

HOMEWORK 1

- 1) In Chapter 0 under the heading “Using Symbols” state numbers 3 and 8 in your own words.
- 2) In Chapter 0 under the heading “Common Words and Phrases” state numbers 3 and 6 in your own words.
- 3) Write each of the following sets by listing the elements with braces.
 - a) $A = \{x \in \mathbb{R} : x^3 = 27\}$
 - b) $B = \{n \in \mathbb{Z} : n^2 < 8\}$
 - c) $C = \{x \in \mathbb{R} : x^4 + 2 = 0\}$
 - d) $D = \{n \in \mathbb{N} : |n| \leq 2\}$
- 4) Write each of the following sets in the form $\{x \in S : p(x)\}$ where $p(x)$ is a property on x and $S = \{-4, -2, -1, 0, 1, 2\}$.
 - a) $A = \{-1, 0, 1\}$
 - b) $B = \{-4, -2, -1\}$
 - c) $C = \{-1, 1\}$
 - d) $D = \{-4, -2, 2\}$
- 5) Give examples of sets $A, B,$ and C such that the following hold. In each example it must be clear to the grader that you understand the properties required. I.E.: If I cannot distinguish whether you understand the notation or not, your answer is not correct.
 - a) $A \in B$ and $A \subset C$
 - b) $A \subseteq B, A \in C$ and $A \cap C \neq \phi$
 - c) $A \subseteq C, B \subset C,$ and $A \cap B = \phi$
 - d) $|A \cap B| = |A - B| = |B - A| = |\overline{A \cup B}| = 2$ and $C = U$ the universal set.
- 6) Let $A = \{\phi, \{\phi\}, \{\phi, \{\phi\}\}\}$. (For $d - g$ determine the set indicated.)
 - a) Determine $|A|$.
 - b) List the elements of A .
 - c) List all possible subsets of A .
 - d) $\phi \cap A$
 - e) $\{\{\phi\}\} \cap A$
 - f) $\{\phi\} \cup A$
 - g) $\{\phi, \{\{\phi\}\}\} \cup A$
- 7) Let $U = \{a, b, c\}$ be the universal set, and let $A = \{a, b\}, B = \{b, c\},$ and $C = \{a, c\}$. Determine the following:
 - a) $(A \cup B) - (B \cap B)$
 - b) \overline{A}
 - c) $\overline{(B \cup C)}$
 - d) $A \times B$
- 8) Which of the following are statements? State whether the statements are True or False.
 - a) 6 is even.
 - b) $7 - 1 = 8$
 - c) $2x + 7 = 13$
 - d) multiply 2 and 5

9) Which of the following are true? Explain each of your answers.

- a) $1 \subseteq \{1\}$
- b) $\phi \in \{2\}$
- c) $\phi \in \phi$
- d) $\phi \subset \{\phi\}$

10) Negate each of the following. You should remove 'not' from your sentences.

- a) π is not irrational.
- b) Zero is a positive number.
- c) Three is odd.
- d) 21 is composite.

11) Let P : 2 is odd and Q : 5 is prime. Determine whether the following are true or false. Justify each part.

- a) $P \vee Q$
- b) $P \wedge Q$
- c) $(\sim P) \wedge Q$
- d) $P \Rightarrow Q$
- e) $Q \Rightarrow P$
- f) $(\sim P) \Rightarrow Q$
- g) $P \Leftrightarrow Q$
- h) $(\sim P) \vee (\sim Q)$

12) Let P : $\sqrt{2}$ is rational and Q : $\frac{2}{6}$ is rational. Determine whether the following are true or false. Justify each part.

- a) $P \vee Q$
- b) $P \wedge Q$
- c) $P \Rightarrow Q$
- d) $Q \Rightarrow P$
- e) $(\sim P) \Rightarrow (\sim Q)$
- f) $(\sim Q) \Rightarrow (\sim P)$
- g) $P \Leftrightarrow Q$
- h) $(\sim P) \Leftrightarrow (\sim Q)$

13) In each of the following two open sentences $P(x)$ and $Q(x)$ are defined over a given domain S . Determine all $x \in S$ for which $P(x) \Rightarrow Q(x)$ is true.

- a) $P(x)$: $3x + 1$ is prime; $Q(x)$: $2x + 1$ is prime; $S = \{1, 2, 3, 4\}$
- b) $P(x)$: $x^2 = 4$; $Q(x)$: $|x| = 2$; $S = \{-3, -2, 0, 1\}$
- c) $P(x)$: $x^2 \geq 9$; $Q(x)$: $x \geq 3$; $S = \mathbb{R}$
- d) $P(x)$: $x^2 \geq 9$; $Q(x)$: $x \geq 3$; $S = \mathbb{N}$

14) In each of the following two open sentences $P(x, y)$ and $Q(x, y)$ are defined over a given domain S . Determine all $(x, y) \in S$ for which $P(x, y) \Rightarrow Q(x, y)$ is true.

- a) $P(x, y)$: $x^2 - y^2 = 0$; $Q(x, y)$: $x = y$; $S = \{(1, -1), (3, 2), (9, 9)\}$
- b) $P(x, y)$: $|x| = |y|$; $Q(x, y)$: $x = y$; $S = \{(-3, 3), (1, 1), (-1, 2)\}$

15) Repeat homework problem 13 with $P(x) \Leftrightarrow Q(x)$ instead of $P(x) \Rightarrow Q(x)$.

16) Repeat homework problem 14 with $P(x, y) \Leftrightarrow Q(x, y)$ instead of $P(x, y) \Rightarrow Q(x, y)$.

- 17) Give truth tables for the following: Label each as a Tautology, Contradiction, or Neither.
- $P \wedge (Q \Rightarrow (\sim P))$
 - $(P \wedge Q) \Leftrightarrow P$ (what is this logically equivalent to?)
- 18) Verify the pairs of statements are logically equivalent.
- $P \Rightarrow (Q \vee R)$ and $(\sim Q) \Rightarrow ((\sim P) \vee R)$
 - $(P \wedge Q) \Rightarrow R$ and $(P \wedge (\sim R)) \Rightarrow (\sim Q)$
- 19) Negate the following: (whenever possible remove the 'not')
- Either x is even or y is even.
 - Both a and b are zero.
 - If $x < 0$, then $x^2 \leq 0$.
For d and e , let A be subset of a universal set U .
 - For every set A , $A \cap \bar{A} = \phi$.
 - There exists a set A such that $\bar{A} \subseteq A$.
 - There exists a rational number q such that $q^2 + q$ is rational.
 - For all rational numbers q , $q^3 > 3$.
- 20) State each of the following in symbols and negate each statement (or open sentence).
- There exist integers a and b such that $ab < 0$ and $a + b > 0$.
 - For all real numbers x and y , if $x + y < 0$, then $xy \leq 0$.
- 21) Determine if each of the following is True or False. Justify your answer.
- $\forall x \in \mathbb{Z}, x^2 > 0$
 - $\exists n \in \mathbb{N}, n < 1$
 - $\exists q \in \mathbb{Q}, \frac{1}{q^2} = \frac{1}{3}$
 - $\forall m, n \in \mathbb{Z}, n + m > 0$
 - $\forall m, n \in \mathbb{N}, n + m > 0$

Not collected Book problems: 1.1, 1.5, 1.7, 1.11, 1.19, 1.41, 2.1, 2.3, 2.5, 2.8, 2.11, 2.17, 2.19, 2.23, 2.33, 2.37, 2.39, 2.45, 2.49