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1) Let the domain be animals

$P(x)$ :  $x$  has scales

$Q(x)$ :  $x$  is a dragon

$R(x)$ :  $x$  has sharp claws

All animals with scales are dragons

$$\forall x (P(x) \rightarrow Q(x))$$

Some animals which are not dragons have

sharp claws

$$\exists x (\neg Q(x) \wedge R(x))$$

Therefore, there are animals without scales

which have sharp claws

$$\therefore \exists x (\neg P(x) \wedge R(x))$$

$$\forall x (P(x) \rightarrow Q(x))$$

$$\exists x (\neg Q(x) \wedge R(x))$$

$$\therefore \exists x (\neg P(x) \wedge R(x))$$

## Using resolution Principle

$$C_1: \forall x (P(x) \rightarrow Q(x))$$

$$C_2: \exists x (\neg Q(x) \wedge R(x))$$

$$C_3: \neg (\exists x (\neg Q(x) \neg P(x) \wedge R(x))) \quad (\text{negation of conclusion})$$

$$\Leftrightarrow \forall x \neg (\neg P(x) \wedge R(x)) \quad \text{De Morgan's law}$$

$$\Leftrightarrow \forall x (\neg (\neg P(x) \vee \neg R(x))) \quad \text{De Morgan's law}$$

$$\Leftrightarrow \forall x (P(x) \vee \neg R(x)) \quad \text{Double negation}$$

[Here 'x' is some element of the domain]

$$C_4: \neg Q(c) \wedge R(c) \quad \leftarrow \text{Existential Instantiation from } C_2$$

$$C_5: \neg Q(c)$$

From C<sub>4</sub>

$$C_6: R(c)$$

$$C_7: P(c) \rightarrow Q(c)$$

Universal Instantiation from

$$\Leftrightarrow \neg P(c) \vee Q(c)$$

$$C_8: P(c) \vee \neg R(c)$$

Universal Instantiation from

$$C_9: \neg P(c)$$

Resolution of C<sub>5</sub> & C<sub>7</sub>

$$C_{10}: P(c)$$

Resolution of C<sub>6</sub> & C<sub>8</sub>

$$C_{11}: \square$$

Resolution of C<sub>9</sub> & C<sub>10</sub>

We get an empty resolution.

Hence, it is valid.

ii)

$P(x)$ :  $x$  lives in small rate

$Q(x)$ :  $x$  has a lot of savings which makes him rich

$R(x)$ :  $x$  has a large expenditure which proves he is rich

$S(x)$ :  $x$  is rich

$$P(x) \rightarrow Q(x)$$

$$\neg P(x) \rightarrow R(x)$$

$$P(x) \vee R(x)$$

2)

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$$P(x) \rightarrow Q(x)$$

$$\neg P(x) \rightarrow R(x)$$

$$P(x) \vee R(x)$$

$$Q(x) \vee R(x)$$

Using resolution principle

$$C_1: P(x) \rightarrow Q(x)$$

$$\Leftrightarrow \neg P(x) \vee Q(x)$$

$$C_2: \neg P(x) \rightarrow R(x)$$

$$\Leftrightarrow P(x) \vee R(x)$$

$$C_3: P(x) \vee R(x)$$

$$C_4: \neg(Q(x) \vee R(x))$$

$$\Leftrightarrow \neg Q(x) \wedge \neg R(x)$$

(negation of conclusion)

By De Morgan's law

C5 :  $\exists Q(x)$

C6 :  $\exists R(x)$

C7 :  $Q(x) \vee R(x)$

C8 :  $R(x)$

C9 :  $\square$

from C4

$\exists Q(x)$  Resolution of C1 & C2

Resolution of C5 & C7

Resolution of C6 & C8

We get an empty resolution.

Hence the argument is valid.

4) Given:- every integer  $n \geq 4$  is sum of 2 primes (acc. to gold back conjecture)

To prove:- There are infinite even integers following the gold back conjecture i.e they are a sum of two primes

Proof:- • A number is prime if it is only divisible by 1 & itself.

• Sum of 2 odd numbers is even

• All primes except '2' are odd.

Let us prove that there are infinite primes.

Let us assume that there are finite primes  $p_1, p_2, \dots, p_n$  ( $n$  is the no. of primes).

$$\text{Let } P = (p_1 \cdot p_2 \cdots p_n + 1)$$

As  $P > p_n$ ,  $P$  is composite.

Thus  $P/p_i$  should be '0' ( $p_i$  is one of the primes)  
but

$$\frac{P}{p_i} = \left( \frac{p_1 p_2 \cdots p_n + 1}{p_i} \right) \neq 0 \because P \bmod p_i \neq 0$$

The same pattern continues for  $i = 1, 2, \dots, n$

This contradicts our assumption as  $p$  turns out to be a prime and  $p > p_n$ .

Thus, there are infinite primes.

(Proved by using contradiction)

As there are infinite primes, and all primes are odd except '2', we can say that there are infinite even numbers which are a sum of two primes.

Hence Proved //

3) Given:  $\neg(\neg p \wedge q) \wedge (r \rightarrow \neg s)$   
To find: PCNF

SOL:

$$\begin{aligned} & \neg(\neg p \wedge q) \wedge (r \rightarrow \neg s) \\ \Leftrightarrow & (\neg(\neg p \wedge q)) \wedge (\neg r \vee \neg s) \\ \Leftrightarrow & ((\neg \neg p) \vee (\neg q)) \wedge (\neg r \vee \neg s) \\ & ((\neg \neg r \vee \neg s) \vee (\neg p \wedge \neg q) \vee (\neg q \wedge \neg s)) \\ \Leftrightarrow & [((\neg \neg p \vee r) \wedge (\neg p \vee \neg r)) \wedge (\neg s \wedge \neg r)] \wedge \\ & [((\neg \neg r \vee \neg s) \wedge (\neg r \vee \neg s)) \vee (\neg q \wedge \neg s)] \\ \Leftrightarrow & ((\neg \neg p \vee r \vee s) \wedge (\neg p \vee \neg r \vee \neg s)) \wedge \\ & ((\neg \neg r \vee \neg s \vee \neg p) \wedge (\neg r \vee \neg s \vee \neg p)) \\ \Leftrightarrow & ((\neg \neg p \vee r \vee s) \wedge (\neg p \vee \neg r \vee \neg s)) \wedge \\ & ((\neg \neg r \vee \neg s \vee \neg p) \wedge (\neg r \vee \neg s \vee \neg p)) \\ & ((\neg \neg r \vee \neg s \vee \neg p \vee q) \wedge (\neg r \vee \neg s \vee \neg p \vee q)) \\ \Leftrightarrow & ((\neg \neg p \vee r \vee s) \wedge (\neg p \vee \neg r \vee \neg s)) \wedge \\ & ((\neg \neg r \vee \neg s \vee \neg p) \wedge (\neg r \vee \neg s \vee \neg p)) \\ & ((\neg \neg p \vee r \vee s) \wedge (\neg p \vee \neg r \vee \neg s)) \wedge \\ & ((\neg \neg r \vee \neg s \vee \neg p) \wedge (\neg r \vee \neg s \vee \neg p)) \\ & ((\neg \neg p \vee r \vee s) \wedge (\neg p \vee \neg r \vee \neg s)) \wedge \\ & ((\neg \neg r \vee \neg s \vee \neg p) \wedge (\neg r \vee \neg s \vee \neg p)) \\ \hookrightarrow & \text{PCNF} \end{aligned}$$

5)

~~Given:-~~  $p$  is odd prime.

prove that:-

$$1^n + 2^n + 3^n + \dots + (p-1)^n \equiv \begin{cases} 0 \pmod p & \text{if } p \nmid n \\ -1 \pmod p & \text{if } p \mid n \end{cases}$$

proof:- we know that  $p$  is odd prime.

\*  $\therefore p-1$  is even.

a) If  $n$  is odd

$$1^n + 2^n + 3^n + \dots + (p-1)^n = 1^n + (-1)^n + 2^n + (-2)^n + \dots + [(p-1)^n + (-1)^n] \equiv 0 \pmod p$$

If  $n$  is even and  $(p-1) \nmid n$ , then  
every term in the sum is a  $(p-1)$  power

of an integer.

So every term  $\equiv 1 \pmod p$ .

and  $(p-1)$  odd terms sum to  $(p-1) \equiv -1 \pmod p$

If  $n$  is even &  $p \equiv 1 \pmod 4$  and  $(p-1) \nmid n$ ,  
then quadratic residues come in pairs  
 $a, (p-a)$ , the sum is  $\equiv 0 \pmod p$ .

If  $n$  is even, &  $p \equiv 3 \pmod 4$  &  $(p-1) \nmid n$ ,  
the sum is  $\equiv 0 \pmod p$

~~Hence~~ Hence if  $(p-1) \mid n$ , the sum  $\equiv -1 \pmod p$   
else sum  $\equiv 0 \pmod p$