

L8P7  
L9P1

List all elements of the set: if  $m$  is a positive divisor of  $n$  then  $m=1$  or  $m=n$ .

$$S = \{n \in \mathbb{Z} : n > 1 \wedge ((m \in \mathbb{Z} \wedge m > 0 \wedge m | n) \Rightarrow (m = 1 \vee m = n))\}$$

$$\cap \{n \in \mathbb{Z} : n | 42\}$$

$$\{\cancel{1}, \cancel{2}, \cancel{3}, \cancel{6}, \cancel{7}, \cancel{14}, \cancel{21}, \cancel{42}\}$$

Set of all Primes!

$$\text{Thus, } S = \{2, 3, 7\}$$

Rewrite the following using as few English words as possible.

1. No multiple of 15 plus any multiple of 6 equals 100.
2. Whenever three divides both the sum and difference of two integers, it also divides each of these integers.

$$1. \forall m, n \in \mathbb{Z}, (15m + 6n \neq 100)$$

$$2. \forall m, n \in \mathbb{Z} ((3 | (m+n) \wedge 3 | (m-n)) \Rightarrow 3 | m \wedge 3 | n)$$

Write the following statements in (mostly) plain English.

$$1. \forall m \in \mathbb{Z}, ((\exists k \in \mathbb{Z}, m = 2k) \Rightarrow (\exists \ell \in \mathbb{Z}, 7m^2 + 4 = 2\ell))$$

$$2. n \in \mathbb{Z} \Rightarrow (\exists m \in \mathbb{Z}, m > n)$$

1. ~~IF~~ IF  $m$  is an even integer, then  
 $7m^2 + 4$  is even.

2. For every integer, ~~there~~ there exists a  
 greater integer.

There is no greatest integer.

Contra positive.

Moral: Direct proofs are not always easy to find.

Eg:  $\neg \exists x_n \Rightarrow \neg \forall x_n \equiv \forall x_n \Rightarrow \neg \exists x_n$ .

Contra positive Def'n:

The contra positive of  $H \Rightarrow C$  is  $\neg C \Rightarrow \neg H$

Note:  $H \Rightarrow C \equiv \neg C \Rightarrow \neg H$ .

$$H \Rightarrow C \equiv \neg H \vee C \equiv C \vee \neg H$$

$$\equiv \neg(\neg C) \vee \neg H$$

$$\equiv \neg C \Rightarrow \neg H$$

H	C	$H \Rightarrow C$	$\neg C$	$\neg H$	$\neg C \Rightarrow \neg H$
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T	F	F	T	F	F
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Ex: Let  $x \in \mathbb{R}$ . Prove  $x^3 - 5x^2 + 3x \neq 15 \Rightarrow x \neq 5$ .

PF: We prove the contrapositive. Let  $x = 5$ . Then

$$\begin{aligned} x^3 - 5x^2 + 3x &= (5)^3 - 5(5)^2 + 3(5) \\ &= 5^3 - 5^3 + 15 \\ &= 15. \end{aligned}$$

Irrationals. ~~✗~~

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Ex: Suppose  $a, b \in \mathbb{R}$  and  $ab \in \mathbb{R} - \mathbb{Q}$ . Show either  $a \in \mathbb{R} - \mathbb{Q}$  or  $b \in \mathbb{R} - \mathbb{Q}$ .

PF: Proceed by contrapositive. Suppose  $a$  is rational and  $b$  is rational. Then,  $\exists k, l, m, n \in \mathbb{Z}$  s.t.

$$a = \frac{k}{l} \quad \text{and} \quad b = \frac{m}{n} \quad \text{with } l, n \neq 0. \quad \text{Then}$$

$$ab = \frac{km}{ln} \in \mathbb{Q}. \quad \blacksquare$$