

Sentence :-

The Number of words Making a Complete grammatical structure, having sense and Meaningful is Called as a sentence

There are two types of Sentences :-

1. Declarative sentence
2. Non Declarative sentence

1. Declarative Sentence

A Declarative sentence makes a statement that declares something (or) give reliable information (or) Idea

- Ex :-
- (i)  $1 + 6 = 7$
  - (ii) Chennai is Capital of Tamilnadu
  - (iii) Newdelhi is in England

2. Non - Declarative sentence :-

Statement that does not declares something (or) gives idea are called non-declarative sentences

- Ex :-
- (i) Imperative sentence } Command  
Wishes  
Request
  - (ii) Exclamatory sentence [!]
  - (iii) Intragative sentence [?]

\* Statement :- [valid or Invalid]

Statement is a Combination of sentence or sentences

$1 + 3 = 4$

## Propositional Statement :-

A proposition is a declarative statement which is either True or False but not both

Non - proposition :-

Sentences having Command, exclamation, Questions and neither True or false statements

Truth Value :-

The Truth (or) False of a proposition is called Truth value

Notation :-

If a proposition is True then its truth value is 'T' Similarly if a proposition is False the truth value is 'F'

Proposition :- Propositions are small letters (or) capital letters. It represented with Colon (:)

Examples of proposition

with Truth values

1. 5 is a prime Number : T

2.  $8 \div 4 = 2$  : T

3.  $1 + 2 = 5$  : F

Examples of

Non - proposition Truth values

1. How old are you ?

2. The peacock is

very Beautiful !

3. Just obey my orders

[ Command ]

4.  $x + 3 = 7$

[ Neither True or false ]

prepositional logics :-

The area of logic that deals with prepositions is called as preposition logics

Primary / Atomic Statements :-

A declarative sentence that cannot be further splitted into simple sentences is called as primary / Atomic sentences

Ex:- P: "Latha is a Teacher"

Compound or Composite statement

A statement which contains one or more primary statements along with some connectives is called (or) composite statement

Ex:- P: "Latha is a Teacher"

Q: Latha teaches Java programming

Compound :-

Latha is a teacher and teaches java programming

Connectives (or) logical operators :-

A connectives is an operation which is used to connect more than two statements

Ex:- 1. AND [Conjunction]  $\wedge$

2. OR [Disjunction]  $\vee$

3. NOT [Negation]  $\sim / \neg$

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

## Statement formula :-

A statement formula is an expression which is a string consisting of variables connectives and parenthesis

## Truth Table :-

A truth table displays the relationship between the truth values of the proposition

## Logical Connectives :-

1. IF --- THEN (conditional)  $\rightarrow$

2. IFF (IF and only IF)  $\leftrightarrow$

Bi Conditional

### 1. NOT [NEGATION]

Symbol :-  $\sim / \neg$

P	$\neg P$
T	F
F	T

Ex: 1 P:  $2+5 > 1$  (T)

$\sim P$ :  $2+5 \leq 1$  (F)

Ex: 2 P: It is hot today (T)

$\sim P$ : It is NOT hot today (F)

### 2. AND [CONJUNCTION]

Symbol :-  $\wedge$

P	q	$P \wedge q$
T	T	T
T	F	F
F	T	F
F	F	F

Ex 2)  $P$ : It is raining today (T)

$Q$ : I am having cold (T)

$P \wedge Q$ : It is raining today and I am having cold (T)

2)  $P$ :  $3 < 5$  (T)

$Q$ :  $2 + 3 = 6$  (F)

$P \wedge Q$ :  $3 < 5 \wedge 2 + 3 = 6$  (F)

3)  $P$ :  $3 < 5$  (T)

$Q$ :  $3 * 2 = 6$  (T)

$P \wedge Q$ :  $3 < 5 \wedge 3 * 2 = 6$  (T)

### 3) OR [DISJUNCTION]

Symbol  $\vee$

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

Ex 1)  $P$ :  $3 < 5$  (T)  
 $Q$ :  $2 + 3 = 6$  (F)  
 $P \vee Q$ :  $3 < 5 \vee 2 + 3 = 6$  (T)

2)  $P$ : 3 is a positive integer (T)

$Q$ :  $\sqrt{3}$  is a rational number (F)

$P \vee Q$ : 3 is a positive integer OR  $\sqrt{3}$  is a Rational number (T)

4. IF --- THEN [CONDITIONAL]  $P \rightarrow Q$

Symbol :-  $\rightarrow$

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

Ex:- P: If I don't get Money (T)

Q: I shall buy a Car (T)

$P \rightarrow Q$ : If I don't get money then I shall buy a Car (T)

2. P:  $3 + 6 = 10$  (F)

Q:  $2 + 6 = 9$  (F)

$P \rightarrow Q$ : If  $3 + 6 = 10$  then  $2 + 6 = 9$  (T)

5. IFF [BICONDITIONAL] If and only If :-

Symbol :-  $\leftrightarrow$  (or)  $\iff$

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

Ex:  $p$ : you can take a flight (T) iff  $q$

$q$ : If you buy a ticket (T)

$p \leftrightarrow q$ : you can take a flight IF and only IF you buy a ticket (T)

The prepositions  $p \rightarrow q$  and  $p \leftrightarrow q$  are usually represented <sup>by</sup> Arrows :-

$p \rightarrow q$

$p \leftrightarrow q$

1. IF  $p$  then  $q$

1.  $p$  if and only if  $q$

2.  $p$  implies  $q$

2.  $p$  iff  $q$

3.  $p$  only if  $q$

3.  $p$  is necessary and

4.  $q$  is necessary for  $p$

sufficient for  $q$

5.  $q$  whenever  $(p \vee q)$

4. IF  $p$  then  $q$  and

6.  $q$  is implied by  $p$

IF  $q$  then  $p$

7.  $q$  is sufficient for  $p$

Problems :-

Symbolise the following statements using logical Connectives :-

Statement :-

1. IF either Ram takes  $C++$  OR kumar takes Java then Latha will take Python as a subject  $[(R \vee Q) \rightarrow P]$

A.  $P$ : Ram takes  $C++$

$Q$ : kumar takes Java

$R$ : Latha takes Python

$(P \vee Q) \rightarrow R$

2. If the Moon is out AND it is not snowing THEN Neeraja goes out for a walk

P: The Moon is out

Q: It is snowing (or) It is not snowing

R: Neeraja goes out for a walk

$$(P \wedge Q) \rightarrow R \quad \text{(or)} \quad (P \wedge \neg Q) \rightarrow R$$

3. IF it is NOT the Case that tharun goes out for a walk, IFF it is NOT snowing OR the moon is out

P: The moon is out

Q: It is snowing

R: Tharun goes out for a walk

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

4. Arun can access the internet with in the Campus only, If he is a Computer Science major OR he is NOT a fresher to the Campus

P: Arun can access the internet with in the Campus

Q: he is a Computer science major

R: he is a fresher to the Campus

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



Express the logical Connectives as an English sentence

P: Swimming at the beach shore is allowed

Q: Sharks has been spotted near the shore

(i)  $\neg Q$ : Sharks has NOT been spotted near the shore

(ii)  $P \wedge Q$ :

Swimming at the beach shore is allowed AND

Sharks has been spotted near the shore.

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

Swimming at the beach shore is NOT allowed OR sharks has been spotted near the shore

(iv)  $P \rightarrow Q$ :

If Swimming at the beach shore is allowed THEN Sharks has been spotted near the shore

(v)  $\neg Q \rightarrow P$ :

If Sharks has NOT been spotted near the shore THEN swimming at the beach shore is allowed.

(vi)  $P \leftrightarrow \neg Q$ :

Swimming at the beach shore is allowed iff sharks has NOT been spotted near the shore

Converse, Inverse, Contraposition for a given statement :-

IF  $P \rightarrow Q$  is a Conditional Statement THEN

Converse of $P \rightarrow Q$	$Q \rightarrow P$
Inverse of $P \rightarrow Q$	$\neg P \rightarrow \neg Q$
Contrapositive of $P \rightarrow Q$	$\neg Q \rightarrow \neg P$

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Examples :-

statement :-

The home Team wins whenever it is raining

Modified sentence :-

If it is raining then the home team wins

Converse :- If the home team wins then it is Raining

Inverse :- If it is NOT raining THEN the home team does NOT wins

Contrapositive :- If the home team does NOT wins THEN it is NOT Raining

Example :- 2

statement :-

A positive Integer is a prime only if it has no divisors other than 1 and itself.

Con P: Positive Integer is Prime.

Q: It has no divisor other than one and itself.

(i) Converse :-  $P \rightarrow Q \Rightarrow Q \rightarrow P$   
If the number has no divisors other than one and itself then that positive integer is a prime.

(ii) Contra positive :-  $P \rightarrow Q \Rightarrow \neg Q \rightarrow \neg P$   
If the number has divisors other than one and itself then that positive integer is not a prime.

(iii) Inverse :-  $P \rightarrow Q \Rightarrow \neg P \rightarrow \neg Q$   
If a positive integer is not a prime then that number has divisors other than one and itself.

NOTE:  $\Rightarrow (P \wedge Q)$  not 2/2 of truth table

The total number of rows needed for the truth table is  $2^n$  where 'n' is number of variables

Ex: 1

Construct a truth table for  $(P \wedge Q) \vee (P \wedge R)$

P	Q	R	$P \wedge Q$	$P \wedge R$	① $\vee$ ②
T	T	T	T	T	T
T	T	F	T	F	T
T	F	T	F	T	T
T	F	F	F	F	F
F	T	T	F	F	F
F	T	F	F	F	F
F	F	T	F	F	F
F	F	F	F	F	F

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

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

P	Q	$\neg Q$	$P \wedge Q$	$\neg P \wedge \neg Q$	① $\vee$ ②
T	T	F	T	F	T
T	F	T	F	F	F
F	T	F	F	F	F
F	F	T	F	T	T

Construct the truth table for  $(\neg P \wedge Q) \leftrightarrow (\neg P \vee \neg Q)$

P	Q	$\neg P$	$\neg Q$	$\neg P \wedge Q$	$\neg P \vee \neg Q$	① ↔ ②
T	T	F	F	F	F	T
T	F	F	T	F	T	F
F	T	T	F	T	T	T
F	F	T	T	F	T	F

Construct the truth table  $\neg P \wedge (\neg Q \wedge \neg R)$   $2^3 = 8$

P	Q	R	$\neg P$	$\neg Q$	$\neg Q \wedge \neg R$	① ∧ ②
T	T	T	F	F	F	F
T	T	F	F	F	F	F
T	F	T	F	T	T	F
T	F	F	F	T	F	F
F	T	T	T	F	F	F
F	T	F	T	F	F	F
F	F	T	T	T	T	T
F	F	F	T	T	F	F

Construct the truth table for  $(P \leftrightarrow Q) \leftrightarrow (R \leftrightarrow S)$

P	Q	R	S	$P \leftrightarrow Q$	$R \leftrightarrow S$	① ↔ ②
T	T	T	T	T	T	T
T	T	T	F	T	F	F
T	T	F	T	T	F	F
T	T	F	F	T	T	T
T	F	T	T	F	T	F
T	F	T	F	F	F	T
T	F	F	T	F	F	T
T	F	F	F	F	T	F

P	Q	R	S	$P \leftrightarrow Q$	$R \leftrightarrow S$	$(P \leftrightarrow Q) \leftrightarrow (R \leftrightarrow S)$
F	T	T	T	F	T	F
F	T	T	F	F	F	T
F	T	F	T	F	T	F
F	T	F	F	F	F	T
F	F	T	T	T	T	F
F	F	T	F	T	F	T
F	F	F	T	T	F	T
F	F	F	F	T	T	F

Construct a Truth table  $((P \wedge (Q \wedge R)) \vee (Q \wedge R) \vee (P \vee R))$

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

$((Q \wedge R) \vee (P \vee R))$       ①  $\vee$  ②

P	Q	R	①	②
T	T	T	T	T
T	T	F	T	T
T	F	T	T	T
T	F	F	F	F
F	T	T	T	T
F	T	F	T	T
F	F	T	T	T
F	F	F	F	F

⇒ propositional Equivalence (or) logical equivalence

Symbol :  $\Leftrightarrow / \equiv$

logical Equivalence  
(or)  
Equivalence Rule

Law of Proposition

1. Idempotent Law

$$P \wedge P \equiv P$$

$$P \vee P \equiv P$$

2. Commutative Law

$$P \wedge Q \Leftrightarrow Q \wedge P$$

$$P \vee Q \Leftrightarrow Q \vee P$$

3. Associative Law

*Three terms, long same order*

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

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

4. Distributive Law

*Two different symbols*

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

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

5. Complement Law

$$P \wedge \neg P \Leftrightarrow F$$

$$P \vee \neg P \Leftrightarrow T$$

6. De-Morgan's Law

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

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

7. Domination Law

$$P \wedge F = F$$

$$P \vee T = T$$

8. Identity Law :

$$P \wedge T = P$$

$$P \vee F = P$$

- 9. Absorption Law  $P \vee (P \wedge Q) \Leftrightarrow P$   
 $P \wedge (P \vee Q) \Leftrightarrow P$
- 10. Double Negation law  $\neg(\neg P) \Leftrightarrow P$
- 11. Contrapositive law  $P \rightarrow Q \Leftrightarrow \neg Q \rightarrow \neg P$
- 12. Condition as disjunction  $P \rightarrow Q \Leftrightarrow \neg P \vee Q$
- 13. Bi Conditional as Conditionality Law  $P \leftrightarrow Q \equiv (P \rightarrow Q) \wedge (Q \rightarrow P)$   
 $(P \wedge Q) \vee (\neg P \wedge \neg Q)$
- 14. Exporation Rule (or) Law  $P \rightarrow (Q \rightarrow R) \equiv (P \wedge Q) \rightarrow R$
- 15. Equivalence Rule  $P \rightarrow R, Q \rightarrow R = P \vee Q \rightarrow R$

Tautology, Contradiction, Contingency

1. Tautology :-

A statement or formula or resultant column for which the truth values are always "True" is called as Tautology

Ex:- Using truth table show that  $[P \wedge (P \rightarrow Q)] \rightarrow Q$  is a Tautology

P	Q	$P \rightarrow Q$	$[P \wedge (P \rightarrow Q)] \rightarrow Q$	$P \wedge (P \rightarrow Q)$
T	T	T	T	T
T	F	F	T	F
F	T	T	T	F
F	F	T	T	F

↓  
is a tautology

## 2. Contradiction :-

A statement or a formula or Resultant column for which the truth values are always "False" is called Contradiction.

Ex: using truth table show that  $(\neg P \wedge P) \wedge Q$  is a contradiction

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

is a Contradiction

## 3. Contingency :-

A statement or formula or Resultant

Column for which the truth values are

either True and False [Combination of True & False]

is called as Contingency.

Ex: using truth table show that  $(P \vee Q) \rightarrow (P \rightarrow Q)$

is a Contingency.

P	Q	$P \rightarrow Q$	$P \vee Q$	① $\rightarrow$ ②
T	T	T	T	T
T	F	F	T	F
F	T	T	T	T
F	F	T	F	F

is a Contingency



\* Verify a given Statement is Tautology or not

1.  $(P \vee Q) \wedge TP \rightarrow Q$

2.  $(TP \wedge (P \rightarrow Q)) \rightarrow TQ$

3.  $(TQ \wedge (P \rightarrow Q)) \rightarrow TP$

P	Q	TP	PVQ	$(P \vee Q) \wedge TP$	$\textcircled{1} ((P \vee Q) \wedge TP) \rightarrow Q$
T	T	F	T	F	T
T	F	F	T	F	T
F	T	T	T	T	T
F	F	T	F	F	T

$(P \wedge TP) \vee (T \vee T) \vee P$   
is a tautology

P	Q	TP	TQ	$P \rightarrow Q$	$TP \wedge (P \rightarrow Q)$	$\textcircled{1} \rightarrow TP$
T	T	F	F	T	F	T
T	F	F	T	F	F	T
F	T	T	F	T	T	F
F	F	T	T	T	T	T

It is not Tautology

P	Q	TP	TQ	$P \rightarrow Q$	$TQ \wedge (P \rightarrow Q)$	$\textcircled{1} \rightarrow TP$
T	T	F	F	T	F	T
T	F	F	T	F	F	T
F	T	T	F	T	F	T
F	F	T	T	T	T	T

$(TP) \vee [(TP \wedge (P \rightarrow Q)) \wedge (P \rightarrow Q)]$   
It is tautology

$(TP) \vee [(TP \wedge (P \rightarrow Q)) \wedge (P \rightarrow Q)] \vdash$

$(TP) \vee [(TP \wedge (P \rightarrow Q)) \wedge (P \rightarrow Q)]$

Verify the given compound proposition is a tautology or not by using equivalence rules.

①  $q \vee (p \vee \neg q) \vee (\neg p \wedge \neg q)$  is a tautology

②  $[(p \vee q) \wedge (\neg p \vee r)] \rightarrow (q \vee r)$  is a tautology

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

given proposition is

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

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

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

(Associative law)

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

(By applying Complement law)

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

(By applying Dominance law)

$$\Rightarrow T \vee \text{any statement} \Rightarrow \text{True always}$$

(As per Dominance law)

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{T}$$

$\therefore q \vee (p \vee \neg q) \vee (\neg p \wedge \neg q)$  is a tautology

2.  $[(p \vee q) \wedge (\neg p \vee r)] \rightarrow (q \vee r)$

Given proposition is

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

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

(Condition as disjunction)

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

(Dominant law)

applies negation

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

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

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

Apply negation

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

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

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

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

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

$(\neg P \wedge \neg Q) \vee (Q \vee \neg R) \vee T$  (Complement law)

$(\neg P \wedge \neg Q) \vee (P \vee Q) \vee \neg R$   $P \wedge T \equiv P$  Identity law

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

$\neg (P \vee Q) \vee (P \vee Q) \vee \neg R$  (De-morgan's law)

$T \vee \neg R$  (Complement law)

$T$  (by dominance law)

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

3.  $(P \wedge Q) \rightarrow (P \vee Q)$

$P \rightarrow Q \equiv \neg P \vee Q$

$\neg (P \wedge Q) \vee (P \vee Q)$  (Condition as disjunction)

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

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

$T \vee T$

$T$

$\therefore (P \wedge Q) \rightarrow (P \vee Q)$  is tautology

4. verify  $(\neg q \wedge (p \rightarrow q)) \rightarrow \neg p$  is a tautology or Not

Sol  $(\neg q \wedge (p \rightarrow q)) \rightarrow \neg p$  is the given statement

Assume  $p$                       Assume  $\neg q$

Then by Condition as disjunction we can write

$p \rightarrow q$  as  $\neg p \vee q$

$\Rightarrow \neg(\neg q \wedge (p \rightarrow q)) \vee \neg p$  By Condition of disjunction

$\Rightarrow (\neg(\neg q) \vee \neg(p \rightarrow q)) \vee \neg p$

$\Rightarrow q \vee \neg(p \rightarrow q) \vee \neg p$  By Double negation law

$\Rightarrow q \vee \neg(\neg p \vee q) \vee \neg p$  By Condition of disjunction

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

$\Rightarrow q \vee (p \wedge \neg q) \vee \neg p$  By Demorgan's law

$\Rightarrow (q \vee \neg q) \wedge (q \vee p) \vee \neg p$  By Distributive law

$\Rightarrow T \wedge (q \vee p) \vee \neg p$  By Complement law

$\Rightarrow T \wedge (q \vee (p \vee \neg p))$  By Associative law

$\Rightarrow T \wedge (q \vee T)$  By Complement law

$\Rightarrow T \wedge T$  By Dominant law

$\Rightarrow T$

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

5. verify  $[(p \vee q) \wedge \neg(\neg p \wedge (\neg q \vee \neg r))] \vee [(\neg p \wedge \neg q) \vee (\neg p \wedge \neg r)]$   
 is a tautology or not ?

Given

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

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

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

Double negation law

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

By distributive law  $p \vee (q \wedge r) \Leftrightarrow (p \vee q) \wedge (p \vee r)$

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

By idempotent law  $p \wedge p = p$

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

By De-morgan's law

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

By complement law  $p \vee \neg p \Leftrightarrow T$

$$\Rightarrow T$$

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

is a Tautology.

Duality principle :-

A Compound Statement in which "TRUE" is replace by "FALSE" and "FALSE" is replace by "TRUE", And also Conjunction ( $\wedge$ ) is replaced by Disjunction ( $\vee$ ) (or) Disjunction ( $\vee$ ) replaced by Conjunction ( $\wedge$ ) respectively this principle is called duality principle

Example :-

1. write the duality of  $(P \wedge T) \vee T$

The duality of  $(P \wedge T) \vee T = (P \vee T) \wedge F$

2.  $(P \vee F) \wedge (Q \wedge T)$

$(P \wedge T) \vee (Q \vee F)$  is the duality for above example

Logical equivalences can be verified by using the following properties :-

1.  $p$  and  $q$  have the same truth value after resolving the problem

2.  $p \iff q$  is a tautology (+)

3. In a given expression if we take LHS and RHS and derived either  $L.H.S = R.H.S$   
(or)  $R.H.S = L.H.S$

4. Assume 'p' and derived 'Q' or assume 'Q' and derived 'p'

Ex: Show the  $P \rightarrow Q \equiv \neg P \vee Q$  (or)  $P \rightarrow Q \iff \neg P \vee Q$

By using Truth table

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

Hence  $P \rightarrow Q$  is logically equivalent to  $\neg P \vee Q$

$$[P \rightarrow Q \equiv \neg P \vee Q]$$

By using Truth table show that the following statements are logically equivalent to each other

$$1. P \leftrightarrow Q \equiv (P \rightarrow Q) \wedge (Q \rightarrow P)$$

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

Since, Truth values are same hence they are logically equivalent

$$2. (P \rightarrow Q) \wedge (P \wedge Q) \vee (\neg P \wedge \neg Q) \equiv (P \wedge Q) \vee (\neg P \wedge \neg Q)$$

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

$$2. (p \rightarrow q) \wedge (q \rightarrow p) \equiv (p \wedge q) \vee (\neg p \wedge \neg q)$$

p	q	p → q	q → p	① ∧ ②	¬p	¬q	p ∧ q	¬p ∧ ¬q	③ ∨ ④
T	T	T	T	T	F	F	F	F	T
T	F	F	T	F	F	T	F	F	F
F	T	T	F	F	T	F	F	F	F
F	F	T	T	T	T	T	T	T	T

Since, Truth values are same → T

Hence they are logically equivalent ← F

Method :- 2

1. Show that  $p \rightarrow q \Leftrightarrow \neg q \rightarrow \neg p$  is a Tautology

Given statement is

$$(q \leftarrow p) \wedge (p \leftarrow q) \equiv p \leftrightarrow q$$

$$\Rightarrow p \rightarrow q \Leftrightarrow \neg q \rightarrow \neg p$$

We know that

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

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

$$\Rightarrow \text{w.k.t } p \rightarrow q \equiv \neg p \vee q$$

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

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

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

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

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

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

$$\Rightarrow T \wedge T \wedge T \wedge T$$



$$\Rightarrow T \wedge T \quad (T \wedge T) \leftarrow T \leftarrow ((T \wedge T) \leftarrow T) \quad \text{truth table}$$

$$\Rightarrow T$$

$$\therefore (P \rightarrow Q) \Leftrightarrow (\neg Q \rightarrow \neg P) \text{ is a tautology}$$

2. Show that  $\{[(P \vee \neg P) \rightarrow Q] \rightarrow [(P \vee \neg P) \rightarrow R]\}$  is a tautology?

Given

$$\{[(P \vee \neg P) \rightarrow Q] \rightarrow [(P \vee \neg P) \rightarrow R]\} \rightarrow (Q \rightarrow R)$$

Complement law  $P \vee \neg P \Leftrightarrow T$

$$(T \rightarrow Q) \rightarrow (T \rightarrow R) \rightarrow (Q \rightarrow R)$$

By condition as disjunction law

$$(T \vee Q) \rightarrow (T \vee R) \rightarrow (Q \rightarrow R)$$

$$(F \vee Q) \rightarrow (F \vee R) \rightarrow (Q \rightarrow R)$$

By Identity law

$$(T \vee Q) \rightarrow (Q \rightarrow R) \rightarrow (Q \rightarrow R)$$

By condition as disjunction

$$(T \vee R) \rightarrow (T \vee R)$$

Again Condition as disjunction

$$\neg(T \vee R) \vee (T \vee R) \Rightarrow (T \vee R) \vee \neg(T \vee R)$$

by Complement law  
 $\Rightarrow P \vee \neg P \Rightarrow T$

by Commutative law

$$T \rightarrow (T \vee R) \Leftrightarrow (T \rightarrow T) \wedge (T \rightarrow R)$$

$$\therefore \{[(P \vee \neg P) \rightarrow Q] \rightarrow [(P \vee \neg P) \rightarrow R]\} \rightarrow (Q \rightarrow R)$$

is a tautology

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

3. Show that  $(q \rightarrow (p \wedge \neg p)) \rightarrow (r \rightarrow (p \wedge \neg p)) \rightarrow (r \rightarrow q)$

Given  $(q \rightarrow (p \wedge \neg p)) \rightarrow (r \rightarrow (p \wedge \neg p)) \rightarrow (r \rightarrow q)$   
 complement law  $p \wedge \neg p \equiv F$

$$\Rightarrow (q \rightarrow F) \rightarrow (r \rightarrow F) \rightarrow (r \rightarrow q)$$

we know that  $p \rightarrow q = \neg p \vee q$

$$\Rightarrow (\neg q \vee F) \rightarrow (\neg r \vee F) \rightarrow (\neg r \vee q)$$

APPLY distributive law

$$(\neg q \rightarrow \neg r) \vee F \rightarrow (\neg r \vee q) \quad \text{Identity law}$$

$$(\neg q \rightarrow \neg r) \rightarrow (\neg r \vee q)$$

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

$$(\neg q \rightarrow \neg r) \vee \neg r \rightarrow (\neg r \vee q)$$

$$q \vee \neg r \rightarrow (\neg r \vee q)$$

$$q \vee \neg r \rightarrow (q \vee \neg r)$$

$$\neg(q \vee \neg r) \vee (q \vee \neg r) \quad [\because p \vee \neg p \equiv T]$$

T

$\therefore$  the given statement is a tautology

4. Show that  $(p \rightarrow q) \wedge (r \rightarrow q) \Rightarrow (p \vee r) \rightarrow q$  is a Tautology

Given that

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

Condition as disjunction  $(q \vee \neg q)$

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

Distributive law

$$\frac{(\neg p \wedge \neg r) \vee q}{T} \Rightarrow \frac{(\neg p \vee \neg r) \vee q}{T}$$

$$\therefore P \rightarrow \equiv T \quad \neg \left( \frac{P \vee \neg P}{T} \right) \rightarrow \neg T \left( \frac{P \vee \neg P}{T} \right) \rightarrow \neg T$$

$$T \quad \neg \left( \frac{P \wedge \neg P}{F} \right) \rightarrow \neg F \left( \frac{P \wedge \neg P}{F} \right) \rightarrow \neg F$$

5. Show that  $P \Rightarrow P \rightarrow Q$

Given that  $P \Rightarrow P \rightarrow Q$  E.H.P

Condition as disjunction  $(\neg P) \vee (P \rightarrow Q)$  L.H.S

$$\frac{P}{\neg P} \quad \frac{P \rightarrow Q}{Q}$$

$$(T \vee (T \vee Q)) \Rightarrow (T \vee T) \vee Q$$

(Complement law)  $\neg T \wedge (T \vee Q)$  (By Associative law)

$$T \vee Q$$

L.H.S = R.H.S  $\neg T \wedge [(T \vee Q) \vee (T \vee Q)]$

6. Show that  $P \rightarrow (Q \vee R) \Leftrightarrow \neg P \rightarrow (P \rightarrow Q) \Leftrightarrow (P \wedge \neg Q) \rightarrow R$

L.H.S

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

$$= \neg P \vee (Q \vee R) \quad \text{Condition as disjunction}$$

$$\Rightarrow (Q \vee R) \vee \neg P \quad \text{Commutative Law}$$

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

$$\Rightarrow R \vee (Q \vee \neg P) \quad \text{By Associative law}$$

$$\Rightarrow R \vee (P \vee \neg Q) \quad \text{Commutative law}$$

$$\Rightarrow \neg P \rightarrow (P \rightarrow Q) \quad [P \rightarrow Q \equiv P \vee \neg Q \quad \text{Condition as disjunction}]$$

R.H.S

Consider a statement (B)

L.H.S  $\neg P \rightarrow (P \rightarrow Q)$

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

$$\Rightarrow \neg(P \rightarrow Q) \rightarrow \neg(\neg P) \quad [ \because P \rightarrow Q \equiv \neg P \vee Q ]$$

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

$$\rightarrow \neg(\neg P \vee \neg Q) \rightarrow \neg Y \quad [ \because \neg\neg(P) = P ]$$

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

$$\rightarrow P \wedge \neg \neg Q \rightarrow \neg Y$$

R.H.S

7 show that  $(\neg P \wedge (\neg Q \wedge \neg Y)) \vee ((\neg Q \wedge \neg Y) \vee (P \wedge \neg Y)) \Leftrightarrow \neg Y$

Given that

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

Associative law

Distributive law

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

Commutative law

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

$$[\neg(P \vee Q) \vee (P \vee Q)] \wedge \neg Y \quad [ \because P \vee \neg P = T ]$$

Complement

$$T \wedge \neg Y$$

$$Y$$

R.H.S

8.  $(P \rightarrow Q) \wedge (P \rightarrow R) \equiv P \rightarrow (Q \wedge R)$

R.H.S

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

$$[ P \rightarrow Q \Leftrightarrow \neg P \vee Q ]$$

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

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

Distributive

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

L.H.S

take L.H.S

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

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

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

$$P \rightarrow (Q \wedge R) \quad \text{R.H.S}$$

show that  $P \rightarrow (Q \rightarrow P) \equiv \neg P \rightarrow (P \rightarrow Q)$

$$\begin{aligned}
 & P \rightarrow (Q \rightarrow P) && \neg P \rightarrow (P \rightarrow Q) \\
 \Leftrightarrow & \neg P \vee (Q \rightarrow P) && \neg(\neg P) \vee (P \rightarrow Q) \\
 \Leftrightarrow & \neg P \vee (\neg Q \vee P) && \neg(\neg P) \vee (\neg P \vee Q) \\
 \Leftrightarrow & (\neg P \vee P) \vee \neg Q && (P \vee \neg P) \vee \neg P \quad [\text{Associative}]
 \end{aligned}$$

$\neg P \vee \neg Q$

$\neg P \vee \neg P$

L.H.S = R.H.S

Show that  $\neg[(\neg P \wedge Q) \vee (\neg P \wedge \neg Q)] \vee (P \wedge Q) \equiv P$

the duality of above statement

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \neg[(\neg P \wedge Q) \vee (\neg P \wedge \neg Q)] \wedge (P \wedge Q) \equiv P \\
 & \neg[(\neg P \wedge Q) \vee (\neg P \wedge \neg Q)] \wedge (P \wedge Q) \\
 & [(\neg P \wedge Q) \vee (\neg P \wedge \neg Q)] \wedge (P \wedge Q) \\
 & [P \wedge (Q \vee \neg Q)] \wedge (P \wedge Q) \quad [\text{Complement law}] \\
 & [P \wedge T] \wedge (P \wedge Q) \quad [\text{Identity law } P \wedge T = P] \\
 & P \wedge (P \wedge Q) \quad [\text{Absorption law } P \wedge (P \wedge Q) \equiv P] \\
 & P
 \end{aligned}$$

# Rules of Inference :

To prove this kind of theorems we consider

1. Hypothesis / premissis

2. Conclusion

1. Hypothesis / premissis :-

Hypothesis is nothing but the given premissis which are assumed to be true always

Conclusion is nothing but the result derived from the Hypothesis which is also true

Name of the rule	Formula	premissis	Conclusion
1. MODUS PONENS	$P \rightarrow Q$ is a statement Assume $P$ is True Derive $Q$ is True $\frac{P \rightarrow Q, P}{Q}$	$P \rightarrow Q, P$	$Q$
2. MODUS TOLLENS	$P \rightarrow Q = \neg Q$ $\frac{P \rightarrow Q, \neg Q}{\neg P}$	$P \rightarrow Q, \neg Q$	$\neg P$
3. Addition rule	(i) $\frac{P}{P \vee Q}$ (ii) $\frac{Q}{P \vee Q}$	$P, Q$	$P \vee Q$
4. Conjunction Rule	$\frac{P, Q}{P \wedge Q}$	$P, Q$	$P \wedge Q$
5. Disjunction	(i) $\frac{P \vee Q, \neg Q}{P}$ (ii) $\frac{P \vee Q, \neg P}{Q}$	$P \vee Q, \neg Q$ $P \vee Q, \neg P$	$P, Q$
6. SIMPLIFICATION	(i) $\frac{P \wedge Q}{P}$ (ii) $\frac{P \wedge Q}{Q}$	$P \wedge Q$	$P, Q$

7. HYPOTHETICAL SYLLOGISM

$$\begin{array}{l}
 P \rightarrow Q \text{ and} \\
 Q \rightarrow R \\
 \hline
 P \rightarrow R
 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{l}
 P \rightarrow Q \\
 Q \rightarrow R \\
 \hline
 P \rightarrow R
 \end{array}$$

8. RESOLUTION

$$\begin{array}{l}
 PVQ \text{ and } \neg PV \\
 \hline
 \neg V
 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{l}
 PV \\
 \neg PV \\
 \hline
 V
 \end{array}$$

9. DILEMMA

$$\begin{array}{l}
 PVQ, P \rightarrow R, \\
 Q \rightarrow R \\
 \hline
 R
 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{l}
 PVQ, P \rightarrow R \\
 Q \rightarrow R \\
 \hline
 R
 \end{array}$$

proofs :-

Direct proof :-

when a conclusion is derived from a set of premises by using equivalence rules & implication rules then this derivation is called as direct proof

Ex :- 1

Show that  $\neg P$  is a valid conclusion from the premises  $\neg P \vee Q$ ,  $\neg(Q \vee R)$  &  $\neg R$  by using logical implication

Step	PREMISES	REASON
1.	$\neg(Q \vee R)$	Rule P
2.	$\neg Q \wedge \neg R$	1. Rule T, Demorgans law
3.	$\neg Q$	2. Rule T, Simplification Law
4.	$\neg P \vee Q$	Rule P
5.	$\neg P$	{3, 4}, Rule T: Disjunction syllogism

$\therefore \neg P$  is a valid conclusion for the given premises

2. Show that  $t$  is a valid conclusion from the premises  $p \rightarrow q, q \rightarrow r, r \rightarrow s, \neg s, p \vee t$  by using logical implication

$p \rightarrow$  premises  
 $\neg$  Transpose

STEP	PREMISE	REASON
1.	$p \rightarrow q$	Rule P
2.	$q \rightarrow r$	Rule P
3.	$p \rightarrow r$	{1, 2}, Rule T: Hypothetical syllogism
4.	$r \rightarrow s$	Rule P
5.	$p \rightarrow s$	{3, 4}, Rule T: Hypothetical syllogism
6.	$\neg s$	Rule P
7.	$\neg p$	{5, 6}, Rule T: Modus Tollens
8.	$p \vee t$	Rule P
9.	$t$	{7, 8}, Rule T: Disjunction rule

$\therefore t$  is a valid conclusion from the given premises

3. Show that  $s$  is a valid conclusion from the premises  $p \rightarrow q, p \rightarrow r, (s \vee p), \neg(q \wedge r)$  by using logical implication.

Given premises :-

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

Conclusion :-  $s$  is a valid conclusion



step	Premises	Reason
1.	$\neg(\neg r) \wedge (r \rightarrow q)$	Rule P
2.	$\neg q \vee \neg r$	Rule T, Demorgans law
3.	$q \rightarrow \neg r$	Rule T, Conditional law
4.	$p \rightarrow q$	Rule P
5.	$p \rightarrow \neg r$	{3, 4} Rule T Hypothetical Syllogism
6.	$p \rightarrow r$	Rule P
7.	$\neg r \rightarrow \neg p$	Rule T, Contrapositive law
8.	$p \rightarrow \neg p$	{5, 7} Rule T, Hypothetical syllogism
9.	$\neg p \vee \neg p$	Rule T, Conditional as disjunction
10.	$\neg p$	{9} Rule T, Idempotent law
11.	$\neg p \vee p$	Rule P
12.	$s$	{10, 11} Rule T Disjunction law

∴ splits a Valid Conclusion for give premises

4. Show that 's' is a valid Conclusion from the premises

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

Given premises are  $(p \rightarrow \neg q), (q \vee r), (\neg s \rightarrow p), \neg r$

Conclusion are 's' is a valid Conclusion.

Step	Premises	Reason
1.	$p \rightarrow \neg q$	Rule P
2.	$q \vee r$	Rule P
3.	$\neg q \rightarrow r$	{2} Rule T, Conditional as disjunction = $p \vee q$
4.	$p \rightarrow r$	{1, 3} Rule T: Hypothetical syllogism
5.	$\neg r$	Rule P
6.	$\neg p$	{4, 5} Rule T: modulus of Tolerance
7.	$\neg s \rightarrow p$	Rule P
8.	$\neg(\neg s)$	{6, 7} Rule T: modulus of Tolerance
9.	$s$	{8} double negation

5. show that  $(p \vee q) \wedge (p \rightarrow r) \wedge (q \rightarrow s) \Rightarrow svr$

Given premises  $(p \vee q) \wedge (p \rightarrow r) \wedge (q \rightarrow s)$

Conclusion are  $svr$

Step	Premises	Reason
1.	$p \vee q$	Rule 'p'
2.	$\neg p \rightarrow q$	Rule 'T', Condition law
3.	$q \rightarrow s$	Rule 'p'
4.	$\neg p \rightarrow s$	{2,3} Rule 'T', Hypothetical syllogism
5.	$\neg s \rightarrow p$	{4} Rule 'T', Contrapositive law
6.	$p \rightarrow r$	Rule 'p'
7.	$\neg s \rightarrow r$	{5,6} Rule 'T', Hypothetical Syllogism
8.	$svr$	{7} Rule 'T', Condition law

$\therefore svr$  is a valid conclusion for the given premises

6. show that

$(p \rightarrow q) \wedge (r \rightarrow s), (q \wedge m) \wedge (s \rightarrow n)$

$\neg(m \wedge n), (p \rightarrow r) \Rightarrow \neg p$  is a valid

argument

Given premises  $(p \rightarrow q) \wedge (r \rightarrow s), (q \wedge m) \wedge (s \rightarrow n)$

$\neg(m \wedge n), (p \rightarrow r)$  and Conclusion  $\neg p$

steps Premises Reason that show

1.  $(p \rightarrow q) \wedge (r \rightarrow s)$  Rule P
2.  $p \rightarrow q$  {1} Rule T, simplification rule
3.  $r \rightarrow s$  {1} Rule T, simplification rule
4.  $(q \wedge m) \wedge (s \rightarrow n)$  Rule P
5.  $q \wedge m$  {4} Rule T, simplification rule
6.  $s \rightarrow n$  {4} Rule T, simplification rule
7.  $p \rightarrow r$  Rule P
8.  $p \rightarrow s$  {7, 3} Rule T, Hypothetical syllogism
9.  $p \rightarrow n$  {8, 6} Rule T, Hypothetical syllogism
10.  $\neg(m \wedge n)$  Rule P
11.  $\neg m \vee \neg n$  Rule T, Demorgan's law
12.  $\neg n \vee \neg m$  Rule T, Commutative law
13.  $n \rightarrow \neg m$  {12} Rule T, Conditional law
14.  $p \rightarrow \neg m$  {13, 9} Rule T, Hypothetical syllogism
15.  $m \rightarrow \neg p$  {14} Rule T, Contrapositive law
16.  $\neg p$  {15} Rule T, simplification rule

$\therefore \neg p$  is a valid conclusion for given premises

validate the above argument?

Given premises

Let  $p$ : Labour market is perfect

$q$ : Wages of all the employees are equal

7 Show that PVS is valid or invalid. Conclusion  
 for the premises  $(P \wedge Q) \vee R$  and  $R \rightarrow S \rightarrow PVS$

Given premises  $(P \wedge Q) \vee R$  and  $R \rightarrow S$   
 and Conclusion PVS

Step	premises	Reason
1.	$(P \wedge Q) \vee R$	Rule P
2.	$(P \vee R) \wedge (Q \vee R)$	Rule T, Distributive law
3.	$P \vee R$	Rule T, simplification rule
4.	$Q \vee R$	Rule T, simplification rule
5.	$R \rightarrow S$	Rule P
6.	$\neg R \vee S$	Rule T, Condition law
7.	$R \vee P$	Rule T, Commutative law
8.	PVS	Rule T Resolution Rule

PVS are valid Conclusion for given premises

8. If the labour market is perfect, then the wages of ~~the~~ all the employees (particular) are equal. But it is a case that wages for such persons are not equal. Therefore the labour market is not perfect. validate the above argument?

Given premises

Let p : Labour market is perfect

q : Wages of all the employees are equal

Given premises :  $P \rightarrow Q, \neg Q$

Conclusion :  $\neg P$

Step	Premises	Reason
1.	$P \rightarrow Q$	Rule P
2.	$\neg Q$	Rule P
3.	$\neg P$	{1, 2} Rule T, modulus of Tolerance rule

$\therefore \neg P$  is a valid Conclusion.

$\therefore$  The labour market is Not perfect.

9. If the music party could not play music, or refunds or not delivered on time, then the christmas party would have been cancelled and the organizers would be angry if the party was cancelled, then the refund would have to be made.   
~~No~~ No refund was made. therefore the music party could play the music.

sol:

Given premises :  $(\neg P \vee \neg Q) \rightarrow (R \wedge S), R \rightarrow T, \neg T$

Conclusion :  $P$

Steps	Premises	Reason
1.	$(\neg P \vee \neg Q) \rightarrow (R \wedge S)$	Rule P
2.	$R \rightarrow T$	Rule P
3.	$\neg T$	{1, 2} Rule T, modulus of Tolerance
4.	$\neg R \vee \neg S$	{3} Rule T, Addition Rule
5.	$\neg(R \wedge S)$	{4} Rule T, Demorgan's Law

6.  $(\neg P \vee \neg Q) \rightarrow (\neg R \wedge S)$

Rule P

7.  $\neg(\neg P \vee \neg Q) \vee (\neg R \wedge S)$

§6, Rule T Conditional law

~~7.~~  $\neg P \vee \neg Q$

§6, Rule T Modus ponens Rule

~~7.~~  $\neg(\neg P \vee \neg Q)$

§6, Rule T Modus of Tolerance

$$\frac{P \rightarrow Q}{\therefore \neg P}$$

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

9.  $P \wedge Q$

§8, Rule T, double negation law

10.  $P$

§9, Rule T, simplification rule

11.  $\neg(\neg P)$

§7, Rule T Disjunction law

12.  $\neg\neg P$

§8, Rule T Double negation law

Indirect Method :-  
 Indirect Method of solving rules of Inference problems.  
 for doing indirect method problems we introduce the Negation for given Conclusion, as an Additional premises and then solve the problem along with the given premises to derived the Conclusion

Additional Rule  
 Rule T  
 Derivation

problems & show that the given conclusion is valid

1. using indirect method of proof show that

$$p \rightarrow r, q \rightarrow s, p \vee q \Rightarrow s \vee r$$

Given Premises :  $p \rightarrow r, q \rightarrow s, p \vee q$

Conclusion :  $s \vee r$

Additional premises :  $\neg(s \vee r)$  or  $\neg s \wedge \neg r$

steps	premises	Reason	Reason
1.	$\neg s \wedge \neg r$	Rule A	Rule A
2.	$\neg s$	{1}, Rule T	simplification rule
3.	$\neg r$	{1}, Rule T	simplification rule
4.	$p \rightarrow r$	Rule P	
5.	$\neg r$	{3, 4}, Rule T	modus of Tollence
6.	$p \vee q$	Rule P	
7.	$q$	{5, 6}, Rule T	Disjunction rule
8.	$q \rightarrow s$	Rule P	
9.	$s$	{8}, Rule T	Modus ponense
10.	$s \wedge \neg s$	{2, 9}, Rule T	Conjunction rule
11.	$\neg$	Rule T	complement law

Here the result we obtain is not the original Conclusion [ assume premises ]

$\therefore$  the given Conclusion is valid for the given premises

Here the result we obtained is not the original Conclusion (Additional premises)

$\therefore$  the given Conclusion is valid for the given premises

2. Show that the given conclusion is valid by using indirect proof on the premises  $P \rightarrow q$ ,  $q \rightarrow r$ ,  $P \vee r$ ,  $\neg(P \wedge r)$  and Conclusion  $r$

Premises :  $P \rightarrow q$ ,  $q \rightarrow r$ ,  $P \vee r$ ,  $\neg(P \wedge r)$

Conclusion :  $r$

Additional premises :  $\neg r$

step	Premises	Reason
1.	$\neg r$	Rule AP
2.	$P \vee r$	Rule P
3.	$P$	{1, 2} Rule T, Disjunction rule
4.	$P \rightarrow q$	Rule P
5.	$q$	{4} Rule T, modus ponens
6.	$q \rightarrow r$	Rule P
7.	$r$	{6} Rule T, modus ponens
8.	$\neg(P \wedge r)$	Rule P
9.	$\neg P \vee \neg r$	{8} Rule T, demorgan's Law
10.	$P \rightarrow \neg r$	{9} Rule T, Conditional law
11.	$\neg P$	{10, 7} Rule T, modus of Tollence
12.	$P \wedge \neg P$ $F$	{3, 11} Rule T, conjunction rule Rule T, Complement law

Here the result we obtained is not the original Conclusion (Additional premises)

$\therefore$  The given Conclusion is valid for the given premises



3. Check the validity of the Conclusion for the given premises

$$r \rightarrow \neg q, r \vee s, s \rightarrow \neg q, p \rightarrow q \Rightarrow \neg p$$

Premises :  $r \rightarrow \neg q, r \vee s, s \rightarrow \neg q, p \rightarrow q$

Conclusion :  $\neg p$

Additional premises :  $p$

step	premises	Reason
1.	$p$	Rule 'A' ←
2.	$p \rightarrow q$	Rule 'P' ( $(p \rightarrow q) \leftarrow p$ )
3.	$q$	{1, 2}, Rule 'T', Modus ponens
4.	$r \rightarrow \neg q$	Rule 'P' ( $(r \rightarrow \neg q) \leftarrow r$ )
5.	$s \rightarrow \neg q$	Rule 'P' Equivalence
6.	$(r \vee s) \rightarrow \neg q$	{4, 5}, Rule 'T', Exploratory Rule
7.	$r \vee s$	Rule 'P'
8.	$\neg q$	{6, 7}, Rule 'T', Modus of Tollence
9.	$q \wedge \neg q$	{3, 8}, Rule 'T', conjunction rule
10.	$F$	{9}, Rule 'T', Complement law

Here the result we obtained is not the original conclusion (Addition premises)

∴ The given Conclusion is valid for the given

Premises

\* Conditional proof :-

If the Conclusion of the statement is of the form  $p \rightarrow q$  then set an additional premises as  $p$  and Conclusion as  $q$

Example :-

1. Show that  $r \rightarrow s$  can be derived from

$$p \rightarrow (q \rightarrow s), \neg \forall P \Rightarrow q$$

Given premises,

$$p \rightarrow (q \rightarrow s), \neg \forall P, q$$

and the Conclusion is  $s$

Additional premises is

[ If the given premises is of the form

$p \rightarrow q$  then additional premises 'p' and the Conclusion is 'q' ]

Step	premises	Reason
1.	$r$	Rule 'AP'
2.	$\neg \forall P$	Rule 'p'
3.	$\{1, 2\}$	Rule 'T', Disjunction, rule
4.	$p \rightarrow (q \rightarrow s)$	Rule 'p'
5.	$q \rightarrow s$	$\{4, 3\}$ , Rule 'T', modunes of Tollerance
6.	$q$	Rule p
7.	$s$	$\{5, 6\}$ , Rule 'T', modunes of Tollerance is the Conclusion

$\therefore r \rightarrow s$  Can be derived from the given premises

2. Derive  $p \rightarrow (q \rightarrow s)$  by using the premises

$$p \rightarrow (q \rightarrow r), \quad q \rightarrow (r \rightarrow s), \quad r \leftarrow q, \quad p \leftarrow q$$

Given premises,  $p \rightarrow (q \rightarrow r)$ ,  $q \rightarrow (r \rightarrow s)$   
and the Conclusion is  $q \rightarrow s$

Additional premises is  $p$

Step	Premises	Reason
1.	$p$	Rule 'AP'
2.	$p \rightarrow (q \rightarrow r)$	Rule 'p'
3.	$q \rightarrow r$	{1, 2}, Rule 'T', modulus of Tolerance
4.	$q \rightarrow (r \rightarrow s)$	Rule 'p'
5.	$\neg q \vee (r \rightarrow s)$	{4}, Rule 'T', Conditional law
6.	$\neg q \vee (\neg r \vee s)$	{5}, Rule 'T', conditional law
7.	$\neg r \vee (\neg q \vee s)$	{6}, Rule 'T', Associative law
8.	$r \rightarrow (\neg q \vee s)$	{7}, Rule 'T', conditional law
9.	$r \rightarrow (q \rightarrow s)$	{8}, Rule 'T', Conditional law
10.	$q \rightarrow (q \rightarrow s)$	{9}, Rule 'T', Hypothetical syllogism
11.	$(q \wedge q) \rightarrow s$	{10}, Rule 'T', exploratory rule
12.	$q \rightarrow s$	{11}, Rule 'T', Idempotent law

$\therefore q \rightarrow s$  Can be derived from the given premises

$$(b \wedge b), (\neg \wedge \neg) \leftarrow b, (c \leftarrow d) \leftarrow b$$

3. Show that the below given premises or inconstance

$$P \rightarrow q, P \rightarrow r, q \rightarrow \neg r, P$$

Given premises  $P \rightarrow q, P \rightarrow r, q \rightarrow \neg r, P$

steps	premises	Reason
1.	$P \rightarrow q$	Rule 'P'
2.	$q \rightarrow \neg r$	Rule 'P'
3.	$P \rightarrow \neg r$	{1, 2}, Rule T, modus ponens Hypothetical Syllogism
4.	$P$	Rule 'P'
5.	$\neg r$	{3, 4}, Rule T, modus ponens
6.	$P \rightarrow r$	Rule 'P'
7.	$\neg P$	{5, 6}, Rule T, modus of Tolerance
8.	$P \wedge \neg P$	{4, 7}, Rule T, conjunction Rule
9.	$\perp$	{8}, Rule T, Complement law

∴ The given premises are inconstance

✓ 4. Show that the following premises or inconstance

$$a \rightarrow (b \rightarrow c), d \rightarrow (b \wedge \neg c), (a \wedge d)$$

Given premises are

$$a \rightarrow (b \rightarrow c), d \rightarrow (b \wedge \neg c), (a \wedge d)$$

Steps	premises	Reason
1.	$a \wedge d$	Rule 'p'
2.	$a$	{1}, Rule 'T', simplification rule
3.	$d$	{1}, Rule 'T', simplification rule
4.	$a \rightarrow (b \rightarrow c)$	Rule 'p'
5.	$b \rightarrow c$	{4}, Rule 'T', Modus ponens
6.	$\neg b \vee c$	{5}, Rule 'T', Conditional law
7.	$d \rightarrow (b \wedge \neg c)$	Rule 'p'
8.	$\neg (b \wedge \neg c) \rightarrow \neg d$	{7}, Rule 'T', Contrapositive law
9.	$\neg b \vee c \rightarrow \neg d$	{6}, Rule 'T', Demorgan's law
10.	$\neg d$	{9}, Rule 'T', modus ponens
11.	$d \wedge \neg d$	{3, 10}, Rule 'T', Conjunction Rule
		{11}, Rule 'T', Complement law

$\therefore$  the given set of premises are inconsistent

$\neg (a \wedge d), a \rightarrow (b \rightarrow c), d \rightarrow (b \wedge \neg c)$

5. Show that the following premises derived from the statements is inconsistent

Statement :- 1

If Jack misses many classes because of illness in a high school

Statement :- 2

If Jack fails in high school he is uneducated.

Statement :- 3

If Jack reads lot of books then he is not uneducated.

Statement :- 4

Jack misses many classes through illness and reads lots of books

~~Let~~  $P$  : ~~If Jack misses many classes because~~

Let  $P$  : Jack misses many classes through illness

$Q$  : Jack fails in high school

$R$  : Jack is uneducated

$S$  : Jack reads lot of books.

premises are :-

$P \rightarrow Q, Q \rightarrow R, S \rightarrow \neg R, P \wedge S$

steps	premises	Reason
1.	$p \rightarrow q$	Rule 'p'
2.	$q \rightarrow r$	Rule 'p'
3.	$p \rightarrow r$	{1, 2}, Rule 'T', Hypothetical syllogism
4.	$s \rightarrow \neg r$	Rule 'p'
5.	$r \rightarrow \neg s$	{4}, Rule 'T', Contrapositive law
6.	$p \rightarrow \neg s$	{3, 5}, Rule 'T', Hypothetical syllogism
7.	$\neg(p \vee \neg s)$	{6}, Rule 'T', Conditional law
8.	$\neg(p \wedge s)$	{7}, Rule 'T', De Morgan's law
9.	$p \wedge s$	Rule 'p'
10.	$\neg(p \wedge s) \wedge p \wedge s$	{8, 9}, Rule 'T', Conjunction Rule
	$\text{F}$	{10}, Rule 'T', Complement law

$\therefore$  The given premises are in Cosistance