

Exam 1 review

- A1 List important logical equivalences.
 - A2 List important rules of inference (implications that are tautologies).
 - A3 Show how to negate statements involving \wedge , \vee , \Rightarrow , \Leftrightarrow , \forall , \exists .
 - A4 Explain why a direct proof works.
 - A5 Explain why a contrapositive proof works.
 - A6 Explain why a proof by contradiction works.
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Prove or disprove each of the following statements.

- B1 There is no smallest positive irrational number.
- B2 There is a rational number a and an irrational number b such that a^b is rational.
- B3 There is an integer n such that $n + n^2 + n^3 + n^4$ is odd.
- B4 The sum of squares of two odd integers cannot be the square of an integer.
- B5 For any integer n , $5 \mid n$ if and only if $5 \mid n^2$.
- B6 For any integer n , $12 \mid n$ if and only if $12 \mid n^2$.