

MATH 102: IDEAS OF MATH

WORKSHEET 12

Things to remember from previous worksheets:

(1) $P \implies Q$ is equivalent to $\sim P \vee Q$.

Definition 1 (Negation with quantifiers). What do you think the following would be equivalent with?

(1) $\sim (\forall x \in A, S(x))$

(2) $\sim (\exists x \in A, S(x))$

Problem 1. Negate all the statements.

$$(1) \forall x \in \mathbb{Z}, 2 \mid x \implies x \mid 4$$

$$(2) \forall x \in \mathbb{Z}, 4 \mid x \implies 2 \mid x$$

$$(3) \exists x \in \mathbb{N} : x < -2$$

$$(4) \forall x \in \mathbb{Z}, \forall y \in \mathbb{Z}, x - y = y - x$$

$$(5) \forall x \in \mathbb{R}, \forall y \in \mathbb{R}, xy = yx$$

$$(6) \forall x \in \mathbb{R}, \forall y \in \mathbb{R}, x + y = 1$$

$$(7) \exists x \in \mathbb{R}, \forall y \in \mathbb{R}, x + y = 1$$

$$(8) \forall x \in \mathbb{R}, \exists y \in \mathbb{R}, x + y = 1$$

Problem 2. Translate each of the following into symbolic sentences, negate, and translate the negation to English.

(1) Every natural number, when squared, remains a natural number.

(2) Every real number has a cube root in the reals.

(3) Not every integer has a square root in the reals.

(4) There exists a smallest natural number.

- (5) There exists a largest negative number.
- (6) Every real number, when multiplied by zero, equals 0.