

MATH301 Lecture 3

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1 discussion of logical operators

1.1 negation

The symbol \neg or \sim is used to symbolize the concept of negation, that is to say, "not"

$$P : a \wedge b \in \mathbb{Z}$$

negated form

$$\neg P := \neg(a \wedge b) = \neg a \vee \neg b$$

1.2 \forall

\forall is used to refer to all elements in a set. It is a description used to refer to the entirety of a classification of mathematical objects.

$$\forall n \in \mathbb{Z}$$

$$\neg(\forall x \ P(X)) = \exists x \neg P(X)$$

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1.3 \exists

This is the existence quantifier which states that an object or relationship exists.