

# SAMPLE SOLUTION, CSC165 QUIZ 4, THURSDAY JUNE 16

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Consider the following sentences, where the parentheses indicate the order of evaluation of the " $\Rightarrow$ " operation:

$$s1: (P(x, y) \Rightarrow (Q(x, y) \Rightarrow R(x, y)))$$

$$s2: \forall x \in D, \exists y \in D, s1.$$

1. Rewrite s1 in symbolic notation without using " $\Rightarrow$ ," that is, replacing this symbol by some combination of  $\neg$  and  $\vee$ .

$$\neg P(x, y) \vee \neg Q(x, y) \vee R(x, y)$$

2. Write the NEGATION of s2 in symbolic notation, making sure that the negation symbol " $\neg$ " only appears directly next to predicates  $P$ ,  $Q$ , or  $R$ .

$$\exists x \in D, \forall y \in D, P(x, y), \wedge Q(x, y) \wedge \neg R(x, y)$$

3. Write the CONVERSE of s1 in symbolic notation, without using " $\Rightarrow$ ," that is, replacing this symbol by some combination of  $\vee$  and  $\neg$ .

$$P(x, y) \vee (Q(x, y) \wedge \neg R(x, y))$$