

Quiz 3

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1a. let $p = 7n-2$ is even
let $q = n$ is even

$$p \rightarrow q \equiv \sim q \rightarrow \sim p$$

Assume n is odd

$$n = 2k+1, k \in \mathbb{Z} \text{ by def of odd int.}$$

$$7n-2 = 7(2k+1)-2$$

$$= 14k+7-2$$

$$= 14k+5 = 2(7k+2) + 1$$

$$= 2r+1, r = 7k+2, r \in \mathbb{Z}$$

$\therefore 7n-2$ is odd. So since $\sim q \rightarrow \sim p$, then $p \rightarrow q$ is true by contraposition QED

1b. Assume p & $\sim q$. Since $7n-2$ is even, $7n$ is even by addition of 2. Then $7n-n$ must be odd by subtraction of even & odd int. $7n-n \equiv 6n \equiv 2(3n) \equiv 2r, n=3n$
However $7n-n = 2r$ which is even by definition which contradicts our assumptions QED

2. Assume $\sim[(\sim p \wedge w) \rightarrow (p \vee \sim s)] \equiv (\sim p \wedge w) \wedge (\sim p \wedge s)$

$$\begin{array}{ll} \sim p = F & w = T \\ p = T & s = T \end{array}$$

$$Q \rightarrow p \quad \checkmark \quad Q = F$$

$$(R \vee S) \vee w \quad \checkmark \quad R = T$$

$$U \iff \sim Q \quad \checkmark \quad U = T$$

$$(R \wedge U) \rightarrow p \quad \checkmark$$

$$w \rightarrow (R \vee p) \quad \checkmark$$

Invalid

3. Assume $\sim[\sim S \rightarrow \sim U] \equiv \sim S \wedge U$
 $S = T \quad U = T$

$U \rightarrow R \quad \checkmark \quad R = T$

$P \quad \checkmark \quad P = T$

$Q \rightarrow (R \rightarrow S) \quad \checkmark \quad Q = F$

$P \vee Q \quad \checkmark$

Invalid

4.1 $(T \vee C) \rightarrow (V \wedge P)$

1 $P \rightarrow \bigcirc$

2 $\sim \bigcirc$

3 \vdots

4 $\sim T$

$\sim P$ by Modus Tollens (2,3)

$\sim(T \vee C)$ Modus Tollens (1,2)

$\sim T \wedge \sim C$ Negation of a conjunction

5. a. $\forall x \exists y (x^2 = y)$ True. You can pick an y such that

$y = x^2$

b. $\forall x \exists y (x = y^2)$ False. $x = -1$, $y = i$ which isn't in domain

c. $\exists x \forall y (xy = 0)$ True. if $x = 0$ $xy = 0$

d. $\exists x \exists y (x+y \neq y+x)$ False. contradicts commutative

$x=1, y=1$

e. $\forall x (x \neq 0 \rightarrow \exists y (xy = 1))$ True. for any $n \neq 0$ $n(\frac{1}{n}) = 1$

f. $\exists x \forall y (y \neq 0 \rightarrow xy = 1)$ False. if $y = 2$ then $x = \frac{1}{2}$. If

$$y=3 \quad x=\frac{1}{3} \quad \& \quad \frac{1}{2} \neq \frac{1}{3}$$

g. $\forall x \exists y (x+y=1)$ True. For any n , $n+(-(n-1))=1$
 $n-n+1=1 \Rightarrow 1=1 \quad \checkmark$

h. $\exists x \exists y (x+2y=2 \wedge 2x+4y=5)$ False. Don't know how a counter example works here.

$$\begin{array}{rcl} 2x+4y=5 & & 2x+4y=5 \\ -2(x+2y=2) \Rightarrow & & -2x-4y-4 \\ \hline & & 0 \neq 1 \end{array}$$

i. $\forall x \exists y (x+y=2 \wedge 2x+4y=5)$ False. There's a unique solution.
 $x=1 \rightarrow y=1 \wedge y=\frac{3}{4}$
 $1 \neq \frac{3}{4}$

$$\begin{array}{rcl} 2x+4y=5 & & 2x+4y=5 \\ -2(x+y=2) \Rightarrow & & -2x-2y=-4 \\ \hline & & 2y=1 \\ & & y=\frac{1}{2} \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{rcl} x+\frac{1}{2}=2 & & \\ \hline x=\frac{3}{2} & & \end{array}$$

j. $\forall x \forall y \exists z (z=(x+y)/2)$ True. You can choose a z such that $z = \frac{x+y}{2}$

6. Assume a, b, c are even if their sum is even then
 $\neg q \rightarrow \sim p$ & therefore $p \rightarrow q$

$$a=2k, b=2l, c=2m$$

if a, b, c are even, $a+b+c$ is even by def of an even int.
 if a, b, c are not even, $a+b+c$ is not even by def of an even int.
 therefore a, b, c are even if their sum is even

Proof by contraposition QED

7. Assume (rational) / (irrational) \rightarrow rational

$$\frac{a}{b}x = \frac{m}{n}$$

$$x = \frac{mb}{na}$$

x must be rational but we assumed x was irrational.

QED proof by contradiction

8. $\frac{a}{b}$ = rational, r = irrational, $\frac{\frac{a}{b} + r}{2}$ = irrational
bc $\frac{a}{b} + r$ is irrational

assume $\frac{a}{b} < r$

$$r + \frac{a}{b} < r + r \Rightarrow r + \frac{a}{b} < 2r \Rightarrow \frac{r + \frac{a}{b}}{2} < r$$

$$\frac{a}{b} < r \Rightarrow \frac{a}{b} + \frac{a}{b} < \frac{a}{b} + r \Rightarrow 2\frac{a}{b} < \frac{a}{b} + r$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{a}{b} < \frac{\frac{a}{b} + r}{2}$$

$$\frac{a}{b} < \frac{\frac{a}{b} + r}{2} < r$$

QED

9.

$\boxed{8}$	$\boxed{5}$	$\boxed{3}$
8	0	0
5	5	0

3	2	3
6	2	0
6	0	2
1	5	2

Not sure how to
formerly prove this
but following these
steps makes it possible.

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10.

W		W		B
	W		W	
W		W		W
	W		W	
B		W		B

False even though
number of squares is
even, because a domino
covers 1 black & 1 white
if # of black \neq # of
white impossible.

Since all 4 corners are
black removing any 3
corners means

black = 10 & # white
= 12. $10 \neq 12$