MATH 110

Homework 6

- 1. Let $U = \{a, b, c, d, e, f, g\}$, and let f be an interpretation of formulas with P, Q, and R in U defined by $f(P) = \{a, b, c\}, f(Q) = \{c, d, e\}, f(R) = \{b, d, f\}$. Find the following.
 - (a) $f(\neg R)$
 - (b) $f(P \wedge Q)$
 - (c) $f(P \lor Q \lor R)$
 - (d) $f(P \to R)$
- 2. For the above interpretation $(U = \{a, b, c, d, e, f, g\}, f(P) = \{a, b, c\}, f(Q) = \{c, d, e\}, f(R) = \{b, d, f\})$:
 - (a) Find a compound statement that is mapped to the whole set U but is not a tautology.
 - (b) Also find a compound statement that is mapped to the empty subset but is not a contradiction.
- 3. Let $U = \{1\}$ (containing just one element).
 - (a) The compound statement P → Q is not a tautology, therefore there exists an interpretation that sends P → Q to a proper subset of U, i.e. the empty set. Find an interpretation that sends P → Q to the empty subset.
 - (b) On the other hand, the compound statement $P \to Q$ is not a contradiction, therefore there exists an interpretation that sends $P \to Q$ to a non-empty subset of U, i.e. the whole set U. Find an interpretation that sends $P \to Q$ to U.
- 4. Determine the truth value of the following statements.
 - (a) $\exists x \in \mathbb{R} \ x^2 = 0$
 - (b) $\forall x \in \mathbb{R} \ x^2 = 0$
 - (c) $\forall x \in \mathbb{R} \ x^2 > 0$
 - (d) $\forall x \in \mathbb{N} \ x^2 > 0$
- 5. Determine the truth value of the following statements.
 - (a) $\exists x \exists y \in \mathbb{Z} \ x^2 = y$
 - (b) $\forall x \forall y \in \mathbb{Z} \ x^2 = y$
 - (c) $\exists x \exists y \in \mathbb{N} \ x^2 + y^2 = 3$
 - (d) $\exists x \exists y \in \mathbb{R} \ x^2 + y^2 = 3$