

MULTIPLE CHOICE. Choose the one alternative that best completes the statement or answers the question.

Express the symbolic statement  $\sim p$  in words.

- 1)  $p$ : Vitamin C helps the immune system. 1) \_\_\_\_\_  
 A) Vitamin C does not help the immune system.  
 B) It is true that Vitamin C helps the immune system.  
 C) Vitamin A helps the immune system.  
 D) Vitamin C may help the immune system.
- 2)  $p$ : Some athletes are musicians. 2) \_\_\_\_\_  
 A) No athlete is a musician. B) All athletes are musicians.  
 C) Some athletes are not musicians. D) Not all athletes are musicians.

Construct a truth table for the statement.

- 3)  $\sim q \vee (\sim p \vee q)$  3) \_\_\_\_\_
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| A) | <u>q</u> | <u>p</u> | <u><math>\sim q \vee (\sim p \vee q)</math></u> |
|    | T        | T        | F   |
|    | T        | F        | F   |
|    | F        | T        | T   |
|    | F        | F        | T   |
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| B) | <u>q</u> | <u>p</u> | <u><math>\sim q \vee (\sim p \vee q)</math></u> |
|    | T        | T        | F   |
|    | T        | F        | T   |
|    | F        | T        | T   |
|    | F        | F        | T   |
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| C) | <u>q</u> | <u>p</u> | <u><math>\sim q \vee (\sim p \vee q)</math></u> |
|    | T        | T        | T   |
|    | T        | F        | F   |
|    | F        | T        | T   |
|    | F        | F        | T   |
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| D) | <u>q</u> | <u>p</u> | <u><math>\sim q \vee (\sim p \vee q)</math></u> |
|    | T        | T        | T   |
|    | T        | F        | T   |
|    | F        | T        | T   |
|    | F        | F        | T   |

Let  $p$  represent a true statement and let  $q$  represent a false statement. Find the truth value of the given compound statement.

- 4)  $p \wedge q$  4) \_\_\_\_\_  
 A) True B) False
- 5)  $\sim [(\sim p \wedge \sim q) \vee \sim q]$  5) \_\_\_\_\_  
 A) True B) False

Let  $p$  represent a true statement, while  $q$  and  $r$  represent false statements. Find the truth value of the compound statement.

- 6)  $\sim(\sim p \wedge \sim q) \vee (\sim r \vee \sim p)$  6) \_\_\_\_\_  
 A) True B) False
- 7)  $\sim(p \wedge q) \wedge (r \vee \sim q)$  7) \_\_\_\_\_  
 A) True B) False