

FUNDAMENTALS OF LOGIC• PREPOSITION

→ It is a declarative sentence which is meaningful and assigned one and only one truth value (T/F).

Ex: All the CSM-A students gets placed in Amazon with

2. The sun rises in the East. 22 LPA

Note: The prepositions are denoted by lower case letters viz p,q,r,s,t and so on.

→ Prepositions are connected by means of connectives like conjunction (\wedge and), disjunction (\vee or), implies (\rightarrow If...then), double implies (\leftrightarrow If....only if), negation (\sim / \neg)

CONSTRUCTION OF TRUTH TABLES1. Conjunction (\wedge)

P	q	$p \wedge q$
T	T	T
T	F	F
F	T	F
F	F	F

p,q are two propositions
both ~~positions~~ (statement)

p. and q is T if both p and q are true, otherwise false.

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3. Implication (\rightarrow)

P	q	$p \rightarrow q$
T	T	T
T	F	F
F	T	T
F	F	T

p, q are two propositions (statements)
 $p \rightarrow q$ is false if p is true and q is
 false, otherwise true.

4. Bi-implication (\leftrightarrow)

P	q	$p \leftrightarrow q$
T	T	T
T	F	F
F	T	F
F	F	T

p, q are two propositions (statements)
 $p \leftrightarrow q$ is true if both p and q are
 same truth values; otherwise false

5. Negation (\sim / \neg)

P	$\sim p$
T	F
F	T

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TAUTOLOGY

→ It is a proposition function whose truth value is true for all possible values of proposition variables (i.e., in the resultant truth table, the last column consists of all are true).

CONTRADICTION (ABSURDITY)

→ It is a proposition function whose truth value is false for all possible values of proposition variables (i.e., in the resultant truth table, the last column consists of all are false).

Q. Verify the following propositions are tautology or not

$$(i) \sim(p \vee q) \vee [\sim p \wedge \sim q] \vee p$$

$$(ii) [p \rightarrow [(q \vee r) \wedge \sim q]] \rightarrow (p \rightarrow r)$$

$$(iii) [(p \rightarrow q) \wedge (q \rightarrow r)] \leftrightarrow [(p \vee q) \rightarrow r]$$

$$(iv) [(p \vee q) \rightarrow r] \wedge (\neg p) \rightarrow (q \rightarrow r)$$

Sol:

(i)

P	q	$\sim p$	$\frac{p \vee q}{ca}$	$\frac{\sim p \wedge q}{cb}$	$\frac{\sim p}{cd}$	$\frac{\sim(p \vee q)}{ca}$	$\sim(\sim p \wedge q)$	$\sim(\sim p)$
T	T	F	T	F	T	F	T	T
T	F	F	T	F	T	F	T	T
F	T	T	T	F	T	F	T	T
F	F	T	F	T	T	F	T	T

→ The above proposition is a tautology

(ii)

P	q	r	$\sim q$	$q \vee r$ (a)	$a \wedge r$ (b)	$P \rightarrow b$ (c)	$P \rightarrow r$ (d)	$c \rightarrow d$
T	T	T	F	T	F	F	T	T
T	T	F	F	T	F	F	F	T
T	F	T	T	T	T	T	T	T
T	F	F	T	F	F	F	F	T
F	T	T	F	T	F	T	T	T
F	T	F	T	F	T	T	T	T
F	F	T	T	T	T	T	T	T
F	F	F	T	F	T	T	T	T

→ The above proposition is a tautology

(iii)

P	q	r	$P \rightarrow q$ (a)	$q \rightarrow r$ (b)	$a \wedge b$ (c)	$P \vee q$ (d)	$d \rightarrow r$ (e)	$c \leftrightarrow e$
T	T	T	T	T	T	T	T	T
T	T	F	T	F	F	T	F	T
T	F	T	F	T	F	T	T	F
T	F	F	F	T	F	T	F	T
F	T	T	T	T	T	T	T	T
F	T	F	T	F	F	T	F	T
F	F	T	T	T	F	T	T	T
F	F	F	T	T	F	F	T	T

→ The above proposition is not a tautology

P	q	r	$p \vee q$	$\frac{a \rightarrow r}{(a)}$	$\frac{a \rightarrow r}{(b)}$	$\neg q$	$\frac{b \wedge (\neg q)}{(c)}$	$\frac{q \rightarrow r}{(d)}$	$c \rightarrow d$
T	T	T	T	T	F	F	F	T	T
T	T	F	T	F	F	F	F	T	T
T	F	T	T	T	T	T	T	T	T
T	F	F	T	F	T	F	T	T	T
F	T	T	T	T	F	F	T	T	T
F	T	F	T	F	F	F	F	T	T
F	F	T	F	T	T	T	T	T	T
F	F	F	F	T	T	T	T	T	T

→ The above expression is a tautology

TRANSLATION OF SENTENCES TO THE SYMBOLIC FORM

Q Construct the following prepositions

(a) p → Vandhana is playing cricket

q → Vandhana is inside a home

r → Vandhana is doing her homework

s → Vandhana is listening to music.

Translate the following sentences into symbolic form by using above prepositions.

(i) Either Vandhana playing cricket or inside her home. [p ∨ q]

(ii) Neither Vandhana play cricket nor doing her homework. [¬p ∧ ¬q ∨ (¬r) ∨ (p ∨ r)]

Either...or → or (v) Neither...nor → and (n)

(iii) Vandhana is playing cricket and not doing her homework. [p \wedge \neg r]

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(iv) Vandhana is inside doing her homework and not playing cricket. [$(q \wedge r) \wedge (\neg p)$]

(v) Vandhana is inside doing her homework while listening to music. ~~and~~ not playing cricket.
[$(q \wedge r) \wedge s \wedge (\neg p)$]

while → and (\wedge)

(vi) Neither Vandhana listening to music nor playing cricket. ~~and~~ and she is doing her homework inside. [$\neg(s \vee p) \wedge (q \wedge r)$]

(vii) Neither Vandhana listening to music nor playing cricket and she is either doing her homework or she is inside. [$\neg(s \vee p) \wedge (q \vee r)$]

Q. Use the above prepositions p,q,r,s and translate the following prepositions into acceptable English.

(i) $(\neg p) \wedge (\neg q)$

(v) $(\neg p \wedge q) \vee (\neg p \wedge s)$

(ii) $p \vee (q \wedge r)$

(iii) $p \vee (\neg r)$

(iv) $(\neg p \vee q) \wedge (\neg r \vee s)$

- Sol:
- (i) Neither Vandhana is playing cricket nor inside her home.
- (ii) Either Vandhana is playing cricket or she is inside her home and playing doing homework.
- (iii) Either Vandhana is playing cricket or she is not doing her homework.
- (iv) Either Vandhana is not playing cricket or she is inside her house and not doing her homework or listening to music.
- (v) Neither Vandhana is playing cricket nor inside her home or not playing cricket and listening to music.

→ It is an idea or conclusion that is drawn from evidence and proper reasoning.

Ex:

1. A person with a bag having a duster and laptop

→ Therefore the person is an Engineering student.

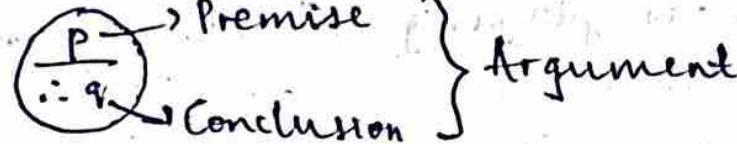
2. A person with a camera and tripod stand is a photographer.

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Q. If Sai reads a daily worker, then he is a Communist.

$$(p \rightarrow q)$$

Sai reads daily worker, therefore he is a Communist.



Note: All the premises are connected by conjunction [and (\wedge)] and the straight line replaced by implication and the conclusion should be written after implication. The whole thing is called an argument.

Ex:

$$\frac{p \quad q}{\therefore r} \quad \text{The tautological form is}$$

$$(p \wedge q) \rightarrow r$$

→ There are two types of arguments (Inferences). They are: (a) Valid Argument
(b) Invalid Argument

RULES OF INFERENCES & REFERRED TO THE LANGUAGE OF PROPOSITION

Rule of Inference	Tautological Form	Name
1. $\frac{p \quad q}{\therefore p \vee q}$ (or) $\frac{p}{\therefore p \vee q}$	$p \rightarrow (p \vee q)$ (or) $q \rightarrow (p \vee q)$	Addition
2. $\frac{p \wedge q}{\therefore p}$ (or) $\frac{p \wedge q}{\therefore q}$	$(p \wedge q) \rightarrow p$ (or) $(p \wedge q) \rightarrow q$	Simplification

3.	$\begin{array}{c} p \\ \frac{p \rightarrow q}{\therefore q} \end{array}$	$(p \wedge (p \rightarrow q)) \rightarrow q$	Modus Ponens
4.	$\begin{array}{c} \sim q \\ p \rightarrow q \\ \hline \therefore \sim p \end{array}$	$[(\sim q) \wedge (p \rightarrow q)] \rightarrow \sim p$	Modus Tollens
5.	$\begin{array}{c} p \vee q \\ \frac{\sim p}{\therefore q} \end{array}$	$[(p \vee q) \wedge (\sim p)] \rightarrow q$	Disjunctive Syllogism
6.	$\begin{array}{c} p \rightarrow q \\ q \rightarrow r \\ \hline \therefore p \rightarrow r \end{array}$	$[(p \rightarrow q) \wedge (q \rightarrow r)] \rightarrow (p \rightarrow r)$	Hypothetical Syllogism
7.	$\begin{array}{c} p \\ q \\ \hline \therefore p \wedge q \end{array}$	$(p \wedge q) \rightarrow (p \wedge q)$	Conjunction
8.	$\begin{array}{c} (p \rightarrow q) \wedge (r \rightarrow s) \\ p \vee r \\ \hline \therefore q \vee s \end{array}$	$[(p \rightarrow q) \wedge (r \rightarrow s)] \wedge (p \vee r) \rightarrow (q \vee s)$	Constructive Dilemma
9.	$\begin{array}{c} (p \rightarrow q) \wedge (r \rightarrow s) \\ \sim q \vee \sim s \\ \hline \therefore (\sim p \vee \sim r) \end{array}$	$[(p \rightarrow q) \wedge (r \rightarrow s)] \wedge (\sim q \vee \sim s) \rightarrow (\sim p \vee \sim r)$	Destructive Dilemma

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EXAMPLES ON INFERENCE RULES

1. Addition

p: Sravan is studying very hard.

q: Sravan is a good student.

$$\frac{p \text{ i.e.,}}{\therefore p \vee q}$$

Sravan is studying very hard, therefore Sravan is either studying very hard or a good student.

2. Simplification

p: Vardhan is a very good student.

q: Vardhan got first class with distinction.

$$\frac{p \wedge q}{\therefore p}$$

Vardhan is a very good student and got first class with distinction. Therefore Vardhan is a very good student.

3. Modus Ponens

p: Mahesh Babu has password.

q: Mahesh Babu can login to Twitter.

$$\frac{(p \wedge (p \rightarrow q)) \rightarrow q}{p \rightarrow q}$$

Mahesh Babu has password ^{then} and if Mahesh Babu has password he can login to Twitter. Therefore Mahesh Babu can log in to Twitter.

4. Modus Tollens

$$\neg q \quad \neg q$$

$$\frac{p \rightarrow q}{\therefore \neg p}$$

Mahesh Babu cannot log in to Twitter and if he has password ^{then} he can log in to Twitter.

Therefore, Mahesh Babu does not have password.

5. If Mahesh Babu has password then he can log in to Twitter but he cannot log in to Twitter. Therefore, Mahesh Babu does not have password.

5. Hypothetical Syllogism

p: Harshini is studying very hard.

q: Harshini writes exams very well.

r: Harshini is topper of the college.

$$\begin{array}{c} p \rightarrow q \\ q \rightarrow r \\ \hline \therefore p \rightarrow r \end{array}$$

If Harshini is studying very hard then she will writes exams very well and if she writes exams very well, then she will be the topper of the college. Therefore if Harshini

is studying very hard; then she will be the topper of the college.

6. Disjunctive Syllogism

p: Ice cream is Vanilla flavour.

q: Ice cream is chocolate flavour.

$$p \vee q$$
$$\neg p$$
$$\therefore q$$

Ice cream is either Vanilla or chocolate

flavour. and not Vanilla flavour. Therefore
ice cream is chocolate flavour.

7. Constructive Dilemma

\rightarrow p: It is raining

q: I will take leave

r: It is too hot outside

s: I will go to shower.

$$(p \rightarrow q) \wedge (r \rightarrow s)$$

$$p \vee r$$
$$\therefore q \vee s$$

If it is raining then I will take leave and
if it is too hot outside then I will go to

shower and it is either raining or it is too hot outside. Therefore, I will take leave and ~~I~~ will go to shower.

8. Destructive Dilemma

$$(p \rightarrow q) \wedge (r \rightarrow s)$$

$$\frac{\sim q \vee \sim s}{\therefore (\sim p \vee \sim r)}$$

$$\therefore (\sim p \vee \sim r)$$

If it is raining then I will take leave and if it is too hot outside then I will go to shower and ~~it is~~ either I will not take leave or will not go to shower. Therefore, ~~I~~ it is not raining or it is not too hot outside.

EQUIVALENT FORMULAE

$$1. \sim(\sim p) \Leftrightarrow p \quad \text{Double Negation}$$

$$2. p \wedge q \Leftrightarrow q \wedge p$$

$$3. p \vee q \Leftrightarrow q \vee p \quad \text{Commutative}$$

$$4. p \wedge (q \vee r) \Leftrightarrow (p \wedge q) \vee r \quad \text{Distributive}$$

$$5. p \vee (q \vee r) \Leftrightarrow (p \vee q) \vee r \quad \text{Associative}$$

$$6. p \vee (q \wedge r) \Leftrightarrow (p \vee q) \wedge (p \vee r) \quad \text{De-Morgan's Law}$$

$$7. p \wedge (q \vee r) \Leftrightarrow (p \wedge q) \vee (p \wedge r) \quad \text{Distributive}$$

$$8. \sim(p \vee q) \Leftrightarrow (\sim p) \wedge (\sim q) \quad \text{De-Morgan's Law}$$

$$9. \sim(p \wedge q) \Leftrightarrow (\sim p) \vee (\sim q) \quad \text{De-Morgan's Law}$$

10. $p \vee p \Leftrightarrow p$
11. $p \wedge p \Leftrightarrow p$
12. $r \vee (p \wedge \neg p) \Leftrightarrow r$
13. $r \wedge (p \vee \neg p) \Leftrightarrow r$
14. $r \wedge (p \wedge \neg p) \Leftrightarrow F$
15. $r \vee (p \vee \neg p) \Leftrightarrow T$
- ★ 16. $p \rightarrow q \Leftrightarrow \neg p \vee q$
- ★ 17. $\neg(p \rightarrow q) \Leftrightarrow p \wedge \neg q$
- ★ 18. $p \rightarrow q \Leftrightarrow (\neg q) \rightarrow (\neg p)$
19. $p \rightarrow (q \rightarrow r) \Leftrightarrow (p \wedge q) \rightarrow r$
20. $\neg(p \leftrightarrow q) \Leftrightarrow p \leftrightarrow (\neg q)$
21. $p \leftrightarrow q \Leftrightarrow (p \rightarrow q) \wedge (q \rightarrow p)$
22. $(p \rightarrow q) \Leftrightarrow (p \wedge q) \vee (\neg p \wedge \neg q)$

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Q If the baby is hungry, then baby cries.
 If the baby is not mad, then he doesn't cry.
 If the baby is mad, then has red face.

Therefore, the baby is hungry, then he has red face.

Let Prove this argument is valid by using inference rules
Sol: $\neg p$: Baby is hungry $\neg q$: Baby is not mad $\neg r$: Baby has red face

q : Baby cries

r : Baby is mad

$\neg r$: Baby has red face

$$\boxed{1} (p \rightarrow q) \wedge (\neg r \rightarrow \neg q) \wedge (r \rightarrow s) \rightarrow (p \rightarrow s)$$

$$\neg r \rightarrow \neg q$$

$$r \rightarrow s$$

$$\therefore p \rightarrow s$$

$$(1) \neg r \rightarrow \neg q$$

Premise 2

$$(2) [2] q \rightarrow r$$

From equivalent formulae

$$(3) r \rightarrow s$$

Premise 3

$$(2,3) [4] q \rightarrow s$$

Hypothetical Syllogism

$$(5) p \rightarrow q$$

Premise 1

$$(5,4) [6] p \rightarrow s$$

Hypothetical Syllogism

\therefore The given argument is valid.

2. Determine whether the following argument is valid or not.

$$p \rightarrow (r \rightarrow s)$$

$$\neg r \rightarrow \neg p$$

P: Hypothetical syllogism

$$\therefore s$$

$$\underline{\text{Sol:}} [1] \neg r \rightarrow \neg p$$

Premise 2

$$(1) [2] p \rightarrow r$$

From Equivalent formulae

$$[3] p$$

Premise 3

$$(3,2) [4] r$$

Modus Ponens

$$[5] p \rightarrow (r \rightarrow s)$$

Premise 1

(3,5) [6] $\neg r \rightarrow s$ (Modus Ponens)

(4,6) [7] s Modus Ponens

\therefore The given argument is valid.

3.
$$\begin{array}{l} \neg r \\ p \rightarrow r \\ \hline q \rightarrow r \\ \hline \therefore \neg p \end{array}$$

Determine whether the argument is valid or not.

Sol: [1] $\neg r$ Premise 1

[2] $p \rightarrow r$ Premise 2

(1,2) [3] $\neg p$ Modus Tollens

[4] $q \rightarrow r$

Premise 3

[5] $\neg r \rightarrow \neg p$

From Equivalent Formula

(1,4) [5] $\neg p$ Modus Ponens

(3) [6] $\neg r \rightarrow \neg q$

From Equivalent Formula

(4,3) [7] $\neg q$ Modus Ponens

(4,7) [8] $\neg p \wedge \neg q$ Conjunction

[9] $\neg p$ Simplification

Hence given argument is valid

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4. $\neg r$, Determine whether the argument is valid or not.

$$\frac{p \rightarrow q \\ q \rightarrow r}{\therefore \neg p}$$

Sol: [1] $\neg r$ (P) Premise 1
 [2] $p \rightarrow q$ (P) Premise 2
 [3] $q \rightarrow r$ (P) Premise 3
 (2,3) [4] $p \rightarrow r$ Hypothetical Syllogism
 (1,4) [5] $\neg p$ Modus Tollens

Hence given argument is valid.

5. $\neg r \rightarrow (s \rightarrow \neg t)$ Determine whether the argument is valid or not.

$$\begin{array}{c} \neg r \vee w \\ \neg p \rightarrow s \\ \neg w \\ \hline \therefore t \rightarrow p \end{array}$$

Sol: [2] $\neg r \vee w$ Premise 2
 (1) [2] $r \rightarrow w$ From Equivalent Formulae
 [3] $\neg w$ Premise 4
 (3,1) [4] $\neg r$ Modus Tollens
 [5] $\neg r \rightarrow (s \rightarrow \neg t)$ Premise 1
 [6] $(s \wedge t) \rightarrow r$ From Equivalent Formulae

(4,6) [7] $\neg(\alpha \wedge \beta) [\neg\alpha \vee \neg\beta]$ Modus Tollens

(7) [8] $\Delta \rightarrow \neg\beta$ from Equivalent
Formulae

[9] $\neg p \rightarrow s$ Premise 3

(6,5) [10] $\neg p \rightarrow \neg t$ Hypothetical Syllogism

(10) [11] $t \rightarrow p$ From Equivalent
Formulae

Hence given argument is valid.

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6. Check the validity of the following argument by using inference rules.

p: Madhavi is a Mathematician.

q: Madhavi is ambitious.

r: Madhavi is an early riser.

s: Madhavi takes oat meal.

$$p \rightarrow q$$

$$r \rightarrow \neg s$$

$$q \rightarrow r$$

$$\text{Conclusion: } p \rightarrow \neg s$$

Sol: [1] $p \rightarrow q$

[2] $q \rightarrow r$

(1,2) [3] $p \rightarrow r$

[4] $r \rightarrow \neg s$

Premise 1

Premise 3

Hypothetical Syllogism

Premise 2

(3,4) [5] $p \rightarrow \sim s$

Hypothetical Syllogism

\therefore If Madhavi is a Mathematician, then she does not take oat meal.

7.

I: If Thrishank is not re-elected, then Shabana will lose her air base.

II: Thrishank will be re-elected if and only if Shabana votes for him.

III: If Shabana gives her airbase, then Thrishank will be re-elected.

Convert the above statements to mathematical form.

Sol: p: Thrishank will be re-elected

q: Shabana will lose her airbase.

r: Shabana votes for Thrishank.

$$[1] \sim p \rightarrow q$$

$$[2] p \leftrightarrow r$$

$$[3] q \rightarrow p$$

Premise 1

Premise 2

Premise 3

$$(1,3)[4] \sim p \rightarrow p$$

$$(2)[5] (p \rightarrow r) \wedge (r \rightarrow p)$$

$$(4)[6] \sim(\sim p) \vee p$$

$$(6)[7] p$$

$$(2,7)[8] p \wedge (p \rightarrow r) \wedge (r \rightarrow p)$$

$$(8)[9] r \wedge (r \rightarrow p)$$

Hypothetical Syllogism

from Equivalent Formula

From Equivalent Formulas

Simplification

(q) [10] p

Modus Ponens

∴ Krishnamoorthy will be re-elected.

∴ The given argument is valid.

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METHODS OF PROOF OF IMPLICATION [G.M.Q.]

1. DIRECT METHOD

→ There are 9 methods of proof of implication. Out of them, three are given below:

1. Direct Method

2. Indirect / Contrapositive Method

3. Contradiction Method

1. DIRECT METHOD

→ The construction of direct proof of $p \rightarrow q$ implies, $(p \rightarrow q)$ begins p is true and then from the available information, from the frame of inference conclusion q is shown to be true by a valid inference.

2. INDIRECT / CONTRAPOSITIVE METHOD

→ The implication $p \rightarrow q$ is equivalent to $\sim q \rightarrow \sim p$. We can establish the truth values of

p and q by establishing $\neg q \rightarrow \neg p$.

→ This can be shown by a direct method proceeding from taking assuming that $\neg q$ is true and then from the available information, show that $\neg p$ is true (or) if we assume that q is false and then from the available information, show that p is false.

3. CONTRADICTION METHOD

→ Contradiction method exploits the fact
 $p \rightarrow q \Leftrightarrow \neg p \vee q / \neg q \vee p$.

→ Thus the proof of contradiction is constructed follows:

1. Assume $p \wedge \neg q$ is true ($\because \neg(\neg p \vee q) \Leftrightarrow p \wedge \neg q$)
2. Discover the basis of the assumption, some conclusion or patently false or while its some other facts are already established (contradicted).
3. Hence our assumption is wrong. Therefore $\neg p \vee q$ is true.

1. Suppose x is a number that $x^2 - 5x + 6 = 0$ then

$n=2$ or $n=3$ by direct method/proof.

Sol: Let P

Let P : n is a number that $x^2 - 5x + 6 = 0$

Q : $n=2$ or $n=3$

Let P is true

$x^2 - 5x + 6 = 0$ is also true

$$(n-2)(n-3) = 0$$

Now, according to the algebraic system of the
i.e., $n-2=0$ or $n-3=0$

$$\therefore n=2 \text{ or } n=3$$

Hence Proved

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2. If a is an integer such that $a-2$ is
divisible by 3, then a^2-1 is divisible by 3. Prove
this by direct method.

Sol:

P : $a-2$ is divisible by 3

Q : a^2-1 is divisible by 3

Let P is true

i.e., $a-2$ is divisible by 3

According to Division Algorithm Property

Dividend = Divisor * Quotient + Remainder

$$\Rightarrow a - 2 = 3k^* \quad \text{--- } ①$$

Now we have to prove that q is true.

To prove $a^2 - 1$ is true, it is enough to prove that $a^2 - 1$ is scalar multiple of 3.

$$a^2 - 1 = (a-1)(a+1)$$

$$= (3k+r)(3k+r+3)$$

$$= 3[(3k+r)(k+1)]$$

$$a^2 - 1 = 3k,$$

[from ①, $a = 3k+r$]

Hence Proved

~~∴ It is proved that~~

3. If the product of two integers a, b is an even, then either a is even or b is even. Prove this by indirect method (contrapositive method).

Sol: p: a, b are two integers and their product

q: Either a is even or b is even.

Let q is false.

i.e., Neither a is even nor b is even \Rightarrow

\Rightarrow Both a and b are odd

$$a = 2k_1 + 1$$

$$b = 2k_2 + 1$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{Product } ab &= (2k+1)(2k-1) \\
 &= 4k^2 - 1 \\
 &= 2k_1 - 1 \quad [\because 4k^2 \text{ is always even}] \\
 &= \text{odd}
 \end{aligned}$$

Hence

$\therefore p$ is false

Hence Proved

4. If n is the product of two positive integers a, b , then either $a \leq \sqrt{n}$ or $b \leq \sqrt{n}$. Prove this by indirect method.

Sol:- $p: n$ is the product of two positive integers a, b

$\neg p$: Either $a > \sqrt{n}$ or $b > \sqrt{n}$

Let $\neg p$ is false

i.e., Neither $a \leq \sqrt{n}$ nor $b \leq \sqrt{n}$

\Rightarrow Both $a > \sqrt{n}$ and $b > \sqrt{n} \Rightarrow ab > n$ - ①

Product $n = ab$ - ②

But $ab > n$ [From ①]

$\therefore p$ is false

Hence Proved

5. Suppose that 10 integers $[1, 2, 3, \dots, 10]$ are randomly positioned on the circular wheel.

Show that sum of three consecutive positioned numbers is atleast 17. Prove this argument by contradiction method.

Sol: E.

Let

P: 10 integers are randomly positioned on the circular wheel

Some set

Q: Sum of three consecutive positioned numbers is atleast 17.

Let n_1, n_2, n_3 be three consecutive integers
i.e., $n_1 + n_2 + n_3 \geq 17$ — (1)

Assume that negation of (1).

$$n_1 + n_2 + n_3 < 17$$

$$\Rightarrow n_1 + n_2 + n_3 \leq 16$$

$$\Rightarrow n_2 + n_3 + n_4 \leq 16$$

[Since, given numbers are integers]

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$$\underline{n_{10} + n_1 + n_2 \leq 16}$$

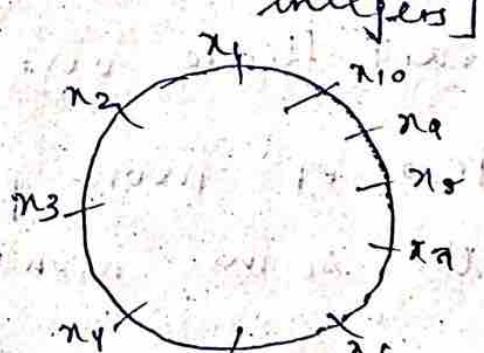
$$3(n_1 + n_2 + \dots + n_{10}) \leq 160 \quad (10)$$

$$3(1+2+\dots+10) \leq 160$$

$$3(55) \leq 160$$

$$165 \leq 160$$

which is contradiction. Hence our assumption is wrong. $n_1 + n_2 + n_3 < 17$ is wrong.



\therefore The given statement $n_1 + n_2 + n_3 \geq 17$ is correct.

6. Suppose that in a room of 13 people, 2 or more people have their birthdays in the same month. Prove this method by using contradiction method.

Sol: Let

p: There are 13 people in a room

q: Two or more people have their birthdays in the same month.

Let one person have their birthday in one different month. But there are 13 members in that room. Therefore, 13 member have their ~~therefor~~ birthdays in 13 months which is contradiction (because we have 12 months in a year). Hence our assumption is wrong.

\therefore Two or more people have their birthdays in the same month.

PIGEON HOLE PRINCIPLE

Statement

\rightarrow If there are more number of pigeons than the pigeon holes, then there must be atleast two

pigeons hole with ^{at least} two pigeons.

(or)

If there are ' m ' number of pigeons objects placed in ' n ' boxes, then where $m > n$, then there exists atleast one box consisting of atleast two objects.

Proof:

The pigeon hole principle can be used by using contradiction method.

Let p: No. of Pigeons (objects) be m and no. of Pigeon holes (boxes) is n

q: At least one pigeon consists at least two pigeons.

Let p_i be the i^{th} hole where $i = 1, 2, 3, \dots, n$.
We have to prove that $p_i \geq 2$.

Assume that $p_i < 2$ ($\neg(p_i \geq 2)$ is, $p_i < 2$)
i.e., $p_i \leq 1$ [\because Pigeons are integers]

$$\Rightarrow p_2 \leq 1$$

$$p_2 \leq 1$$

$$\vdots$$

$$\underline{p_n \leq 1}$$

$$\therefore p_1 + p_2 + p_3 + \dots + p_n \leq n(1)$$

$$\Rightarrow m \leq n$$

which is contradiction to $m > n$
Hence our assumption is wrong
 \therefore Atleast one pigeon hole consists of atleast two pigeons [Pigeon Hole Principle]

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PREDICATE CALCULUS

FIRST ORDER LOGIC

→ It is that part of logic which emphasize the content of the sentence involved in the argument as well as form of arguments.

PREDICATE

Varun is a software engineer

N S

→ This can be symbolised as SC

where S - predicate, N - subject

→ Subjects are denoted by small letters and predicate by capital letter. Subject should be in the brackets.

Note: In general any statement of the type s is P can be written as P(s).

QUANTIFIERS

→ Certain declarative sentences involve the words that indicate quantity such as 'all', 'some', 'at least'

~~atmost~~ 'atmost', 'almost', 'none'; etc.

Types of Quantifiers

→ There are two types of quantifiers:

(a) Universal (\forall)

(b) Existency (\exists)

(a) Universal Quantifier

→ The quantifier "all" is called universal quantifier and denoted by " \forall ".

Ex: All natural numbers are integers.

Let ' n ' be a number; then we can symbolize the statement as

$$\forall(x) [N(x) \rightarrow W(x)]$$

Ex: All squares are rectangles

where Let ' n ' be a quadrilateral, then

$$\forall(n) [S(n) \rightarrow R(n)]$$

Note: 'For all' can also be written as for every
i. for all ' n ' which can be written as $\forall(n)$ / $\forall n$.

(b) Existency Quantifier

→ The quantifier "some" is the existency quantifier and is denoted by ' \exists ' and which can be read as "there exist".

Ex: Some birds can fly.

$$\exists(n) [B(n) \rightarrow F(n)]$$

Some odd numbers are prime numbers.

$$\exists(n) [O(n) \rightarrow P(n)]$$

Note: 1. $\forall(n) [F(n)]$ means for all n , $F(n)$ is true

2 $\exists(n) [F(n)]$ means for some n , $F(n)$ is true

(or)

at least one n exists such that $F(n)$ is true

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3. $\exists ! (n)$ means that there is a unique ' n ' exists

4. $\exists ! (n) [F(n)]$ means there is one and only one ' n ' exists such that $F(n)$ is true.

Note: The universal quantifier for all n ($\forall n$) can be connected by conjunction (\wedge) whereas existence quantifier there exists (\exists) can be connected by disjunction.

Some SOME IMPORTANT ABBREVIATIONS

→ Let $F(n)$ is true.

Sentence	Abbreviation
1. $\forall(n) [F(n)]$	All are true / None false
2. $\exists(n) [F(n)]$	Some are true / At least one true
3. $\sim [\exists(n) : F(n)]$	All false / None true
4. $\forall(n) [\sim F(n)]$	All are false

5. $\exists (n) [\neg F(n)]$	Some are false / At least one false
6. $\sim [\exists (n) [\neg F(n)]]$	All are true / None False
7. $\sim [\forall (n) [F(n)]]$	Not all are true / Some are false / At least one false
8. $\sim \forall (n) [\neg F(n)]$	Not all false / At least one true
9. $\sim [\forall (n) [\neg F(n)]]$	Some are true

SOME EQUIVALENT STATEMENTS

1. All are true : $\forall (n) [F(n)] \equiv \sim [\exists (n) [\neg F(n)]]$ - None false
2. Atleast one false : $\exists (n) [F(n)] \equiv \sim [\forall (n) F(n)]$ - Not all true
3. All are false : $\forall (n) [\neg F(n)] \equiv \sim [\exists (n) F(n)]$ - None true
4. Not all are false : $\sim \forall (n) [\neg F(n)] \equiv [\forall (n) [\neg F(n)]] \equiv [\exists (n) [F(n)]]$ - Atleast one true

NEGATION OF SOME STATEMENTS

Statement	Negation
1. All are true - $\forall (n) [F(n)]$	Atleast one false - $\exists (n) [\neg F(n)]$
2. Atleast one false - $\exists (n) [\neg F(n)]$	All are true - $\forall (n) [F(n)]$
3. All are false - $\forall (n) [\neg F(n)]$	Atleast one true - $\exists (n) [F(n)]$
4. Atleast one true - $\exists (n) [F(n)]$	All are false - $\forall (n) [\neg F(n)]$

Note:

- An open predicate $F(x)$ quantified by the universal quantifier (\forall) is really just the conjunction of many propositions.

Similarly 'there exists' (" \exists ") is really just the disjunction of many propositions

- The universe consists of a, b, c, d then

$\forall(x) [F(x)]$ means $F(a) \wedge F(b) \wedge F(c) \wedge F(d)$

$\exists(x) [F(x)]$ means $F(a) \vee F(b) \vee F(c) \vee F(d)$.

DE-MORGAN'S LAW FOR QUANTIFIERS

$$\begin{aligned} 1. \sim [\forall(x) [F(x)]] &\equiv \sim [F(a) \wedge F(b) \wedge F(c) \wedge F(d)] \\ &\equiv \sim F(a) \vee \sim F(b) \vee \sim F(c) \vee \sim F(d) \\ &\equiv \exists(x) [\sim F(x)] \end{aligned}$$

$$2. \sim [\exists(x) [F(x)]] \equiv \forall(x) [\sim F(x)]$$

→ We have seen that there are four main types of statements involving a single quantifier.

<u>Statement</u>	<u>is true</u>	<u>is false</u>
1. $\forall(x) [F(x)]$	for all ' c ' is true; then $F(c)$	at least one ' c ' is false, then $F(c)$
2 $\exists(x) [F(x)]$	at least one ' c ' is true, then $F(c)$	all ' c ' are false, then $F(c)$
3. $\forall(x) [\sim F(x)]$	for all ' c ' are false, then $F(c)$	at least one ' c ' is true, then $F(c)$

4. $\exists c \exists n \exists y F(c)$ | at least one ' c ' is false, then $F(c)$ for all ' c ' is true
then $F(c)$

SENTENCES WITH MULTIPLE QUANTIFIERS

→ In general, if ' $P(x,y)$ ' is any predicate (open preposition) involving the two variables x and y , then the following possibilities exist:

$$(\forall x)(\forall y) P(x,y)$$

$$(\exists x)(\forall y) P(x,y)$$

$$(\forall x)(\exists y) P(x,y)$$

$$(\exists x)(\exists y) P(x,y)$$

$$(\forall y)(\forall x) P(x,y)$$

$$(\exists y)(\forall x) P(x,y)$$

$$(\forall y)(\exists x) P(x,y)$$

$$(\exists y)(\exists x) P(x,y)$$

→ In a statement, if both universal and existential quantifiers involve, one always works from left to right.

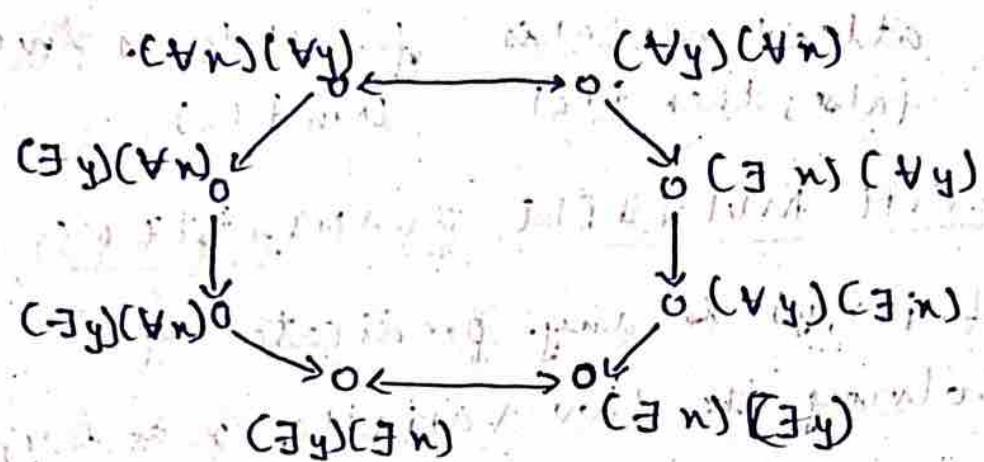
Ex: $(\forall x)(\exists y) [x+y=5]$

for all ' x ', there exists ' y ' such that sum of x and y is 5, while $y = 5 - x$.
(or)

$$(\exists y)(\exists x) [x+y=5]$$

→ There are logical relationships b/w sentences with two quantifiers, if the same predicate is involved in the same sentences.

We can depict these relationships in the following diagram:



Q Translate each of the following statements into symbols using quantifiers, variables & predicate symbols:

1 All birds can fly.

$$\forall n [B(n) \rightarrow F(n)]$$

$B(n)$: n is a bird

$F(n)$: n can fly

2 Not all birds can fly

$$\exists n [B(n) \rightarrow F(n)]$$

$B(n)$: n is a bird

$F(n)$: n can fly

3 Some men are giants

$$\exists n [M(n) \rightarrow G(n)]$$

4 No men are giants

$$\forall n [M(n) \rightarrow \neg G(n)]$$

5 There is a student who likes DMS, but not watching movies.

$$\exists n [S(n) \wedge D(n) \wedge \neg M(n)]$$

RULES OF INFERENCES FOR QUANTIFYING

PROPOSITION

1. UNIVERSAL SPECIFICATION (U.S)

→ If a statement of the form $(\forall n) P(n)$ is assumed to be true, then the Universal Quantifier can be drawn to obtain $P(c)$ is true; here ' c ' is true for an arbitrary ' c ' in the universe." (A) E:

The rule may be represented as:

$$\frac{(\forall n) P(n)}{\therefore P(c) \text{ for all } c}$$

2. UNIVERSAL GENERALISATION (U.G)

→ If a statement $P(c)$ is true for each element ' c ' in the universe, then the universal quantifier may be prefix for all ' n ', $P(n)$.

$$\begin{aligned} & \forall n P(n) \\ \Rightarrow & \frac{P(c) \text{ for all } c}{\therefore (\forall n) P(n)} \end{aligned}$$

3. EXISTENTIAL SPECIFICATION (E.S)

→ If there exists ' n ', $P(n)$ is assumed to true, then there is an element ' c ' in the universe, $P(c)$ is true. This can be represented as:

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow & \frac{(\exists n) P(n)}{\therefore P(c) \text{ for at least one } c \text{ (some } c\text{)}} \end{aligned}$$

• EXISTENTIAL GENERALISATION (E.G.)

→ If $P(c)$ is true for some c in the universe then there exists (n) , such that $P(n)$ is true and can be represented as,

$$\Rightarrow \underline{P(c) \text{ for some } c}, \therefore (\exists n) P(n)$$

Q All men are mortal.

All kings are men.

Therefore all kings are mortal.

Represent with the help of quantifier as well as the predicates.

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Q1. All birds can fly.

All parrots are birds.

All parrots can fly.

Prove this argument using inference rules.

(Ans)

Verify the validity of the argument.

Sol:

$B(n)$: n is a bird

$F(n)$: n can fly

$P(n)$: n is a parrot

$$\forall(n) [B(n) \rightarrow F(n)]$$

$$\forall(n) [P(n) \rightarrow B(n)]$$

$$\therefore \forall(n) [P(n) \rightarrow F(n)]$$

- [1] $\forall(n)[B(n) \rightarrow F(n)]$ Premise 1
- [2] $B(c) \rightarrow F(c)$ Universal Specification
- [3] $\forall(n)[P(n) \rightarrow B(n)]$ Premise 2
- [4] $P(c) \rightarrow B(c)$ Universal Specification
- [4,2] [5] $P(c) \rightarrow F(c)$ Hypothetical Syllogism
- [6] $\forall(n)[P(n) \rightarrow F(n)]$ Universal Generalisation

Q2. All men are mortal.

All kings are men.

Therefore all kings are mortal.

~~Represent with~~ Check the validity of the argument.

Sol:

$M_1(n)$: n is man

$M_2(n)$: n is mortal

$K(n)$: n is a king

$\forall(x)[M_1(n) \rightarrow M_2(n)]$

$\forall(n)[K(n) \rightarrow M_1(n)]$

$\therefore \forall(n)[K(n) \rightarrow M_2(n)]$

[1] $\forall(n)[M_1(n) \rightarrow M_2(n)]$

[2] $M_1(c) \rightarrow M_2(c)$

Premise 1

Universal Specification

- [3] $\forall(n) [K(n) \rightarrow M_1(n)]$ Premise 2
- [4] $\exists(c) K(c)$ Universal Specification
- [4, 2] [5] $K(c) \rightarrow M_2(c)$ Hypothetical Syllogism
- [6] $\forall(n) [K(n) \rightarrow M_2(n)]$ Universal Generalization

Q. Prove or disprove the validity of the following argument by rules of inference.

Some dogs are animals

Some cats are animals

Therefore some dogs are cats.

Sol:

$D(n) : n$ is a dog

$C(n) : n$ is a cat

$A(n) : n$ is a animal

$\exists(n) [D(n) \rightarrow A(n)]$

$\exists(n) [C(n) \rightarrow A(n)]$

$\therefore \exists(n) [D(n) \rightarrow C(n)]$

[1] $\exists(n) [D(n) \rightarrow A(n)]$

Premise 1

[2] $D(c) \rightarrow A(c)$

Existential Specification

[3] $\exists(n) [C(n) \rightarrow A(n)]$

Premise 2

[4] $C(c) \rightarrow A(c)$ Existential Specification

From 2 and 4, we cannot conclude $D(c) \rightarrow E(c)$

4. One student in CSM-A knows Python

Pyrogramming.

Everyone who knows Python programming can get high package job.

Therefore someone in CSM-A gets high package job. Check the validity of argument using inference rules.

Sol:

$C(n)$: n is a student of CSM-A.

$P(n)$: n knows Python programming.

$J(n)$: n gets high package job.

$$\frac{\frac{\exists c [C(c) \rightarrow P(c)]}{\forall n [P(n) \rightarrow J(n)]}}{\therefore \exists n [C(n) \rightarrow J(n)]}$$

[1] $\exists c [C(c) \rightarrow P(c)]$

Premise 1

[2] $C(c) \rightarrow P(c)$

Existential Specification

[3] $\forall n [P(n) \rightarrow J(n)]$

Premise 2

[4] $P(c) \rightarrow J(c)$

Existential Specification

(2.4) [5] $C(CD) \rightarrow JC$ Hypothetical Syllogism

[6] $\exists(n)[C(n) \rightarrow JC(n)]$ Existential Generalization.

Hence,

\therefore The argument is valid.

5. Every living thing is a plant or animal.

David's dog is alive and it is not a plant.

All animals have heart.

Hence, David's dog has heart.

Sol: Let ' x ' is a living thing

$P(n)$: n is a plant

$H(n)$: n has heart

$A(n)$: n is an animal

d : d is David's dog

$\forall(n)[P(n) \vee A(n)]$

$\neg P(d)$

$\forall(n)[A(n) \rightarrow H(n)]$

$\therefore H(d)$

[1] $\forall(n)[P(n) \vee A(n)]$

Premise 1

[2] $P(d) \vee A(d)$

Universal Specification

[3] $\neg P(d)$

Premise 2

[2,3] [4] $A(d)$

Disjunctive Syllogism

[5] $\forall(n)[A(n) \rightarrow H(n)]$

Premise 3

[6] $A(d) \rightarrow H(d)$

Universal Specification

(4, 6) [7] $H(d)$

Modus Ponens

∴ The given argument is valid.

6. Lions are dangerous animals.

There are lions.

Therefore ~~there~~ ^{there} are dangerous lions.

Sol: $L(n)$: n is a lion.

$D(n)$: n is a dangerous ~~animal~~ animal

$\forall(n)[L(n) \rightarrow D(n)]$

$\exists(n)[L(n)]$

∴ $\exists(n)[D(n)]$

[1] $\forall(n)[L(n) \rightarrow D(n)]$

Premise 1

[2] $L(c) \rightarrow D(c)$

Universal Specification

[3] $\exists(n)[L(n)]$

Premise 2

[4] $\exists(n) L(c)$

Existential Specification

(2, 4) [5] $D(c)$

Modus Ponens

[6] $\exists(n)[D(n)]$

Existential Generalization

∴ The given argument is valid.

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MATHEMATICAL INDUCTION

- Let $P(n)$ be a statement for which every integer n , $P(n)$ may be either True or False.
- To prove $P(n)$ is true, we can use Mathematical Induction. In the Mathematical Induction, there are three steps involved: These are:

Step I: Basis of Induction

- We have to prove $P(n)$ is true for $n=1$ i.e., we have to prove $P(1)$ is true

Step II: Inductive Hypothesis

- Assume that $P(n)$ is true for $n=k \quad \forall k \geq 1$, i.e.,
assume $P(k)$ is true $\forall k \geq 1$.

Step III: Inductive Step

- We have to prove $P(n)$ is true for $n=k+1$, i.e., we have to prove $P(k+1)$ is true.

1. Prove that sum of squares of n natural numbers is $\frac{n(n+1)(2n+1)}{6}$.

Sol:

(OR)

$$1^2 + 2^2 + 3^2 + \dots + n^2 = \frac{n(n+1)(2n+1)}{6}, \text{ Prove it.}$$

Sol:

Step I: Basis of Induction

Let $s(n) = \frac{n(n+1)(2n+1)}{6} - ①$

Now, $s(1) = \frac{1(1+1)(2+1)}{6} = 1$

$1 = 1$

Hence Proved

Step II: Inductive Hypothesis

Assume that $s(k)$ is true $\forall k \geq 1$

i.e; $1^2 + 2^2 + \dots + k^2 = \frac{k(k+1)(2k+1)}{6} - ②$

Step III: Inductive Step

Prove that $s(k+1)$ is true.

Consider, $s(k+1) = \underline{(k+1)(k+1)}$

Consider,

$$1^2 + 2^2 + \dots + k^2 = \frac{k(k+1)(2k+1)}{6}$$

Add $(k+1)^{\text{th}}$ term ~~to~~ on L.H.S.

$$1^2 + 2^2 + \dots + k^2 + (k+1)^2 = \frac{k(k+1)(2k+1)}{6} + (k+1)^2$$

$$= \cancel{(k^2+k)} \cancel{(2k+1)} (k+1) \left[\frac{2k^2+k}{6} + k+1 \right]$$

$$= \frac{(k+1)}{6} [2k^2 + k + 6k + 6]$$

$$= \frac{(k+1)}{6} [2k^2 + 7k + 6]$$

$$= \frac{k+1}{6} [2k^2 + 4k + 3k + 6]$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \frac{(k+1)[2k(k+2) + 3(k+2)]}{6} \\
 &= \frac{(k+1)(k+2)(2k+3)}{6} \\
 &= \frac{(k+1)((k+1)+1)(2(k+1)+1)}{6}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore S(k+1) = \frac{(k+1)(k+2)(2k+3)}{6}$$

$\therefore S(k+1)$ is true $\forall k \geq 1$

Hence, by mathematical induction, ~~it is true~~ $S(n)$ is true for $\forall k \geq 1$.

2 Prove that $11^{n+2} + 12^{2n+1}$ is divisible by 133.

Sol:

Step I: Basis of Induction

$$\text{Let } D(n) = 11^{n+2} + 12^{2n+1} \quad \text{--- } ①$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{Now, } D(0) &= 11^{0+2} + 12^{0+1} \\
 &= 11^2 + 12^1 \\
 &= 121 + 12 \\
 &= 133
 \end{aligned}$$

Here, $D(0) = 133$ which is divisible by 133
 $\therefore D(0)$ is true.

Hence Proved

Step II: Inductive Hypothesis

Assume that $D(k)$ is true $\forall k \geq 0$

i.e., $11^{k+2} + 12^{2k+1}$ is divisible by 133

i.e., $D(k) = 133m$ [By using Division algorithm rule]
 $\Rightarrow 11^{k+2} + 12^{2k+1} = 133m \quad \dots \textcircled{2}$
 $\Rightarrow 12^{2k+1} = 133m - 11^{k+2} \quad \textcircled{3}$

Step III: Inductive Step

We have to prove that $D(k+1)$ is true

i.e., $D(k+1)$ is divisible by 133.

Now,

$$\begin{aligned} D(k+1) &= 11^{(k+1)+2} + 12^{2(k+1)+1} \\ &= 11^{k+3} + 12^{2k+3} \\ &= 11^{k+3} + 12^{2k+1} \cdot 12^2 \\ &= 11^{k+3} + (133m - 11^{k+2}) \cdot 12^2 \quad [\text{From } \textcircled{3}] \\ &= 11^{k+3} + 11^{k+2} \cdot 12^2 + 133m \cdot 12^2 \\ &= 11^{k+2} [11 - 12^2] + 133m \cdot 12^2 \\ &\Rightarrow 11^{k+2} [-133] + 133m \cdot 12^2 \\ &= 133 [-11^{k+2} + 12^2 m] \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore D(k+1) = 133 [q] \quad [\text{Let } q = 12^2 m - 11^{k+2}]$$

i.e., $D(k+1)$ is divisible by 133

Hence by Mathematical Induction, $D(n)$ is true
for all $k \geq 0$

3. Prove that $6^{n+2} + 7^{2n+1}$ is divisible by 43

(QED)

4. Prove that $1^2 - 2^2 + 3^2 - \dots + (-1)^{n+1} = \frac{(-1)^{n-1} \cdot n(n+1)}{2}$

5. Prove that \forall integers $n \geq 4, 3^n > n^3$.

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3. Sol:

Step I: Basis of Induction

$$\text{Let } D(n) = 6^{n+2} + 7^{2n+1} \quad \textcircled{1}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Now, } D(0) &= 6^{0+2} + 7^{0+1} \\ &= 6^2 + 7^1 \\ &= 43 \end{aligned}$$

Here, $D(0) = 43$ which is divisible by 43.

$\therefore D(0)$ is true

Hence Proved

Step II: Inductive Hypothesis

Assume that $D(k)$ is true $\forall k \geq 0$

i.e., $6^{k+2} + 7^{2k+1}$ is divisible by 43

i.e., ~~$6^{k+2} + 7^{2k+1}$~~ $D(k) = 43m$ [By using Division Algorithm rule]

$$\Rightarrow 6^{k+2} + 7^{2k+1} = 43m \quad \textcircled{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow 7^{2k+1} = 43m - 6^{k+2} \quad \textcircled{3}$$

Step III: Inductive Step

We have to prove that $D(k+1)$ is true

i.e., $D(K+1)$ is divisible by 43

Now,

$$\begin{aligned} D(K+1) &= 6^{(K+1)+2} + 7^{2(K+1)} + 1 \\ &= 6^{K+3} + 7^{2K+3} \\ &= 6^{K+3} + 7^{2K+1} \cdot 7^2 \\ &= 6^{K+3} + [43m - 6^{K+2}] \cdot 7^2 \quad [\text{From (3)}] \\ &= 6^{K+3} + 43m \cdot 7^2 - 6^{K+2} \cdot 7^2 \\ &= 6^{K+2} [6 + 7^2] + 43m \cdot 7^2 \\ &= 6^{K+2} [-43] + 43m \cdot 7^2 \\ &= 43 [49m - 6^{K+2}] \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore D(K+1) = 43 [q]$$

$$[\text{Let } q = 49m - 6^{K+2}]$$

i.e., $D(K+1)$ is divisible by 43

Hence by Mathematical Induction, $D(n)$ is true for $\forall n \geq 0$.

5. Sol:

Step I: Basis of Induction

$$\text{Let } I(n) = 3^n > n^3 \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

$$I(4) = 3^4 > 4^3$$

$$= 81 > 64$$

$\therefore I(n)$ is true for $n=4$

Step II: Inductive Hypothesis

Assume that $I(n)$ is true ~~for $n \leq k$~~ for $n=k$

$$\text{i.e., } 3^k > k^3 \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

Step III: Inductive Step

We have to prove that $I(n)$ is true for $n = k+1$

$$\text{i.e., } 3^{k+1} > (k+1)^3$$

Consider, $3^{k+1} > (k+1)^3$

$$\Rightarrow 3^k \cdot 3 > k^3 + 1 + 3k^2 + 3k$$

$$\Rightarrow 3^k \cdot 3 > k^3 \left[1 + \frac{1}{k^3} + \frac{3}{k^2} + \frac{3}{k} \right] \quad \text{--- (3)}$$

$$\Rightarrow 3^k \cdot 3 > k^3 \left[1 + \frac{3}{k} + \frac{3}{k^2} + \frac{1}{k^3} \right] \quad \text{--- (3)}$$

From (2), $3^k > k^3$

From the ~~to~~ To prove the inequality (3), it is enough to prove that $3 > \left(1 + \frac{3}{k} + \frac{3}{k^2} + \frac{1}{k^3} \right)$ — (4)

$\exists \rightarrow$

$$3 > f(k), \text{ where } f(k) = 1 + \frac{3}{k} + \frac{3}{k^2} + \frac{1}{k^3}$$

Now, $f(k)$ ~~is~~ decreases when k increases

$\therefore f(k)$ is maximum for $k = 4$

$$\text{Now, } f(4) = 1 + \frac{3}{4} + \frac{3}{16} + \frac{1}{64}$$

$$= 1.95 \dots$$

$$\Rightarrow 3 > f(4)$$

$\Rightarrow 3 > \text{Max. value of } f(k)$

$$\Rightarrow 3 > f(k) \quad \forall k \geq 4 \quad \text{--- (5)}$$

∴ From (5)

(3) is true ~~i.e.~~ $[i.e.; 3^{k+1} > (k+1)^3]$

RECURSION

→ 1, 3, 9, 27, 81, ... = 3^n & non-negative integers ($n \geq 0$). But the same sequence can be represented recursively.

$$\text{Def. } T(0) = 1$$

$$T(1) = 3 = 3 \cdot T(0)$$

$$T(2) = 9 = 3 \cdot T(1)$$

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$$T(n) = 3 \cdot T(n-1)$$

$$T(n+1) = 3 \cdot T_n$$

→ An equation that express " a_n " in terms of one or more of the previous terms of the sequence $a_0, a_1, a_2, \dots, a_{n-1}$. If integers $n \geq n_0$ [n_0 - starting value / initial value of the sequence]

where n_0 is non-negative integer and the equation is called Recurrence Relation (RR) or Difference Equation of $\{a_n\}$.

Ex:

The binomial Fibonacci series can be expressed in the form $F_{n+1} = F_n + F_{n-1}$, $\forall n \geq 1$.

03/11/23 STRONG MATHEMATICAL INDUCTION

BASIS OF INDUCTION

→ Let $P(n)$ be a statement, prove that $P(a)$ is true $\forall a \geq 1$, i.e., $P(1), P(2), \dots$ are all true.

STRONG INDUCTIVE HYPOTHESIS

→ Assume that $P(i)$ is true $\forall 1 \leq i \leq k$.

INDUCTIVE STEP

→ Prove that $P(n)$ is true for $n = k+i$.

1. If f_n is the Fibonacci number then show that $f_n = \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} \left[\left(\frac{1+\sqrt{5}}{2}\right)^{n+1} - \left(\frac{1-\sqrt{5}}{2}\right)^{n+1} \right]$.

Sol: Here,

$$f_{n+1} = f_n + f_{n-1}, \quad \forall n \geq 1 \quad \text{①}$$

where $f_0 = 0, f_1 = 1$

Basis of Induction

Prove that $f_n = \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} \left[\left(\frac{1+\sqrt{5}}{2}\right)^{n+1} - \left(\frac{1-\sqrt{5}}{2}\right)^{n+1} \right]$ is true for $n=1$.

$$= \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} \left[\frac{(1+\sqrt{5})^2}{4} - \frac{(1-\sqrt{5})^2}{4} \right]$$

$$= \frac{1}{4\sqrt{5}} [(1+\sqrt{5})^2 + (1-\sqrt{5})^2]$$

$$= \frac{1}{4\sqrt{5}} [2(1)(\sqrt{5})] = 1$$

$$\therefore f_1 = \frac{3}{\sqrt{5}} \Rightarrow f_1 = 1$$

Hence f_n is true for $n=1$

Strong Inductive Hypothesis

Assume that $P(i)$ is true $\forall 1 \leq i \leq k$

$$f_k = \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} \left[\left(\frac{1+\sqrt{5}}{2}\right)^{k+1} - \left(\frac{1-\sqrt{5}}{2}\right)^{k+1} \right] \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

Inductive Step

Prove that f_n is true for $n=k+1$

$$f_{k+1} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} \left[\left(\frac{1+\sqrt{5}}{2}\right)^{k+2} - \left(\frac{1-\sqrt{5}}{2}\right)^{k+2} \right]$$

From the Fibonacci Relation

$$f_{k+1} = f_k + f_{k-1}$$

Now,

$$f_k + f_{k-1} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} \left[\left(\frac{1+\sqrt{5}}{2}\right)^{k+1} - \left(\frac{1-\sqrt{5}}{2}\right)^{k+1} \right]$$

$$+ \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} \left[\left(\frac{1+\sqrt{5}}{2}\right)^{k-1+1} - \left(\frac{1-\sqrt{5}}{2}\right)^{k-1+1} \right] \quad [\text{From (2)}]$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} \left[\left(\frac{1+\sqrt{5}}{2} \right)^{k+1} + \left(\frac{1+\sqrt{5}}{2} \right)^k \right] - \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} \left[\left(\frac{1-\sqrt{5}}{2} \right)^{k+1} + \left(\frac{1-\sqrt{5}}{2} \right)^k \right] \\
&= \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} \left(\frac{1+\sqrt{5}}{2} \right)^k \left[\frac{1+\sqrt{5}+1}{2} \right] - \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} \left(\frac{1-\sqrt{5}}{2} \right)^k \left[\frac{1-\sqrt{5}+1}{2} \right] \\
&= \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} \left\{ \left(\frac{1+\sqrt{5}}{2} \right)^k \cdot \left(\frac{3+\sqrt{5}}{2} \right) - \left(\frac{1-\sqrt{5}}{2} \right)^k \cdot \left(\frac{3-\sqrt{5}}{2} \right) \right\} \\
&= \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} \left[\left(\frac{1+\sqrt{5}}{2} \right)^k \left(\frac{1+\sqrt{5}}{2} \right)^2 - \left(\frac{1-\sqrt{5}}{2} \right)^k \left(\frac{1-\sqrt{5}}{2} \right)^2 \right] \\
&= \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} \left[\left(\frac{1+\sqrt{5}}{2} \right)^{k+2} - \left(\frac{1-\sqrt{5}}{2} \right)^{k+2} \right]
\end{aligned}$$

2 & For $\forall n \geq 1$, prove that for each positive integer, the n^{th} Fibonacci number $f_n = \left(\frac{1}{4}\right)^n$

Sol: We know that the Fibonacci relation

$$f_{n+1} = f_n + f_{n-1} \quad \forall n \geq 1 \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

$$f_0 = 0 \quad f_1 = 1$$

Basis of Induction

$$f_1 = \left(\frac{1}{4}\right)^1 \quad \text{for } n=1$$

$1 < \frac{1}{4}$, which is true

$\therefore f_n$ is true for $n=1$.

Strong Mathematical Induction

Assume that f_i is true $\forall 1 \leq i \leq k$
i.e., $f_i < \left(\frac{1}{4}\right)^k \quad \text{--- (2)}$

Inductive Step.

We have to prove that $f_{k+1} < \left(\frac{7}{4}\right)^{k+1}$.

From the Fibonacci Recurrence Relation,

$$f_{k+1} = f_k + f_{k-1} \quad \forall k \geq 1$$

Now,

$$\begin{aligned} f_k + f_{k-1} &< \left(\frac{7}{4}\right)^k + \left(\frac{7}{4}\right)^{k-1} \\ &\leq \left(\frac{7}{4}\right)^k \left[1 + \left(\frac{7}{4}\right)^{-1}\right] \\ &\leq \left(\frac{7}{4}\right)^k \left(\frac{11}{7}\right) \\ &< \left(\frac{7}{4}\right)^k \cdot \left(\frac{7}{4}\right) \quad \left[\because \frac{11}{7} < \frac{7}{4}\right] \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow f_k + f_{k-1} < \left(\frac{7}{4}\right)^{k+1}$$

$$\Rightarrow f_{k+1} < \left(\frac{7}{4}\right)^{k+1}$$

Hence Proved

Hence, by Mathematical Induction for each positive integer, the n^{th} Fibonacci number $f_n < \left(\frac{7}{4}\right)^n$