

The two versions presented above could be generalized to the following two general forms:

1. For all items in some small domain, BLAH.
2. For all items in some larger domain, if the item is in the smaller subset then BLAH.

By this notation, I mean that the statement BLAH that is the predicate in the first form is the same as the statement BLAH that is the conclusion of the conditional statement in the predicate of the second form.

Rewrite each of the following statements in the two general forms described above.

- (a) The derivative of any polynomial function is a polynomial function.
- (b) The negative of any irrational number is irrational.
- (c) The product of any two rational numbers is rational.

[7] (Based on suggested problem 3.1 #30)

Let n be a variable with domain the set \mathbf{Z} of integers.

Let $Odd(n)$ be the statement “ n is odd”.

Let $Prime(n)$ be the statement “ n is prime”.

Let $Square(n)$ be the statement “ n is a perfect square”.

(An integer n is said to be a perfect square if it equals the square of some integer. For example, 9 is a perfect square because $9 = 3^2$.)

Consider the following two statements

Statement A : $\exists n \in \mathbf{Z}(Prime(n) \wedge \sim Odd(n))$.

Statement B : $\exists n \in \mathbf{Z}(Odd(n) \wedge Square(n))$.

Rewrite each statement without using mathematical notation (quantifiers, variables, functions, logic symbols). Determine whether the statements are true or false, and justify your answers as best as you can.

[8] (Based on suggested problem 3.1 #30) Let u, v, x, y be variables with domain the set \mathbf{R} of real numbers.

Consider the following two statements

Statement A : $xy = 0 \Rightarrow x = 0 \vee y = 0$.

Statement B : $u < x \wedge v < y \Rightarrow uv < xy$.

Are the statements true or false? Give counterexamples for the statements that are false.

[9] (Similar to suggested problem 3.2 #5) Consider the following two statements

statement A: Some exercises have answers.

statement B: Every rational number is a real number.

Write a formal and informal negation for each statement. (Hint: start by rewriting the original statements formally, using variables and quantifiers. Then find the formal negation of the formal original, then finally find the rewrite the formal negation as an informal negation.

[10] (Similar to sugg exercises 3.2 #19, 29) Consider Statement A .

Statement A : For all integers n , if $12/n$ is an integer, then $n = 4$.

(a) Write the following four statements: $converse(A)$, $contrapositive(A)$, $inverse(A)$, $\sim A$

(b) Consider the five statements A , $converse(A)$, $contrapositive(A)$, $inverse(A)$, $\sim A$.

Which of those five statements is true? Explain.

[8] The goal of this problem is to use the Method of Induction to prove statement S :

$$\text{Statement } S: \forall n \in \mathbf{Z}, n \geq 1 \left(1 + 6 + 11 + 16 + \cdots + (5n - 4) = \frac{n(5n - 3)}{2} \right)$$

$$\text{Predicate } P(n) \text{ is the following : } 1 + 6 + 11 + 16 + \cdots + (5n - 4) = \frac{n(5n - 3)}{2}$$

Questions (a),(b),(c),(d) are similar to Suggested Exercises 5.2 # 3,4 and are about identifying the parts. This is what goes on in the portion of the *Handout on Induction* titled “Preliminary Work”.

(a) Write $P(1)$.

(b) Write $P(k)$.

(c) Write $P(k + 1)$.

(d) In a proof by mathematical induction that the predicate $P(n)$ is true for all $n \geq 1$, what must be shown in the Inductive Step?

Question (e) is similar to Suggested Exercise 5.2 # 6, 8, 10, 13 and is about actually doing the proof. This is what goes on in the portion of the *Handout on Induction* titled “Build a proof of Statement S using the following structure”.

(e) Prove statement S using Mathematical Induction.

[9] Same questions (a),(b),(c),(d),(e) as in [8], but this time with the following Statement and Predicate.

$$\text{Statement } S \text{ is the following: } \forall n \in \mathbf{Z}, n \geq 1 \left(1^3 + 2^3 + 3^3 + \cdots + n^3 = \left[\frac{n(n + 1)}{2} \right]^2 \right)$$

$$\text{Predicate } P(n) \text{ is the following: } 1^3 + 2^3 + 3^3 + \cdots + n^3 = \left[\frac{n(n + 1)}{2} \right]^2$$

[10] (Conceptual Questions)

(a) Why is $0!$ defined to be 1 instead of 0? Explain.

(b) In your first job after college, you are working at the *Induction Hotline*. Somebody calls wanting help with the Inductive Step. They want to know how they are supposed to prove that $P(k)$ is true if they don't know the value of k . What do you tell them?

[5] Let $A = \{-3, -2, -1, 0\}$, $B = \{0, 1\}$, and let $f: \mathbf{R} \rightarrow \mathbf{R}$ be defined by the formula $f(x) = x^2$.

- (a) What is $A \cap B$?
- (b) What is $f(A \cap B)$?
- (c) What is $f(A)$?
- (d) What is $f(B)$?
- (e) What is $f(A) \cap f(B)$?
- (f) Prove or disprove: \forall sets A and B and for all functions f , $f(A \cap B) = f(A) \cap f(B)$.

[6] Define $f: \mathbf{Z} \rightarrow \mathbf{Z}$ by $f(n) = 2n + 7$.

- (a) Is f one-to-one? Prove or give a counterexample.
- (b) Is f onto? Prove or give a counterexample.
- (c) Is f a one-to-one correspondence? If it is, find the inverse function.

[7] Define $g: \mathbf{R} \rightarrow \mathbf{R}$ by $g(x) = 2x + 7$.

- (a) Is g one-to-one? Prove or give a counterexample.
- (b) Is g onto? Prove or give a counterexample.
- (c) Is g a one-to-one correspondence? If it is, find the inverse function

[8] (a) Circle the statements that mean “ f is one-to-one”

Statement S : $\forall x_1, x_2$ (If $x_1 = x_2$ then $f(x_1) = f(x_2)$).

Converse of S : $\forall x_1, x_2$ (If $f(x_1) = f(x_2)$ then $x_1 = x_2$).

Inverse of S : $\forall x_1, x_2$ (If $x_1 \neq x_2$ then $f(x_1) \neq f(x_2)$).

Contrapositive of S : $\forall x_1, x_2$ (If $f(x_1) \neq f(x_2)$ then $x_1 \neq x_2$).

(b) Circle the statements that mean “ f is onto”

$\forall x(\exists y(f(x) = y))$.

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[9] Let $f(x) = \frac{x+a}{x+b}$ for all real numbers $x \neq -b$.

- (a) Find f^{-1} .
- (b) What is the domain of f^{-1} ?

[10] (a) Give an example of a function $f: \mathbf{R} \rightarrow \mathbf{R}$ that is one-to-one but not onto. **To get credit for this, your function cannot be the same as the function of anybody else in the class.**

(b) Give an example of a function $g: \mathbf{R} \rightarrow \mathbf{R}$ that is onto but not one-to-one. **To get credit for this, your function cannot be the same as the function of anybody else in the class.**

[5] (Similar to book Example 9.1.3 and suggested exercise 9.1 #20, but using Section 9.2 tree technique)

Analyze the *Monty Hall Problem* but with n doors, instead of 3 doors. That is, there are n doors, one that has a prize and the remaining doors empty. (I'll tell you which value of n to use below.) The contestant chooses a door. The host does not open that door, but opens one of the remaining doors. The host always chooses to open one of the remaining doors that is empty. At this point, the contestant has the option of staying with their original choice of door, or switching to a new choice. (Of course, the contestant would not choose the door that the host has opened, because the contestant now knows that that door is empty.)

Define two strategies that the contestant can use:

- The *Stay Strategy* is to stay with the original choice of door.
- The *Switch Strategy* is to switch doors.

Here are your assignments

- Ryan, Ashley, Noah, Matthew: Use $n = 6$.
- Devon, Ben, Alyssa, Blue: Use $n = 5$.
- Kristen, Peter, Jalen, Alexandria, Allison: Use $n = 4$.

(A) Using your assigned value of n , make a possibility tree for the *Stay Strategy* and find $N(\text{Stay})$.

(B) Define WinStay to be the event that the contestant wins using the *Stay Strategy*. Illustrate WinStay on your tree, find $N(\text{WinStay})$ and $P(\text{WinStay})$.

(C) Start over: Using your assigned value of n , make a possibility tree for the *Switch Strategy* and find $N(\text{Switch})$.

(D) Define WinSwitch to be the event that the contestant wins using the *Switch Strategy*. Illustrate WinSwitch on your tree, find $N(\text{WinSwitch})$ and $P(\text{WinSwitch})$.

[6] (Similar to book suggested exercise 9.2#6,7)

An urn contains three green balls (denoted G_1, G_2, G_3) and one red ball (denoted R_1).

A second urn contains two green balls (denoted G_4, G_5) and two red balls (denoted R_2, R_3).

An experiment is performed in which one of the two urns is chosen at random and then two balls are randomly chosen from it, one after the other, without replacement.

(A) Construct a possibility tree showing all the possible outcomes. Find $N(S)$.

(B) Define E to be the event that two green balls are chosen. Illustrate E on your table, find $N(E)$ and $P(E)$.

[7] (Similar to book Example 9.2.1 and suggested exercises 9.2#1,3)

(A) How many ways can a Best 3 of 5 Contest be played? Draw a possibility tree to illustrate.

(B) In a Best 3 of 5 Contest, what is the probability that the team that loses the first game will go on to win the contest? (Explain using your possibility tree.)

(C) How many ways can a Best 3 of 5 Contest be played if no team wins three games in a row? Draw a new possibility tree to illustrate.

- In problem [5](d), you found the value of $P(5)$.
- If $k = 1$, then there is only one person in the group, so there is no way that two people in the group can share a birthday. That is, $P(1) = 0$.
- If $k = 366$ or more, then at least two people must share a birthday, because there are more people than birthdays. Since a shared birthday is certain, we can say that *If $k \geq 366$ then $P(k) = 1$.*
- In general, as k increases in the interval $1 \leq k \leq 366$, the value of $P(k)$ should increase from 0 to 1.

We will now work towards getting a formula for $P(k)$.

- What is the total number of ways in which the birthdays of the k people in the group could occur?
- What is the total number of ways in which the birthdays of the k people in the group could so that no two people share the same birthday?
- What is the total number of ways in which the birthdays of the k people in the group could occur so that at least two people share a birthday?
- What is the probability that at least two people in the group share a birthday? That is, what is $P(k)$?
- Using Desmos, make a table of values for $P(k)$, for $n = 1, 2, \dots, 50$, along with a graph of that data. (Integer domain, not real numbers: the graph should be dots.) Make your graph large and clear, so that it the curve spans the whole screen and the axes and their labels are clearly visible. Print your graph.
- Using your data, how many large does k need to be for $P(k)$ to be at least 0.5? Illustrate on your graph.

[7] (similar to suggested problem 9.5#5) Use Theorem 9.5.1 to compute each of the following. (Show how the expressions can be simplified. Do not use a calculator!)

- $\binom{7}{0}$
- $\binom{7}{1}$
- $\binom{7}{2}$
- $\binom{7}{3}$
- $\binom{7}{4}$
- $\binom{7}{5}$
- $\binom{7}{6}$
- $\binom{7}{7}$

[8] (similar to Examples 9.5#4,5,6,7 and sugg ex 9.5#5) A computer programming department has 15 members.

- How many ways can a group of six be chosen to work on a project?
- Suppose eight department members are women and seven are men.
 - How many groups of six can be chosen that contain four women and two men?
 - How many groups of six can be chosen that contain at least one man?
 - How many groups of six can be chosen that contain at most three women?
- Suppose two department members refuse to work together on projects. How many groups of six can be chosen to work on a project?
- Suppose two department members insist on either working together or not at all on projects. How many groups of six can be chosen to work on a project?

[9] (similar to suggested exercise 9.5# 17) (similar to suggested problem 9.5#17) Eight points labeled A, B, C, D, E, F, G, H are arranged in a plane in a way that no three of them lie on the same line.

- How many straight lines are determined by the eight points?
- How many of those straight lines do not pass through point A?
- How many triangles have three of the eight points as vertices?
- How many of these triangles do not have A as a vertex?

[10] (similar to suggested problem 9.5#16) Suppose that three computer boards in a production run of fifty are defective. A sample of five is to be selected to be checked for defects.

- How many different samples can be chosen?
- How many samples will contain at least one defective board?
- What is the probability that a randomly chosen sample of five contains at least one defective board?