

# Prep Work 2

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## Exercise 0.2 18

**Presentation:** Yes

**Solution Draft:** Suppose  $P(x)$  is some predicate for which the statement  $\forall xP(x)$  is true. Is it also the case that  $\exists xP(x)$  is true? In other words, is the statement  $\forall xP(x) \rightarrow \exists xP(x)$  always true? Is the converse always true? Assume the domain of discourse is non-empty.

$\forall xP(x) \rightarrow \exists xP(x)$  is always true. If for all  $x$ ,  $P(x)$  exists, then there must also be a  $x$  that exists where  $P(x)$  is true.

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**Presentation:** Include here whether you'd be willing to present this one.

**Solution Draft:**

For each of the statements below, give a domain of discourse for which the statement is true, and a domain for which the statement is false.

a.  $\forall x \exists y (y^2 = x)$

For all positive real number  $x$ ,  $y$  exists.

For negative real number  $x$ , there are no  $y$ s that exist that can satisfy  $(y^2 = x)$

b.  $\forall x \forall y (x < y \rightarrow \exists z (x < z < y))$

For all numbers between  $x$  and  $y$ ,  $z$  exists.

When  $x > y$ , the statement is false.

c.  $\exists x \forall y \forall z (y < z \rightarrow y \leq x \leq z)$

For  $x = y = z = 0$  the statement is true

Including decimals, the statement is true.

For only whole numbers, the statement is false because  $y = 2$  and  $z = 3$ , there are no whole numbers for  $x$  to exist.

## Exercise 0.3 Investigate!

**Questions**

1. Find the cardinality of each set below.

(a)  $A = \{3, 4, \dots, 15\}$ .

- (b)  $B = \{n \in \mathbb{N} : 2 < n \leq 200\}$ .
- (c)  $C = \{n \leq 100 : n \in \mathbb{N} \wedge \exists m \in \mathbb{N}(n = 2m + 1)\}$ .
- 2. Find two sets  $A$  and  $B$  for which  $|A| = 5$ ,  $|B| = 6$ , and  $|A \cup B| = 9$ . What is  $|A \cap B|$ ?
- 3. Find sets  $A$  and  $B$  with  $|A| = |B|$  such that  $|A \cup B| = 7$  and  $|A \cap B| = 3$ . What is  $|A|$ ?
- 4. Let  $A = \{1, 2, \dots, 10\}$ . Define  $B_2 = \{B \subseteq A : |B| = 2\}$ . Find  $|B_2|$ .
- 5. For any sets  $A$  and  $B$ , define  $AB = \{ab : a \in A \wedge b \in B\}$ . If  $A = \{1, 2\}$  and  $B = \{2, 3, 4\}$ , what is  $|AB|$ ? What is  $|A \times B|$ ?

**Solution Draft:**

- 1. The cardinality of each set:
  - (a)  $|A| = 13$
  - (b)  $|B| = 198$
  - (c)  $|C| = 50$
- 2. For sets  $A$  and  $B$  where  $|A| = 5$ ,  $|B| = 6$ , and  $|A \cup B| = 9$ , the intersection cardinality  $|A \cap B|$  is 2.
- 3. For sets  $A$  and  $B$  with  $|A| = |B|$  such that  $|A \cup B| = 7$  and  $|A \cap B| = 3$ , the cardinality  $|A|$  (or  $|B|$ ) is 5.
- 4. For set  $A = \{1, 2, \dots, 10\}$  and  $B_2$  being the 2-element subsets of  $A$ , the cardinality  $|B_2|$  is 45.
- 5. For sets  $A = \{1, 2\}$  and  $B = \{2, 3, 4\}$ , the cardinality of the product set  $|AB|$  is 5 and the cardinality of the Cartesian product  $|A \times B|$  is 6.

**Presentation:** Not this one