- ▶. For each problem below do the following.
  - a. Express the statement in English <u>without</u> using variables (so can <u>not</u> have an x nor a y). E.g.,
    5a. The statement says that there is a real number that is strictly less than every other real number.
  - b. Explain, in such a why as to indicate you understand, the indicated validity (true/false-ness) of the statement. You may use, without proof, properties of R you know from high school. For example, you may use Lemma 1 (without proof).

**Lemma 1**. If  $a \ge 0$  and  $b \ge 0$  then  $ab \ge 0$ .

- 1. Explain why the statement  $(\forall x \in \mathbb{R})[x^2 \ge 0]$  is true.
- 2. Explain why the statement  $(\exists x \in \mathbb{R})[x^2 < 0]$  is false.
- 3. Explain why the statement  $(\exists y \in \mathbb{R})[17 < y]$  is true.
- 4. Explain why the statement  $(\forall x \in \mathbb{R})(\exists y \in \mathbb{R})[x < y]$  is true.
- 5. Explain why the statement  $(\exists x \in \mathbb{R})(\forall y \in \mathbb{R})[x < y]$  is false.

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