

HW 1.4

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6.

a) $\exists xN(x)$

There exists a student in my school that has visited North Dakota.

b) $\forall xN(x)$

All students in my school have visited North Dakota.

c) $\neg\exists xN(x)$

No students in my school have visited North Dakota.

d) $\exists x\neg N(x)$

There exists a student in my school that has not visited North Dakota.

e) $\neg\forall xN(x)$

Not all of the students in my school have visited North Dakota.

f) $\forall x\neg N(x)$

None of the students in my school have visited North Dakota.

8.

$R(x)$: x is a rabbit

$H(x)$: x hops

a) $\forall x(R(x) \rightarrow H(x))$

If the animal is a rabbit then it hops.

b) $\forall x(R(x) \wedge H(x))$

All animals are rabbits and they hop.

c) $\exists x(R(x) \rightarrow H(x))$

There exists an animal that if it is a rabbit then it hops.

d) $\exists x(R(x) \wedge H(x))$

There exists an animal that is a rabbit and it hops.

10.

$C(x)$: x has a cat

$D(x)$: x has a dog

$F(x)$: x has a ferret

a) A student in your class has a cat, a dog, and a ferret.

$\exists x(C(x) \wedge D(x) \wedge F(x))$

b) All student in your class have a cat, a dog, or a ferret.

$\forall x((C(x) \vee D(x) \vee F(x)))$

c) Some student in your class has a cat and a ferret, but not a dog.

$\exists x(C(x) \wedge F(x) \wedge \neg D(x))$

d) No student in your class has a cat, a dog, and a ferret.

$\neg \forall x(C(x) \wedge D(x) \wedge F(x))$ (original answer)

$\neg \exists x(C(x) \wedge D(x) \wedge F(x))$ (corrected answer)

e) For each of the three animals, cats, dogs, and ferrets, there is a student in your class who has this animal as a pet.

$\exists x(C(x) \vee D(x) \vee F(x))$ (original answer)

$\exists x C(x) \wedge \exists x D(x) \wedge \exists x F(x)$ (corrected answer)

12.

$Q(x)$: $x + 1 > 2x$

a) $Q(0)$: True

b) $Q(-1)$: True

c) $Q(1)$: False

d) $\exists x Q(x)$: True

e) $\forall x Q(x)$: False

f) $\exists x \neg Q(x)$: True

g) $\forall x \neg Q(x)$: False

16.

a) $\exists x(x^2 = 2)$: True

b) $\exists x(x^2 = -1)$: False

- c) $\forall x(x^2 + 2 \leq 1)$: True
- d) $\forall x(x^2 \neq x)$: False

24.

a) Everyone in your class has a cellular phone.

$S(x)$: x is in my class; $C(x)$: x has a cellphone

- 1. $\forall x C(x)$
- 2. $\forall x(S(x) \rightarrow C(x))$

b) Somebody in your class has seen a foreign movie.

$S(x)$: x is in my class; $M(x)$: x has seen a foreign movie

- 1. $\exists x M(x)$
- 2. $\exists x(S(x) \wedge M(x))$

c) There is a person in your class who cannot swim.

$S(x)$: x is in my class; $C(x)$: x can swim

- 1. $\exists x \neg C(x)$
- 2. $\exists x(S(x) \wedge \neg C(x))$

d) All students in your class can solve quadratic equations.

$S(x)$: x is in my class; $Q(x)$: x can solve quadratic equations

- 1. $\forall x Q(x)$
- 2. $\forall x(S(x) \rightarrow Q(x))$

e) Some student in your class does not want to be rich.

$S(x)$: x is in my class; $R(x)$: x wants to be rich

- 1. $\exists x \neg R(x)$
- 2. $\exists x(S(x) \wedge \neg R(x))$