

# TRUTH TABLE AND LOGIC REFERENCE SHEET

$p$	$q$	Negation $\sim p$	Conjunction $p \wedge q$	Disjunction $p \vee q$	Conditional $p \rightarrow q$	Biconditional $p \leftrightarrow q$
T	T	F	T	T	T	T
T	F	F	F	T	F	F
F	T	T	F	T	T	F
F	F	T	F	F	T	T

Not  $p$   
Opposite  
truth values  
from  $p$

$p$  and  $q$   
True only when  
BOTH  $p$  and  $q$   
are true

$p$  or  $q$   
False only when  
BOTH  $p$  and  $q$   
are false

If  $p$ , then  $q$   
False only when  
 $p$  is true and  $q$   
is false

If and only if  $p$ ,  
then  $q$   
True only when  
 $p$  and  $q$  have  
the same truth  
value

$$p \equiv q$$

Two statements are equivalent if they have the same truth value in all cases.

## Variations of the Conditional Statement $p \rightarrow q$

- $p \rightarrow q$  is equivalent to  $\sim q \rightarrow \sim p$ , the contrapositive:  
$$p \rightarrow q \equiv \sim q \rightarrow \sim p$$
- $p \rightarrow q$  is NOT equivalent to  $q \rightarrow p$ , the converse
- $p \rightarrow q$  is NOT equivalent to  $\sim p \rightarrow \sim q$ , the inverse
- The negation of  $p \rightarrow q$  is  $p \wedge \sim q$ :  $\sim(p \rightarrow q) \equiv p \wedge \sim q$

## De Morgan's Laws

- $\sim(p \wedge q) \equiv \sim p \vee \sim q$ :  
The negation of  $p \wedge q$  is  $\sim p \vee \sim q$
- $\sim(p \vee q) \equiv \sim p \wedge \sim q$ :  
The negation of  $p \vee q$  is  $\sim p \wedge \sim q$