

MATH 51 Homework #4

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Section 1.4

42.

- a) Let domain be x all megabytes on a hard disk, y all users.
 $F(x)$ is “there is less than x megabytes free on a hard disk”.
 $W(y)$ is “warning is sent to y users”.
 $\forall y \forall x, F(30) \rightarrow W(y)$
- b) Let domain be x all directories and y all files.
 $D(x)$ is “ x directories in the file system can be opened”
 $F(y)$ is “ x files can be closed”
 E is “system errors have been detected”
 $\forall x \forall y, E \rightarrow (\neg D(x) \wedge \neg F(y))$
- c) Let domain be x be all users logged on.
 $L(x)$ is “ x is currently logged on”
 B is “system can be backed up”
 $\exists x, L(x) \rightarrow \neg B$
- d) Let domain be x be all megabytes of memory, y be total connection speed.
 $M(x)$ is “There are at least x megabytes of memory available”
 $C(y)$ is “The connection speed is at least y kilobits per second”
 V is “Video on demand can be delivered”
 $\forall x \forall y, (M(8) \wedge C(56)) \rightarrow V$

Section 1.5

2.

- a) There’s a number x where $xy = y$ for all y .
- b) For all x and y , if both x is equal to or larger than 0, and y is less than 0, then $x - y$ is greater than 0.
- c) There’s a number z where $x = y + z$ for all permutations x and y .

8.

Let $Q(x, y)$ be “Student x has been a contestant on quiz show y .”

Let x be all students at your school and y be all quiz shows on TV.

- a) $\exists x \exists y, Q(x, y)$
- b) $\neg \exists x \exists y, Q(x, y)$
- c) $\exists x \exists y, Q(x, (Jeopardy! \wedge Wheel\ of\ Fortune))$
- d) $\forall y \exists x, Q(x, y)$
- e) $\exists y \exists x_1 \exists x_2, (x_1 \neq x_2) \wedge (Q(x_1, Jeopardy!) \wedge Q(x_2, Jeopardy!))$

18.

- a) Let domains x be all consoles and y be all fault conditions.
 $A(x, y)$ is “ x console must be accessible during y fault conditions”.
 $\forall y \exists x, A(x, y)$
- b) Let domains x be all users and y be all messages sent.
 $S(x, y)$ is “ y message sent by x users on the system”.
 $R(x)$ is “The email address of user x can be retrieved”.
 $\forall x \exists y, S(x, y) \rightarrow R(x)$
- c) Let domains x be all mechanisms, y be all breaches, z be all processes.
 $D(x, y)$ is “Mechanism x can detect y breach”.
 $C(z)$ is “Process z has been compromised”.
 $\forall y \exists x \exists z, D(x, y) \leftrightarrow \neg C(z)$
- d) Let x be all paths and y be all distinct endpoints.
 $C(x, y)$ is “There is x path connecting every y on the network”.
 $\forall y_1 \forall y_2 \exists x_1 \exists x_2, (y_1 \neq y_2) \wedge (x_1 \neq x_2) \wedge (C(x_1, (y_1 \wedge y_2)) \wedge C(x_2, (y_1 \wedge y_2)))$
- e) Let domains x be all users, y be all passwords of every user.
 $P(x, y)$ is “ x knows the password y ”.
 $A(x)$ is “ x is a system administrator”.
 $(\forall x \forall y, \neg A(x) \rightarrow \neg P(x, y)) \wedge (\exists x \forall y, A(x) \rightarrow P(x, y))$

28.

- a) True, set $y = x^2$
- b) False, x can be negative, and any squared number can't be negative.
- c) True, x can be 0.
- d) False, this would break the commutative law of addition.

- e) True, set $y = \frac{1}{x}$
- f) False, would be true if we *could* set $x = \frac{1}{y}$ but x can't depend on y .
- g) True, set $y = -x + 1$
- h) False, solving for a solution leads to $2 = 5/2$.
- i) False, there is only one solution $(1, 1)$, but this statement looks for all x .
- j) True, just set $z = \frac{x+y}{2}$, since it can depend on both x and y .

36.

- a) Let domain be x all people and y be all dollars playing the lottery.
 $L(x, y)$ is “ x person has lost y dollars playing the lottery”.
 $\neg \exists x \exists y, (y > 1000) \wedge L(x, y)$
 Negation: $\exists x \forall y, (y > 1000) \wedge L(x, y)$
 There exists a person that lost more than 1000 dollars playing the lottery.
- b) Let domain be x students in this class.
 $C(x_1, x_2)$ is “ x_1 student has chatted with x_2 student.”
 $\exists x_1 \exists x_2, (x_1 \neq x_2) \wedge (C(x_1, x_2))$
 Negation: $\forall x_1 \forall x_2, (x_1 = x_2) \vee \neg C(x_1, x_2)$
 Every student has either talked with no one or with themselves.
- c) Need help with this problem.
- d) Let x be all students, and y be all exercises in the book.
 $S(x, y)$ is “ x student has solved y exercise”.
 $\exists x \forall y, S(x, y)$
 Negation: $\forall x \exists y, \neg S(x, y)$
 All students have not solved some exercise in the book.
- e) Let x be all students, and y be all exercises per section and z be all sections in the book.
 $S(x, y)$ is “ x student has solved each y exercise”
 $B(y, z)$ is “ y exercises have been solved in z section”
 $\neg \exists x \forall z \exists y, (S(x, y) \wedge B(y, z))$
 Negation: $\exists x \exists z \forall y, (\neg(S(x, y)) \wedge (\neg(B(y, z)))$
 There exists a student that has solved all problems in some section in the book.