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- a) Every comedian is funny.
- b) Everyone is a comedian and is funny.
- c) There exists at least one person such that if he or she is a comedian, then he or she is funny.
- d) There exists at least one comedian that is funny.

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Let $P(x)$ be “ x is perfect”. Let $F(x)$ be “ x is your friend”. Let the domain be all people.

- a) $\forall x \neg P(x)$
- b) $\neg \forall x P(x)$
- c) $\forall x (F(x) \rightarrow P(x))$
- d) $\exists x (F(x) \wedge P(x))$
- e) $\forall x (F(x) \wedge P(x))$
- f) $(\neg \forall x F(x)) \vee (\exists x \neg P(x))$

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- a) There is no counterexample.
- b) $x=0$.
- c) $x=2$.

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- a) $\forall x L(x, \text{Jerry})$
- b) $\forall x \exists y L(x, y)$
- c) $\exists y \forall x L(x, y)$
- d) $\neg \exists x \forall y L(x, y)$
- e) $\exists y \neg L(\text{Lydia}, y)$
- f) $\exists y \forall x \neg L(x, y)$
- g) $\exists! y \forall x L(x, y)$
- h) $\exists! x \exists! y (x \neq y) \wedge L(\text{Lynn}, x) \wedge L(\text{Lynn}, y)$
- i) $\forall x L(x, x)$
- j) $\exists x \forall y (x = y \leftrightarrow L(x, y))$

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- a) There is someone in this class that takes more or less than two different mathematics classes at this school.
- b) Every person has either visited Libya or has not visited a country except Libya.
- c) Someone has climbed every mountain in the Himalayas.
- d) There is someone who has neither been in a movie with Kevin Bacon nor has been in a movie

with someone that has been in a movie with Kevin Bacon.

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Suppose that p_1, p_2, \dots, p_n are true.

If q is true, with the given argument form, we can know that r is true.

If q is false, then r must be true.

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- a) Correct. Because of universal instantiation and modus ponens.
- b) Incorrect. Because of fallacy of affirming the conclusion.
- c) Incorrect. Because of fallacy of denying the hypothesis.
- d) Correct. Because of universal instantiation and modus tollens

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Step	Reason
1. $\exists x \neg P(x)$	Premise

2. $\neg P(a)$ Existential instantiation from (1)
3. $\forall x(P(x) \vee Q(x))$ Premise
4. $P(a) \vee Q(a)$ Universal instantiation from (3)
5. $Q(a)$ Disjunctive syllogism from (4) and (2)
6. $\forall x(\neg Q(x) \vee S(x))$ Premise
7. $\neg Q(a) \vee S(a)$ Universal instantiation from (6)
8. $S(a)$ Disjunctive syllogism from (5) and (7)
9. $\forall x(R(x) \rightarrow \neg S(x))$ Premise
10. $R(a) \rightarrow \neg S(a)$ Universal instantiation from (9)
11. $\neg R(a)$ Modus tollens from (8) and (10)
12. $\exists x \neg R(x)$ Existential generalization from (11)

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- a) Assume that n is odd. There exists an integer k such that $n=2k+1$. Then $n^3+5=2(4k^3+6k^2+3k+3)$, so n^3+5 is even.
So if n^3+5 is odd, then n is even.
- b) Assume that n^3+5 is odd and n is odd. We can know that $n^3 = (n^3+5)-5$ is even, but if n is odd, then n^2 and n^3 are both odd. So the assumption is contradictory.
So if n^3+5 is odd, then n is even.

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Assume that $r = a/b$ is a root, where a and b are integers and a/b is in lowest terms, which means a and b can't be even at the same time.

From $r^3 + r + 1 = 0$ we can know that $a^3 + ab^2 + b^3 = 0$.

If a and b are both odd, then the left side is odd, the equation does not hold.

If a is odd and b is even, then the left side is odd, the equation does not hold.

If a is even and b is odd, then the left side is odd, the equation does not hold.

So the assumption is contradictive.

So there is no such a rational root.