

CSE 321: Discrete Structures  
Assignment #2  
Due: Friday, April 14

**Reading Assignment:** Rosen, 5th edition: Sections 1.3-1.8 pp. 233-236, 2.4-2.5.

**Problems:**

1. Let  $Q(x, y)$  be the statement “ $x$  has been a contestant on  $y$ ”. Express the following sentences in terms of  $Q(x, y)$ , quantifiers and logical connectives, where the universe of discourse for  $x$  is the set of all students at your school and the universe of discourse for  $y$  is the set of all quiz shows on television. Then give the negation of the statement in English.
  - No student at your school has ever been a contestant on a television quiz show.
  - Every television quiz show has had a student from your school as a contestant.
2. Prove or disprove the claim that  $\forall x(P(x) \rightarrow Q(x))$  is logically equivalent to  $\forall xP(x) \rightarrow \forall xQ(x)$ .
3. Let  $Q(A, B)$  be the statement  $A \subseteq B$ . If the universe of discourse for both  $A$  and  $B$  is all sets of integers, what are the truth values of the following? Justify your answers.
  - $(\forall A)(\exists B)Q(A, B)$
  - $(\forall B)(\exists A)Q(A, B)$
  - $(\exists A)(\forall B)Q(A, B)$
  - $(\forall A)(\forall B)Q(A, B)$
4. Section 1.5, Exercise 12.
5. Section 1.5, Exercise 22.

6. Prove that if you pick 10 numbers from 1 to 1000, there is a pair of numbers such that the larger of the two is at most twice the other.
7. Which of the following statements are true?
- $\{x\} \subseteq \{x\}$
  - $\{x\} \in \{x, \{x\}\}$
  - $\{x\} \in \{x\}$
  - $\{x, \{x\}\} \subseteq \mathcal{P}(\{x\})$
8. Carefully prove the following implications.
- $(A \cup B = B) \rightarrow (A \subseteq B)$
  - $(A \cap B = A) \rightarrow (A \subseteq B)$
9. Give an example of a function from  $\mathcal{N}$  to  $\mathcal{N}$  which is
- one-to-one but not onto
  - onto but not one-to-one
  - both onto and one-to-one (but different from the identity function)
  - neither one-to-one nor onto.