

### **EXERCISE 14.3**

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- 1. For each of the following compound statements first identify the connecting words and then break it into component statements.
- (i) All rational numbers are real and all real numbers are not complex.
- (ii) Square of an integer is positive or negative.
- (iii) The sand heats up quickly in the Sun and does not cool down fast at night.
- (iv) x = 2 and x = 3 are the roots of the equation  $3x^2 x 10 = 0$ .

### **Solution:**

(i) In this sentence 'and' is the connecting word

The component statements are as follows

- (a) All rational numbers are real
- (b) All real numbers are not complex
- (ii) In this sentence 'or' is the connecting word

The component statements are as follows

- (a) Square of an integer is positive
- (b) Square of an integer is negative
- (iii) In this sentence 'and' is the connecting word

The component statements are as follows

- (a) The sand heats up quickly in the Sun
- (b) The sand does not cool down fast at night
- (iv) In this sentence 'and' is the connecting word

The component statements are as follows

- (a) x = 2 is the root of the equation  $3x^2 x 10 = 0$
- (b) x = 3 is the root of the equation  $3x^2 x 10 = 0$
- 2. Identify the quantifier in the following statements and write the negation of the statements.
- (i) There exists a number which is equal to its square.
- (ii) For every real number x, x is less than x + 1.
- (iii) There exists a capital for every state in India.

## **Solution:**

(i) Here, the quantifier is 'there exists'.

The negation of this statement is as follows

There does not exists a number which is equal to its square

(ii) Here, the quantifier is 'for every'.

The negation of this statement is as follows

There exist a real number x, such that x is not less than x + 1

(iii) Here, the quantifier is 'there exists'.

The negation of this statement is as follows

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In India there exists a state, which does not have a capital.

- 3. Check whether the following pair of statements is negation of each other. Give reasons for the answer.
- (i) x + y = y + x is true for every real numbers x and y.
- (ii) There exists real number x and y for which x + y = y + x.

### **Solution:**

The negation of (i) statement is given below

There exists real number x and y for which  $x + y \neq y + x$ 

Now, this statement is not same as (ii) statement

Hence, the given statements are not the negation of each other

- 4. State whether the "Or" used in the following statements is "exclusive "or" inclusive. Give reasons for your answer.
- (i) Sun rises or Moon sets.
- (ii) To apply for a driving licence, you should have a ration card or a passport.
- (iii) All integers are positive or negative.

#### **Solution:**

- (i) It is not possible for the Sun to rise and the Moon to set together. Hence, the 'or' in the given statement is exclusive.
- (ii) Since a person can have both a ration card and a passport to apply for a driving license. Hence, the 'or' in the given statement is inclusive.
- (iii) Since all integers cannot be both positive and negative. Hence, the 'or' in the given statement is exclusive.