

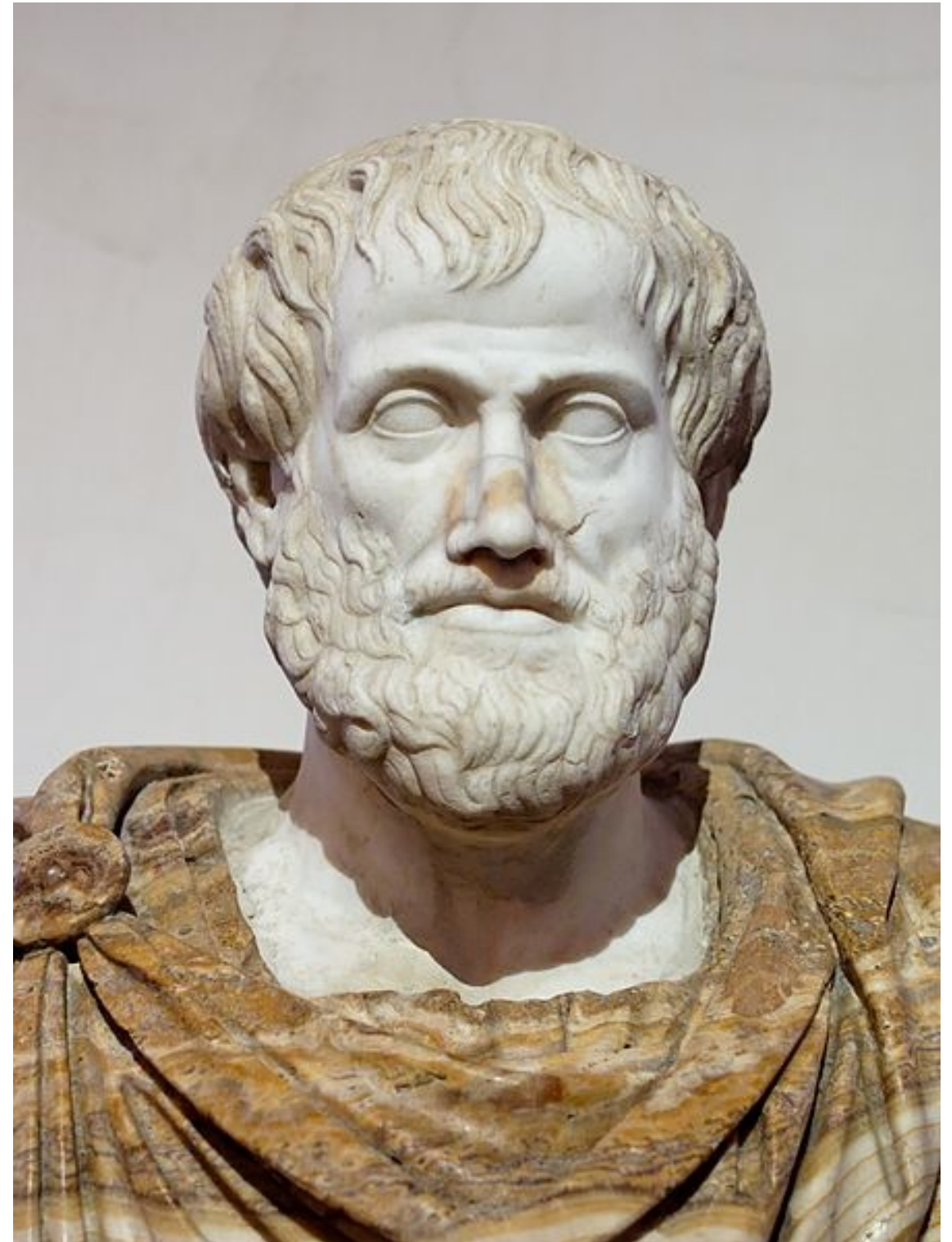
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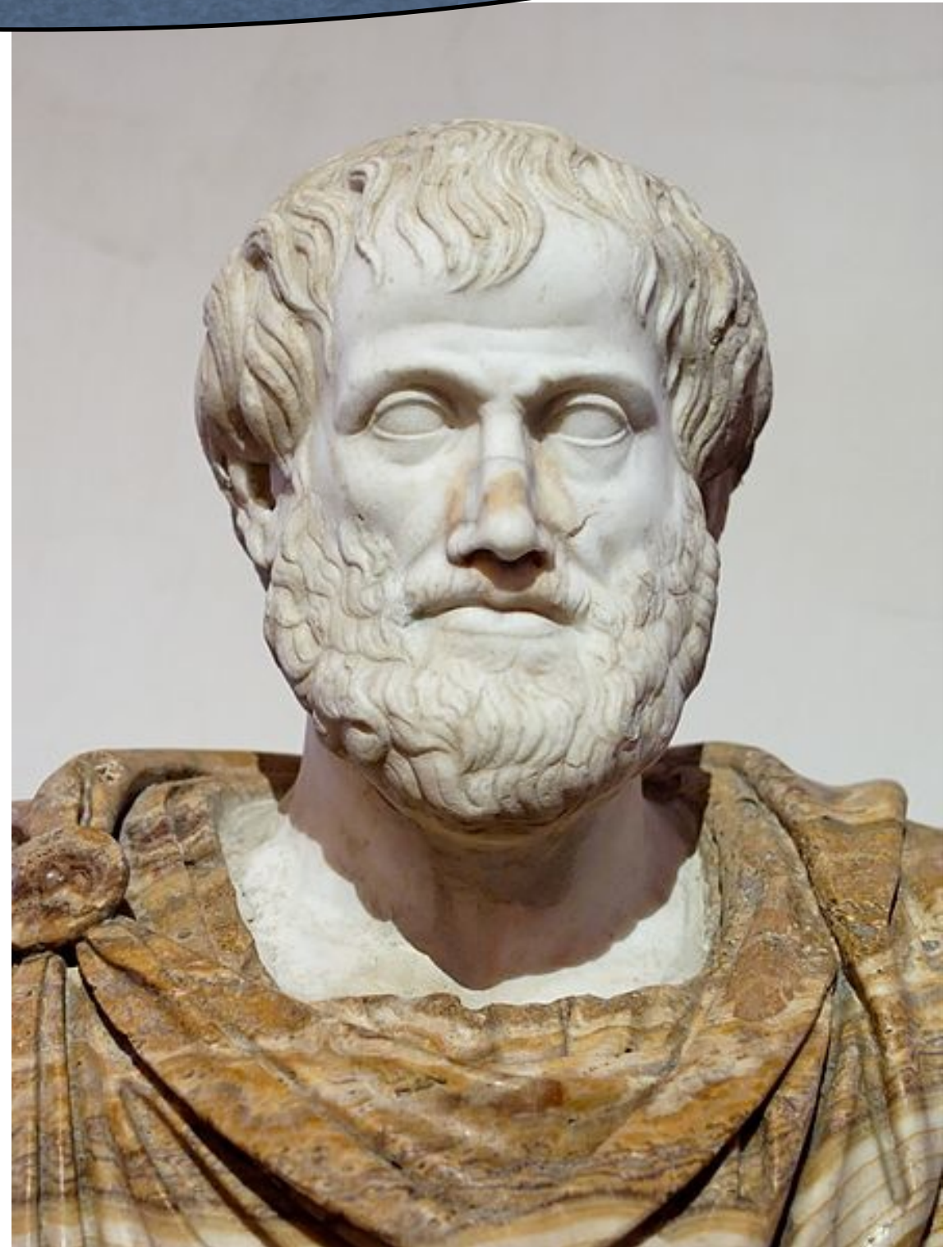
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- $\wedge$  for “and”
- $\vee$  for “or”
- $\neg$  for “not”
- $\Rightarrow$  for “if .. then” or “implies”
- $\Leftrightarrow$  for “if and only if”

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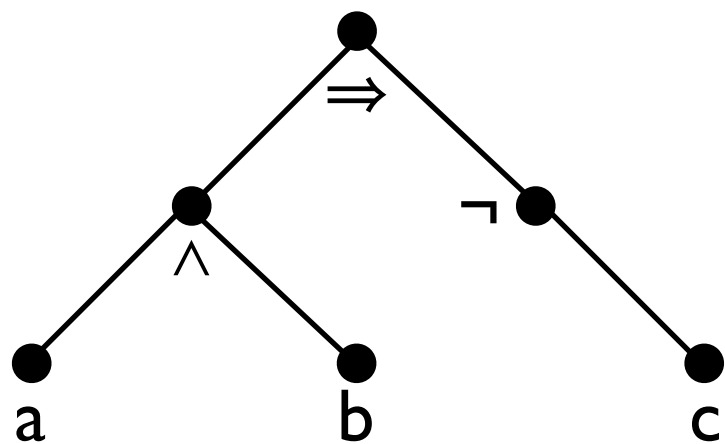
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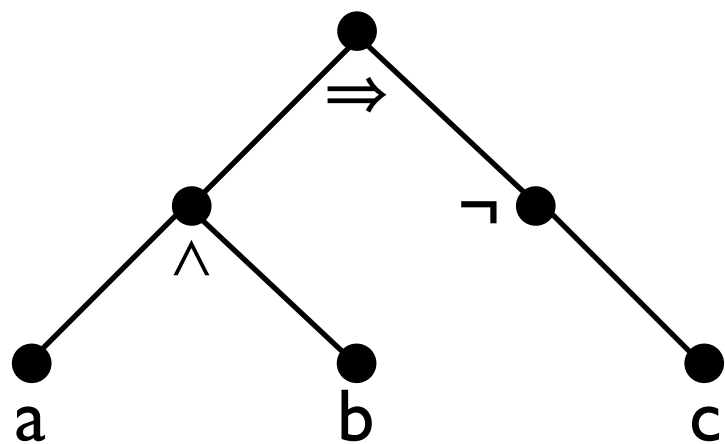


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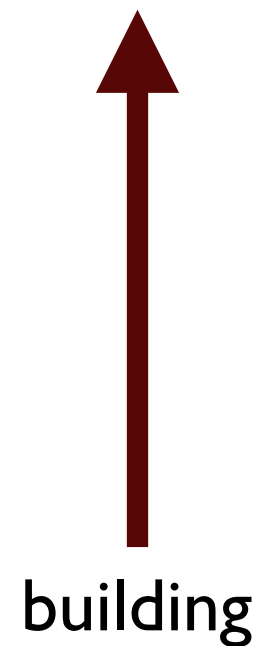
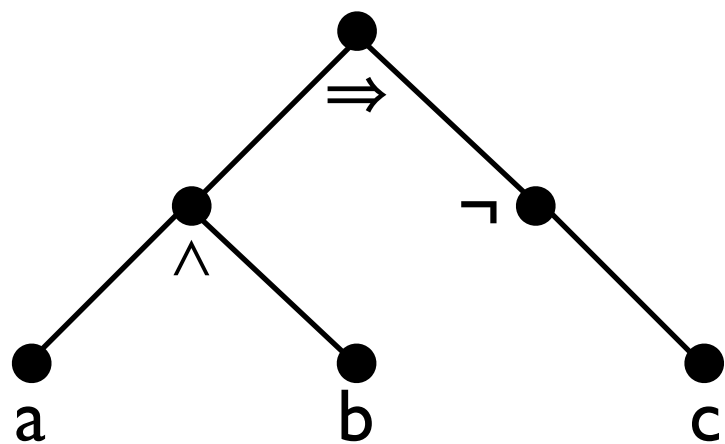


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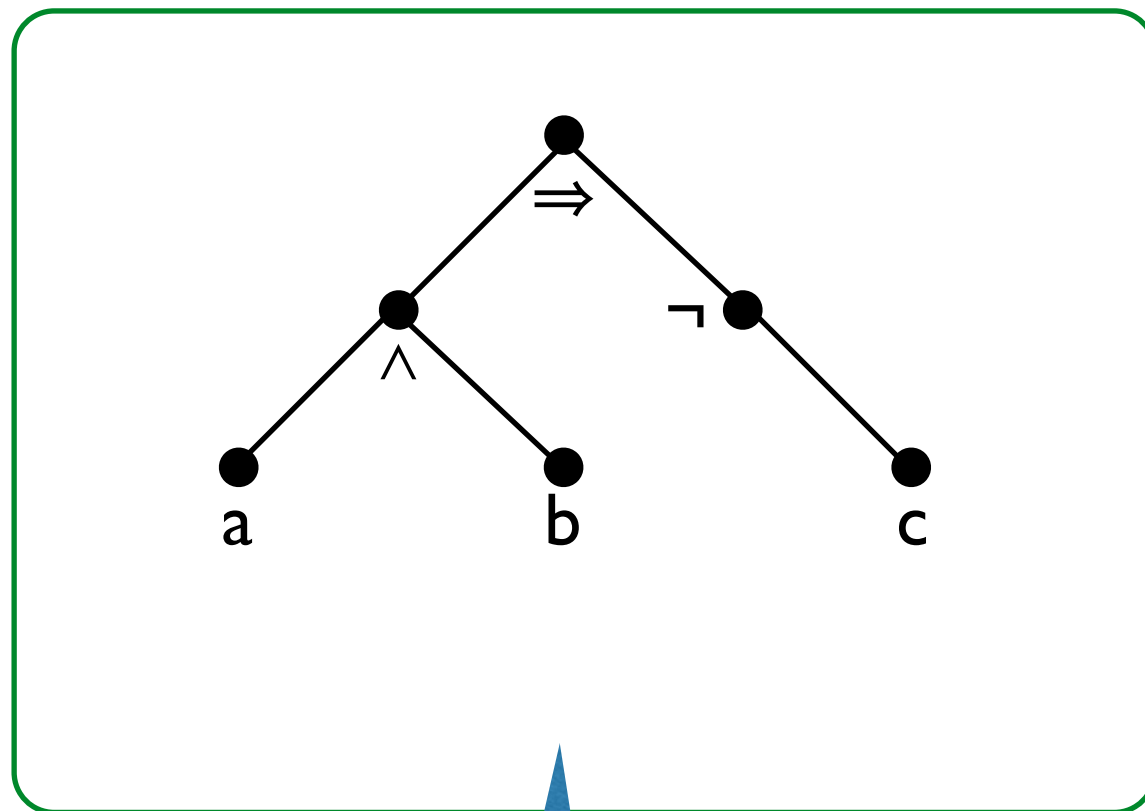
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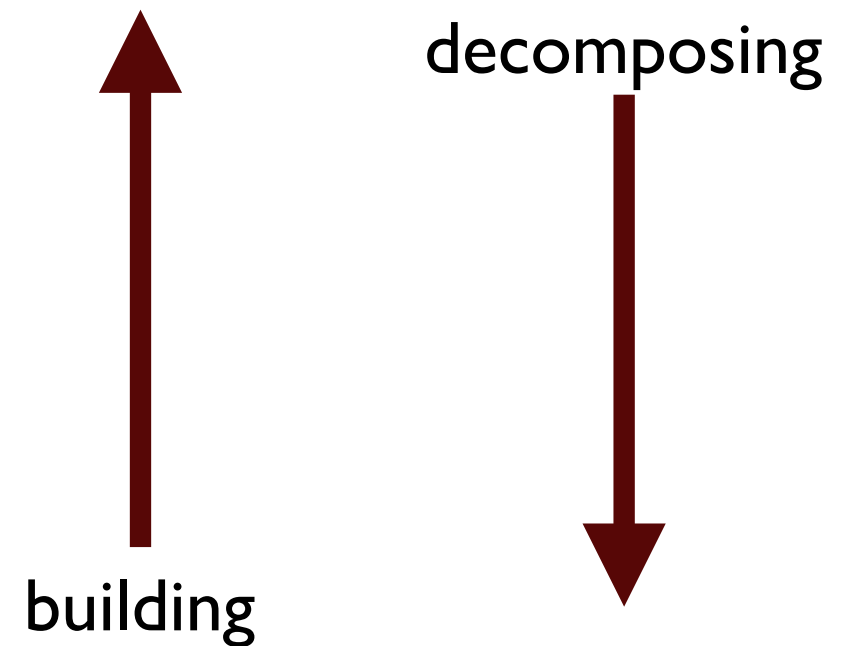


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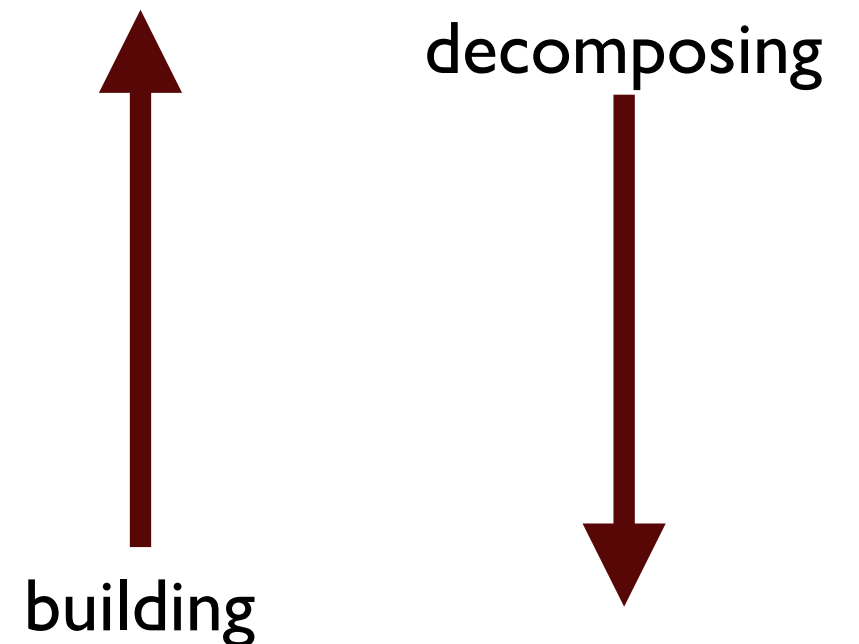
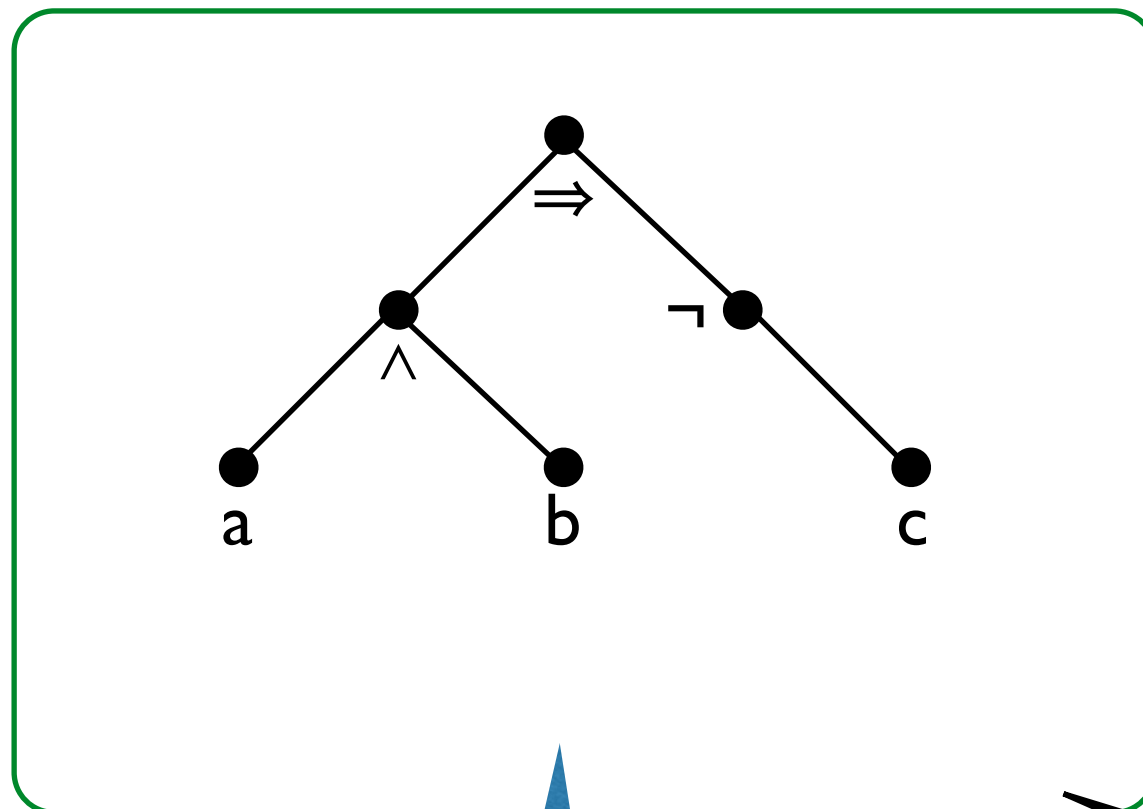


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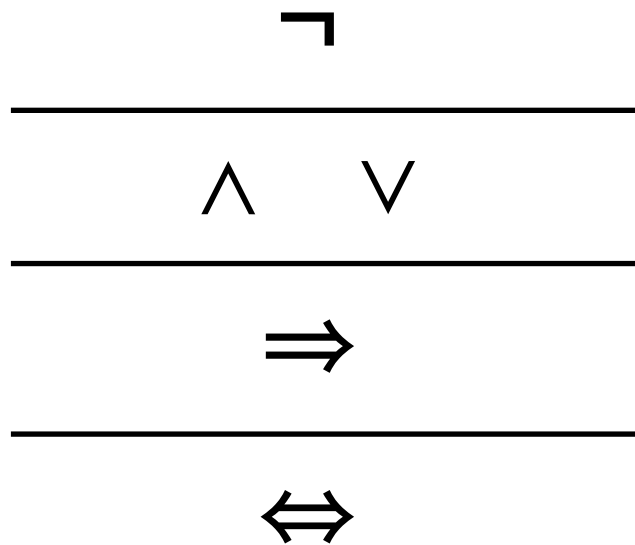
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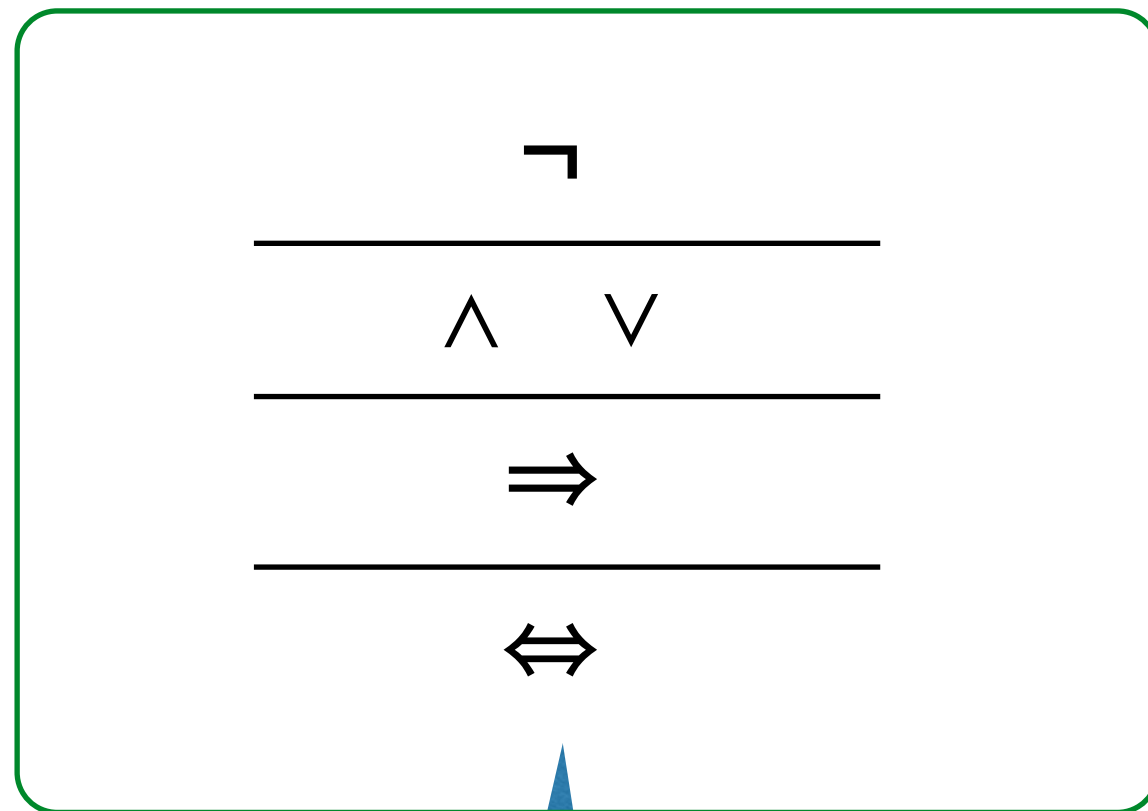
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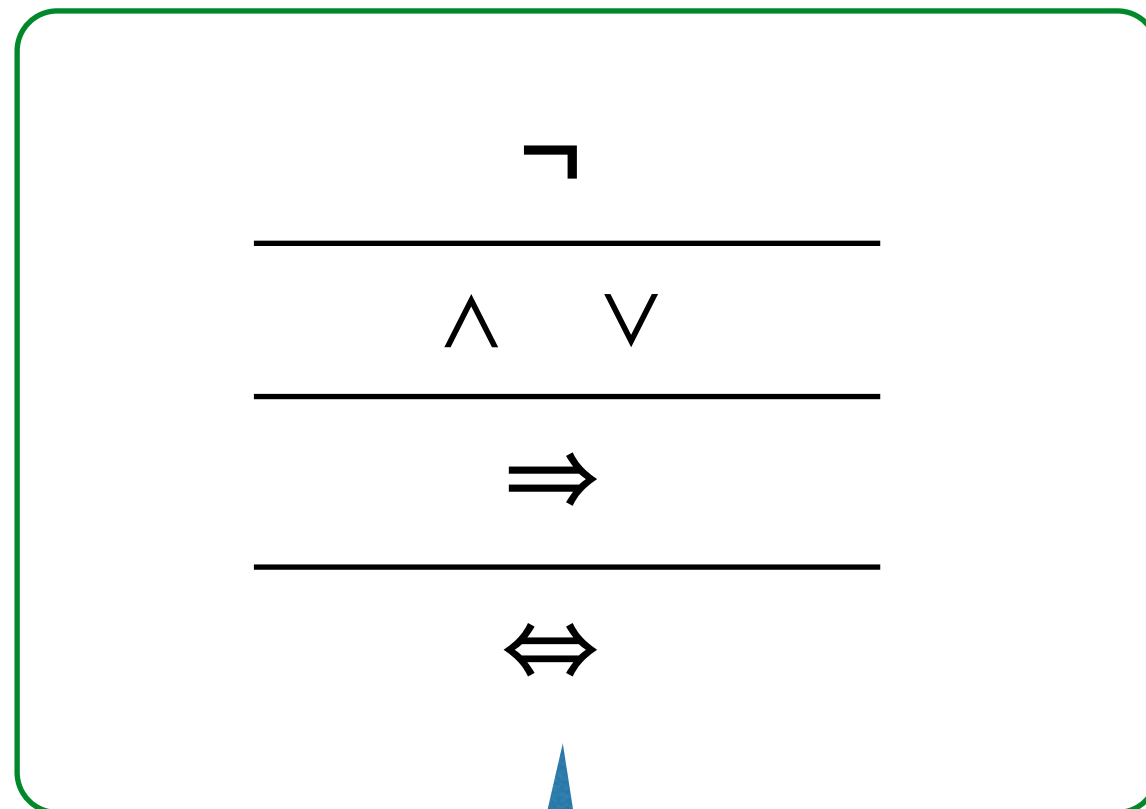
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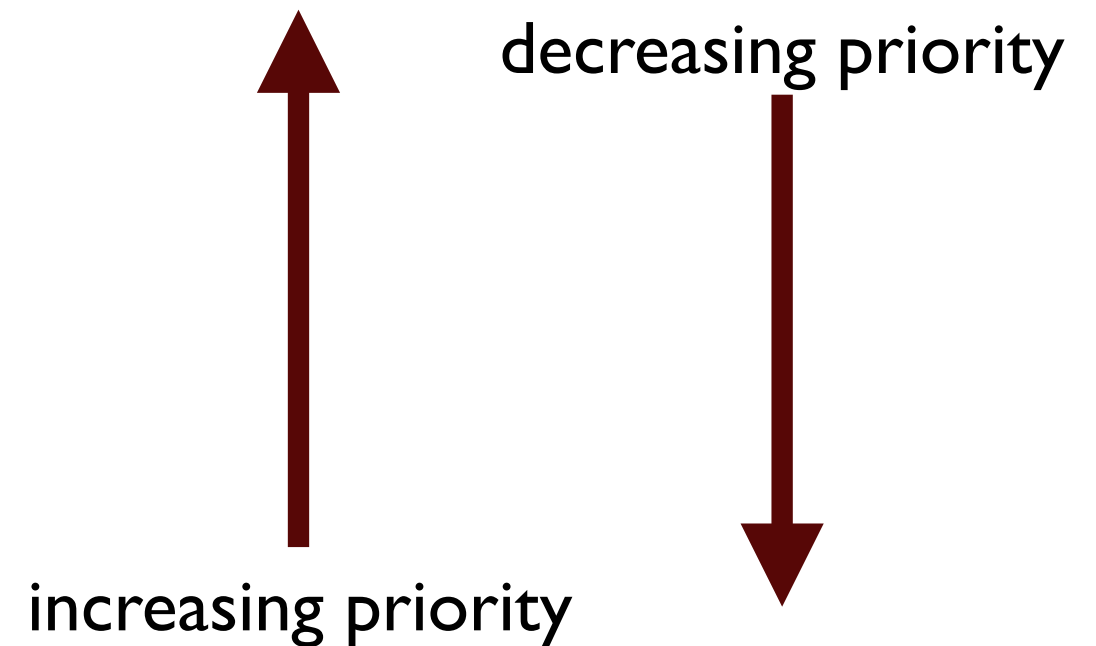
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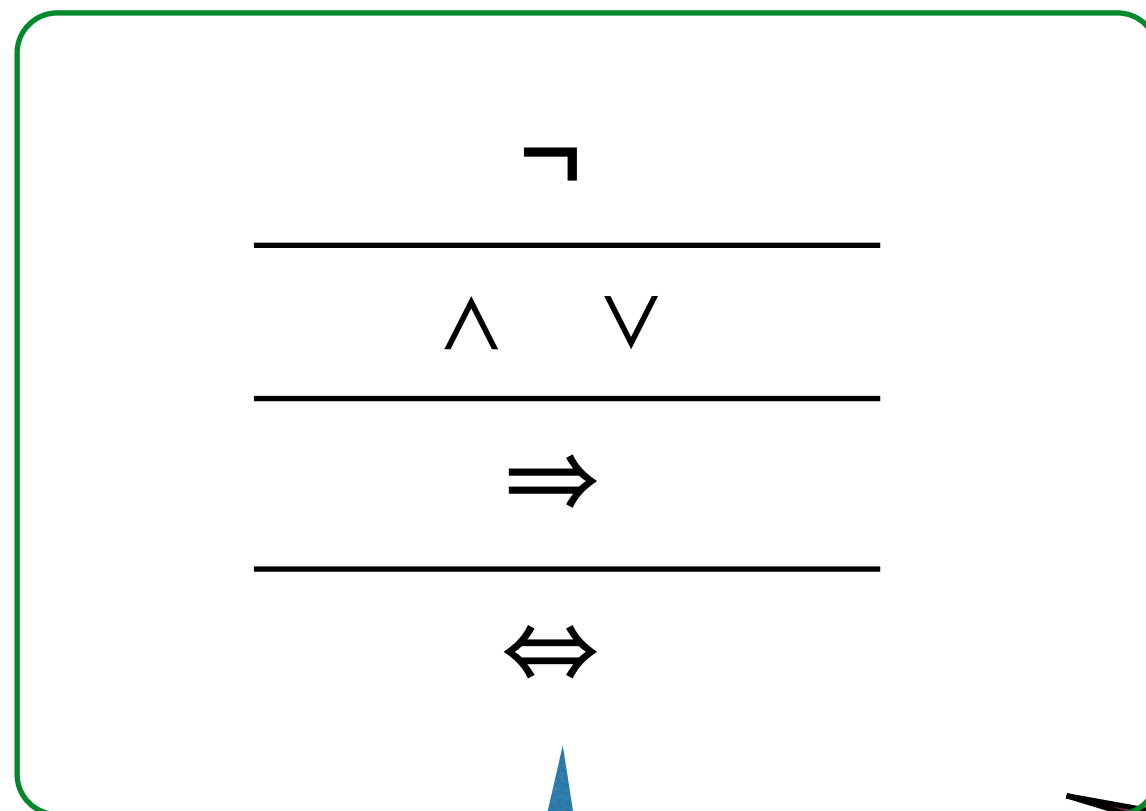
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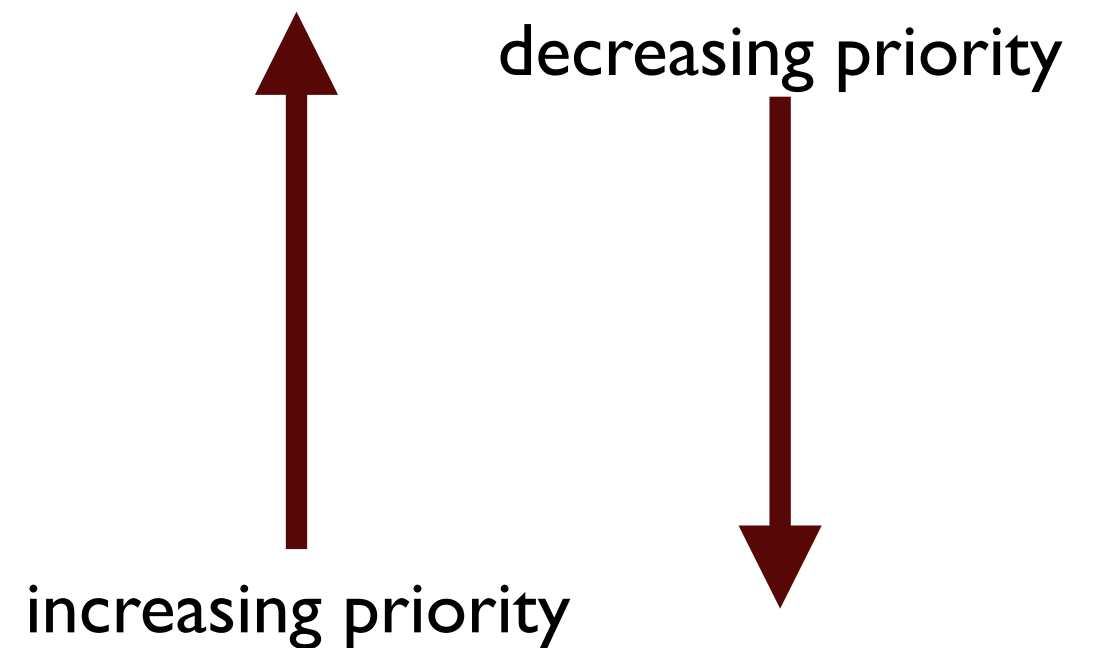
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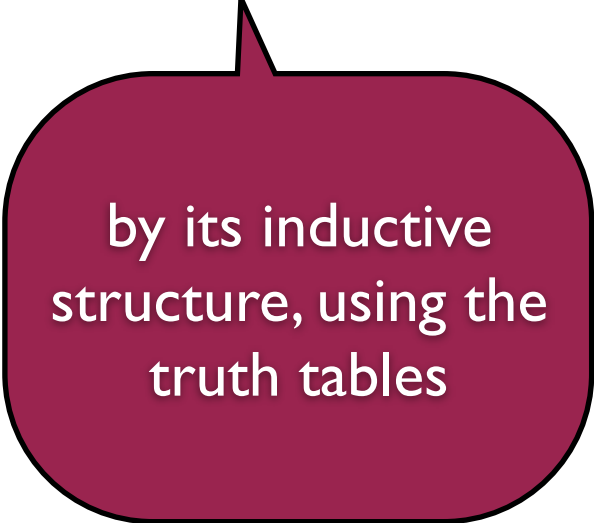


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Their truth values are the same, so they are equivalent

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# Propositional Logic

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# Calculating with equivalent propositions (the use of standard equivalences)



# Recall...

**Definition:** Two abstract propositions  $P$  and  $Q$  are equivalent, notation  $P \stackrel{\text{val}}{=} Q$ , iff they induce the same truth-function

on any sequence containing their common variables

**Property:** The relation  $\stackrel{\text{val}}{=}$  is an equivalence on the set of all abstract propositions.

i.e., for all abstract propositions  $P, Q, R$ ,  
(1)  $P \stackrel{\text{val}}{=} P$ ; (2) if  $P \stackrel{\text{val}}{=} Q$ , then  $Q \stackrel{\text{val}}{=} P$ ; and  
(3) if  $P \stackrel{\text{val}}{=} Q$  and  $Q \stackrel{\text{val}}{=} R$ , then  $P \stackrel{\text{val}}{=} R$

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# Standard Weakenings

and-or-weakening

$$P \wedge Q \stackrel{val}{\models} P$$

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Extremes

$$F \stackrel{val}{\models} P$$

$$P \stackrel{val}{\models} T$$

# Calculating with weakenings (the use of standard weakenings)

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