

# CS 173, Fall 2014, Examlet 1, Part B Solutions

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1. (5 points) Suppose  $\log_k x = 8$ . Then  $\log_k(x\sqrt{x}) =$

**Solution:**  $\log_k(x\sqrt{x}) = \log_k(x^{3/2}) = \frac{3}{2} \log_k(x) = \frac{3}{2} \cdot 8 = 12$

2. (10 points) Check the (single) box that best characterizes each item.

$\sqrt{2} \in \mathbb{Q}$                       true                       false

For any real number  $x$ ,  
if  $|x + 5| \leq 10$ , then  $|x| \leq 20$ .                      true                       false                       undefined

$\neg(p \wedge \neg q) \equiv \neg p \wedge q$                       true                       false

$\forall x \in \mathbb{R}$ , if  $\pi = 3$ , then  $x < 20$ .  
( $\pi$  is the familiar constant.)                      true                       false                       undefined

$3^{\lfloor -1.5 \rfloor} =$                        $-3$                         $\frac{1}{9}$                         $\frac{1}{3\sqrt{3}}$                         $\frac{1}{3}$

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1. (5 points)  $\frac{\log_2(32^3)}{5} =$

**Solution:**  $\frac{\log_2(32^3)}{5} = \frac{3 \log_2(32)}{5} = \frac{3 \log_2(2^5)}{5} = \frac{3 \cdot 5}{5} = 3$

2. (10 points) Check the (single) box that best characterizes each item.

$p \vee q \equiv \neg p \rightarrow q$

true

false

$\exists n \in \mathbb{Z}$ ,  
such that  $n^2 > 10$ .

true

false

undefined

For all integers  $n$ , if  $n^2 = 101$ ,  
then  $n > 11$ .

true

false

undefined

For any real number  $x$ ,  $\lfloor x \rfloor < \lceil x \rceil$ .

true

false

$0 \in \mathbb{N}$

true

false

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1. (5 points)  $\frac{1}{(\frac{1}{2})^4 + (-\frac{1}{2})^5} =$

**Solution:**  $\frac{1}{(\frac{1}{2})^4 + (-\frac{1}{2})^5} = \frac{1}{\frac{1}{16} - \frac{1}{32}} = \frac{1}{\frac{2-1}{32}} = \frac{1}{\frac{1}{32}} = 32$

2. (10 points) Check the (single) box that best characterizes each item.

$p \vee q \equiv \neg p \rightarrow q$

true

false

For all positive integers  $n$ ,  
if  $n! < -10$ , then  $n > 8$ .

true

false

undefined

$\forall x \in \mathbb{R}$ ,  
if  $x^2 > 100$ , then  $|x| \geq 10$ .

true

false

undefined

$\lfloor -3 \rfloor$

3

-3

4

-4

$\log_2 3 < \log_3 2$

true

false