

# Introduction to Computer Technology

## Assignment 3: Logic Gates

**Due date: Thu. 5 Oct. 2017**

1. In order to say that 3 is larger than 2, a mathematician writes " $3 > 2$ ". If she wants to say that 7 is smaller than 9 she writes " $7 < 9$ ", but she could as well write " $9 > 7$ ". That is, something like " $34 < 78$ " can be read as 34 is smaller than 78 or as 78 is larger than 34. Say if the following sentences are true or false.

- a)  $3 > 2$
- b)  $7 < 4$
- c)  $2 > 1$  AND  $6 < 9$
- d)  $2 > 1$  AND  $9 < 9$
- e)  $2 > 1$  OR  $9 < 9$
- f)  $2 > 3$  OR  $9 < 9$
- g)  $2 > 3$  OR ( NOT ( $9 < 9$ ) )
- h) ( NOT ( $2 > 3$ ) ) OR  $9 < 6$

2. The mathematician also often likes to express things like 2 is smaller or equal than 3 and she writes for that " $2 \leq 3$ ", or she wants to say 120 is larger or equal than 7 and for that she writes " $120 \geq 7$ ". Say if the following sentences are true or false.

- a)  $(3 > 2)$  OR  $(2 \geq 2)$
- b)  $(3 > 2)$  OR ( NOT ( $2 \geq 2$ ) )
- c)  $(3 \leq 2)$  OR  $(7 \geq 2)$
- d) NOT (  $(3 \leq 2)$  OR  $(7 \geq 2)$  )
- e) NOT (  $(3 > 0)$  OR  $(3 > 10)$  )
- f) NOT (  $(3 \leq 0)$  OR  $(3 \geq 10)$  )

3. Write the truth table of the following logic expression. Assume that x and y stand for values of the input and z is the final output

- a)  $x$  OR (NOT y)
- b) NOT (  $x$  AND y )
- c) (NOT x) OR (NOT y)
- d) NOT (  $x$  OR y )
- e) (NOT x) AND (NOT y)