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**TD Series No = 02 part 02 ( propositional logic : semantics )**

**Exercise 01:**

Let the formula P defined as :  $(p \rightarrow (q \rightarrow r)) \rightarrow (r \vee \neg p)$

1. Provide the truth table for the formula P.
2. Indicate whether the formula is valid, satisfiable, or unsatisfiable.
3. Does the formula P have a model? If so, which one?
4. Provide the CNF (Conjunctive Normal Form) and DNF (Disjunctive Normal Form) of the formula P (from the truth table)

**Exercise 02:**

Establish the truth tables for the following formulas and indicate whether they are valid, satisfiable, or unsatisfiable.

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

b.  $P \wedge (Q \rightarrow P) \rightarrow P$

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

d.  $(P \rightarrow Q) \wedge (Q \vee R) \wedge P$

e.  $((P \vee Q) \rightarrow R) \leftrightarrow P$

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

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

**Exercise 03:**

1. Verify that the formulae below (called paradoxes of material implication) are tautologies:

a)  $P \Rightarrow (Q \Rightarrow P)$

b)  $\neg P \Rightarrow (P \Rightarrow Q)$ .

2. Do you give a translation in natural language?

**Exercise 04:**

1) Complete the following truth table.

a	b	c	$(\neg a \wedge \neg b) \vee c$	$(a \rightarrow b) \wedge (b \rightarrow c)$	$(a \vee b \rightarrow c) \Leftrightarrow (a \rightarrow b) \wedge (b \rightarrow c)$
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- 2) Specify whether there is a tautology in the previous table. Justify your answer.
- 3) Specify if there is an unsatisfiable formula. Justify your answer.
- 4) Provide a model for  $(a \rightarrow b) \wedge (b \rightarrow c)$ . Justify your answer.
- 5) Give all formulas equivalent to  $a \vee b \rightarrow c$ .

**Exercise 05:**

Verify using the truth tables, if

- a)  $p \Leftrightarrow q \models p \rightarrow q$
- b)  $p \Leftrightarrow \neg q \models p \rightarrow q$
- c)  $vrai \models r \rightarrow (s \rightarrow (t \wedge s \rightarrow r))$
- d)  $\{q \rightarrow (r \wedge s), \neg r \vee \neg s\} \models \neg q$

**Exercise 06:**

Consider the following reasoning:

When it is sunny, I wear my glasses or I do not go out.

I only stay at home when I do not wear glasses and it is gray.

So if I do not wear my glasses, it is gray.

1. Formalize this reasoning using the following variables:  
S: it is sunny, L: wear my glasses, M: I stay at home.
2. Show by two methods that the reasoning above is correct (valid).

**Exercise 07:**

Let  $f$  be a logical function with 4 logical variables, such that  $f=1$  if and only if the number of variables of  $f$  that are '1' is not less than 2.

1. Establish the truth table for  $f$ .
2. Provide the conjunctive normal form (CNF) of  $f$  and the disjunctive normal form (DNF) of  $f$ .