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Math 301

HW 3

1. $\sim(P \rightarrow Q)$

P	Q	$P \rightarrow Q$	$\sim(P \rightarrow Q)$
T	T	T	F
T	F	F	T
F	T	T	F
F	F	T	F

2. $P \rightarrow \sim Q$ and $Q \rightarrow \sim P$, Logically equivalent?

P	Q	$\sim P$	$\sim Q$	$P \rightarrow \sim Q$	$Q \rightarrow \sim P$
T	T	F	F	F	F
T	F	F	T	T	T
F	T	T	F	T	T
F	F	T	T	T	T

It appears $P \rightarrow \sim Q$ and $Q \rightarrow \sim P$ share the truth value for the same P and Q values. Therefore, $P \rightarrow \sim Q$ and $Q \rightarrow \sim P$ are logically equivalent.

3. $(R \rightarrow S) \leftrightarrow (P \wedge Q)$ and P is false

a. $P \wedge Q$ is false as P is false, so $(R \rightarrow S)$ is false. The only possible way it could be false is when R is true and S is false. R=true, S=false

b. Q could be either true or false since truth value of Q does not matter.

4. $((P \rightarrow Q) \wedge \sim P) \rightarrow \sim Q$

P	Q	$(P \rightarrow Q)$	$((P \rightarrow Q) \wedge \sim P)$	$\sim Q$	$((P \rightarrow Q) \wedge \sim P) \rightarrow \sim Q$
T	T	T	F	F	T
T	F	F	F	T	T
F	T	T	T	F	F
F	F	T	T	T	T

When P is false and Q is true, the inference does not work. Therefore, the inference is not valid.

5. a. $\forall r \in \mathbb{R}, r - r = 0$ For all real number r, $r - r = 0$.

b. $\exists n \in \mathbb{Z}: 0 < n < 1$ There is an integer n which is bigger than 0 and smaller than 1.

c. $\forall x, y \in \mathbb{R}, xy = yx$ For all real number x and y, $xy = yx$.

d. $\exists q \in \mathbb{Q}: \forall r \in \mathbb{Q}, qr = 0$ There exists rational number q such that every rational number r, multiplication of q and r is equal to zero.

e. $\forall r \in \mathbb{Q}^+, \exists q \in \mathbb{Q}^+: qr = 1$ For all positive rational number r, there is a positive rational number q such that $qr = 1$.

f. $\forall X \in \mathcal{P}(W), |X| \in W$ For all sets X in powerset of W, cardinality of X is in W.

6. a. Every non-negative real number has a square root

$\forall x \in \mathbb{R} - \mathbb{R}^-, \exists y \in \mathbb{R} - \mathbb{R}^-, y = \sqrt{x}$.

b. The sine of any real number is between -1 and 1, inclusive

$$\forall x \in \mathbb{R}, -1 \leq \sin x \leq 1$$

c. There are two integers such that the square of the first is the cube of the second

$$\exists x, y \in \mathbb{Z}: x^2 = y^3.$$

d. For every integer n where $n \geq 2$, there is a prime number between n and $2n$

$$\forall n \in \mathbb{Z}^+ - \{1\}, \exists x \in \mathbb{P}: n < x < 2n$$

e. The tangent of every nonzero rational number is not rational

$$\forall x \in \mathbb{Q} - \{0\}, \tan x \notin \mathbb{Q}$$

f. The cardinality of every finite set of integers is less than that of its power set

$$\forall X \in \mathcal{P}(\mathbb{Z}), |X| < \infty \rightarrow |X| < |\mathcal{P}(X)|$$

7. a. Every rational number has a rational square

negation: There is rational number that has no rational square

b. There is a real number whose square is negative

negation: For all real number, its square is not negative

c. For every integer there is a larger integer

negation: There is an integer that has no larger integer

d. The cube of every integer is positive

negation: There is an integer that its cube is not positive

8. a. $\forall n \in \mathbb{Z}, 2n \geq n$

negation: $\exists n \in \mathbb{Z}, 2n < n$

b. $\exists n, k \in \mathbb{Z}: n - k = k - n$

negation: $\forall n, k \in \mathbb{Z}, n - k \neq k - n$

c. $\forall r \in \mathbb{R}, \exists s \in \mathbb{R}, rs = 1$

negation: $\exists r \in \mathbb{R}, \forall s \in \mathbb{R}, rs \neq 1$

d. $\forall n \in \mathbb{Z}, n > 0 \rightarrow n^2 > 0$

negation: $\exists n \in \mathbb{Z}, n > 0 \wedge n^2 \leq 0$

e. $\forall \varepsilon \in \mathbb{R}^+, \exists M \in \mathbb{R}^+: x > M \rightarrow |f(x) - b| < \varepsilon$

negation: $\exists \varepsilon \in \mathbb{R}^+, \forall M \in \mathbb{R}^+: x > M \wedge |f(x) - b| \geq \varepsilon$