

TOPIC: QUANTIFIERS

Quantifiers

♦ A **Categorical Statement** has a **quantifier** that indicates amount, such as _____, _____, or _____.

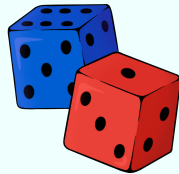
Universal Quantifiers	Existential Quantifiers
All people are mammals.	Some numbers are less than 10.
No people aren't mammals.	At least one number is less than 10.
Examples: _____	Examples: _____

♦ Negate categorical statements by changing the quantifier to one of the _____ type. You may need to add _____

EXAMPLE

Identify whether the quantifier in the statement is universal or existential. Then, find the negation and determine the truth value of each.

(A) p : Every board game has dice.



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$\sim p$: _____ board games _____ dice.

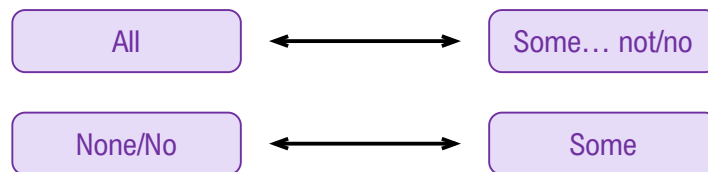
$\sim p$: _____ board games _____ dice.

(B) q : There exists a number that is even.

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$\sim q$: _____ number that is _____.

Negating Categorical Statements



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EXAMPLE

Rewrite the following as an equivalent statement using a different quantifier.

(A) All squares are rectangles.

(B) Some fruits are apples.

(C) Not all puppies are corgis.

(D) No cats are dogs.

PRACTICE

Determine the truth value of the following statement and find its negation.

(A) All squares are rectangles.

(B) Some circles are polygons.

(C) Not all puppies are corgis.

(D) No prime number is even.

PRACTICE

Let p : Some people like cats. q : All cats have fur. Represent the following statement symbolically and determine its truth value.

(A) At least one cat does not have fur.

(B) No people like cats.