

1.1 Propositional Logic

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\wedge	conjunction	$p \wedge q$	p and q	“p and q”
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example 1:

Let proposition p stand for “I will go to a movie theater”, then $\neg p$ means “I will not go to a movie theater.”

Truth table for negation operation:

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example 2:

Let proposition p stand for “It is raining” and q stand for “I want to go to a movie theater”, then $p \wedge q$ means “It is raining and I want to go to a movie theater.”

Conjunction $p \wedge q$ is true when both p and q are true. Truth table for $p \wedge q$:

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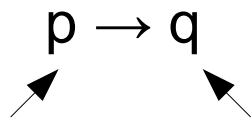
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“ if p then q”, “p implies q” see page 6 for more
“either p or q”

Implication:



hypothesis, or
antecedent, or
premise

conclusion, or
consequence

if p is true then q holds

Implication is also called
conditional statement.

Truth table for the implication
 $p \rightarrow q$:

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Exclusive or:

$p \oplus q$ is true when exactly one of p and q is true

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Truth table for the exclusive or $p \oplus q$:

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Precedence of Logical Operators:

\neg , \wedge , \vee , \rightarrow , \leftrightarrow , \oplus
first *last*

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a **bit string** is a sequence of 0's and 1's.

length of a bit string is the number of bits in the string

Example: 00110101110 length=11

↖ bit string

Exercise: find the bitwise OR, AND, and XOR of the bit strings 001110101 and 110101100 (*from now on we'll be splitting the bit strings into blocks of four to make them easier to read*).

```
0 0111 0101
1 1010 1100
-----
```

AND

```
0 0111 0101
1 1010 1100
-----
```

OR

```
0 0111 0101
1 1010 1100
-----
```

XOR

x	y	$x \wedge y$	$x \vee y$	$x \oplus y$
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-----
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1 1010 1100
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                                XOR
    
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-----
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0	0	0	0	0
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1	0	0	1	1
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Exercise: Evaluate expression $(0\ 1101 \vee 1001) \oplus (01101 \wedge 00111)$

```
0 1101
 1001
-----
```

OR

```
0 1101
0 0111
-----
```

AND

\oplus

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 1001
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0 1101 OR
    
```

```

0 1101
0 0111
-----
0 0101 AND
    
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⊕
    
```

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0	0	0	0	0
0	1	0	1	1
1	0	0	1	1
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Exercise: Evaluate expression $(0\ 1101 \vee 1001) \oplus (01101 \wedge 00111) = 0\ 100$

```

0 1101
 1001
-----
0 1101 OR
    
```

```

0 1101
0 0111
-----
0 0101 AND
    
```

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0 1101
0 0101
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0 1000 ⊕
    
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0	0	0	0	0
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