

Maths & Logic (360-124)

The Answers

1.

1	$\forall x\forall y[G(x, y) \rightarrow \neg G(y, x)]$	
2	$\forall yG(d, y)$	
3	$\forall x\forall y[E(x) \wedge \neg E(y) \rightarrow G(x, y)]$	
4	$\exists xE(x)$	
5	$\neg E(d)$	
6	$u \mid E(u)$	
7	$E(u) \wedge \neg E(d)$	( $\wedge$ I), 5, 6
8	$E(u) \wedge \neg E(d) \rightarrow G(u, d)$	( $\forall$ E), 3
9	$G(u, d)$	( $\rightarrow$ E), 7, 8
10	$G(u, d) \rightarrow \neg G(d, u)$	( $\forall$ E), 1
11	$\neg G(d, u)$	( $\rightarrow$ E), 9, 10
12	$G(d, u)$	( $\forall$ E), 2
13	$\perp$	( $\neg$ E), 11, 12
14	$\perp$	( $\exists$ E), 4, 6–13
15	$\neg\neg E(d)$	( $\neg$ I), 5–14
16	$E(d)$	( $\neg\neg$ E), 15

1	$\forall y(\exists xP(x) \rightarrow Q(y))$	
2	$\exists xP(x)$	
3	$u \mid \forall y(\exists xP(x) \rightarrow Q(y))$	(R), 1
4	$\exists xP(x) \rightarrow Q(u)$	( $\forall$ E), 3
5	$\exists xP(x)$	(R), 2
6	$Q(u)$	( $\rightarrow$ E), 4, 5
7	$\forall yQ(y)$	( $\forall$ I), 3–6
8	$\exists xP(x) \rightarrow \forall yQ(y)$	( $\rightarrow$ I), 2–7

2.	1	$P(a) \wedge Q(b)$				$\exists x \forall y A(x, y)$	
	2	$\forall x(R(x) \rightarrow \neg P(x))$				$u \mid v \mid \forall y A(v, y)$	
	3	$P(a)$	( $\wedge E$ ), 1			$A(v, u)$	( $\forall E$ ), 2
	4	$Q(b)$	( $\wedge E$ ), 1			$\exists x A(x, u)$	( $\exists I$ ), 3
	5	$\exists x Q(x)$	( $\exists I$ ), 4			$\exists x A(x, u)$	( $\exists E$ ), 1, 2-4
	6	$\forall x R(x)$				$\forall y \exists x A(x, y)$	( $\forall I$ ), 2-5
	7	$R(a)$	( $\forall E$ ), 6				
	8	$R(a) \rightarrow \neg P(a)$	( $\forall E$ ), 2				
	9	$\neg P(a)$	( $\rightarrow E$ ), 8				
	10	$\perp$	( $\neg E$ ), 3, 9				
	11	$\neg \forall x R(x)$	( $\neg I$ ), 6-10				
	12	$\exists x Q(x) \wedge \neg \forall x R(x)$	( $\wedge I$ ), 5, 11				

The second is not reversible: for example, let  $A(x, y)$  be “ $x$  is  $y$ ’s parent”: then while it is certainly true that everyone has a parent, it is not necessarily true that there is someone who is everyone’s parent.

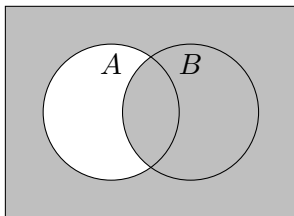
3.	1	$\exists x(S(x) \wedge L(x, j))$	
	2	$\forall x \forall y (T(x) \wedge S(y) \rightarrow L(x, y))$	
	3	$T(j)$	
	4	$u \mid S(u) \wedge L(u, j)$	
	5	$S(u)$	( $\wedge E$ ), 4
	6	$L(u, j)$	( $\wedge E$ ), 4
	7	$\forall y (T(j) \wedge S(y) \rightarrow L(j, y))$	( $\forall E$ ), 2
	8	$T(j) \wedge S(u) \rightarrow L(j, u)$	( $\forall E$ ), 7
	9	$T(j) \wedge S(u)$	( $\wedge I$ ), 3, 5
	10	$L(j, u)$	( $\rightarrow E$ ), 8, 9
	11	$L(u, j) \wedge L(j, u)$	( $\wedge I$ ), 6, 10
	12	$\exists x (L(x, j) \wedge L(j, x))$	( $\exists I$ ), 11
	13	$\exists x (L(x, j) \wedge L(j, x))$	( $\exists E$ ), 1, 4-12

OK variants for line 2:  $\forall x\forall y(T(x) \rightarrow (S(y) \rightarrow L(x, y)))$  or  $\forall x(T(x) \rightarrow \forall y(S(y) \rightarrow L(x, y)))$ , with corresponding minor variations to the derivation in lines 7–10.

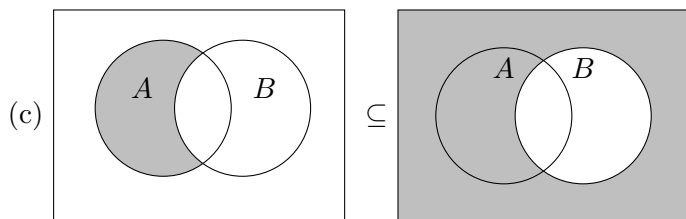
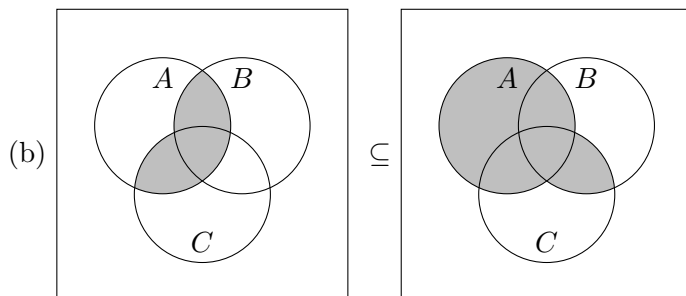
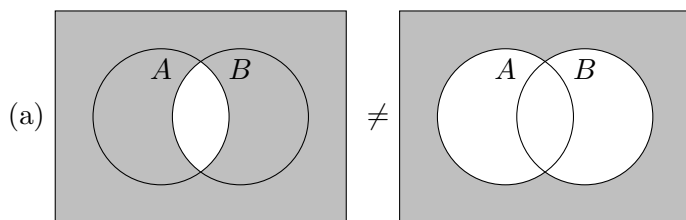
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4	$u$   $S(u) \wedge L(u, j)$	
5	$S(u)$	( $\wedge$ E), 4
6	$L(u, j)$	( $\wedge$ E), 4
7	$\forall y(T(j) \rightarrow (S(y) \rightarrow L(x, y)))$	( $\forall$ E), 2
8	$T(j) \rightarrow (S(u) \rightarrow L(j, u))$	( $\forall$ E), 7
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4.  $(A \setminus B)^c = \{x | \neg[x \in A \wedge x \notin B]\} = \{x | x \notin A \vee x \in B\} = A^c \cup B$ . The Venn diagram:



5. (a) False (b, c) True. Venn diagrams:



6.  $\mathcal{P}\{p, q, r\} = \{\emptyset, \{p\}, \{q\}, \{r\}, \{p, q\}, \{p, r\}, \{q, r\}, \{p, q, r\}\}$ .  $\mathcal{P}(\mathcal{P}(A))$  has  $2^8 = 256$  elements, including these:  $\emptyset, \{\emptyset\}, \{\{q, r\}\}, \{\{p\}, \{q\}\}, \{\{p, q, r\}, \{p\}, \{q\}\}$ , (and 251 others ...)

7. Try to cover many of the points in the various readings and discussions on these topics. I did deduct marks for not answering the question asked!