Answer on Question #75986 – Math – Discrete Mathematics Question

Write the sentence in logical notation, negate the sentence, and say whether the sentence or its negation is true.

Given any integer, there is a larger integer

Solution

Logical notation:

 $\forall x \in Z, \exists y \in Z \text{ such that } y > x$

Negation:

For some integers there is no a smaller integer.

 $\exists x \in Z \text{ such that } \forall y \in Z, y < x$

Answer: the sentence is true, its negation is false.