

Problem Set 1

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Translate the following sentences from English to predicate logic. The domain that you are working over is X , the set of people. You may use the functions $S(x)$, meaning that “ x has been a student of 6.042,” $A(x)$, meaning that “ x has gotten an ‘A’ in 6.042,” $T(x)$, meaning that “ x is a TA of 6.042,” and $E(x, y)$, meaning that “ x and y are the same person.”

- a) There are people who have taken 6.042 and have gotten A’s in 6.042

$$\exists x \in X. S(x). A(x).$$

- b) All people who are 6.042 TA’s and have taken 6.042 got A’s in 6.042

$$\forall x \in X. T(x). S(x). A(x).$$

- c) There are no people who are 6.042 TA’s who did not get A’s in 6.042

$$\exists x \in X. T(x). \neg A(x)$$

- d) There are at least three people who are TA’s in 6.042 and have not taken 6.042

$$\exists x_1, x_2, x_3 \in X. T(x_1). T(x_2). T(x_3). \neg E(x_1, x_2, x_3). \neg S(x).$$