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logic originally meaning e the word e or e what is spoken e is generally held to consist of the systematic study of the form of arguments a valid argument is one where there is a specific relation of logical support between the assumptions of the argument and its conclusion there is no universal agreement as to the exact scope and subject matter of logic but it has traditionally included the classification of arguments the systematic exposition of the logical form common to all valid arguments the study of inference including fallacies and the study of semantics including paradoxes historically logic has been studied in philosophy and mathematics and recently logic has been studied in computer science linguistics psychology and other fields the book is about the logic and talks about various aspects of it such as general character of the enquiry argument from analogy mathematical reasoning etc this book will prove to be very useful for the people interested in logic as well as the students of logic harry gensler engages the reader with the basics of logic through practical examples and important arguments in the history of philosophy and from contemporary philosophy students learn logic by practicing it by working through problems analyzing existing arguments and constructing their own arguments in plain language and symbolic notation the art of reasoning not only introduces the principles of critical thinking and logic in a clear accessible and logical manner thus practicing what it preaches but it also provides ample opportunity for students to hone their skills and master course content introduction to logic is a proven textbook that has been honed through the collaborative efforts of many scholars over the last five decades its scrupulous attention to detail and precision in exposition and explanation is matched by the greatest

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