

Problem 1. For each of the following logical expressions, state whether or not it is a tautology:

a) $((p \vee q) \wedge (\neg p \wedge \neg q)) \rightarrow q$ Tautology Not a tautology Don't know!

b) $(p \rightarrow q) \leftrightarrow (\neg q \rightarrow \neg p)$ Tautology Not a tautology Don't know!

c) $(q \wedge (p \rightarrow q)) \rightarrow (p \wedge q)$ Tautology Not a tautology Don't know!

d) $((p \rightarrow q) \wedge (p \rightarrow r)) \rightarrow (p \rightarrow (q \wedge r))$ Tautology Not a tautology Don't know!

Problem 2. Let $P(x, y, z)$ denote the statement

$$x^2 + y^2 = z, \text{ where } x, y, z \in \mathbb{Z}^+.$$

What is the truth value of each of the following?

- a) $\forall x \exists y \exists z P(x, y, z)$ True False Don't know!

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$$y = 1 \\ z = x^2 + 1$$

- b) $\forall y \forall z \exists x P(x, y, z)$ True False Don't know!

$$z = 3 \\ y = 1 \Rightarrow x = \sqrt{2} \text{ which is not from } \mathbb{Z}^+$$

- c) $\forall x \forall y \exists z P(x, y, z)$ True False Don't know!

$$z = x^2 + y^2$$

- d) $\forall z \exists x \exists y P(x, y, z)$ True False Don't know!

$$z = 3$$

Problem 3. For each of the arguments below, indicate whether it is valid or invalid.

a) All cheaters sit in the back row. George sits in the back row. Therefore George is a cheater.

Valid Invalid Don't know!

b) For all students x , if x studies discrete math, then x is good at logic. Dawn is a student who studies discrete math. Therefore Dawn is good at logic.

Valid Invalid Don't know!

c) If the compilation of a computer program produces error messages, then the program is not correct or the compiler is faulty. The compilation of this program does not produce error messages. Therefore this program is correct and the compiler is not faulty.

Valid Invalid Don't know!

d) All students who do not do their homework and do not study the course material will not get a good course grade. John gets a good course grade. Therefore John did his homework or studied the course material.

Valid Invalid Don't know!

Problem 4. (a) If the following is valid then give a proof, else give a counterexample:

For all positive $x \in \mathbb{R}$, if x is irrational and y is irrational then $x + y$ is irrational.

~~Prove it by contradiction.~~

~~Assume by contradiction that x, y are irrational and $x + y$ is rational. \exists I.e. $x + y = \frac{p}{q}$; $p, q \in \mathbb{Z}$~~

Counterexample: $-\pi, \pi$

(b) If the following statement is true then give a proof, else give a counterexample:

For all $k, m, n \in \mathbb{Z}^+$, if $k|mn$ then $k|m$ or $k|n$.

~~BT~~ $\left. \begin{array}{l} k = 6 \\ m = 2 \\ n = 3 \end{array} \right\}$ Counterexample

Problem 5. For each of the following, state whether or not the statement is True or False for general sets A , B , and C . (\emptyset denotes the empty set.)

a) $(A \cup B) \cap (C \cup D) = (A \cap B) \cup (C \cap D)$ True False Don't know!

b) $A \cup (B - C) = (A \cup B) - (A \cup C)$ True False Don't know!



c) $(A \cap B) \subseteq C \Rightarrow (A - C) \cap (B - C) = \emptyset$ True False Don't know!



d) $(A \cup B) - (A \cap B) = \emptyset \Rightarrow A = B$ True False Don't know!



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Problem 6.

(a) Let $f : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be given by $f(x) = x^3 - x$. Determine whether or not f is invertible:

- Invertible Not invertible Don't know!

*It is not one-to-one
 $f(0) = f(1) = f(-1) = 0$.*

(b) Let $f : \mathbb{Z}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}^2$ be given by $f(m, n) = (m + n, n)$. Is f invertible?

- Invertible Not invertible Don't know!

(c) Let $S = \{0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9\}$. Is $f : S \rightarrow S$ given by $f(k) = (8k+7) \bmod 10$ invertible?

- Invertible Not invertible Don't know!

*? one-to-one? 0 - 7 4 - 9
 1 - 5 5 - 2 NOT ONE TO ONE!
 2 - 3
 3 - 1*

d) If A and B are sets and $f : A \rightarrow B$, then for any subset T of B its *pre-image* is defined as $f^{-1}(T) = \{a \in A : f(a) \in T\}$, which is well-defined even when f does not have an inverse. Now let $f : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be defined as $f(x) = x^3$, and let $T = \{x \in \mathbb{R} : -8 < x \leq 1\}$. What is $f^{-1}(T)$? Enter your answer in the box below:

$f^{-1}(T) = \{x \in \mathbb{R} : -2 < x \leq 1\}$.

Problem 7. Define the predicates $L(x)$, $H(x)$, and $A(x)$ as follows:

$L(x) \equiv x$ attends all Lectures, $H(x) \equiv x$ does all Homework, $A(x) \equiv x$ gets an A in the course.

(a) In the space below write down the statement "If Cindy gets an A in the course then she has attended all lectures or she has done all homework" in logical form, using the predicates above, and using c to denote "Cindy"; for example $A(c)$ denotes "Cindy gets an A in the course".

$$A(c) \rightarrow (L(c) \vee H(c))$$

(b) Write down the *contrapositive* of the statement in (a) in logical form, using the predicates defined above, as well as an equivalent sentence in English:

$$\neg(L(c) \vee H(c)) \rightarrow \neg A(c) \equiv (\neg L(c) \wedge \neg H(c)) \rightarrow \neg A(c)$$

If Cindy ~~does~~^{did} not attend all Lectures and she did not do all Homework then she does not get an A in the course.

(c) In the space below write the statement "There is a student who did not attend all lectures but who did all homework, and who got an A in the course" in logical notation, using quantifiers and the predicates defined above:

$$\exists x (\neg L(x) \wedge H(x) \wedge A(x))$$

(d) If P is a logical statement then its *negation* is the logical statement $\neg P$. Write down the *negation* of the statement in (c) in its simplest logical form, using quantifiers, and the predicates defined above. In particular, your negation must be written *in a form that does not start with $\neg\exists$* :

$$\forall x \neg(\neg L(x) \wedge H(x) \wedge A(x)) \equiv \forall x (L(x) \vee \neg H(x) \vee \neg A(x))$$

Problem 8.

- (a) When an integer n is divided by 7, the remainder is 5. What is the remainder when $9n$ is divided by 7? Enter your answer in the box:

$$n = k \cdot 7 + 5$$

$$9n = 9k \cdot 7 + 9 \cdot 5$$

$$9n = 9k \cdot 7 + 45$$

$$9n = 9k \cdot 7 + 6 \cdot 7 + 3 = (9k + 6)7 + 3.$$

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- (b) Prove that there are no integer solutions x and y to the equation $x^2 - 5y = 2$.
Hint: What are the possible values of $x^2 \pmod{5}$?

$$x^2 \pmod{5}?$$

We know that $(x \cdot y) \pmod{n} = (x \pmod{n}) \cdot (y \pmod{n}) \pmod{n}$.

$$x^2 \pmod{5} = (x \pmod{5}) (x \pmod{5}) \pmod{5}$$

$$\text{Case I: } x \pmod{5} = 0 \Rightarrow x^2 \pmod{5} = 0$$

$$\text{Case II: } x \pmod{5} = 1 \Rightarrow x^2 \pmod{5} = 1$$

$$\text{Case III: } x \pmod{5} = 2 \Rightarrow x^2 \pmod{5} = 4$$

$$\text{Case IV: } x \pmod{5} = 3 \Rightarrow x^2 \pmod{5} = 3 \cdot 3 \pmod{5} = 4$$

$$\text{Case V: } x \pmod{5} = 4 \Rightarrow x^2 \pmod{5} = 4 \cdot 4 \pmod{5} = 1$$

It means that there is no way how ~~for~~ we can get the remainder 2.

$$x^2 = 5 \cdot y + 2 \quad ; \quad y \in \mathbb{Z}.$$

Problem 9. DO ONLY ONE OF THE TWO PROBLEMS BELOW:

Put a circle around the one you choose to do: Choice (1) or Choice (2).

Choice (1) The Fibonacci numbers are defined as $f_0 = 0$, $f_1 = 1$, and $f_n = f_{n-1} + f_{n-2}$, for $n \geq 2$. Give a proof by induction to show that $\sum_{k=1}^n f_{2k-1} = f_{2n}$, for all $n \geq 1$. (Hint: This can be done by regular induction.)

Choice (2) Suppose a_1, a_2, a_3, \dots is a sequence defined as $a_1 = 1$, and $a_n = 2 \cdot a_{\lfloor n/2 \rfloor}$, when $n \geq 2$. Prove that $a_n \leq n$ for all integers $n \geq 1$ (Hint: This can be done by strong induction.)

(a) (1 point) Check that the base case is True:

1. $n=2$, $\sum_{k=1}^2 f_{2k-1} = f_1 + f_3 = f_1 + f_1 + f_2 = f_1 + f_1 + f_1 + f_0 = 3 = f_4$ ✓

$f_0 = 0$
 $f_1 = 1$
 $f_2 = 1$
 $f_3 = 2$
 $f_4 = 3$

2. $n=2$, $a_2 = 2 \cdot a_{\lfloor 2/2 \rfloor} = 2 \cdot a_1 = 2 \leq 2$ ✓

(b) (1 point) Write down *very precisely* your inductive hypothesis, and what you will show in the inductive step (c) below.

1. IH: $\forall k \leq n$, $\sum_{k=1}^n f_{2k-1} = f_{2n}$ TO SHOW: $\sum_{k=1}^{n+1} f_{2k-1} = f_{2(n+1)}$

2. IH $\forall n \leq m$, $a_n \leq n$ TO SHOW: $a_{m+1} \leq m+1$

(c) (2 points) Carry out the actual proof of the inductive step:

1. $\sum_{k=1}^{n+1} f_{2k-1} = \sum_{k=1}^n f_{2k-1} + f_{2(n+1)-1} \stackrel{IH}{=} f_{2n} + f_{2n+2-1} = f_{2n} + f_{2n+1} = f_{2n+2}$ ✓

2. Case I: $n+1$ - even. $a_{n+1} = 2 \cdot a_{\lfloor \frac{n+1}{2} \rfloor} = 2 \cdot a_{\frac{n+1}{2}} \stackrel{II}{\leq} 2 \cdot \frac{n+1}{2} = n+1$ ✓
 II ($\frac{n+1}{2} \leq n$) So we can use our IH

Case II: $n+1$ - odd. $a_{n+1} = 2 \cdot a_{\lfloor \frac{n+1}{2} \rfloor} = 2 \cdot a_{\frac{n}{2}} \stackrel{I}{\leq} 2 \cdot \frac{n}{2} = n < n+1$ ✓

Problem 10.

(a) Determine whether the relation R on \mathbb{Z}^+ , where xRy if and only if $x|(x+y)$, is reflexive:

- Reflexive Not reflexive Don't know!

$$x|(x+y) = x|2x \quad \checkmark$$

(b) Is the relation R on \mathbb{Z}^+ , where xRy if and only if $x|(x+y)$, symmetric?

- Symmetric Not symmetric Don't know!

$$x|(x+y) \stackrel{?}{\Rightarrow} y|(x+y)$$

No: $(2,6): 2|2+6$ but $6 \nmid 2+6$
 $(2,6) \in R$ but $(6,2) \notin R.$

(c) Determine whether the relation R on \mathbb{Z}^+ , where xRy if and only if $x|y$, is antisymmetric:

- Antisymmetric Not antisymmetric Don't know!

Def: $\forall x, y \quad (x, y) \in R \wedge x \neq y \Rightarrow (y, x) \notin R.$

If $x|y$ then $x \leq y$. Since $x \neq y$ then $x < y$. Then however $y \nmid x$ because a bigger number cannot divide a smaller one.

(d) Is the relation R on the set $\{a, b, c\}$ represented by the matrix $\begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$ transitive?

- Transitive Not transitive Don't know!

Counterexample:
 $(1,2) \in R \wedge (2,1) \in R$ but $(1,1) \notin R$

Problem 11.

(a) The relation R on \mathbb{R} , defined as xRy if and only if $|x| - |y| = 0$ is:

- An equivalence relation Not an equivalence relation Don't know!

equivalence - reflexive \wedge symmetric \wedge transitive

reflexive \checkmark $|x| - |x| = 0$

symmetric $|x| - |y| = 0 \Rightarrow |y| - |x| = 0 \checkmark$

transitive if $|x| = |y| \wedge |y| = |z| \Rightarrow |x| = |z| \checkmark$

(b) The relation R on \mathbb{Z} , where xRy if and only if $x \equiv y \pmod{13}$ is:

- An equivalence relation Not an equivalence relation Don't know!

reflexive: $x \equiv x \pmod{13} \checkmark$ $x \equiv y \pmod{13} \Leftrightarrow x \pmod{13} = y \pmod{13}$

symmetric: $x \pmod{13} = y \pmod{13} \Rightarrow y \pmod{13} = x \pmod{13} \checkmark$

transitive: $x \pmod{13} = y \pmod{13} = z \pmod{13} \Rightarrow x \pmod{13} = z \pmod{13}$

(c) The relation R on \mathbb{R} , where xRy if and only if $x \leq y^2$ is:

- A partial order Not a partial order Don't know!

reflexive: $x \leq x^2 \checkmark$

anti-symmetric: $x \leq y^2 \wedge x \neq y \Rightarrow y \not\leq x^2$

transitive:

NO: $(2,3) \in R \wedge 2 \neq 3 \wedge (3,2) \in R$

(d) The relation R on \mathbb{Z}^+ , where xRy if and only if $x|y$ is:

- A partial order Not a partial order Don't know!

reflexive: $x|x \checkmark$

anti-symmetric:

$x|y \wedge x \neq y \Rightarrow y \not|x \checkmark$

Yes. since if $x|y$ then $x \leq y$

transitive:

if $x|y$ and $y|z$ then $x|z$

Since $x \neq y$ then $x < y$. Bigger number cannot divide a smaller one.

Problem 12.

Let R be the relation on \mathbb{R} defined by xRy if and only if $xy = 1$. Thus R can also be represented as $\{(x, y) : xy = 1\}$. Use a similar representation for each of your answers to the questions below, and write your answer in the accompanying box.

(a) What is the composite relation R^2 ?

$$\begin{aligned} R^2 &= R \circ R \stackrel{\text{DEF}}{=} \{(x, z) \in \mathbb{R}^2 \mid \exists y (x, y) \in R \wedge (y, z) \in R\} = \\ &= \{(x, z) \in \mathbb{R}^2 \mid \exists y (xy = 1 \wedge yz = 1)\} = \\ &= \{(x, z) \in \mathbb{R}^2 \mid \exists y (x = z \wedge x \neq 0)\} \\ &= \{(x, z) \in \mathbb{R}^2 \mid x = z \wedge x \neq 0\}. \end{aligned}$$

$\{(x, z) \in \mathbb{R}^2 \mid x = z, x \neq 0\}$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{cases} xy = 1 \\ yz = 1 \end{cases} \text{ system of two equations}$$

$$y = \frac{1}{x} \quad (x \neq 0)$$

$$yz = 1 \Rightarrow \frac{1}{x}z = 1 \quad (x \neq 0) \Rightarrow \underline{\underline{x = z}}$$

(b) What is the composite relation R^3 ?

$$\begin{aligned} R^3 &= R^2 \circ R \stackrel{\text{DEF}}{=} \{(x, z) \in \mathbb{R}^2 \mid \exists y (x, y) \in R^2 \wedge (y, z) \in R\} = \\ &= \{(x, z) \in \mathbb{R}^2 \mid \exists y (x = y, x \neq 0) \wedge yz = 1\} \\ &= \{(x, z) \in \mathbb{R}^2 \mid \exists y (xz = 1)\} \\ &= \{(x, z) \in \mathbb{R}^2 \mid xz = 1\} = R \end{aligned}$$

$1. R; \quad 2. \{(x, z) \in \mathbb{R}^2 \mid xz = 1\}$
 both are possible

$$\begin{matrix} x = y \\ yz = 1 \\ \hline xz = 1 \quad x \neq 0 \end{matrix}$$

I do not have to consider $x \neq 0$ since if $xz = 1$ then $x \neq 0$ for sure

(c) What is the composite relation R^4 ?

$$R^4 = R^3 \circ R = R \circ R = R^2$$

R^2

(d) What is the transitive closure of R ?

Transitive closure is defined by as

$$\begin{aligned} \bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} R^n &= R \cup R^2 \cup R^3 \cup R^4 \cup R^5 \cup \dots \\ &= R \cup R^2 \cup R \cup R^2 \cup R \cup \dots \\ &= R \cup R^2 \end{aligned}$$

1. $R \cup R^2$
2. $\{(x, z) \in \mathbb{R}^2 \mid xz = 1 \vee (x = z \wedge x \neq 0)\}$

$$= \{(x, z) \in \mathbb{R}^2 \mid xz = 1 \vee (x = z \wedge x \neq 0)\}$$