

- Determine whether $p \rightarrow (q \rightarrow r)$ and $p \rightarrow (q \wedge r)$ are equivalent.
Ans: Not equivalent. Let q be false and p and r be true.
- Write a proposition equivalent to $\neg p \wedge \neg q$ using only p, q, \neg and the connective \vee .
Ans: $\neg(p \vee q)$.
- In the questions below write the statement in the form "If ..., then ..."
The team wins if the quarterback can pass.
Ans: If the quarterback can pass, then the team wins.
- You need to be registered in order to check out library books.
Ans: If you are not registered, then you cannot check out library books (equivalently, if you check out library books, then you are registered).
- In the questions below write the negation of the statement. (Don't write "It is not true that ...")
If it is rainy, then we go to the movies.
Ans: It is rainy and we do not go to the movies.
- In the questions below suppose $P(x,y)$ is a predicate and the universe for the variables x and y is $\{1,2,3\}$. Suppose $P(1,3), P(2,1), P(2,2), P(2,3), P(3,1), P(3,2)$ are true, and $P(x,y)$ is false otherwise. Determine whether the following statements are true.

$\forall x \exists y P(x,y)$.

Ans: True

- In the questions below suppose the variable x represents students and the variable y represents courses, and
 $A(y)$: y is an advanced course $S(x)$: x is a sophomore
 $F(x)$: x is a freshman $T(x,y)$: x is taking y .
- Write the statement using these predicates and any needed quantifiers.

There is a course that every freshman is taking.

Ans: $\exists y \forall x (F(x) \rightarrow T(x,y))$.

No freshman is a sophomore.

Ans: $\neg \exists x (F(x) \wedge S(x))$.

9. In the questions below suppose $g : A \rightarrow B$ and $f : B \rightarrow C$ where $A = B = C = \{1,2,3,4\}$, $g = \{(1,4),(2,1),(3,1),(4,2)\}$ and $f = \{(1,3),(2,2),(3,4),(4,2)\}$.

Find $f \circ g$.

Ans: $\{(1,2),(2,3),(3,3),(4,2)\}$.

10. In the questions below suppose $g : A \rightarrow B$ and $f : B \rightarrow C$ where $A = \{1,2,3,4\}$, $B = \{a,b,c\}$, $C = \{2,8,10\}$, and g and f are defined by $g = \{(1,b),(2,a),(3,b),(4,a)\}$ and $f = \{(a,8),(b,10),(c,2)\}$.

Explain why g^{-1} is not a function.

Ans: $g^{-1}(a)$ is equal to both 2 and 4.

11. Describe an algorithm that takes a list of n integers ($n \geq 1$) and finds the location of the last even integer in the list, or returns 0 if there are no even integers in the list.

Ans: procedure *lasteven*(a_1, \dots, a_n : integers)

location := 0

for i := 1 **to** n

if $2 \mid a_i$ **then** *location* := i .

12. Show how the binary search algorithm searches for 27 in the following list:

5 6 8 12 15 21 25 31.

Ans: The consecutive choices of sublists of the original list are: 15 21 25 31, 25 31, and 25. Since $27 \neq 25$, the integer 25 is not in the list.

13. Use the definition of big-oh to prove that $\frac{6n + 4n^5 - 4}{7n^2 - 3}$ is $O(n^3)$.

Ans: $\frac{6n + 4n^5 - 4}{7n^2 - 3} \leq \frac{6n^5 + 4n^5}{7n^2 - n^2} = \frac{10n^5}{6n^2} = \frac{5}{3}n^3$, if $n \geq 2$.

14. Suppose you wish to prove that the following is true for all positive integers n by using the Principle of Mathematical Induction: $1 + 3 + 5 + \dots + (2n - 1) = n^2$.

(a) Write $P(1)$

(b) Write $P(72)$

(c) Write $P(73)$

(d) Use $P(72)$ to prove $P(73)$

(e) Write $P(k)$

(f) Write $P(k + 1)$

(g) Use the Principle of Mathematical Induction to prove that $P(n)$ is true for all positive integers n

Ans: (a) $1 = 1^2$.

(b) $1 + 3 + 5 + \dots + 143 = 72^2$.

(c) $1 + 3 + 5 + \dots + 145 = 73^2$.

(d) $1 + 3 + 5 + \dots + 145 = (1 + 3 + 5 + \dots + 143) + 145 = 72^2 + 145 = 72^2 + 2 \cdot 72 + 1 = (72 + 1)^2 = 73^2$.

(e) $1 + 3 + \dots + (2k - 1) = k^2$.

(f) $1 + 3 + \dots + (2k + 1) = (k + 1)^2$.

(g) $P(1)$ is true since $1 = 1^2$. $P(k) \rightarrow P(k + 1)$: $1 + 3 + \dots + (2k + 1) = k^2 + (2k + 1) = (k + 1)^2$.

15. Find the error in the following proof of this “theorem”:

“Theorem: Every positive integer equals the next largest positive integer.”

“*Proof*: Let $P(n)$ be the proposition ' $n = n + 1$ '. To show that $P(k) \rightarrow P(k + 1)$, assume that $P(k)$ is true for some k , so that $k = k + 1$. Add 1 to both sides of this equation to obtain $k + 1 = k + 2$, which is $P(k + 1)$. Therefore $P(k) \rightarrow P(k + 1)$ is true. Hence $P(n)$ is true for all positive integers n .”

Ans: No basis case has been shown.