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Let $Q(n)$ be the predicate " $n^2 \leq 30$."

a

Write $Q(2)$, $Q(-2)$, $Q(7)$, and $Q(-7)$, and indicate which of these statements are true and which are false.

✓ Answer ✓

$$Q(2) : 4 \leq 30 \text{ True}$$

$$Q(-2) : 4 \leq 30 \text{ True}$$

$$Q(7) : 49 \leq 30 \text{ False}$$

$$Q(-7) : 49 \leq 30 \text{ False}$$

b

Find the truth set of $Q(n)$ if the domain of n is \mathbb{Z} , the set of all integers.

✓ Answer

$$n \leq \sqrt{30}$$

$$n \leq 5$$

$$n \in (-\infty, 5]$$

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Find the truth set of each predicate.

c

Predicate: $1 \leq x^2 \leq 4$, domain: \mathbb{R}

✓ Answer

$$(1 \leq x \leq 2) \vee (1 \leq -x \leq 2)$$
$$x \in [-2, -1] \cup [1, 2]$$

d

Predicate: $1 \leq x^2 \leq 4$, domain: \mathbf{Z}

✓ **Answer**

$$(1 \leq x \leq 2) \vee (1 \leq -x \leq 2)$$
$$x \in [-2, -1] \cup [1, 2]$$

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Find counterexamples to show that the statement is false

\forall real numbers x and y , $\sqrt{x+y} = \sqrt{x} + \sqrt{y}$.

✓ **Answer**

Let $x = 1$ and $y = 1$

$$\sqrt{1+1} \neq \sqrt{1} + \sqrt{1}$$
$$\sqrt{2} \neq 2$$

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Rewrite the following in the form " \exists _____ x such that _____."

b

Some real numbers are rational.

✓ **Answer**

\exists some $x \in \mathbf{R}$ such that x is rational

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Rewrite the following statement informally in at least two different ways without using variables or the symbol \forall or the words “for all.”

\forall real numbers x , if x is positive then the square root of x is positive.

✓ **Answer**

- If x is real and positive, then its square root is positive
- If x is positive and its square root is not positive, then x is not a real number

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Rewrite the following in the form “ \forall _____ x , if _____ then _____.”

a

All Java programs have at least 5 lines.

✓ **Answer**

\forall Java programs x , x has at least 5 lines.

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Rewrite each statement without using quantifiers or variables. Indicate which are true and which are false, and justify your answers as best as you can.

Let the domain of x be the set D of objects discussed in mathematics courses, and let $\text{Real}(x)$ be “ x is a real number,” $\text{Pos}(x)$ be “ x is a positive real number,” $\text{Neg}(x)$ be “ x is a negative real number,” and $\text{Int}(x)$ be “ x is an integer.”

a

$\text{Pos}(0)$

✓ **Answer**

0 is a positive real number.

b

$$\forall x, \text{Real}(x) \wedge \text{Neg}(x) \rightarrow \text{Pos}(-x)$$

✓ **Answer**

If the inverse of an object discussed in mathematics courses is not positive, then the object is either not a real number, or the object is not negative.

3.2

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Which of the following is a negation for “All discrete mathematics students are athletic”? More than one answer may be correct.

1. There is a discrete mathematics student who is nonathletic.
2. All discrete mathematics students are nonathletic.
3. There is an athletic person who is not a discrete mathematics student.
4. No discrete mathematics students are athletic.
5. Some discrete mathematics students are nonathletic.
6. No athletic people are discrete mathematics students.

✓ **Answer**

1, 5

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Write a negation for each of the following statements.

a

Every valid argument has a true conclusion.

✓ **Answer**

There is an argument with a false conclusion

b

All real numbers are positive, negative, or zero.

✓ Answer

There is a real number that is neither positive, negative, or zero

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Determine whether the proposed negation is correct. If it is not, write a correct negation.

Statement: The product of any irrational number and any rational number is irrational.

Proposed negation: The product of any irrational number and any rational number is rational.

✓ Answer

False, There exists a product of any irrational number and any rational number that is irrational.

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Write a negation for each statement

\forall integers d , if $\frac{6}{d}$ is an integer, then $d = 3$

✓ Answer

There exists an integer d where if $\frac{6}{d}$, $d \neq 3$

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Write the contrapositive, converse, and inverse. Indicate as best as you can which of these statements are true and which are false. Give a counterexample for each that is false.

$\forall n \in \mathbb{Z}$, if n is prime then n is odd or $n = 2$.

✓ Answer

Contrapositive (True): $\forall n \in \mathbb{Z}$ if n is even and $n \neq 2$ then n is not prime

Converse (False $n = 9$): $\forall n \in \mathbb{Z}$ if n is odd or $n = 2$ then n is prime

Inverse (False $n = 9$): $\forall n \in \mathbf{Z}$ if n is not prime then n is even and $n = 2$

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Use the facts that the negation of a \forall statement is a \exists statement and that the negation of an if-then statement is an and statement to rewrite the statement without using the word necessary or sufficient.

Being a polynomial is not a sufficient condition for a function to have a real root.

✓ **Answer**

$x \in$ set of all functions

$P : x$ is a polynomial

$Q : x$ has a real root

$P \wedge \neg Q$

3.3

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Let $G(x, y)$ be " $x^2 > y$ " Indicate which of the following statements are true and which are false.

a

$G(2, 3)$

✓ **Answer**

$4 > 3$ True

b

$G(1, 1)$

✓ **Answer**

$1 > 1$ False

c

$$G\left(\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}\right)$$

✓ **Answer**

$$\frac{1}{4} > \frac{1}{2} \text{ False}$$

d

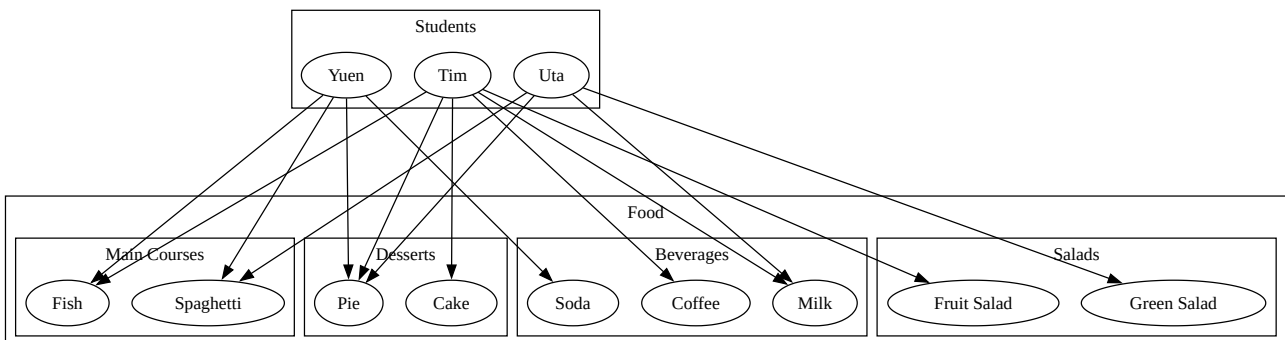
$$G(-2, 2)$$

✓ **Answer**

$$4 > 2 \text{ True}$$

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Determine whether each of the following statements is true or false.



a

\forall student S , \exists a dessert D such that S chose D .

✓ **Answer**

True, Yuen chose a Pie, Tim chose a Pie and a Cake, and Uta chose a Pie

b

\forall student S , \exists a salad T such that S chose T .

✓ Answer

False, Yuen did not choose a Salad

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Rewrite the statement in English without using the symbol \forall or \exists or variables and expressing your answer as simply as possible. Also, write a negation for the statement.

$\exists x \in \mathbf{R}$ such that for every real number y ,
 $x + y = 0$

✓ Answer

For every real number, there is another real number such that their sum is 0.
There is a real number that does not have another a real number where their sum is 0.

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Rewrite the statement in English without using the symbol \forall or \exists or variables. Also, indicate whether the statement is true or false.

a

\forall nonzero real number r , \exists a real number s such that $rs = 1$.

✓ Answer

Every nonzero real number has another real number where their product is 1.
True.

b

\exists a real number r such that \forall nonzero real number s , $rs = 1$.

✓ Answer

There is a real number where multiplying it with any other real number results in 1.
False, literally any number except 1.

3.4

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Use universal instantiation or universal modus ponens to fill in valid conclusions for the argument

If an integer n equals $2k$ and k is an integer, then n is even.
 0 equals 2×0 and 0 is an integer.

✓ Answer

0 is even.

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The argument may be valid by universal modus ponens or universal modus tollens; others are invalid and exhibit the converse or the inverse error. State whether the argument is valid or invalid. Justify your answer.

If compilation of a computer program produces error messages, then the program is not correct.

Compilation of this program does not produce error messages.

\therefore This program is correct.

✓ Answer

This has an inverse error, this assumes the inverse.

22-24

Indicate whether the arguments in 22–24 are valid or invalid. Support your answers by drawing diagrams.

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All discrete mathematics students can tell a valid argument from an invalid one.

All thoughtful people can tell a valid argument from an invalid one.

\therefore All discrete mathematics students are thoughtful.

✓ Answer

$$A \rightarrow C$$

$$B \rightarrow C$$

$$A \rightarrow B$$

False, assumes the converse of the second statement.

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No vegetarians eat meat.

All vegans are vegetarian.

\therefore No vegans eat meat.

✓ **Answer**

$$A \rightarrow \neg B$$

$$C \rightarrow A$$

$$C \rightarrow \neg B$$

True, by chain rule