

Quiz 5: November 4, 2021

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For this quiz, refer to these helpful tables for Propositional Calculus:

TABLE 6 Logical Equivalences.		TABLE 1 Rules of Inference.		
Equivalence	Name	Rule of Inference	Tautology	Name
$p \wedge \mathbf{T} \equiv p$ $p \vee \mathbf{F} \equiv p$	Identity laws	$\frac{p}{p \rightarrow q}$ $\therefore q$	$(p \wedge (p \rightarrow q)) \rightarrow q$	Modus ponens
$p \vee \mathbf{T} \equiv \mathbf{T}$ $p \wedge \mathbf{F} \equiv \mathbf{F}$	Domination laws	$\frac{\neg q}{p \rightarrow q}$ $\therefore \neg p$	$(\neg q \wedge (p \rightarrow q)) \rightarrow \neg p$	Modus tollens
$p \vee p \equiv p$ $p \wedge p \equiv p$	Idempotent laws	$\frac{p \rightarrow q}{q \rightarrow r}$ $\therefore p \rightarrow r$	$((p \rightarrow q) \wedge (q \rightarrow r)) \rightarrow (p \rightarrow r)$	Hypothetical syllogism
$\neg(\neg p) \equiv p$	Double negation law	$\frac{p \vee q}{\neg p}$ $\therefore q$	$((p \vee q) \wedge \neg p) \rightarrow q$	Disjunctive syllogism
$p \vee q \equiv q \vee p$ $p \wedge q \equiv q \wedge p$	Commutative laws	$\frac{p}{p \vee q}$ $\therefore p \vee q$	$p \rightarrow (p \vee q)$	Addition
$(p \vee q) \vee r \equiv p \vee (q \vee r)$ $(p \wedge q) \wedge r \equiv p \wedge (q \wedge r)$	Associative laws	$\frac{p \wedge q}{p}$ $\therefore p$	$(p \wedge q) \rightarrow p$	Simplification
$p \vee (q \wedge r) \equiv (p \vee q) \wedge (p \vee r)$ $p \wedge (q \vee r) \equiv (p \wedge q) \vee (p \wedge r)$	Distributive laws	$\frac{p}{q}$ $\therefore p \wedge q$	$((p) \wedge (q)) \rightarrow (p \wedge q)$	Conjunction
$\neg(p \wedge q) \equiv \neg p \vee \neg q$ $\neg(p \vee q) \equiv \neg p \wedge \neg q$	De Morgan's laws	$\frac{p \vee q}{\neg p \vee r}$ $\therefore q \vee r$	$((p \vee q) \wedge (\neg p \vee r)) \rightarrow (q \vee r)$	Resolution
$p \vee (p \wedge q) \equiv p$ $p \wedge (p \vee q) \equiv p$	Absorption laws			
$p \vee \neg p \equiv \mathbf{T}$ $p \wedge \neg p \equiv \mathbf{F}$	Negation laws			

$p \rightarrow q \equiv \neg p \vee q$ Relation by Implication (RBI)
 $p \rightarrow q \equiv \neg q \rightarrow \neg p$ Contraposition
 $p \leftrightarrow q \equiv (p \rightarrow q) \wedge (q \rightarrow p)$ Definition of Biconditional
 $p \oplus q \equiv (p \vee q) \wedge \neg(p \wedge q)$ Alternate Definition of xor

1. (2 points) What is the coefficient of $x^{13}y^{20}$ in the expansion of $(x - 2y)^{33}$
2. (2 points) Prove that $\binom{n+1}{k} = \binom{n}{k} + \binom{n}{k-1}$ algebraically.
3. (2 points) Explain why $\binom{n+1}{k} = \binom{n}{k} + \binom{n}{k-1}$ by a combinatorial argument. If you don't know what a combinatorial argument is, it is english plus picture plus handwaving. We can't answer any more questions about it.
4. (4 points) Use a formal proof using rules of inference to prove that given Hypotheses $(p \wedge q \rightarrow r)$, $(q \rightarrow p)$, and q , you can prove r .