

# Lecture 12

## Definition

A prop. formula  $\varphi$  on  $\Omega$  is a tautology iff  $\varphi/p = T$  for any assignment  $p$  to  $\Omega$ .

Consider  $\varphi = (\neg x \vee y) \wedge (\neg y \vee x) \wedge (\neg x \vee \neg y) \wedge (x \vee y)$

x	y	$\varphi$
T	T	T
T	F	F
F	T	F
F	F	T

# We need Examples!

## Assumptions

- If Joe is a good Boy,  $\leftarrow p \rightarrow q$   
then Joe has a present for Christmas.

- Joe is a good boy  $\leftarrow p$

## Conclusion

Joe has a present.  $\leftarrow q$

Let  $p$  denote "Joe is a good Boy"  
 $q$  denote "J. has a present"

$((p \Rightarrow q) \wedge p) \Rightarrow q$  is a tautology.

Assumption

- If  $x \neq 0$ , then  $x^2 \neq 0$

$\neg p \Rightarrow \neg q$

Conclusion:

if  $x^2 = 0$ , then  $x = 0$

$q \Rightarrow p$

Let  $p$  denote " $x = 0$ "  
 $q$  denote " $x^2 = 0$ "

$(\neg p \Rightarrow \neg q) \Rightarrow (q \Rightarrow p)$  is a tautology.

$(p \Rightarrow q) \Rightarrow (\neg q \Rightarrow \neg p)$  is a taut.

$x \Rightarrow y$

$\neg x \vee y$

Assumptions:

- if  $x=0$ , then  $x^2=0$
- $x^2$  is not equal to 0

Conclusion:

$$x \neq 0$$

if  $x^2 \neq 0$ , then  $x \neq 0$

$$x^2 \neq 0$$

$$x \neq 0$$

$\neg q$

$\neg q \Rightarrow \neg p$

$\neg p$

1 |  $P \Rightarrow Q$   
2 |  $\neg Q$   
—  
3 |  $\neg Q \Rightarrow \neg P$  by contr. and 1.  
4 |  $\neg P$  by modus ponens and 2, 3

Rules.

$m.$  |  $A \wedge B$   
|  $A$  by  $E-\wedge$   $m$

$m$   
 $n$  |  $A$   
|  $B$   
|  $A \wedge B$  by  $I-\wedge$   $m, n$

$$\begin{array}{c|c}
 m & A \\
 & A \vee B
 \end{array} \quad I - \vee \quad m$$

$$\begin{array}{c|c}
 g & A \vee B \\
 k & \frac{A}{c} \\
 \cancel{g} & \\
 n & \frac{B}{c} \\
 n & \\
 \hline
 & c
 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{l}
 E - \vee \quad g, \\
 k - c \\
 m - n
 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{c|c}
 m & \frac{A}{B} \\
 n & \\
 \hline
 & A \Rightarrow B
 \end{array} \quad I - \Rightarrow, \quad m - n$$

$$\begin{array}{c|c}
 m & A \\
 n & A \Rightarrow B \\
 & B
 \end{array} \quad E - \Rightarrow \quad n, n$$

$\perp \leftarrow \text{contr.}$

$$\begin{array}{c} m \\ \hline \perp \\ A \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{c} m \\ n \\ \hline A \\ \perp \\ \neg A \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{c} m \\ n \\ \hline \neg A \\ \perp \\ A \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{c} m \\ n \\ \hline A \\ \neg A \\ \perp \end{array}$$

by  $I-\perp$   $m, n$

by

$I-\neg, m-n$