

## Terminology and Implicants

### Homework 4 Supplement

Terminology---True or False. If False, give a counterexample.

$$1. f_1(x, y, z) = (x + z)(y + z)(\bar{y} + \bar{z}), f_2(x, y, z) = \bar{y}z \\ f_1 \rightarrow f_2$$

$$2. f_1(x, y, z) = (x + z)(y + z)(\bar{y} + \bar{z}), f_2(x, y, z) = \bar{y}z \\ f_2 \rightarrow f_1$$

$$3. f_1(x, y, z) = (x + z)(y + z)(\bar{y} + \bar{z}), f_2(x, y, z) = (x + z) \\ f_1 \rightarrow f_2$$

$$4. f_1(x, y, z) = (x + z)(y + z)(\bar{y} + \bar{z}), f_2(x, y, z) = (x + z)(y + z)(\bar{y} + \bar{z})(x + z + y) \\ f_1 \rightarrow f_2$$

$$5. f_1(x, y, z) = (x + z)(y + z)(\bar{y} + \bar{z}), f_2(x, y, z) = (x + z)(y + z)(\bar{y} + \bar{z})(x + z + y) \\ f_2 \rightarrow f_1$$

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Prime Implicants

1. Given the following truth table for  $f(x, y, z)$ , list the prime implicants of  $f$ .

| $x$ | $y$ | $z$ | $f(x, y, z)$ |
|-----|-----|-----|--------------|
| 0   | 0   | 0   | 0            |
| 0   | 0   | 1   | 1            |
| 0   | 1   | 0   | 0            |
| 0   | 1   | 1   | 1            |
| 1   | 0   | 0   | 1            |
| 1   | 0   | 1   | 1            |
| 1   | 1   | 0   | 1            |
| 1   | 1   | 1   | 1            |

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| 1   | 0   | 1   | 1            |
| 1   | 1   | 0   | 0            |
| 1   | 1   | 1   | 1            |