

Mistakes

1. Negation of: I have a friend all of whose former boyfriends had at least two siblings with exactly three different vowels in their name.

Each of my friends has a former boyfriend who had at most one siblings with exactly three different vowels in their name.

2. x 's domin: $\forall a > 0, x \leq a$.

$x \leq 0$.

3. Formally prove:

$$\forall a > 0, \exists b \in \mathbb{R}, \text{ s.t. } (b + \sin b) \cdot a > 7.$$

pf. Let $a > 0$. (fix a).

Take $b = \frac{8}{a} + 1$.

Since $\sin b \in [-1, 1]$, indeed,

$$(b + \sin b)a \geq (b - 1) \cdot a = \frac{8}{a} \cdot a = 8 > 7.$$

Therefore.



4. Prove:

Suppose that $a \in \mathbb{Z}$. If a^2 is even, then a is even.

pf. Let $a \in \mathbb{Z}$.

The negation is: $\exists a \in \mathbb{Z}, a^2$ is even and a is odd.

When doing rough work, we need to figure out the value of b , but not reformulate the question.

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Since $a = 2k+1$, $k \in \mathbb{Z}$. when a is odd.

$$a^2 = (2k+1)^2 = 4k^2 + 4k + 1 = 2(2k^2 + 2k) + 1 \text{ is odd.}$$

The negation is false.

Hence, the statement is true ■

5. Prove:

The sum of a rational number and an irrational number is irrational.

pf. Let $a \in \mathbb{Q}$, $b \notin \mathbb{Q}$

Take $c = a + b$. indeed $b = c - a$

The negation: $c - a$ is rational.

Therefore, $c - a$ is a rational number, negates b is irrational.

To conclude, c is irrational. ■

6. Let $S = \{2, 3, 5, 7, 11\}$. $\forall x \in S, \exists y \in S$ s.t. $x+y$ is even.

True! Since x, y are variables they can be the same number in set S .

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