

## *What is logic?*

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- ▷ Syntax and semantics;
- ▷ Proof theory and model theory;
- ▷ Reasoning.

## *Logic in computer science*

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- ▷ circuit design;
- ▷ constraint satisfaction;
- ▷ planning;
- ▷ software and hardware verification:
  - ▷ model checking;
  - ▷ Hoare's logics;
  - ▷ higher-order logics;
- ▷ databases;
- ▷ theorem proving in mathematics.

## Signature

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- ▷ **signature**  $\Sigma$  — any set of symbols.
- ▷ The symbols in  $\Sigma$  are called **relation symbols**;
- ▷ **Propositional formula** in a signature  $\Sigma$ :
  - ▷  $\top$  and  $\perp$  are formulas.
  - ▷ Every relation symbol is a formula, also called **atomic formula**, or simply **atom**.
  - ▷ If  $A_1, \dots, A_n$  are formulas, where  $n \geq 2$ , then  $(A_1 \wedge \dots \wedge A_n)$  and  $(A_1 \vee \dots \vee A_n)$  are formulas.
  - ▷ If  $A$  is a formula, then  $\neg A$  is a formula.
  - ▷ If  $A$  and  $B$  are formulas, then  $(A \rightarrow B)$  and  $(A \leftrightarrow B)$  are formulas.

## Connectives

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Connective	Name	Priority
$\neg$	negation	1
$\wedge$	conjunction	2
$\vee$	disjunction	2
$\rightarrow$	implication	3
$\leftrightarrow$	equivalence	4

## Semantics, Interpretation

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- ▶ A **boolean value**, also called a **truth value**, is either **1** or **0**.
- ▶ A (partial) **interpretation** for a signature  $\Sigma$ : a (partial) mapping from  $\Sigma$  to the set of boolean values  $\{1, 0\}$ .

## Truth value

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Extend  $I$  to all formulas:

1.  $I(\top) = 1$  and  $I(\perp) = 0$ .
2.  $I(A_1 \wedge \dots \wedge A_n) = 1$  if and only if  $I(A_i) = 1$  for all  $i$ .
3.  $I(A_1 \vee \dots \vee A_n) = 1$  if and only if  $I(A_i) = 1$  for some  $i$ .
4.  $I(\neg A) = 1$  if and only if  $I(A) = 0$ .
5.  $I(A \rightarrow B) = 1$  if and only if  $I(A) = 0$  or  $I(B) = 1$ .
6.  $I(A \leftrightarrow B) = 1$  if and only if  $I(A) = I(B)$ .

Notation:  $I \models A$  and  $I \not\models A$ .

## Operation tables

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$\wedge$	1	0	$\vee$	1	0	$\neg$	
1	1	0	1	1	1	1	0
0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1

$\rightarrow$	1	0	$\leftrightarrow$	1	0
1	1	0	1	1	0
0	1	1	0	0	1