

## EXAMPLES OF

### RELATED UNIVERSAL CONDITIONAL STATEMENTS

When the original conditional has the form:  $\forall x \in D, P(x) \rightarrow Q(x)$ ,

where  $P(x) = "x < 0"$ ,  $Q(x) = "x^2 > 0"$ , and  $D = \mathbb{R}$ .

The Original Universal Conditional Statement is:

$$\forall x \in \mathbb{R}, \text{ if } x < 0, \text{ then } x^2 > 0.$$

The Universal Converse is:

$$\forall x \in \mathbb{R}, \text{ if } x^2 > 0, \text{ then } x < 0.$$

The Universal Inverse is:

$$\forall x \in \mathbb{R}, \text{ if } x \geq 0, \text{ then } x^2 \leq 0.$$

$(x \neq 0) \qquad \qquad \qquad (x^2 \neq 0)$

The Universal Contrapositive is

$$\forall x \in \mathbb{R}, \text{ if } x^2 \leq 0, \text{ then } x \geq 0.$$

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THESE CAN ALSO BE REWORDED USING  
"sufficient", "necessary", "only if", etc.

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THE NEGATION of the statement  $S$

where  $S = "\forall x \in \mathbb{R}, \text{ if } x < 0, \text{ then } x^2 > 0"$

is

$$\sim S = "\exists x \in \mathbb{R} \text{ such that } x < 0 \text{ and } x^2 \not> 0."$$