

Homework 2

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Some sets are finite

Yes, it is a statement and its truth value is True. The example needed is $\{1, 2\}$

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$\mathbb{N} \notin \mathcal{P}(\mathbb{N})$ Yes it is a statement, and it is False. Every set is always an element in its own Power Set

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$$(\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{N}) \cap (\mathbb{N} \times \mathbb{R}) = \mathbb{N} \times \mathbb{N}$$

Yes it is a statement, and it is True. Since $\mathbb{N} \subset \mathbb{R}$, the statement holds

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There is a quiz scheduled for Wednesday or Friday.

$W \vee F$ means the quiz will be delivered on W (Wednesday) or F (Friday)

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At least one of the numbers x and y equals 0.

$$\exists n \in \{x, y\} : n = 0$$

$$\text{or } (x = 0) \vee (y = 0)$$

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$$x \in A \cup B$$

$$x \in A \vee x \in B$$

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For a function to be continuous, it is sufficient that it is differentiable.

If differentiable, then continuous

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A geometric series with ratio r converges if $|r| < 1$
 If ratio $|r| < 1$ then the geometric series converges.

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The discriminant is negative only if the quadratic equation has no real solutions.
 If no real solutions for quadratic equation, then discriminant is negative.

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If a function has a constant derivative then it is linear, and conversely
 A function is linear if and only if it has a constant derivative

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If $a \in \mathbb{Q}$ then $5a \in \mathbb{Q}$, and if $5a \in \mathbb{Q}$ then $a \in \mathbb{Q}$

$$a \in \mathbb{Q} \Leftrightarrow 5a \in \mathbb{Q}$$

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P	Q	$\neg P$	$\neg (P \vee Q)$	$\neg (P \vee Q) \vee (\neg P)$
T	T	F	F	F
F	T	T	F	T
T	F	F	F	F
F	F	T	T	T

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P	Q	$P \wedge \neg P$	$(P \wedge \neg P) \wedge Q$
T	T	F	F
F	T	F	F
T	F	F	F
F	F	F	F

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P	Q	R	$Q \wedge \neg R$	$P \vee Q \wedge \neg R$
T	T	T	F	T
F	T	T	F	F
T	F	T	F	T
F	F	T	F	F
T	T	F	T	T
F	T	F	T	T
T	F	F	F	T
F	F	F	F	F

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P	Q	R	$Q \wedge R$	$P \vee Q$	$P \vee R$	$P \vee (Q \wedge R)$	$(P \vee Q) \wedge (P \vee R)$
T	T	T	T	T	T	T	T
F	T	T	T	T	T	T	T
T	F	T	F	T	T	T	T
F	F	T	F	F	T	F	F
T	T	F	F	T	T	T	T
F	T	F	F	T	F	F	F
T	F	F	F	T	T	T	T
F	F	F	F	F	F	F	F

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$$(P \rightarrow Q) \vee R \equiv \neg((P \wedge \neg Q) \wedge \neg R)$$

$$(\neg P \vee Q) \vee R \equiv \neg(P \wedge \neg Q) \vee R$$

$$(\neg P \vee Q) \vee R \equiv \neg P \vee Q \vee R$$

$$\neg P \vee Q \vee R \equiv \neg P \vee Q \vee R$$

The statements are logically equivalent

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$$\forall x \in \mathbb{R}, \exists n \in \mathbb{N}, x^n \geq 0$$

True

For all real numbers x , there exists an integer n where $x^n \geq 0$

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$$\forall X \in \mathcal{P}(\mathbb{N}), X \subseteq \mathbb{R}$$

All subsets X of the power set of \mathbb{N} are subsets of the set of all real numbers \mathbb{R}

True, $\mathbb{N} \subset \mathbb{R}$ so the relation will apply to all subsets of \mathbb{N} too

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$\exists n \in \mathbb{N}, \forall X \in \mathcal{P}(\mathbb{N}), |X| < n$ False

There exists a natural number n where all subsets X of the power set of \mathbb{N} have a cardinality less than n

False because \mathbb{N} is an infinite set, meaning no matter what value of n you choose, there will always be a bigger subset of size $n + 1$ and n can not be of infinite size

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If x is prime, then \sqrt{x} is not a rational number.

x is prime and \sqrt{x} is a rational number.

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For every positive number ε , there is a positive number δ such that $|x - a| < \delta$ implies $|f(x) - f(a)| < \varepsilon$.

There exists a positive number ϵ for which all positive numbers δ satisfy $|x - a| < \delta$ and $|f(x) - f(a)| \geq \epsilon$

$\exists \epsilon > 0, \forall \delta > 0 : |x - a| < \delta \wedge |f(x) - f(a)| \geq \epsilon$

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There exists a real number a for which $a + x = x$ for every real number x . For all real numbers a there is a number x where $a + x \neq x$