

SECTION 2.3

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P	Q	R	$\sim P$	$\sim Q$	$\sim R$	$P \leftrightarrow Q$	$Q \vee R$	$P \leftrightarrow Q \vee R$	$\sim Q \vee \sim R$	$\sim P \vee \sim R$
T	T	T	F	F	F	T	T	T	F	F
T	T	F	F	F	T	T	T	T	T	T
T	F	T	F	T	F	F	T	T	T	F
T	F	F	F	T	T	F	F	T	T	T
F	T	T	T	F	F	T	T	T	F	T
F	T	F	T	F	T	T	T	T	T	T
F	F	T	T	T	F	T	T	T	T	T
F	F	F	T	T	T	T	F	F	T	T

The rows highlighted in green are the **premises** whereas the one in **yellow** is the conclusion row.
The argument is INVALID due to there existing a scenario where both the premises are true and the conclusion being false (the row highlighted in light blue—critical row).

SECTION 3.2

8) There exists a simple solution to life's problems.

\forall solutions x , if x is a simple solution, then x is not a solution to life's problems

19) \exists a integer n such that if n is a prime number then n is not odd and $n \neq 2$

29) statement: $\forall n \in \mathbb{Z}$, if n is prime then n is odd or $n = 2$.

Contrapositive: $\forall n \in \mathbb{Z}$, if n is not odd and $n \neq 2$, then n is not prime

Converse: $\forall n \in \mathbb{Z}$, if n is odd or $n=2$ then n is prime

Inverse: $\forall n \in \mathbb{Z}$, if n is not prime, then n is not odd and $n \neq 2$

38) True; If Discrete Mathematics has a u, its lowercase. There is no lowercase u, so Discrete Mathematics has no u. Therefore, the statement is true.

47) If a computer program has an error message during translation, then it is not a reasonable program.

SECTION 3.4

13) Valid due to Universal Modus Ponens.

If p then q,

p

Therefore q

19c) Valid; because that is Q therefore $\sim P$, which is contrapositive.

19d) Invalid; because that is $\sim P$ therefore Q, which is the inverse.

SECTION 4.1

13) A counterexample would be $m=4$ and $n=3$; since $2(4)+3$ is 11 (odd), but m and n are not both odd, m is even and n is odd.

41) The error is in $mn=(2p)(2q+1)=2r$

50) Yes; since if $n-m$ is even then $n-m=2r$ and if $n-m$ is even and $= n-m=2r$ then

$n^3-m^3=(n-m)(n^2+nm+m^2)$ --- factor cube

$=2r(n^2+nm+m^2)$ --- substitute def of even for $(n-m)$ to equal 2 some integer (in my case r)

Which equals the definition of an even number $\text{number}=2r$ (pg.147 Epps book--I used r for variable whereas book uses n)

SECTION 4.6

20) step1) $\forall x$ in D, if P(x) then Q(x)

P(x)=sum of two real numbers is less than 50

Q(x)=at least one of the numbers is less than 25

Step2) $\forall x$ in D, if Q(x) is false then P(x) is false.

Q(x)= one of the numbers is greater than 25

There exists no such case that a real number is greater than 25 where the sum of 2 numbers (with one being greater than 25) will yield a result that is greater than 50.

