
SUN	000	1	0	0	0	1
MON	001	0	0	1	0	0
MON	001	1	0	0	0	1
TUE	010	0	0	1	0	0
TUE	010	1	0	0	1	0
WED	011	0	0	1	0	0
WED	011	1	0	0	1	0
THU	100	-	0	1	0	0
FRI	101	0	1	0	0	0
FRI	101	1	0	1	0	0
SAT	110	-	1	0	0	0
-	111	-	1	0	0	0

	$d_2 d_1 d_0$	L	c ₀	C ₁	C ₂	C ₃
SUN	000	0	0	1	0	0
SUN	000	1	0	0	0	1
MON	001	0	0	1	0	0
MON	001	1	0	0	0	1
TUE	010	0	0	1	0	0
TUE	010	1	0	0	1	0
WED	011	0	0	1	0	0
WED	011	1	0	0	1	0
THU	100	-	0	1	0	0
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FRI	101	1	0	1	0	0
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THU	100	-	0	1	0	0
FRI	101	0	1	0	0	0
FRI	101	1	0	1	0	0
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SUN	000	1	0	0	0	1
MON	001	0	0	1	0	0
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TUE	010	1	0	0	1	0
WED	011	0	0	1	0	0
WED	011	1	0	0	1	0
THU	100	-	0	1	0	0
FRI	101	0	1	0	0	0
FRI	101	1	0	1	0	0
SAT	110	-	1	0	0	0
-	111	-	1	0	0	0

How do we combine them?

	$d_2d_1d_0$	L	c ₀	c ₁	C ₂	C ₃
SUN	000	0	0	1	0	0
SUN	000	1	0	0	0	1
MON	001	0	0	1	0	0
MON	001	1	0	0	0	1
TUE	010	0	0	1	0	0
TUE	010	1	0	0	1	0
WED	011	0	0	1	0	0
WED	011	1	0	0	1	0
THU	100	-	0	1	0	0
FRI	101	0	1	0	0	0
FRI	101	1	0	1	0	0
SAT	110	-	1	0	0	0
-	111	-	1	0	0	0

		$d_2d_1d_0$	L	c ₀	c ₁	c ₂	C ₃	C 3 '
-	SUN	000	0	0	1	0	0	Now
	SUN	000	1	0	0	0	1	
	MON	001	0	0	1	0	0	
	MON	001	1	0	0	0	1	
	TUE	010	0	0	1	0	0	
	TUE	010	1	0	0	1	0	
	WED	011	0	0	1	0	0	
	WED	011	1	0	0	1	0	
	THU	100	-	0	1	0	0	
	FRI	101	0	1	0	0	0	
	FRI	101	1	0	1	0	0	
	SAT	110	-	1	0	0	0	
	-	111	-	1	0	0	0	
				•			,	

 $\mathbf{c}_3 = \mathbf{d}_2' \cdot \mathbf{d}_1' \cdot \mathbf{d}_0' \cdot \mathbf{L} + \mathbf{d}_2' \cdot \mathbf{d}_1' \cdot \mathbf{d}_0 \cdot \mathbf{L}$

Now, we do c_2 .



 $\mathbf{c_2} = \mathbf{d_2'} \bullet \mathbf{d_1} \bullet \mathbf{d_0'} \bullet \mathbf{L} + \mathbf{d_2'} \bullet \mathbf{d_1} \bullet \mathbf{d_0} \bullet \mathbf{L}$





 $c_2 = d_2' \cdot d_1 \cdot d_0' \cdot L + d_2' \cdot d_1 \cdot d_0 \cdot L$



	1					$c_{1} = d_{2} \cdot d_{2} \cdot d_{3} + (1 \cdot d_{3} \cdot$
$d_2d_1d_0$	L	C 0	C ₁	C ₂	C ₃	$d_1 d_2 d_1 d_0 c d_2 d_1 d_0 c c_1 d_0 c c_1 d_1 d_1 $
000	0	0	1	0	0	$d_2 \circ d_1 \circ d_0 \circ L + d_2 \circ d_1 \circ d_0 \circ L + d_2 \circ d_1' \circ d_0 \circ L$
000	1	0	0	0	1	$\mathbf{c}_2 = \mathbf{d}_2' \cdot \mathbf{d}_1 \cdot \mathbf{d}_0' \cdot \mathbf{L} + \mathbf{d}_2' \cdot \mathbf{d}_1 \cdot \mathbf{d}_0 \cdot \mathbf{L}$
001	0	0	1	0	0	$\mathbf{c_3} = \mathbf{d_2'} \cdot \mathbf{d_1'} \cdot \mathbf{d_0'} \cdot \mathbf{L} + \mathbf{d_2'} \cdot \mathbf{d_1'} \cdot \mathbf{d_0} \cdot \mathbf{L}$
001	1	0	0	0	1	
010	0	0	1	0	0	
010	1	0	0	1	0	
011	0	0	1	0	0	
011	1	0	0	1	0	
100	-	0	1	0	0	Finally, we do c ₀ :
101	0	1	0	0	0	$d_2 \bullet d_1' \bullet d_0 \bullet L'$
101	1	0	1	0	0	
110	-	1	0	0	0	$d_2 \cdot d_1 \cdot d_0'$
111	-	1	0	0	0	$d_2 \cdot d_1 \cdot d_0$
	<pre>d₂d₁d₀</pre> Ø000 Ø001 Ø001 Ø010 Ø100 Ø110 Ø111 Ø011 1000 1001 1001 1011 1001	d₂d₁d₀ L 000 0 000 1 001 0 001 1 010 0 011 0 011 0 101 1 100 - 101 1 110 - 111 -	d₂d₁d₀LC₀0000000000100011000100000110000111001001001011101101101110-1	d₂d₁d₀LC₀c₁000001000100001001001100010001011001011100100-01101010101101110-10111-10	d₂d₁d₀LC₀c₁c₂000001000010000010010001100001000100101001011001001110010110100100-0101011001110-100111-100	d₂d₁d₀LC₀c₁c₂c₃000001000000100010000100001000011000100010000100001100010000111001000100-0100001011001000110-100000

$$c_{0} = d_{2} \cdot d_{1}' \cdot d_{0} \cdot L' + d_{2} \cdot d_{1} \cdot d_{0}' + d_{2} \cdot d_{1} \cdot d_{0}$$

$$c_{1} = d_{2}' \cdot d_{1}' \cdot d_{0}' \cdot L' + d_{2}' \cdot d_{1}' \cdot d_{0} \cdot L' + d_{2}' \cdot d_{1} \cdot d_{0}' \cdot L' + d_{2}' \cdot d_{1} \cdot d_{0} \cdot L' + d_{2} \cdot d_{1}' \cdot d_{0}' + d_{2} \cdot d_{1}' \cdot d_{0} \cdot L$$

$$c_{2} = d_{2}' \cdot d_{1} \cdot d_{0}' \cdot L + d_{2}' \cdot d_{1} \cdot d_{0} \cdot L$$

$$c_{3} = d_{2}' \cdot d_{1}' \cdot d_{0}' \cdot L + d_{2}' \cdot d_{1}' \cdot d_{0} \cdot L$$





Important Corollary of this Construction

¬, ∧, ∨ can implement any Boolean function! no need for XOR, XNOR, etc.

Why? Because this construction only uses \neg , \land , \lor

works for any boolean function

A theoretical example...

- Truth table is the **unique signature** of a 0/1 function
- The same truth table can have many circuit realizations

 many ways to compute the same thing
- Can we choose a circuit so same table \rightarrow same circuit?

- Yes: Canonical forms
 - standard forms as a Boolean expression (circuit)
 - we all produce the same expression
Sum-of-Products Canonical Form

- AKA Disjunctive Normal Form (DNF)
- AKA Minterm Expansion



Product term (or minterm)

- ANDed product of literals input combination for which output is true
- each variable appears exactly once, true or inverted (but not both)

Α	В	С	minterms		
0	0	0	A'B'C'		
0	0	1	A′B′C		
0	1	0	A'BC'		
0	1	1	A'BC		
1	0	0	AB'C'		
1	0	1	AB'C		
1	1	0	ABC'		
1	1	1	ABC		

F in canonical form:

F(A, B, C) = A'B'C + A'BC + AB'C + ABC' + ABC

Product-of-Sums Canonical Form

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F = (A + B + C)(A + B' + C)(A' + B + C)

Product-of-Sums Canonical Form

Sum term (or maxterm)

- ORed sum of literals input combination for which output is false
- each variable appears exactly once, true or inverted (but not both)

Α	В	С	maxterms		
0	0	0	A+B+C		
0	0	1	A+B+C'		
0	1	0	A+B'+C		
0	1	1	A+B'+C'		
1	0	0	A'+B+C		
1	0	1	A'+B+C'		
1	1	0	A'+B'+C		
1	1	1	A'+B'+C'		

F in canonical form:

F(A, B, C) = (A + B + C) (A + B' + C) (A' + B + C)

Mapping Truth Tables to Logic Gates

Given	a truth table:	Α	В	С	F
1	Write the output in a table		0	0	0
	Write the Peoleen expression	0	0	1	0
2.	while the Boolean expression	0	1	0	1
3.	Draw as gates	0	1	1	1
4.	Map to available gates	1	0	0	0
		1	0	1	1
		1	1	0	0
		1	1	1	1

This will give us *some* circuit. But is it the <u>best</u> circuit?