

# CS5201: Advanced Artificial Intelligence

## Propositional Logic



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- Atul was telling you what he ate yesterday afternoon. He tells you, "I had either popcorn or cutlet. Also, if I had cucumber sandwiches, then I had soda. But I didn't drink soda or tea." Of course, you know that Atul is the world's worst liar, and everything he says is false. What did Atul eat?



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- Interpretation — It is the truth of a formula under a given assignment of Boolean variables to true or false
- Valid — If the formula is true under all interpretation
- Non-Valid — If there is an interpretation for which the formula is false
- Satisfiable — If there is an interpretation for which the formula is true
- Unsatisfiable — If the formula is false under all interpretations
- Propositional logic deduction problem is decidable but NP-Hard
- Validity checking — Truth table method, tree method
- Data structures — Binary decision diagrams (BDD)
- Symbolic method — Natural deduction is sound and complete

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- **Conjunction:**  $a, b \text{ :- therefore } (a \wedge b)$
- **Addition:**  $a \text{ :- therefore } (a \vee b)$

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# Problem: Glasses

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- You are about to leave for college in the morning and discover that you don't have your glasses. You know the following statements are true:
  - If I was reading the newspaper in the kitchen, then my glasses are on the kitchen table.
  - If my glasses are on the kitchen table, then I saw them at breakfast.
  - I did not see my glasses at breakfast.
  - I was reading the newspaper in the living room or I was reading the newspaper in the kitchen.
  - If I was reading the newspaper in the living room then my glasses are on the coffee table.
- Where are the glasses?

# Puzzle-1

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- As a reward for saving his daughter from pirates, the King has given you the opportunity to win a treasure hidden inside one of three trunks. The two trunks that do not hold the treasure are empty. To win, you must select the correct trunk. Trunks 1 and 2 are each inscribed with the message “This trunk is empty,” and Trunk 3 is inscribed with the message “The treasure is in Trunk 2.” The Queen, who never lies, tells you that only one of these inscriptions is true, while the other two are wrong. Which trunk should you select to win?

## Puzzle-2

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- There is an island that has two kinds of inhabitants, knights, who always tell the truth, and their opposites, knaves, who always lie. You encounter two people A and B. What are A and B if A says “B is a knight” and B says “The two of us are opposite types”?

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*Thank you!*