Answers

1. **a.**) $\sim p \leftrightarrow \sim q$

Swimming at the New Jersey shore is not allowed if and only if sharks have not been spotted near the shore.

b.) ~p \vee (p ^ q)

Swimming at the New Jersey shore is not allowed or swimming at the New Jersey shore is allowed and sharks have been spotted near the shore.

c.) $\sim p \rightarrow \sim q$

If swimming at the New Jersey shore is not allowed, then sharks have not been spotted near the shore.

d.) $q \rightarrow p$

If sharks have been spotted near the shore then Swimming at the New Jersey is allowed.

2. **a.**) $r \land \neg q$ **b.**) $p \land q \land r$ **c.**) $r \leftrightarrow (p \lor q)$ **d.**) $(q \rightarrow p) \leftrightarrow r$

e.) $r \rightarrow p$

3. a.) Converse: If I stay up late then I will sleep until noon.

Contrapositive: If i don't stay up late then I will not sleep until noon.

Inverse: If I don't sleep until noon then I haven't stayed up late.

b.) Converse: If I come to class then there will be a quiz.

Contrapositive: If I do not come to class then there will not be a quiz.

Inverse: If there is not going to be a quiz then i don't come to the class.

c.) Converse: A positive integer is a prime if it has no divisors other than 1 and itself.

Contrapositive: If a positive integer has a divisor other than 1 and itself then it is not prime.

Inverse: If a positive integer is not prime, then it has a divisor other than 1 and itself.

d.) Converse: I will stay at home only if it snows tonight.

Contrapositive: I will not stay at home only if it doesn't snow tonight.

Inverse: If it doesn't snow tonight then I will not stay home.

- 4. (Hint: Draw Truth table using basic connectives)
- 5. (Hint: Dual is the negation of a connective. Let say dual of **False** is **True**, **True** is **False**, ^ is V, V is ^)

- 6. (Hint: Tautology is All true values in the table.)
- 7. (Hint: If final result is 1 then it is a tautology.)
- 8. (Hint: Verify using Truth Table or Reducing the proposition.)
- 9. (Hint: Satisfiable is either tautology or contingency. Either all values are true by the end or at least one is true. All values should not be false.)
- 10. (Hint: De Morgan's law:

$$\sim (p \land q) = \sim p \lor \sim q$$
$$\sim (p \lor q) = \sim p \land \sim q$$

- 11. $\forall x N(x)$ means: Every computer on campus is connected to the network.
- 12. (Hint: Use De Morgan's law for Universal quantifiers)
- 13. a.) $\forall x (S(x) \rightarrow P(x))$
 - **b**). $\forall x (S(x) \lor P(x))$
- 14. a.) $\forall x (D(x) \rightarrow F(x))$
 - **b.)** $\forall x (B(x) \rightarrow F(x))$
 - **c.)** ~ $\exists x T(x)$ (Domain: Dog)
 - **d.**) $\neg \exists x S(x)$ (Domain: People)
 - e.) $\exists x (P(x) \land S(x) \land F(x)))$
 - **f.**) $\exists x \neg S(x) (S(x))$ be the predicate "x obeys the speed limit" and Domain is drivers)
 - **g.)** $\exists x \neg A(x)$ (A(x) be the predicate "x has a good attitude" and Domain is everyone in class)
- 15. a.) $\forall x(S(x) \rightarrow A(x, \text{Professor Srijit}))$
 - b.) $\exists x(S(x) \land \forall y(F(y) \rightarrow \sim A(x,y)))$
 - c.) $\exists x(F(x) \land \forall y(S(y) \rightarrow \sim A(y,x)))$
 - d.) $\forall y(F(y) \rightarrow \exists x(S(x) \lor A(x,y)))$
 - e.) $\exists x(F(x) \land \forall y((F(y) \land (y \neq x)) \rightarrow A(x,y)))$
 - f.) $\forall x(F(x) \rightarrow (A(x, \text{Professor Mikael}) \lor A(\text{Professor Mikael}, x)))$