



## Continuous control

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(3) Give each of the following mathematical propositions in formula, then its negation in formula.

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(3) Let  $E = \{1, 2, 3\} \subset \mathbb{N}$ . Find  $P(E)$  the set of power of  $E$ .

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$$(4) \text{ Let } A, B \text{ and } C \text{ be parts of } P(E) \text{ given by .}$$

$A \equiv \{X \in P(E) : 1 \in X\}$ ,  $B \equiv \{X \in P(E) : 2 \notin X\}$ ,  $C \equiv \{X \in P(E) : 1 \notin X \text{ and } 3 \in X\}$ .

- Give the sets  $A$ ,  $B$  and  $C$  in extension.

(5) Find

$A \cap B$ ,  $A \setminus B$ ,  $B \cup C$ , and  $C = C_{P(E)}(C)$ , the complement of  $C$  relative to  $P(E)$ .

**Exercise 3** (5 pts)

For  $n \in \mathbb{N}^*$ . Consider the statement : If  $n^2 - 1$  is not a multiple of 4, then  $n$  is even.

(1) Write this statement in the form of an implication  $P \Rightarrow Q$ .

(2) Write the contrapositive and converse of this implication  $P \Rightarrow Q$ .

(3) Show the implication  $P \Rightarrow Q$  by contraposition.

(4) Is the converse of the implication  $P \Rightarrow Q$  true?

**Exercise 4 (5 pts)**

For  $n \in \mathbb{N}^* \setminus \{1\}$ , we pose  $S_n = \sum_{k=1}^{n-1} 2^k = 2 + 2^2 + 2^3 + \dots + 2^{n-1}$ .

(1) By calculating  $2S_n - S_n$ , show that :  $S_n = 2^n - 2$ .

(2) Show by induction that :  $\forall n \in \mathbb{N}^* \setminus \{1\}$ ,  $S_n = \sum_{k=1}^{n-1} 2^k = 2^n - 2$ .

Good luck



## Contrôle continu

**Exercice 1** (5 pts)

- (1) Soient P,Q et R des propositions. Compléter la table de vérité suivante :

- (2) A l'aide de cette table, quelles propositions sont équivalentes parmi les trois propositions suivantes :  $[(P \vee Q) \Rightarrow R]$ ,  $[(P \Rightarrow R) \vee (Q \Rightarrow R)]$  et  $[(P \Rightarrow R) \wedge (Q \Rightarrow R)]$ .

(3) Donner chacune des propositions mathématiques suivantes en formule, puis sa négation en formule.

*P* : Il existe un entier naturel non nul qui divise chaque entier relatif non nul.

$\mathcal{Q}$  : Toute partie de l'ensemble des entiers naturels contient l'entier naturel zéro.

R : L'équation  $x^2 - 2 = 0$  admet au moins une solution rationnelle.

**Exercice 2 (5 pts)**

- (1) Ecrire en extension l'ensemble suivant :  $A = \{x \in \mathbb{R} : x^2 + x + 1 = 0\}$

(2) Ecrire en compréhension l'ensemble suivant :  $B = \{-1, 1\}$ .

(3) Soit  $E = \{1, 2, 3\} \subset \mathbb{N}$ . Déterminer  $P(E)$  l'ensemble des parties de  $E$ .

(4) Soient  $A, B$  et  $C$  des parties de  $P(E)$  données par :

$A = \{X \in P(E) : 1 \in X\}$ ,  $B = \{X \in P(E) : 2 \notin X\}$ ,  $C = \{X \in P(E) : 1 \notin X \text{ et } 3 \in X\}$

- Donner les ensembles  $A, B$  et  $C$  en extension.

## (5) Déterminer

$A \cap B$ ,  $A \setminus B$ ,  $B \cup C$  et

**Exercice 3 (5 pts)**

Pour  $n \in \mathbb{N}^*$ . Considérons

(1) Ecrire cet énoncé sous la forme d'une implication  $P \Rightarrow Q$ .

- (2) Ecrire la contraposée et la réciproque de cette implication  $P \Rightarrow Q$ .  
 (3) Montrer l'implication  $P \Rightarrow Q$  par contraposition.  
 (4) La réciproque de l'implication  $P \Rightarrow Q$  est-elle vraie?

**Exercice 4 (5 pts)**

Pour  $n \in \mathbb{N}^* \setminus \{1\}$ , on pose  $S_n = \sum_{k=1}^{n-1} 2^k = 2 + 2^2 + 2^3 + \dots + 2^{n-1}$ .

- (1) En calculant  $2S_n - S_n$ , montrer que :  $S_n = 2^n - 2$ .

(2) Montrer par récurrence que :  $\forall n \in \mathbb{N}^* \setminus \{1\}$ ,  $S_n = \sum_{k=1}^{n-1} 2^k = 2^n - 2$ .

Bon courage



### Continuous control

#### Exercise 1 (5)

(1) Let  $P, Q$  and  $R$  be propositions. Complete the following truth table :

$P$	$Q$	$R$	$P \vee Q$	$P \Rightarrow R$	$Q \Rightarrow R$	$(P \vee Q) \Rightarrow R$	$(P \Rightarrow R) \vee (Q \Rightarrow R)$	$(P \Rightarrow R) \wedge (Q \Rightarrow R)$
1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
1	0	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
0	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
1	0	0	1	0	1	0	1	0
0	1	0	1	1	0	0	1	0
0	0	1	0	1	1	1	1	1
0	0	0	0	1	1	1	1	1

(2)

(2) Using this table, which of the following three propositions are equivalent?

$[(P \vee Q) \Rightarrow R]$ ,  $[(P \Rightarrow R) \vee (Q \Rightarrow R)]$  and  $[(P \Rightarrow R) \wedge (Q \Rightarrow R)]$ .

$$[(P \vee Q) \Rightarrow R] \Leftrightarrow [(P \Rightarrow R) \wedge (Q \Rightarrow R)] \quad (0,5)$$

(3) Give each of the following mathematical propositions in formula, then its negation in formula.  
 $P$  : There exists a non-zero natural number that divides every non-zero relative integer.

$$\begin{aligned} P &: \exists n \in \mathbb{N}^*, \forall k \in \mathbb{Z}^* : n \mid k. \\ \bar{P} &: \forall n \in \mathbb{N}^*, \exists k \in \mathbb{Z}^* : n \text{ does not divide } k. \end{aligned} \quad (1)$$

$Q$  : Any part of the set of natural numbers contains the natural number zero.

$$\begin{aligned} Q &: \forall A \subset \mathbb{N}, 0 \in A. \\ \bar{Q} &: \exists A \subset \mathbb{N}, 0 \notin A. \end{aligned} \quad (0,5+0,25)$$

$R$  : The equation  $x^2 - 2 = 0$  admits at least one rational solution.

$$\begin{aligned} R &: \exists x \in \mathbb{Q}, x^2 - 2 = 0. \\ \bar{R} &: \forall x \in \mathbb{Q}, x^2 - 2 \neq 0. \end{aligned} \quad (0,5+0,25)$$

**Exercise 2 (5)**(1) Write the following set in extension :  $A = \{x \in \mathbb{R} : x^2 + x + 1 = 0\}$ .

The equation  $x^2 + x + 1 = 0$  does not admit real solutions,  
because its discriminant  $\Delta < 0$ . Hence,  $A = \emptyset$ .

**(0,5)**(2) Write the following set in comprehension :  $B = \{-1, 1\}$ .

$$B = \{(-1)^n, n \in \mathbb{N}\} = \{x \in \mathbb{R}, |x| = 1\}. \quad \text{(0,5)}$$

(3) Let  $E = \{1, 2, 3\} \subset \mathbb{N}$ . Find  $P(E)$  the set power of  $E$ .

$$P(E) = \{\emptyset, \{1\}, \{2\}, \{3\}, \{1, 2\}, \{1, 3\}, \{2, 3\}, \{1, 2, 3\}\}. \quad \text{(0,5)}$$

(4) Let  $A, B$  and  $C$  be parts of  $P(E)$  given by :

$$A = \{X \in P(E) : 1 \in X\}, B = \{X \in P(E) : 2 \notin X\}, C = \{X \in P(E) : 1 \notin X \text{ and } 3 \in X\}.$$

- Give the sets  $A, B$  and  $C$  in extension.

$$\begin{aligned} A &= \{\{1\}, \{1, 2\}, \{1, 3\}, \{1, 2, 3\}\}. \\ B &= \{\emptyset, \{1\}, \{3\}, \{1, 3\}\}. \\ C &= \{\{3\}, \{2, 3\}\}. \end{aligned} \quad \text{(1,5)}$$

(5) Find  $A \cap B, A \setminus B, B \cup C, \bar{C} = C_{P(E)}(C)$  the complement of  $C$  relative to  $P(E)$ .

$$\begin{aligned} A \cap B &= \{\{1\}, \{1, 3\}\}. \\ A \setminus B &= \{\{1, 2\}, \{1, 2, 3\}\}. \\ B \cup C &= \{\emptyset, \{1\}, \{3\}, \{1, 3\}, \{2, 3\}\}. \\ \bar{C} &= C_{P(E)}(C) = \{\emptyset, \{1\}, \{2\}, \{1, 2\}, \{1, 3\}, \{1, 2, 3\}\}. \end{aligned} \quad \text{(2)}$$

**Exercise 3 (5)**For  $n \in \mathbb{N}^*$ . Consider the statement : If  $n^2 - 1$  is not a multiple of 4, then  $n$  is even.(1) Write this statement in the form of an implication  $P \Rightarrow Q$ .

$$P \Rightarrow Q : (n^2 - 1 \text{ is not a multiple of 4}) \Rightarrow (n \text{ is even}). \quad \text{(0,5)}$$

(2) Write the contrapositive and converse of this implication  $P \Rightarrow Q$ .

$$\begin{aligned} \text{The contrapositive : } &(n \text{ is odd}) \Rightarrow (n^2 - 1 \text{ is a multiple of 4}). \\ \text{The converse : } &(n \text{ is even}) \Rightarrow (n^2 - 1 \text{ is not a multiple of 4}). \end{aligned} \quad \text{(1)}$$

(3) Show the implication  $P \Rightarrow Q$  by contraposition.

We know that  $(P \Rightarrow Q) \Leftrightarrow (\bar{Q} \Rightarrow \bar{P})$ .

We assume that  $n$  is odd.

$n$  is odd  $\Rightarrow \exists k \in \mathbb{N} : n = 2k + 1$ .

$$\begin{aligned} \text{We have, } n^2 - 1 &= (2k+1)^2 - 1 = (4k^2 + 4k + 1) - 1 = 4k^2 + 4k \\ &= 4(k^2 + k) = 4l, \text{ with } l = k^2 + k \in \mathbb{N}. \end{aligned} \quad (2)$$

So,  $n^2 - 1$  is a multiple of 4. Therfore  $(n \text{ is even}) \Rightarrow (n^2 - 1 \text{ is a multiple of 4})$ .

Consequenely,  $(n^2 - 1 \text{ is not a multiple of 4}) \Rightarrow (n \text{ is even})$ .

(4) Is the converse of the implication  $P \Rightarrow Q$  true?

Assume that  $n$  is even.

$n$  is even  $\Rightarrow \exists k \in \mathbb{N} : n = 2k$ .

$$\text{We have, } n^2 - 1 = (2k)^2 - 1 = (4k^2) - 1 = 4k^2 - 1. \quad (1,5)$$

So,  $n^2 - 1$  is not a multiple of 4. Therfore  $(n \text{ is even}) \Rightarrow (n^2 - 1 \text{ is not a multiple of 4})$ .

Consequenely,  $(n \text{ is even}) \Rightarrow (n^2 - 1 \text{ is not a multiple of 4})$ .

That is, the converse of the implication  $P \Rightarrow Q$  is true.

#### Exercise 4 (5)

For  $n \in \mathbb{N}^* \setminus \{1\}$ , we pose  $S_n = \sum_{k=1}^{n-1} 2^k = 2 + 2^2 + 2^3 + \dots + 2^{n-2} + 2^{n-1}$ .

(1) By calculating  $2S_n - S_n$ , show that :  $S_n = 2^n - 2$ .

$$\begin{aligned} 2S_n - S_n &= 2(2 + 2^2 + 2^3 + \dots + 2^{n-2} + 2^{n-1}) - (2 + 2^2 + 2^3 + \dots + 2^{n-2} + 2^{n-1}) \\ &= (2^2 + 2^3 + 2^4 + \dots + 2^{n-1} + 2^n) - (2 + 2^2 + 2^3 + \dots + 2^{n-2} + 2^{n-1}) \end{aligned} \quad (1,5)$$

$$2S_n - S_n = 2^n - 2$$

$$\text{Hence } S_n = 2^n - 2$$

(2) Show by induction that :  $\forall n \in \mathbb{N}^* \setminus \{1\}$ ,  $S_n = \sum_{k=1}^{n-1} 2^k = 2^n - 2$ .

1<sup>st</sup> step (initialization). For  $n = 2$ , we have,  $S_2 = \sum_{k=1}^1 2^k = 2^1 = 2$ , and  $2^2 - 2 = 4 - 2 = 2$  (0,5)

$$\text{That is } S_2 = \sum_{k=1}^1 2^k = 2^1 - 2 = 2.$$

Therfore, the property is true for  $n = 2$ .

2<sup>nd</sup> step (heredity). We assume that :  $S_n = 2^n - 2$ , and let's show that :  $S_{n+1} = 2^{n+1} - 2$ . (0,5)

$$\begin{aligned} \text{We have } S_{n+1} &= \sum_{k=1}^n 2^k = 2 + 2^2 + 2^3 + \dots + 2^{n-2} + 2^{n-1} + 2^n \\ &= (2 + 2^2 + 2^3 + \dots + 2^{n-2} + 2^{n-1}) + 2^n \end{aligned} \quad (0,5)$$

$$= S_n + 2^n \quad (0,5)$$

$$= (2^n - 2) + 2^n \quad (\text{induction hypothesis})$$

$$= 2 \cdot 2^n - 2 \quad (1)$$

$$S_{n+1} = 2^{n+1} - 2$$

Hence, the property is true for  $n + 1$

3<sup>rd</sup> step (conclusion) By the principle of induction, we deduce that :

$$\forall n \in \mathbb{N}^* \setminus \{1\}, S_n = \sum_{k=1}^{n-1} 2^k = 2^n - 2. \quad (0,5)$$

Good luck