

Discrete Mathematics & Graph theory ①

Unit-I ^{R23} Mathematical logic (23HS0836)

* Introduction:-

Logic is the science dealing with the methods of reasoning. Reasoning plays a very important role in every area of knowledge, particularly mathematics. Logic expressed in such a language has come to be called 'symbolic logic' or 'Mathematical logic'.

* Statements and Notation:-

A declarative sentence that is either true or false, but not both is called a statement or proposition.

Example: The following sentences are statement.

① $3+4=5$ (F)

② 3 is a prime number (T)

③ New Delhi is in India (T)

The following sentences are not statements.

① $x+y=4$

② let me go.

Statements are of two types

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- ① Simple statement
- ② Compound statement.

Simple statement:

Simple Statement is a simple sentence and it can not contain any connectives.

Example: ① $3+4=5$.

② Delhi is in India.

Compound statements:

The composition of two or more statements is called compound statement.

Example: ① $2+3=5$ and $4+5=10$.

② If $2+3=5$ then $4+5=10$.

Truth value:

The truthfulness or falsity of a statement is called its truth value denoted by T (True) and F (False) respectively. If statement is true we will indicate its truth value by 1 and if it is false by the symbol 0.

* Connectives :-

Connectives are used to form a compound sentences from two or more statements.

The connectives are negation ($\sim$ or $\neg$), conjunction ($\wedge$), Disjunction ($\vee$), Conditional or implication ($\rightarrow$), Biconditional or Bi-implication ($\leftrightarrow$).

Negation :-

A statement is obtained by inserting the word 'not' in an appropriate place, then it is called negation of given statement.

It is denoted by $\sim$ or $\neg$.

If p is a statement, then negation p is the statement 'not p ' denoted by $\sim p$ or $\neg p$.

Truth table :-

p	$\sim p$
T	F
F	T

p	$\sim p$
1	0
0	1

Example: p : 3 is a prime number

$\sim p$: 3 is not a prime number.

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Conjunction : — If P and Q are any two statements then the conjunction of P and Q is denoted by $P \wedge Q$, which can be read as 'P and Q'. The truth value of $P \wedge Q$ is true only when P is true and Q is true, otherwise it has the truth value F.

Truth Table : —

P	Q	$P \wedge Q$
T	T	T
T	F	F
F	T	F
F	F	F

Disjunction : — If P and Q are any two statements then the disjunction of P and Q is denoted by $P \vee Q$, which is read as 'P or Q'. The truth value of $P \vee Q$ is false when both P and Q has the truth value false, otherwise it has the truth value true.

P	Q	$P \vee Q$
T	T	T
T	F	T
F	T	T
F	F	F

Conditional:- If P and Q are any two statements then the conditional of P and Q is denoted by $P \rightarrow Q$, which is read as P implies Q. The truth value of $P \rightarrow Q$ is F when P has the truth value T and Q has the truth value F, otherwise it has the truth value T.

Truth tables

P	Q	$P \rightarrow Q$
T	T	T
T	F	F
F	T	T
F	F	T

Biconditional :-

If P and Q are any two statements then the biconditional of P and Q is denoted by $P \leftrightarrow Q$ or $P \rightleftarrows Q$ which is read as 'P if and only if Q'. The truth value of $P \leftrightarrow Q$ is T when both P and Q have the same truth value, otherwise it has the truth value F.

Truth table :-

P	Q	$P \leftrightarrow Q$
T	T	T
T	F	F
F	T	F
F	F	T

Problems:

* Construct the truth table for the following statements.

① $P \wedge \sim P$

② $(P \vee Q) \vee \sim P$

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P	$\sim P$	$P \wedge \sim P$
T	F	F
F	T	F

② $(P \vee Q) \vee \sim P$

P	Q	$P \vee Q$	$\sim P$	$(P \vee Q) \vee \sim P$
T	T	T	F	T
T	F	F	F	T
F	T	F	T	T
F	F	F	T	T

* Construct the truth table for the formula $\neg(\neg P \vee \neg Q)$

P	Q	$\neg P$	$\neg Q$	$\neg P \vee \neg Q$	$\neg(\neg P \vee \neg Q)$
T	T	F	F	F	T
T	F	F	T	T	F
F	T	T	F	T	F
F	F	T	T	T	F

* Construct the truth table for the following formula

① $P \wedge (\neg Q \wedge Q)$

② $\neg(P \vee Q) \vee (\neg P \wedge \neg Q)$

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P	Q	$\neg Q$	$\neg Q \wedge Q$	$P \wedge (\neg Q \wedge Q)$
T	T	F	F	F
T	F	T	F	F
F	T	F	F	F
F	F	T	F	F

② $\neg(P \vee Q) \vee (\neg P \wedge \neg Q)$

P	Q	$\neg P$	$\neg Q$	$P \vee Q$	$\neg(P \vee Q)$	$\neg P \wedge \neg Q$	$\neg(P \vee Q) \vee (\neg P \wedge \neg Q)$
T	T	F	F	T	F	F	F
T	F	F	T	T	F	F	F
F	T	T	F	T	F	F	F
F	F	T	T	F	T	T	T

Ex: $\neg P \vee (Q \vee \neg R)$

$(P \rightarrow Q) \leftrightarrow (\neg P \vee Q)$

$(P \leftrightarrow Q) \leftrightarrow (P \wedge Q) \vee (\neg P \wedge \neg Q)$

$\neg(\neg P \vee \neg Q)$

$\neg(P \vee (Q \wedge R)) \leftrightarrow [(P \vee Q) \wedge (P \vee R)]$

$\neg(\neg P \vee \neg Q) \vee (R \rightarrow Q)$

Converse, inverse and contrapositive:-

Converse: If P and Q are any two statements. If $P \rightarrow Q$ is conditional statement then the converse of $P \rightarrow Q$ is $Q \rightarrow P$.

Inverse: If P and Q are any two statements. If $P \rightarrow Q$ is a conditional statement then the inverse of $P \rightarrow Q$ is $\neg P \rightarrow \neg Q$.

Contrapositive: let P and Q are any two statements. If $P \rightarrow Q$ is conditional statement then the contrapositive of $P \rightarrow Q$ is $\neg Q \rightarrow \neg P$.

Example: $P \rightarrow Q$: If the calculator is working then the battery is good.

let P : The calculator is working

Q : The battery is good.

Converse: If the battery is good then the calculator is working.

Inverse: If the calculator is not working then the battery is not good.

contrapositive: If the battery is not good then the calculator is not working.

Other connectives:-

XOR (or) Exclusive or:-

let P and Q be the two statements

The XOR of P and Q denoted by $P \oplus Q$, is the statement that is true when exactly one of P and Q is true but not both, and is false otherwise.

P	Q	$P \oplus Q$
T	T	F
T	F	T
F	T	T
F	F	F

NAND:

NAND is a combination of not and AND.

It is denoted by symbol $\uparrow$.

let P and Q be any two statements.

The truth values of $P \uparrow Q$ is false when both P and Q has the truth value T, otherwise it has the truth value T.

P	Q	$P \uparrow Q$
T	T	F
T	F	T
F	T	T
F	F	T

NOR:

NOR is a combination of not and OR.

It is denoted by the symbol $\downarrow$.

let P and Q be any two statements. The truth value of $P \downarrow Q$ is T when both P and Q has the truth value F , otherwise it has the truth value F .

P	Q	$P \downarrow Q$
T	T	F
T	F	F
F	T	F
F	F	T

* Well formed formulae:

A statement involving connectives in symbolic form and consisting of variables, Paranthesis. A correct expression is called a well formed formula.

A w.f.f can be generated by the following rules.

1. All variables and constants are w.f.f
2. If P is a w.f.f, the $\neg P$ is also w.f.f.
3. If P and Q are w.f.f then $P \wedge Q$, $P \vee Q$, $P \rightarrow Q$, $P \leftrightarrow Q$ are all w.f.f

Example: $(P \leftrightarrow Q) \wedge (Q \rightarrow R)$, $\neg(P \vee Q)$ are w.f.f.

* Tautology: Δ

A compound statement which is true for all possible truth values of its components is called a Tautology. A Tautology is generally denoted by T_0 .

Example: $P \vee \neg P$ is a Tautology.

P	$\neg P$	$P \vee \neg P$
T	F	T
F	T	T

Contradiction:

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A compound statement which is false for all possible truth values of its components is called a contradiction. A contradiction is generally denoted by F_0 .

Example: $P \wedge \neg P$ is a contradiction.

P	$\neg P$	$P \wedge \neg P$
T	F	F
F	T	F

* Duality law:-

Suppose u is a compound statement that contains the connectives $\wedge$ and $\vee$. Suppose we replace each occurrence of $\wedge$ and $\vee$ in u by $\vee$ and $\wedge$ respectively. Also, if u contains T_0 and F_0 as components, suppose we replace each occurrence of T_0 and F_0 by F_0 and T_0 respectively. Then the resulting compound statement is called the 'dual' of u and is denoted by u^d .

Example:

$$u = P \wedge (Q \vee \neg R) \vee (S \wedge T_0)$$

$$u^d = P \vee (Q \wedge \neg R) \wedge (S \vee F_0)$$

* write down the duals of the following propositions

$$\textcircled{1} \neg (P \vee Q) \wedge [P \vee \neg (Q \wedge \neg S)]$$

$$\neg (P \wedge Q) \vee [P \wedge \neg (Q \vee \neg S)]$$

$$\textcircled{2} [(P \wedge F_0) \vee (Q \wedge \neg T_0)] \wedge [(R \vee S) \vee F_0]$$

$$[(P \vee T_0) \wedge (Q \vee F_0)] \vee [(R \wedge S) \wedge \neg T_0]$$

$$\textcircled{3} P \rightarrow Q$$

$$\text{we have } P \rightarrow Q \Leftrightarrow \neg P \vee Q$$

$$u: P \rightarrow Q \Rightarrow u: \neg P \vee Q$$

$$u^d: \neg P \wedge Q$$

Equivalence implications:-

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The compound statement P and Q are said to be logically equivalent whenever P and Q have the same truth value and it is denoted by $P \Leftrightarrow Q$ (or) $P \equiv Q$.

Example: $P \rightarrow Q$ is logically equivalent to $\sim P \vee Q$.

P	Q	$P \rightarrow Q$	$\sim P$	$\sim P \vee Q$
T	T	T	F	T
T	F	F	F	F
F	T	T	T	T
F	F	T	T	T

└ both are same ┘

$$\therefore P \rightarrow Q \Leftrightarrow \sim P \vee Q.$$

Laws of logic:-

- ① $P \wedge P \Leftrightarrow P$, $P \vee P \Leftrightarrow P$ — Idempotent law
- ② $P \wedge (Q \wedge R) \Leftrightarrow (P \wedge Q) \wedge R$
 $P \vee (Q \vee R) \Leftrightarrow (P \vee Q) \vee R$ } Associative law.
- ③ $P \wedge T \Leftrightarrow P$, $P \vee F \Leftrightarrow P$ — Identity law.
- ④ $P \wedge \sim P \Leftrightarrow F$, $P \vee \sim P \Leftrightarrow T$ — Inverse law.
- ⑤ $P \wedge Q \Leftrightarrow Q \wedge P$, $P \vee Q \Leftrightarrow Q \vee P$ — Commutative law.

$$\begin{aligned} \textcircled{6} \quad P \wedge (Q \vee R) &\Leftrightarrow (P \wedge Q) \vee (P \wedge R) \\ P \vee (Q \wedge R) &\Leftrightarrow (P \vee Q) \wedge (P \vee R) \end{aligned} \quad \left. \vphantom{\begin{aligned} P \wedge (Q \vee R) &\Leftrightarrow (P \wedge Q) \vee (P \wedge R) \\ P \vee (Q \wedge R) &\Leftrightarrow (P \vee Q) \wedge (P \vee R) \end{aligned}} \right\} \text{Distributive law}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \textcircled{7} \quad \neg(P \wedge Q) &\Leftrightarrow \neg P \vee \neg Q \\ \neg(P \vee Q) &\Leftrightarrow \neg P \wedge \neg Q \end{aligned} \quad \left. \vphantom{\begin{aligned} \neg(P \wedge Q) &\Leftrightarrow \neg P \vee \neg Q \\ \neg(P \vee Q) &\Leftrightarrow \neg P \wedge \neg Q \end{aligned}} \right\} \text{De Morgan's laws.}$$

$$\textcircled{8} \quad P \vee (P \wedge Q) \Leftrightarrow P, \quad P \wedge (P \vee Q) \Leftrightarrow P \quad - \text{Absorption law.}$$

$$\textcircled{9} \quad P \vee T \Leftrightarrow T, \quad P \wedge F \Leftrightarrow F.$$

$$\textcircled{10} \quad \neg(\neg P) = P.$$

Tautological implications:-

A statement A is said to be tautologically imply a statement B if and only if $A \rightarrow B$ is a tautology. It is denoted by $A \Rightarrow B$, which is read as A implies B. Here $\Rightarrow$ is not connective.

$$\textcircled{1} \quad P \wedge Q \Rightarrow P$$

$$\textcircled{2} \quad P \wedge Q \Rightarrow Q.$$

$$\textcircled{3} \quad P \Rightarrow P \vee Q$$

$$\textcircled{4} \quad \neg P \Rightarrow P \rightarrow Q$$

$$\textcircled{5} \quad Q \Rightarrow P \rightarrow Q$$

$$\textcircled{6} \quad \neg(P \rightarrow Q) \Rightarrow \neg P.$$

$$\textcircled{7} \quad \neg(P \rightarrow Q) \Rightarrow \neg Q.$$

$$\textcircled{8} \quad P \wedge (P \rightarrow Q) \Rightarrow Q.$$

- (9) $\neg Q \wedge (P \rightarrow Q) \Rightarrow \neg P$
- (10) $\neg P \wedge (P \wedge Q) \Rightarrow Q$
- (11) $(P \rightarrow Q) \wedge (Q \rightarrow R) \Rightarrow P \rightarrow R$
- (12) $(P \vee Q) \wedge (P \rightarrow R) \wedge (Q \rightarrow R) \Rightarrow R$

* Prove that $[(P \rightarrow Q) \wedge (Q \rightarrow R)] \rightarrow (P \rightarrow R)$ is a tautology.

Truth table:

P	Q	R	$P \rightarrow Q$	$Q \rightarrow R$	$(P \rightarrow Q) \wedge (Q \rightarrow R)$	$(P \rightarrow Q) \wedge (Q \rightarrow R) \rightarrow (P \rightarrow R)$
T	T	T	T	T	T	T
T	T	F	T	F	F	T
T	F	T	F	T	F	T
T	F	F	F	T	F	T
F	T	T	T	T	T	T
F	T	F	T	F	F	T
F	F	T	T	T	T	T
F	F	F	T	T	T	T

$\therefore [(P \rightarrow Q) \wedge (Q \rightarrow R)] \rightarrow (P \rightarrow R)$ is a tautology.

* Show that $P \vee (q \wedge r)$ and $(P \vee q) \wedge (P \vee r)$ are logically equivalent by using truth tables. 18

Truth table:

P	q	r	$q \wedge r$	$P \vee (q \wedge r)$	$P \vee q$	$P \vee r$	$(P \vee q) \wedge (P \vee r)$
T	T	T	T	T	T	T	T
T	T	F	F	T	T	T	T
T	F	T	F	T	T	T	T
T	F	F	F	T	T	F	F
F	T	T	T	T	T	T	T
F	T	F	F	F	T	F	F
F	F	T	F	F	F	T	F
F	F	F	F	F	F	F	F

$\therefore P \vee (q \wedge r)$ and $(P \vee q) \wedge (P \vee r)$ are logically equivalent.

* Show that $\neg(P \vee (\neg P \wedge q))$ and $\neg P \wedge \neg q$ are logically equivalent without using truth tables.

$$\begin{aligned}
 \neg(P \vee (\neg P \wedge q)) &= \neg((P \vee \neg P) \wedge (P \vee q)) \quad (\text{By distributive law}) \\
 &= \neg(T \wedge (P \vee q)) \\
 &= \neg(P \vee q) \\
 &= \neg P \wedge \neg q \quad (\text{By De Morgan law})
 \end{aligned}$$

* Prove that $(P \rightarrow q) \rightarrow r \leftrightarrow (\neg P \vee q) \rightarrow r$ is a 14
Tautology.

* Prove the following logical equivalences.

① $P \vee [P \wedge (P \vee q)] \Leftrightarrow P$

② $[(P \vee q) \wedge (P \vee \neg q)] \vee q \Leftrightarrow P \vee q$

Normal forms:-

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Elementary product:-

A product of the variables and their negations in a formula is called an elementary product.

Example:- P , $P \wedge Q$, $\neg P \wedge P$, $\neg P \wedge Q$, $\neg Q \wedge P$ are some examples of elementary product.

Elementary sum:-

A sum of the variables and their negations is called an elementary sum.

Example:- P , $P \vee Q$, $\neg P \vee Q$ are some examples of elementary sum.

Disjunctive normal form:-

A formula which is equivalent to a given formula and which consists of a sum of elementary products is called the disjunctive normal form of the given formula.

Obtain the disjunctive normal forms of.

(a) $P \wedge (P \rightarrow Q)$ (b) $\neg(P \vee Q) \Leftrightarrow (P \wedge Q)$.

(a) $P \wedge (P \rightarrow Q) \Leftrightarrow P \wedge (\neg P \vee Q) \quad [\because P \rightarrow Q \Leftrightarrow \neg P \vee Q]$
 $\Leftrightarrow (P \wedge \neg P) \vee (P \wedge Q)$

$$(b) \neg(P \vee Q) \Leftrightarrow (\neg P \wedge \neg Q)$$

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We know that $P \Leftrightarrow Q \Leftrightarrow (P \wedge Q) \vee (\neg P \wedge \neg Q)$

$$\neg(P \vee Q) \Leftrightarrow (\neg P \wedge \neg Q)$$

$$\Leftrightarrow (\neg(P \vee Q) \wedge (P \wedge Q)) \vee (\neg(\neg(P \vee Q)) \wedge \neg(P \wedge Q))$$

$$\Leftrightarrow [(\neg P \wedge \neg Q) \wedge (P \wedge Q)] \vee [(P \vee Q) \wedge (\neg P \vee \neg Q)]$$

$$\Leftrightarrow [\neg P \wedge \neg Q \wedge P \wedge Q] \vee [(P \vee Q) \wedge \neg P] \vee [(P \vee Q) \wedge \neg Q]$$

$$\Leftrightarrow [\neg P \wedge \neg Q \wedge P \wedge Q] \vee [(P \wedge \neg P) \vee (Q \wedge \neg P) \vee (P \wedge \neg Q) \vee (Q \wedge \neg Q)]$$

$$\Leftrightarrow [\neg P \wedge \neg Q \wedge P \wedge Q] \vee (P \wedge \neg P) \vee (Q \wedge \neg P) \vee (P \wedge \neg Q) \vee (Q \wedge \neg Q)$$

Conjunctive normal form:-

A formula which is equivalent to a given formula and which consist of a product of elementary sums is called a conjunctive normal form.

* Obtain a conjunctive normal form of the following formulae.

(a) $P \wedge (P \rightarrow Q)$

(b) $\neg(P \vee Q) \Leftrightarrow (\neg P \wedge \neg Q)$

(a) $P \wedge (P \rightarrow Q) \Leftrightarrow P \wedge (\neg P \vee Q)$

(b) We know that $P \Leftrightarrow Q \Leftrightarrow (P \wedge Q) \vee (\neg P \wedge \neg Q)$

$$\neg(P \vee Q) \Leftrightarrow (\neg P \wedge \neg Q) \Leftrightarrow [\neg(\neg P \vee Q) \wedge (\neg P \wedge \neg Q)]$$

$$\Leftrightarrow [(P \vee Q) \wedge (\neg P \wedge \neg Q)] \wedge [(\neg P \vee \neg Q) \wedge (\neg P \wedge \neg Q)]$$

$$\Leftrightarrow (P \vee Q \vee P) \wedge (P \vee Q \vee Q) \wedge [(\neg P \vee \neg Q \vee \neg P) \wedge (\neg P \vee \neg Q \vee \neg Q)]$$

* Obtain the disjunctive normal forms of the following (22)

(a) $P \wedge (P \rightarrow Q)$

(b) $\neg (P \rightarrow (Q \wedge R))$

(a) $P \wedge (\neg P \vee Q)$

$$\Leftrightarrow (P \wedge \neg P) \vee (P \wedge Q)$$

(b) $\neg [\neg P \vee (Q \wedge R)]$

$$\Leftrightarrow P \wedge \neg (Q \wedge R)$$

$$\Leftrightarrow P \wedge (\neg Q \vee \neg R)$$

$$\Leftrightarrow (P \wedge \neg Q) \vee (P \wedge \neg R)$$

* Find the disjunctive normal form of $\neg (P \rightarrow (Q \wedge R))$.

$$\neg (P \rightarrow (Q \wedge R))$$

$$\Leftrightarrow \neg (\neg P \vee (Q \wedge R))$$

$$\Leftrightarrow P \wedge \neg (Q \wedge R)$$

$$\Leftrightarrow P \wedge (\neg Q \vee \neg R)$$

$$\Leftrightarrow (P \wedge \neg Q) \vee (P \wedge \neg R)$$

* Find the disjunctive normal form of $P \vee (\neg P \rightarrow (Q \vee (Q \rightarrow \neg R)))$

$$\Leftrightarrow P \vee (\neg P \rightarrow (Q \vee (\neg Q \vee \neg R)))$$

$$\Leftrightarrow P \vee (\neg P \rightarrow (Q \vee \neg Q \vee \neg R))$$

$$\Leftrightarrow P \vee (P \vee Q \vee \neg Q \vee \neg R)$$

$$\Leftrightarrow P \vee P \vee Q \vee \neg Q \vee \neg R$$

* Find the disjunctive normal form of

$$PM6 \quad (\neg P \rightarrow r) \wedge (P \rightarrow q)$$

$$(\neg P \rightarrow r) \wedge (P \rightarrow q)$$

$$\Leftrightarrow (P \vee r) \wedge (\neg P \vee q)$$

$$\Leftrightarrow [(P \vee r) \wedge \neg P] \vee [(P \vee r) \wedge q]$$

$$\Leftrightarrow (P \wedge \neg P) \vee (r \wedge \neg P) \vee (P \wedge q) \vee (r \wedge q)$$

* Find the distributive normal form of.

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

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

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

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

* Find the conjunctive normal form
 $(p \wedge q) \vee (\neg p \wedge q \wedge r)$.

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

$$\Leftrightarrow [(p \wedge q) \vee \neg p] \wedge [(p \wedge q) \vee r] \wedge (p \wedge q \vee r)$$

$$\Leftrightarrow [p \vee \neg p] \wedge [q \vee \neg p] \wedge [p \vee q] \wedge [q \vee r] \wedge [p \vee r] \wedge [q \vee r]$$

* Find the conjunctive normal form of

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

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

$$\Leftrightarrow [(q \vee p) \wedge (q \vee \neg q)] \vee [\neg p \wedge \neg q]$$

$$\Leftrightarrow [(q \vee p) \vee (\neg p \wedge \neg q)] \wedge [(q \vee \neg q) \vee (\neg p \wedge \neg q)]$$

$$\Leftrightarrow (q \vee p \vee \neg p) \wedge (q \vee p \vee \neg q) \wedge [(q \vee \neg q) \vee (\neg p \wedge \neg q)]$$

$$\Leftrightarrow (q \vee p \vee \neg p) \wedge [q \vee p \vee \neg q] \wedge [q \vee \neg q \vee \neg p] \wedge [q \vee \neg q \vee \neg q]$$

* Find the conjunctive normal form of

$$P \rightarrow (P \rightarrow q) \wedge \neg (\neg P \vee \neg q)$$

$$P \rightarrow (P \rightarrow q) \wedge \neg (\neg P \vee \neg q)$$

$$\Leftrightarrow P \rightarrow ((\neg P \vee q) \wedge (P \wedge q))$$

$$\Leftrightarrow \neg P \vee ((\neg P \vee q) \wedge (P \wedge q))$$

$$\Leftrightarrow [\neg P \vee (\neg P \vee q)] \wedge [\neg P \vee (P \wedge q)]$$

$$\Leftrightarrow [\neg P \vee \neg P \vee q] \wedge [\neg P \vee (P \wedge q)]$$

$$\Leftrightarrow [\neg P \vee \neg P \vee q] \wedge [\neg P \vee P] \wedge [\neg P \wedge q]$$

Minterms:—

let P and Q be two statements variables.
 let us construct all possible formulae which consist of conjunction of P or its negation and conjunction of Q or its negation. None of the formulae should contain both a variable and its negation. Such formulae are called minterms.

For two variables P and Q there are $2^2=4$ possible min terms. Such formulae given as, $P \wedge Q$, $P \wedge \neg Q$, $\neg P \wedge Q$, $\neg P \wedge \neg Q$ are called min terms or boolean conjunction of P and Q .

P	Q	$P \wedge Q$	$P \wedge \neg Q$	$\neg P \wedge Q$	$\neg P \wedge \neg Q$
T	T	T	F	F	F
T	F	F	T	F	F
F	T	F	F	T	F
F	F	F	F	F	T

Principal disjunctive normal forms:-

For a given formula, an equivalent formula consisting of disjunctions of minterms only is known as its principal disjunctive normal form.

Such a normal form is also called the sum of products canonical form.

Note: Min terms for 3 variables P, Q and R are $P \wedge Q \wedge R, P \wedge Q \wedge \neg R, P \wedge \neg Q \wedge R, P \wedge \neg Q \wedge \neg R, \neg P \wedge Q \wedge R, \neg P \wedge Q \wedge \neg R, \neg P \wedge \neg Q \wedge R, \neg P \wedge \neg Q \wedge \neg R$

* Obtain the principal disjunctive normal form for the following formulae.

(a) $P \rightarrow Q$ (b) $P \vee Q$ (c) $\neg(P \wedge Q)$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{(a) } P \rightarrow Q &\Leftrightarrow \neg P \vee Q \Leftrightarrow (\neg P \wedge T) \vee (Q \wedge T) \\ &\Leftrightarrow [\neg P \wedge (Q \vee \neg Q)] \vee [Q \wedge (P \vee \neg P)] \\ &\Leftrightarrow (\neg P \wedge Q) \vee (\neg P \wedge \neg Q) \vee (Q \wedge P) \vee (Q \wedge \neg P) \\ &\Leftrightarrow (\neg P \wedge Q) \vee (\neg P \wedge \neg Q) \vee (P \wedge Q) \vee (\neg P \wedge \neg Q) \\ &\Leftrightarrow (\neg P \wedge Q) \vee (\neg P \wedge \neg Q) \vee (P \wedge Q) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{(b) } P \vee Q &\Leftrightarrow (P \wedge T) \vee (Q \wedge T) \\ &\Leftrightarrow [P \wedge (Q \vee \neg Q)] \vee [Q \wedge (P \vee \neg P)] \\ &\Leftrightarrow (P \wedge Q) \vee (P \wedge \neg Q) \vee (Q \wedge P) \vee (Q \wedge \neg P) \\ &\Leftrightarrow (P \wedge Q) \vee (P \wedge \neg Q) \vee (P \wedge Q) \end{aligned}$$

* Obtain the principal disjunctive normal form of ⁽²⁸⁾

(a) $\neg P \vee Q$ (b) $(P \wedge Q) \vee (\neg P \wedge R) \vee (Q \wedge R)$

(a) $\neg P \vee Q \Leftrightarrow (\neg P \wedge T) \vee (Q \wedge T)$

$$\Leftrightarrow [\neg P \wedge (Q \vee \neg Q)] \vee [Q \wedge (P \vee \neg P)]$$

$$\Leftrightarrow (\neg P \wedge Q) \vee (\neg P \vee \neg Q) \vee (Q \wedge P) \vee (Q \wedge \neg P)$$

$$\Leftrightarrow (\neg P \wedge Q) \vee (\neg P \wedge \neg Q) \vee (P \wedge Q)$$

(b) $(P \wedge Q) \vee (\neg P \wedge R) \vee (Q \wedge R)$

$$\Leftrightarrow [(P \wedge Q) \wedge (R \vee \neg R)] \vee [(\neg P \wedge R) \wedge (Q \vee \neg Q)] \vee [(Q \wedge R) \wedge (P \vee \neg P)]$$

$$\Leftrightarrow (P \wedge Q \wedge R) \vee (P \wedge Q \wedge \neg R) \vee (\neg P \wedge R \wedge Q) \vee (\neg P \wedge R \wedge \neg Q) \\ \vee (Q \wedge R \wedge P) \vee (Q \wedge R \wedge \neg P)$$

$$\Leftrightarrow (P \wedge Q \wedge R) \vee (P \wedge Q \wedge \neg R) \vee (\neg P \wedge R \wedge Q) \vee (\neg P \wedge \neg R \wedge Q)$$

* Obtain the PDNF of $\neg(P \rightarrow (Q \wedge R))$.

$$\neg(P \rightarrow (Q \wedge R))$$

$$\Leftrightarrow \neg(\neg P \vee (Q \wedge R))$$

$$\Leftrightarrow P \wedge \neg(Q \wedge R)$$

$$\Leftrightarrow P \wedge (\neg Q \vee \neg R)$$

$$\Leftrightarrow (P \wedge \neg Q) \vee (P \wedge \neg R)$$

$$\Leftrightarrow (P \wedge \neg Q \wedge T) \vee (P \wedge \neg R \wedge T)$$

$$\Leftrightarrow [(P \wedge \neg Q) \wedge (R \vee \neg R)] \vee [(P \wedge \neg R) \wedge (Q \vee \neg Q)]$$

$$\Leftrightarrow (P \wedge \neg q \wedge r) \vee (P \wedge \neg q \wedge \neg r) \vee (P \wedge r \wedge \neg q) \vee (P \wedge r \wedge r) \quad (29)$$

$$\Leftrightarrow (P \wedge \neg q \wedge r) \vee (P \wedge \neg q \wedge \neg r) \vee (P \wedge r \wedge \neg r) \vee$$

Max terms :-

let P and Q be two statement variable,
let us construct all possible formulae which consist of disjunction of P or its negation and disjunction of Q or its negation, none of the formulae should contain both variables and its negation.

Such formulae are called max terms.

For two variables P and Q , there are $2^2 = 4$ possible max terms. Such formulae given by $P \vee Q$, $P \vee \neg Q$, $\neg P \vee Q$ and $\neg P \vee \neg Q$ are called max terms or boolean disjunction of P and Q .

P	Q	$P \vee Q$	$P \vee \neg Q$	$\neg P \vee Q$	$\neg P \vee \neg Q$
T	T	T	T	T	F
T	F	T	T	F	T
F	T	T	F	T	T
F	F	F	T	T	T

Note: Max terms for 3 variables P , Q and R are

$P \vee Q \vee R$ $P \vee Q \vee \neg R$ $P \vee \neg Q \vee R$ $\neg P \vee Q \vee R$

$\neg P \vee \neg Q \vee R$ $\neg P \vee Q \vee \neg R$ $P \vee \neg Q \vee \neg R$ $\neg P \vee \neg Q \vee \neg R$.

Principal conjunctive normal form:-

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For a given formula, an equivalent formula consisting of conjunctions of a max terms only is known as its principal conjunctive normal form.

This normal form is also the product of sums canonical form.

* Obtain PCNF for the following formula.

① $P \wedge Q$ ② $q \wedge (p \vee \neg q)$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{① } P \wedge Q &\Leftrightarrow (P \vee F) \wedge (Q \vee F) \\ &\Leftrightarrow [P \vee (Q \wedge \neg Q)] \wedge [Q \vee (P \wedge \neg P)] \\ &\Leftrightarrow (P \vee Q) \wedge (P \vee \neg Q) \wedge (Q \vee P) \wedge (Q \vee \neg P) \\ &\Leftrightarrow (P \vee Q) \wedge (P \vee \neg Q) \wedge (Q \vee \neg P) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{② } q \wedge (p \vee \neg q) &\Leftrightarrow (q \vee F) \wedge (p \vee \neg q) \\ &\Leftrightarrow [q \vee (p \wedge \neg p)] \wedge (p \vee \neg q) \\ &\Leftrightarrow (q \vee p) \wedge (q \vee \neg p) \wedge (p \vee \neg q) \\ &\Leftrightarrow (p \vee q) \wedge (\neg p \vee q) \wedge (p \vee \neg q) \end{aligned}$$

* Obtain the PCNF for the formula given by

$$(\neg P \rightarrow R) \wedge (Q \leftrightarrow P)$$

let $S \Leftrightarrow (\neg P \rightarrow R) \wedge (Q \leftrightarrow P)$

$$(\neg P \rightarrow R) \wedge (Q \leftrightarrow P)$$

$$\Leftrightarrow (\neg P \rightarrow R) \wedge (Q \rightarrow P) \wedge (P \rightarrow Q)$$

$$\Leftrightarrow (P \vee R) \wedge (\neg Q \vee P) \wedge (\neg P \vee Q)$$

$$\Leftrightarrow (P \vee R \vee F) \wedge (\neg Q \vee P \vee F) \wedge (\neg P \vee Q \vee F)$$

$$\Leftrightarrow [(P \vee R) \vee (Q \wedge \neg Q)] \wedge [\neg Q \vee P \vee (R \wedge \neg R)] \wedge [\neg P \vee Q \vee (R \wedge \neg R)]$$

$$\Leftrightarrow [(P \vee R \vee Q) \wedge (P \vee R \vee \neg Q)] \wedge [(\neg Q \vee P \vee R) \wedge (\neg Q \vee P \vee \neg R)]$$

$$\wedge [(\neg P \vee Q \vee R) \wedge (\neg P \vee Q \vee \neg R)]$$

$$\Leftrightarrow (P \vee Q \vee R) \wedge (P \vee \neg Q \vee R) \wedge (P \vee \neg Q \vee \neg R) \wedge (\neg P \vee Q \vee R)$$

$$\wedge (\neg P \vee Q \vee \neg R)$$

Note: The conjunctive normal form of S above problem can easily be obtained by writing the conjunction of the remaining max terms, thus S has the principal conjunctive normal form.

$$(P \vee Q \vee R) \wedge (\neg P \vee \neg Q \vee R) \wedge (\neg P \vee \neg Q \vee \neg R)$$

by considering $\neg S$, we obtain.

$$\neg (P \vee Q \vee R) \vee \neg (\neg P \vee \neg Q \vee R) \vee \neg (\neg P \vee \neg Q \vee \neg R)$$

$$\Leftrightarrow (\neg P \wedge \neg Q \wedge \neg R) \vee (P \wedge Q \wedge \neg R) \vee (P \wedge Q \wedge R)$$

which is the principal disjunctive normal form of S .

* Obtain PCNF of $A = (P \wedge Q) \vee (\neg P \wedge Q) \vee (Q \wedge R)$ by constructing PDNF.

$$A \Leftrightarrow (P \wedge Q) \vee (\neg P \wedge Q) \vee (Q \wedge R)$$

$$\Leftrightarrow (P \wedge Q \wedge \mathbf{T}) \vee (\neg P \wedge Q \wedge \mathbf{T}) \vee (Q \wedge R \wedge \mathbf{T})$$

$$\Leftrightarrow ((P \wedge Q) \wedge (R \vee \neg R)) \vee ((\neg P \wedge Q) \wedge (R \vee \neg R)) \vee (Q \wedge R) \wedge (P \vee \neg P)$$

$$\Leftrightarrow (P \wedge Q \wedge R) \vee (P \wedge Q \wedge \neg R) \vee (\neg P \wedge Q \wedge R) \vee (\neg P \wedge Q \wedge \neg R) \vee (Q \wedge R \wedge P) \vee (Q \wedge R \wedge \neg P)$$

$$\Leftrightarrow (P \wedge Q \wedge R) \vee (P \wedge Q \wedge \neg R) \vee (\neg P \wedge Q \wedge R) \vee (\neg P \wedge Q \wedge \neg R)$$

The PDNF of $\neg A$ is obtained by using the remaining min terms of P, Q, R .

The PDNF of $\neg A$ is given by

$$\neg A \Leftrightarrow (P \wedge \neg Q \wedge R) \vee (P \wedge \neg Q \wedge \neg R) \vee (\neg P \wedge \neg Q \wedge R) \vee (\neg P \wedge \neg Q \wedge \neg R)$$

Take negation on both sides,
we get PCNF.

P	Q	R
T	T	T
T	T	F
T	F	T
T	F	F
F	T	T
F	T	F
F	F	T
F	F	F

$$\neg A \Leftrightarrow \neg (P \wedge Q \wedge R) \wedge \neg (P \wedge Q \wedge \neg R) \wedge \neg (\neg P \wedge Q \wedge R) \wedge \neg (\neg P \wedge Q \wedge \neg R)$$

$$\neg(\neg A) \Leftrightarrow \neg (P \wedge \neg Q \wedge R) \wedge \neg (P \wedge \neg Q \wedge \neg R) \wedge \neg (\neg P \wedge \neg Q \wedge R) \wedge \neg (\neg P \wedge \neg Q \wedge \neg R)$$

$$\Leftrightarrow (\neg P \vee Q \vee \neg R) \wedge (\neg P \vee Q \vee R) \wedge (P \vee \neg Q \vee \neg R) \wedge (P \vee \neg Q \vee R)$$

which is the required PCNF.

* Functionally complete set of connectives:-

Any set of connectives in which every formula can be expressed in terms of an equivalent formula containing the connectives from this set is called a functionally complete set of connectives.

* write an equivalent formula for $P \wedge [(Q \Leftrightarrow R) \vee (R \Leftrightarrow P)]$ which does not contain the biconditional.

$$P \wedge [(Q \Leftrightarrow R) \vee (R \Leftrightarrow P)]$$

$$\Leftrightarrow P \wedge [(Q \rightarrow R) \wedge (R \rightarrow Q) \vee (R \rightarrow P) \wedge (P \rightarrow R)]$$

* write an equivalent formula for $P \wedge (Q \Leftrightarrow R)$ which contains neither the biconditional nor the conditional.

$$P \wedge (Q \Leftrightarrow R)$$

$$\Leftrightarrow P \wedge [(Q \rightarrow R) \wedge (R \rightarrow Q)]$$

$$\Leftrightarrow P \wedge [(\neg Q \vee R) \wedge (\neg R \vee Q)]$$

* Inference theory of ~~propositional~~ statement calculus:-

The rules of inference is a criteria for determining the validity of an argument.

An argument is said to be valid iff the conjunction of premisses implies the conclusion C .

For a set of premisses $H_1, H_2, \dots, H_n$ follows $H_1 \wedge H_2 \wedge H_3 \dots H_n \rightarrow C$ is a tautology then the given argument is valid otherwise it is invalid.

Rules of inference:-

Any conclusion which is arrived by following these rules is called a valid conclusion and the argument is valid argument.

Rule P:- A premiss may be introduced at any point in the derivation.

Rule T:- A formula may be introduced in a derivation at any point.

Rule cp:- If we can derive S from R and a set of premisses then we can derive $R \rightarrow S$ from the set of premisses alone.

Rules of inference in implications: -

$$I_1 : P \wedge Q \Rightarrow P$$

$$I_2 : P \wedge Q \Rightarrow Q$$

$$I_3 : P \Rightarrow P \vee Q$$

$$I_4 : Q \Rightarrow R \vee Q$$

$$I_5 : \neg P \Rightarrow P \rightarrow Q$$

$$I_6 : Q \Rightarrow P \rightarrow Q$$

$$I_7 : \neg(P \rightarrow Q) \Rightarrow P$$

$$I_8 : \neg(P \rightarrow Q) \Rightarrow \neg Q$$

$$I_9 : P, Q \Rightarrow P \wedge Q$$

$$I_{10} : \neg P, P \vee Q \Rightarrow Q$$

$$(or) \neg P \wedge (P \vee Q) \Rightarrow Q$$

$$I_{11} : P, P \rightarrow Q \Rightarrow Q$$

$$I_{12} : \neg Q, P \rightarrow Q \Rightarrow \neg P$$

$$I_{13} : P \rightarrow Q, Q \rightarrow R \Rightarrow P \rightarrow R$$

$$I_{14} : P \vee Q, P \rightarrow R, Q \rightarrow R \Rightarrow R$$

Equivalences: -

$$E_1 : \neg \neg P \Leftrightarrow P$$

$$E_2 : P \wedge Q \Leftrightarrow Q \wedge P$$

$$E_3 : P \vee Q \Leftrightarrow Q \vee P$$

$$E_4 : (P \wedge Q) \wedge R \Leftrightarrow P \wedge (Q \wedge R)$$

$$E_5 : (P \vee Q) \vee R \Leftrightarrow P \vee (Q \vee R)$$

$$E_6: P \wedge (Q \vee R) \Leftrightarrow (P \wedge Q) \vee (P \wedge R)$$

$$E_7: P \vee (Q \wedge R) \Leftrightarrow (P \vee Q) \wedge (P \vee R)$$

$$E_8: \neg(P \wedge Q) \Leftrightarrow \neg P \vee \neg Q.$$

$$E_9: \neg(P \vee Q) \Leftrightarrow \neg P \wedge \neg Q.$$

$$E_{10}: P \vee P \Leftrightarrow P$$

$$E_{11}: P \wedge P \Leftrightarrow P.$$

$$E_{12}: R \vee (P \wedge \neg P) \Leftrightarrow R.$$

$$E_{13}: R \wedge (P \vee \neg P) \Leftrightarrow R.$$

$$E_{14}: R \vee (P \vee \neg P) \Leftrightarrow T$$

$$E_{15}: R \wedge (P \wedge \neg P) \Leftrightarrow F.$$

$$E_{16}: P \rightarrow Q \Leftrightarrow \neg P \vee Q$$

$$E_{17}: \neg(P \rightarrow Q) \Leftrightarrow P \wedge \neg Q.$$

$$E_{18}: P \rightarrow Q \Leftrightarrow \neg Q \rightarrow \neg P.$$

$$E_{19}: P \rightarrow (Q \rightarrow R) \Leftrightarrow (P \wedge Q) \rightarrow R$$

$$E_{20}: \neg(P \Leftrightarrow Q) \Leftrightarrow P \Leftrightarrow \neg Q.$$

$$E_{21}: P \Leftrightarrow Q \Leftrightarrow (P \rightarrow Q) \wedge (Q \rightarrow P)$$

$$E_{22}: P \Leftrightarrow Q \Leftrightarrow (P \wedge Q) \vee (\neg P \wedge \neg Q).$$

* Show that SVR is a Tautologically implied by $(P \vee Q) \wedge (P \rightarrow R) \wedge (Q \rightarrow S)$

<u>Step</u>	<u>Derivation</u>	<u>rule/Formula.</u>
$\{1\}$ (1)	$P \vee Q$	Rule P.
$\{1\}$ (2)	$\neg P \rightarrow Q$	Rule T, (1), E_1, E_{16} .
$\{3\}$ (3)	$Q \rightarrow S$	Rule P.
$\{1, 3\}$ (4)	$\neg P \rightarrow S$	Rule T, (2)(3), I_{13} .
$\{1, 3\}$ (5)	$\neg S \rightarrow P$	Rule T, (4) E_{18}, E_1
$\{6\}$ (6)	$P \rightarrow R$	Rule P.
$\{1, 3, 6\}$ (7)	$\neg S \rightarrow R$	Rule T, (5)(6), I_{13}
$\{1, 3, 6\}$ (8)	SVR	Rule T, (7), E_{16}, E_1

* Show that $R \wedge (P \vee Q)$ is a valid conclusion from the premises $P \vee Q, Q \rightarrow R, P \rightarrow M$ and $\neg M$.

<u>Step.</u>	<u>Derivation</u>	<u>Formula/rule.</u>
$\{1\}$ (1)	$P \vee Q$	Rule P.
$\{1\}$ (2)	$\neg P \rightarrow Q$	Rule T, (1), E_{16} .
$\{3\}$ (3)	$Q \rightarrow R$	Rule P.
$\{1, 3\}$ (4)	$\neg P \rightarrow R$	Rule T, (2)(3), I_{13}
$\{1, 3\}$ (5)	$\neg R \rightarrow P$	Rule T (4), E_1, E_{18}
$\{6\}$ (6)	$P \rightarrow M$	Rule P.
$\{1, 3, 6\}$ (7)	$\neg R \rightarrow M$	Rule T, (5)(6) I_{13} .

$\{1,3,6\}$ (8)	$\neg M \rightarrow \neg R$	Rule T, (7), E ₁ , E ₁₈
$\{9\}$ (9)	$\neg M$	Rule P.
$\{1,3,6,9\}$ (10)	R .	Rule T (8),(9), I ₁₁ .
$\{1,3,6,9\}$ (11)	$P \wedge (P \vee Q)$	Rule T (1),(10), I ₁₉ .

* Show that $R \rightarrow S$ can be derived from the premises $P \rightarrow (Q \rightarrow S)$, $\neg R \vee P$ and Q .

<u>Step</u>	<u>derivation</u>	<u>rule</u>
$\{1\}$ (1)	$\neg R \vee P$	Rule P.
$\{2\}$ (2)	R	Rule P, Assumed premise.
$\{1,2\}$ (3)	P .	Rule T, (1)(2), I ₁₀ .
$\{4\}$ (4).	$P \rightarrow (Q \rightarrow S)$	Rule P.
$\{1,2,4\}$ (5)	$Q \rightarrow S$	Rule T, I ₁₁ .
$\{6\}$ (6)	Q	Rule P.
$\{1,2,4,6\}$ (7)	S	Rule T, (5),(6), I ₁₁ .
$\{1,2,4,6\}$ (8)	$R \rightarrow S$	Rule cp.

* Show that S is a valid conclusion from the premises $P \rightarrow q$, $P \rightarrow r$, $\neg(q \wedge r)$ and (SVP).

<u>Step</u>	<u>Derivation</u>	<u>Rule</u>
$\{1\}$ (1)	$\neg(q \wedge r)$	Rule P.
$\{1\}$ (2)	$\neg q \vee \neg r$	Rule T, (1), E9.
$\{1\}$ (3)	$q \rightarrow \neg r$	Rule T, (2), E16.
$\{4\}$ (4)	$P \rightarrow q$	Rule P.
$\{1, 4\}$ (5)	$P \rightarrow \neg r$	Rule T, (3), (4), I13.
$\{6\}$ (6)	$P \rightarrow r$	Rule P.
$\{6\}$ (7)	$\neg r \rightarrow \neg P$	Rule T, (6), E18.
$\{1, 4, 6\}$ (8)	$P \rightarrow \neg P$	Rule T, (5), (7), I13.
$\{1, 4, 6\}$ (9)	$\neg P \vee \neg P$	Rule T, (8), E16.
$\{1, 4, 6\}$ (10)	$\neg P$	Rule T, (9), E10.
$\{11\}$ (11)	SVP.	Rule P.
$\{1, 4, 6, 11\}$ (12).	S	Rule T, (10), (11), E10.

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* Show that $\sim P$ is a valid conclusion from the premises $\sim(P \wedge \sim Q)$, $\sim Q \vee R$, $\sim R$.

Step	Derivation	Rule
$\{1\}$ (1)	$\neg(P \wedge \neg Q)$	Rule P.
$\{1\}$ (2)	$\neg P \vee Q$	Rule T, (1), E_8 .
$\{1\}$ (3)	$P \rightarrow Q$	Rule T, (2), E_{16} .
$\{4\}$ (4)	$\neg Q \vee R$	Rule P.
$\{4\}$ (5)	$Q \rightarrow R$	Rule T, (4), E_{16} .
$\{1, 4\}$ (6)	$P \rightarrow R$	Rule T, (3), (5), I_{13} .
$\{7\}$ (7)	$\sim R$	Rule P.
$\{1, 4, 7\}$ (8)	$\sim P$	Rule T, (6), (7), I_{12} .

* Prove by indirect method $\neg q$, $P \rightarrow \neg q$ and $P \vee t$ then t .
we shall use indirect method of proof by assuming $\neg t$ as an additional premise.

$\{1\}$ (1)	$\neg q$	Rule P.
$\{2\}$ (2)	$P \rightarrow q$	Rule P.
$\{3\}$ (3)	$P \vee t$	Rule P.
$\{4\}$ (4)	$\neg t$	Rule P, Assumed premise.
$\{3\}$ (5)	$\neg t \vee P$	Rule T, (3), E_4 .
$\{3, 4\}$ (6)	P	Rule T, (4), (5), I_{10} .
$\{2, 3, 4\}$ (7)	q	Rule T, (2), (6), I_{11} .
$\{1, 2, 3, 4\}$ (8)	$q \wedge \neg q$	Rule T, (1), (7), I_9 .

It is a contradiction.

Predicate calculus:-

Predicative logic:-

The logic based upon the analysis of predicates in any statement is called predicate logic.

Predicate:-

A Predicate tells the nature of the objects.

In general, predicates are represented by capital letters and objects are represented by small letters.

Example: Dog is an animal

Cat is an animal

Rat is an animal.

Here 'is an animal' is a predicate, which is denoted by A . Dog, Cat, Rat are objects which are denoted by d, c, r respectively, then the statements can be written as $A(d), A(c), A(r)$.

n-placed predicate:-

A predicate requiring n objects to represent a statement function is called n -placed predicate(n).

Example:- 'is a man' is a predicate that needs only one object to represent a statement function then it is called a one placed predicate.

A predicate is 'taller than' needs two objects then it is called 2-placed predicate.

Simple statement function:-

A simple statement function of one variable is defined to be an expression consisting of a predicate symbol and an individual variable.

Example: $M(x) : x$ is a man, is a statement function

Compound statement function:-

The statement functions which are obtained from combining one or more simple statement functions and the logical connectives is called compound statement function.

Example:- let $M(x) : x$ is a man.

$H(x) : x$ is a mortal.

$M(x) \wedge H(x) : x$ is a man and x is a mortal.

$\neg M(x) : x$ is not a mortal.

$M(x) \rightarrow \neg H(x) : \text{If } x \text{ is a man then } x \text{ is not a mortal.}$

$M(x) \vee \neg H(x) : x \text{ is a man or } x \text{ is not a mortal.}$

Free and bound variables:-

Given a formula containing a part of the form $(\forall x) P(x)$ (or) $(\exists x) P(x)$, such a part is called a x -bound part of the formula.

Any occurrence of x in an x -bound part of the formula is called a bound occurrence of x while any occurrence of x one of any variable is not a bound occurrence is called free occurrence.

Quantifiers:-

Quantifiers are words refer to quantities such as some or all, and ~~into~~ indicate how frequently a certain statement is true. Quantifiers are two types.

Universal quantifiers:-

The universal quantifier of $P(x)$ is the statement, $P(x)$ is true for all values of x in the universe of discourse.

The notation is $(\forall x) P(x)$ (or) $(x) P(x)$
Here $\forall$ is called universal quantifier.

Example: ① All men are mortal.

for all x , If x is a man then x is mortal.

$$(\forall x) [M(x) \rightarrow H(x)].$$

② Every apple is red.

for all x , If x is apple then x is red.

$$\forall(x) [A(x) \rightarrow R(x)]$$

③ Any integer is either positive or negative

for all x , if x is an integer then

x is either positive or negative.

$$\forall(x) [I(x) \rightarrow (P(x) \vee N(x))]$$

Existential quantifiers: —

The existential quantification of $P(x)$ is the statement there exist an element x in the universe of discourse such that $P(x)$ is true we use the notation $(\exists x)P(x)$.

Here $\exists x$ is called existential quantifier.

Example: ① Some men are clever.

for some x , x is a man and x is clever.

$M(x)$: x is a man

$C(x)$: x is clever.

$$(\exists x) [M(x) \wedge C(x)]$$

② some cats are black.

for some x , x is cat and x is black.

$$\exists(x) [C(x) \wedge B(x)]$$

③ Some real numbers are rational.

$$(\exists x) [R_1(x) \wedge R_2(x)]$$

Formulas: -

$$E_{25}: \neg (\exists x) A(x) \Leftrightarrow \forall(x) \neg A(x)$$

$$E_{26}: \neg (\forall x) A(x) \Leftrightarrow (\exists x) \neg A(x)$$

$$E_{24}: (x) [A(x) \wedge B(x)] \Leftrightarrow (x) A(x) \wedge (x) B(x)$$

$$E_{23}: (\exists x) (A(x) \vee B(x)) \Leftrightarrow (\exists x) A(x) \vee (\exists x) B(x)$$

$$E_{27}: (x) (A \vee B(x)) \Leftrightarrow A \vee (x) B(x)$$

$$E_{28}: (\exists x) (A \wedge B(x)) \Leftrightarrow A \wedge (\exists x) B(x)$$

$$E_{29}: (x) A(x) \rightarrow B \Leftrightarrow (\exists x) (A(x) \rightarrow B)$$

$$E_{30}: (\exists x) A(x) \rightarrow B \Leftrightarrow (x) (A(x) \rightarrow B)$$

$$E_{31}: A \rightarrow (x) B(x) \Leftrightarrow (x) (A \rightarrow B(x))$$

$$E_{32}: A \rightarrow (\exists x) B(x) \Leftrightarrow (\exists x) (A \rightarrow B(x))$$

$$I_{15}: (x) A(x) \vee (x) B(x) \Rightarrow (x) (A(x) \vee B(x))$$

$$I_{16}: (\exists x) (A(x) \wedge B(x)) \Rightarrow (\exists x) A(x) \wedge \exists x B(x)$$

* Theory of Inference for predicate calculus :-

Rule US (Universal specification) :-

From $(\forall x) A(x)$ one can conclude $A(y)$.

Rule ES (Existential specification) :-

From $(\exists x) A(x)$ one can conclude $A(y)$.

Rule UG (Universal generalization) :-

From $A(x)$ one can conclude $(\forall y) A(y)$

Rule EG (Existential generalization) :-

From $A(x)$ one can conclude $(\exists y) A(y)$

* Show that all men are mortal
Socrates is a man
therefore Socrates is mortal.

let $M(x)$: x is a man.

$H(x)$: x is a mortal.

s : Socrates.

Given $\forall(x) [M(x) \rightarrow H(x)]$, $M(s) \Rightarrow H(s)$

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|-------|-----|-------------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| {1} | (1) | $(\forall x) M(x) \rightarrow H(x)$ | Rule P. |
| {1} | (2) | $M(s) \rightarrow H(s)$ | Rule US, (1) |
| {3} | (3) | $M(s)$ | Rule P. |
| {1,3} | (4) | $H(s)$ | Rule T, (2), (3) I_{11} . |

* Show that $(\forall x) (P(x) \rightarrow Q(x)) \wedge (\forall x) (Q(x) \rightarrow R(x)) \Rightarrow (\forall x) (P(x) \rightarrow R(x))$

<u>Step</u>	<u>Derivation</u>	<u>rule</u>
$\{1\}$ (1)	$(\forall x) (P(x) \rightarrow Q(x))$	Rule P.
$\{1\}$ (2)	$P(y) \rightarrow Q(y)$	Rule US, (1).
$\{3\}$ (3)	$(\forall x) (Q(x) \rightarrow R(x))$	Rule P.
$\{3\}$ (4)	$Q(y) \rightarrow R(y)$	Rule US, (3).
$\{1,3\}$ (5)	$P(y) \rightarrow R(y)$	Rule T, (2), (4), I_{13} .
$\{1,3\}$ (6)	$(\forall x) (P(x) \rightarrow R(x))$	Rule UG, (5).

* Show that $(\exists x) M(x)$ follows logically from the premises $(\forall x) (H(x) \rightarrow M(x))$ and $(\exists x) H(x)$.

<u>Step</u>	<u>Derivation</u>	<u>rule</u>
$\{1\}$ (1)	$(\exists x) H(x)$	Rule P.
$\{1\}$ (2)	$H(y)$	Rule ES, (1)
$\{3\}$ (3)	$(\forall x) (H(x) \rightarrow M(x))$	Rule P.
$\{3\}$ (4)	$H(y) \rightarrow M(y)$	Rule US, (3)
$\{1,3\}$ (5)	$M(y)$	Rule T, (2), (4), I_{11} .
$\{1,3\}$ (6)	$(\exists x) M(x)$	Rule EG (5)

* Prove that $\forall x (P(x) \rightarrow (Q(y) \wedge R(x))), \exists P(x) \Rightarrow Q(y) \wedge \exists x (P(x) \wedge R(x))$

Step	derivation	rule.
$\{1\}$ (1)	$\forall x (P(x) \rightarrow (Q(y) \wedge R(x)))$	Rule P.
$\{1\}$ (2)	$P(z) \rightarrow (Q(y) \wedge R(z))$	Rule US, (1)
$\{3\}$ (3)	$(\exists x) P(x)$	Rule P.
$\{3\}$ (4)	$P(z)$	Rule ES, (3)
$\{1,3\}$ (5)	$Q(y) \wedge R(z)$	Rule T, (2), (4), $\perp_1$
$\{1,3\}$ (6)	$Q(y)$	Rule T, (5), $\perp_1$.
$\{1,3\}$ (7)	$R(z)$	Rule T, (5), $\perp_2$.
$\{1,3\}$ (8)	$P(z) \wedge R(z)$	Rule T, (4), (7), $\perp_9$.
$\{1,3\}$ (9)	$\exists x (P(x) \wedge R(x))$	Rule EG, (8)
$\{1,3\}$ (10)	$Q(y) \wedge (\exists x) (P(x) \wedge R(x))$	Rule T, (6), (9), $\perp_9$.

* Prove that $(\exists x) (P(x) \wedge Q(x)) \Rightarrow (\exists x) P(x) \wedge (\exists x) Q(x)$.

$\{1\}$ (1)	$(\exists x) (P(x) \wedge Q(x))$	Rule P.
$\{1\}$ (2)	$P(y) \wedge Q(y)$	Rule ES, (1)
$\{1\}$ (3)	$P(y)$	Rule T, (2), $\perp_1$.
$\{1\}$ (4)	$Q(y)$	Rule T, (2), $\perp_2$.
$\{1\}$ (5)	$(\exists x) P(x)$	Rule EG, (3)
$\{1\}$ (6)	$(\exists x) Q(x)$	Rule EG, (4).
$\{1\}$ (7)	$(\exists x) (P(x) \wedge Q(x)) \Rightarrow \exists x P(x) \wedge \exists x Q(x)$	Rule T, (5), (6), $\perp_9$.

* Verify the validity of the following arguments:
 Lions are dangerous animals, There are Lions,
 Therefore, there are dangerous animals.

let $L(x) : x$ is a Lion.

$D(x) : x$ is a dangerous animal.

Then the inference pattern is

$$\forall x (L(x) \rightarrow D(x)), \exists x L(x) \Rightarrow \exists x D(x).$$

Step	Derivation	rule
$\{1\}$ (1)	$\exists x L(x)$	Rule P.
$\{1\}$ (2)	$L(y)$	Rule ES, (1)
$\{3\}$ (3)	$\forall x (L(x) \rightarrow D(x))$	Rule P
$\{3\}$ (4)	$L(y) \rightarrow D(y)$	Rule US, (3)
$\{1,3\}$ (5)	$D(y)$	Rule $\neg$, (2), (4), $\neg$
$\{1,3\}$ (6)	$\exists x D(x)$	Rule EG.