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Quiz #3

Name: key

Show all work clearly and in order. Please box your answers. 10 minutes.

1. Write the following statements efficiently using quantifiers and standard notation.

(a) For every integer m , 2^{m+1} is positive.

$$\forall m \in \mathbb{Z}, 2^{m+1} > 0$$

(b) There exists an integer n such that n is not a natural number.

$$\exists n \in \mathbb{Z} \text{ such that } n \notin \mathbb{N}$$

(c) The product of any two real numbers is a real number.

$$\forall x, y \in \mathbb{R}, xy \in \mathbb{R}$$

(d) For every positive real number x , there is a real number y such that $xy = 1$.

$$\forall x \in \mathbb{R}^+, \exists y \in \mathbb{R} \text{ such that } xy = 1$$

2. Which statements from question 1 are true?

All of them: (a), (b), (c) and (d)

3. Negate the following statements.

(a) $\exists n \in \mathbb{Z}^-$ such that $5n + 2 > 1$.

$$\forall n \in \mathbb{Z}^-, 5n + 2 \leq 1$$

(b) $\forall x \in \mathbb{R}^+$, if $x^2 > 4$ then $x > 2$. ← this is equivalent to: $\forall x \in \mathbb{R}^+, x^2 \leq 4$ or $x > 2$

$$\exists x \in \mathbb{R}^+, x^2 > 4 \text{ and } x \leq 2$$

(c) $\forall p, q \in \mathbb{Z}, p + q \in \mathbb{Z}$.

$$\exists p, q \in \mathbb{Z} \text{ such that } p + q \notin \mathbb{Z}$$

(d) $\forall n \in \mathbb{R}, \exists x \in \mathbb{R}$ such that $e^{x^n} \in \mathbb{Z}$.

$$\exists n \in \mathbb{R} \text{ such that } \forall x \in \mathbb{R}, e^{x^n} \notin \mathbb{Z}$$

4. ♠ Let A be a set. Let $f: A \subseteq \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$. Negate the following statement.

$$\forall x \in A, \forall \epsilon > 0, \exists \delta > 0 \text{ such that } \forall y \in A, \text{ if } |x - y| < \delta \text{ then } |f(x) - f(y)| < \epsilon.$$

$$\exists x \in A, \exists \epsilon > 0, \forall \delta > 0, \exists y \in A \text{ such that } |x - y| < \delta \text{ and } |f(x) - f(y)| \geq \epsilon$$

(by the equivalence of
logical statements
 $p \rightarrow q \equiv \neg p \vee q$)