

Problem Set 2

1. For the universe of all integers, let $p(x), q(x), r(x), s(x)$ and $t(x)$ be the following statements:

- $p(x)$: x is even
- $q(x)$: x is (exactly) divisible by 4
- $r(x)$: x is (exactly) divisible by 5
- $s(x)$: $x > 0$
- $t(x)$: x is a perfect square

Write the following statements in symbolic form:

- (a) At least one integer is even.
 - (b) There exists a positive integer that is even.
 - (c) If x is even, then x is not divisible by 5.
 - (d) No even integer is divisible by 5.
 - (e) There exists an even integer divisible by 5.
 - (f) if x is even and x is a perfect square, then x is divisible by 4.
2. Consider the universe of all polygons with three or four sides, and define the following open statements for this universe.

- $a(x)$: all interior angles of x are equal
- $e(x)$: x is an equilateral triangle
- $h(x)$: all sides of x are equal
- $i(x)$: x is an isosceles triangle
- $p(x)$: x has an interior angle that exceeds 180
- $q(x)$: x is a quadrilateral
- $r(x)$: x is a rectangle
- $s(x)$: x is a square
- $t(x)$: x is a triangle

Translate each of the following statements into an English sentence, and determine whether the statement is true or false.

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) $\forall x [q(x) \oplus t(x)]$ c) $\exists x [t(x) \wedge p(x)]$ e) $\exists x [q(x) \wedge \neg r(x)]$ g) $\forall x [h(x) \rightarrow e(x)]$ i) $\forall x [s(x) \leftrightarrow (a(x) \wedge h(x))]$ | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> b) $\forall x [i(x) \rightarrow e(x)]$ d) $\forall x [(a(x) \wedge t(x)) \leftrightarrow e(x)]$ f) $\exists x [r(x) \wedge \neg s(x)]$ h) $\forall x [t(x) \rightarrow \neg p(x)]$ j) $\forall x [t(x) \rightarrow (a(x) \leftrightarrow h(x))]$ |
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3. Let $p(x, y), q(x, y)$ and $r(x, y)$ represents three open statements, with the replacement for variables x, y chosen from some prescribed universe(s). What is the negation of the following statement?

$$\forall x \exists y [(p(x, y) \wedge q(x, y)) \rightarrow r(x, y)]$$

Show all the steps.

4. Let $p(x,y)$, $q(x,y)$ denote the following statements.

$$p(x, y) : x^2 \leq y \qquad q(x, y) : x + 2 < y$$

In the universe for each of x,y consists of all real numbers, determine the truth value of each of the following statements.

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| a) $p(2, 4)$ | b) $q(1, \pi)$ |
| c) $p(-3, 8) \wedge q(1, 3)$ | d) $p(\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{3}) \vee \neg q(-2, -3)$ |
| e) $p(2, 2) \rightarrow q(1, 1)$ | f) $p(1, 2) \leftrightarrow \neg q(1, 2)$ |

5. Let the universe of discourse for both variables be the set of integers. Determine whether the following universally quantified statements are **true** or **false**. If **false** give one counter-example for each part.

- (a) $\forall x \forall y (\neg(x = y) \rightarrow \neg(x^2 = y^2))$
- (b) $\forall x \exists y (x = y^3)$
- (c) $\forall x \exists y (1/x = y)$
- (d) $\forall x \exists y (y^3 < 100 + x)$
- (e) $\forall x \forall y (xy = y)$
- (f) $\forall x \forall y (x^3 \neq y^2)$

6. Let $G(x, y)$ be the predicate “ x is a good friend of y ”. Let the UoD be all students in LUMS. Using quantifier negation prove that $\neg \exists x \forall y G(x, y) \equiv \forall x \exists y \neg G(x, y)$

7. Suppose a software system has 9 components $\{A, B, C, D, E, F, G, H, I\}$. Each component has either exactly one of the two types of bugs (Bug 1 and Bug 2) or has no bug (is clean). We want to identify which components have Bug 1 or Bug 2 or is clean. The software testing team has summarized its findings as follows.

- (7.1) Let $P(x)$ be the predicate that component x has Bug 1, let $Q(x)$ be the predicate that component x has Bug 2 and let $R(x)$ be the predicate that component x is clean. Translate each of the below findings in terms of the predicates $P(x)$, $Q(x)$ and $R(x)$.

- (a) E and H do not have the same bug.
- (b) If G has Bug 1 then all components have Bug 1.
- (c) If E has Bug 1 then H has Bug 1 too.
- (d) If C has Bug 1 then D and F do not have Bug 1.

- (e) If either E or H has Bug 1 then I does not have Bug 2.
- (f) At least 4 components have Bug 1.
- (g) If A has either bug then all components have Bug 2.
- (h) A and F are not in the same category.
- (i) B has Bug 2.
- (j) At least one of C and G have the same bug as B .
- (k) Exactly 2 components have Bug 2.
- (l) If I has bug 2 then at least one of D , F and A have Bug 2 too.
- (m) If E or G have bug 2 then all components have either Bug 1 or Bug 2.

- (7.2) Determine which components have Bug 1, which ones have Bug 2 and which are clean.

Hint: First determine which components have Bug 1 then determine which ones have Bug 2 and then list the clean ones.

8. (a) Prove the following DeMorgan's law for sets using membership table.

$$\overline{A \cup B \cup C} = \bar{A} \cap \bar{B} \cap \bar{C}$$

- (b) Let A , B and C be any sets. Prove the following identity using membership table.

$$\overline{(A \cap B) \cup (\bar{A} \cap C)} = (A \cap \bar{B}) \cup (\bar{A} \cap \bar{C})$$

- (c) Let A , B , and C be any sets. Prove the following identity by showing that each side is a subset of the other side.

$$(A \setminus C) \cup (B \setminus C) = (A \cup B) \setminus C.$$

- (d) Let A , B and C be any sets. Show using set identities that

$$\overline{(A \cup C) \cap B} = \bar{B} \cup (\bar{C} \cap \bar{A}).$$

- (e) Let A , B and C be any sets. Show using set identities that

$$\overline{\overline{(A \cup B) \cap C} \cup \bar{B}} = B \cap C$$

9. Prove or disprove each of the following for set A , $B \subseteq \mathcal{U}$

(a) $\mathcal{P}(A \cap B) = \mathcal{P}(A) \cap \mathcal{P}(B)$

(b) $\mathcal{P}(A \cup B) = \mathcal{P}(A) \cup \mathcal{P}(B)$

10. Write down all elements of the following two sets, A and B , where

$$A = \mathcal{P}(\mathcal{P}(\emptyset)),$$

$$B = \mathcal{P}(A),$$

and

$$C = \mathcal{P}(B).$$