

COMPUTER SCIENCE 20, SPRING 2012
DISCRETE MATHEMATICS FOR COMPUTER SCIENCE

Class #6 (Normal Forms)

Homework, due in hard copy Monday 2/6/2012 at 10:10am

Please write your TF's name on your homework, and list the names of any students with whom you collaborated.

1. Is the following formula a tautology, satisfiable, or unsatisfiable? Explain your answer.

$$(p \Leftrightarrow q) \wedge ([(\neg r \wedge p) \rightarrow \neg q] \vee [(r \wedge p) \rightarrow \neg p])$$

2. Translate the following sentence from English to a logical formula and then to CNF and DNF.

If Octavian wins the Battle of Actium then Mark Anthony will rule Rome only if Cleopatra aids him in the war and Octavian's troops desert.

3. Put the following into DNF: $\neg(p \vee \neg(q \vee \neg(r \vee \neg(q \vee p))))$
4. Prove that every formula is equivalent to a formula in conjunctive normal form. (Recall, in class we proved the equivalence of any formula to a formula in disjunctive normal form).