

Due: By 12:00 noon on Thursday, October 12.

Worth: 7%

You must complete and sign an assignment cover page, and attach it (with a staple) to the front of your assignment. Assignments should be handed into the drop box in BA 2220.

1. Let A denote the sentence “ x is odd” and let B denote the sentence “ x^2 is odd”. Write the sentence “ $A \Rightarrow B$ ” in natural English:
 - (a) Using the words “if” and “then”.
 - (b) Using the word “implies”.
 - (c) Using the words “only if”.
 - (d) Using the words “is necessary for”.
 - (e) Using the words “is sufficient for”.
2. Let $\mathbb{N} = \{0, 1, 2, \dots\}$. For each statement below, rewrite the statement in natural English and clearly state whether it is true or false. Justify your answer briefly, using an example or counter-example when appropriate.
 - (a) $\forall c \in \mathbb{N}, \exists d \in \mathbb{N}, c < d$
 - (b) $\forall d \in \mathbb{N}, \exists c \in \mathbb{N}, c < d$
 - (c) $\exists c \in \mathbb{N}, \forall d \in \mathbb{N}, c < d$
 - (d) $\exists d \in \mathbb{N}, \forall c \in \mathbb{N}, c < d$
3. Consider the statement (D) “There is a class clown.” This can be interpreted as meaning there is *at least one* class clown or as meaning there is *exactly one* class clown. Express each of these two interpretations of (D) symbolically.
4. Consider a two-player card game. Each player holds some number of cards (his/her hand), and play alternates between players. Each turn consists of playing one card from his/her hand. In this game, only some cards can legally be played immediately following another card (for example, the suits or ranks of the cards might have to match).
Let C be the set of cards. Express the statements (a)-(c) symbolically, defining appropriate predicates, but only using the domain C .
 - (a) “Player 1 always holds a card that may be played first.”
 - (b) “Player 2 can always play a card second.”
(HINT: Use a binary predicate $\ell(b, a)$ meaning it’s legal to play card b after card a was played.)
 - (c) “There is always a card that when played by Player 2 second, Player 1 cannot play a card third.”
 - (d) Express your answer to (c) in English that closely resembles the logical structure of your answer.
5. Consider the following statement about natural numbers:
(S) If a divides b , then a divides b^2 .
 - (a) Write (S) symbolically. Do not use a predicate to stand for “divides”.
 - (b) Prove (S) using the same approach used in lecture, and provide a short justification of each step of your proof. Clearly state and justify any properties you use.