

Homework 10  
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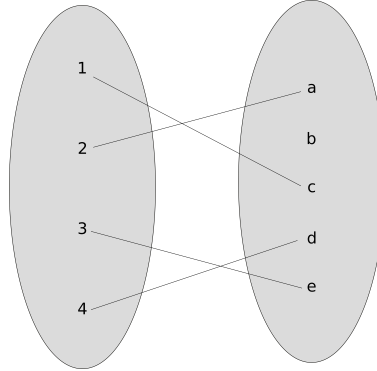
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1. Let  $X = \{1, 2, 3, 4\}$  and  $Y = \{a, b, c, d, e\}$ . Define  $f : X \mapsto Y$  as follows:

$$f(1) = c, f(2) = a, f(3) = e, \text{ and } f(4) = d$$

- (a) Draw an arrow diagram and determine if  $f$  is a function.



- (b) Find the domain, codomain and range of  $f$ .

Domain:  $X$ , Codomain:  $Y$ , Range:  $\{a, c, d, e\}$

- (c) Let  $A = \{b\}$ ,  $B = \{a, d\}$ , and  $C = \{b, e\}$ . The inverse image of a set  $S$  is the set of all preimages of each element of  $S$ . Find the inverse images of  $A$ ,  $B$ , and  $C$ .

$$f^{-1}(A) = \emptyset, f^{-1}(B) = \{2, 4\}, f^{-1}(C) = \{3\}$$

2. Let  $f : \mathbb{Q} \mapsto \mathbb{Q}$  be given by  $f(\frac{m}{n}) = m + n$  for all integers  $m$  and  $n$  with  $n \neq 0$ . Is  $f$  well-defined? Why or why not?

For  $n = 0$ ,  $f$  is undefined.  $n = 0$  is outside of the defined boundaries of  $f$ . Therefore  $f$  is well defined for all integers  $m$  and  $n$  with  $n \neq 0$ .

3. Let  $A = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5\}$  and define  $S : \mathcal{P}(A) \mapsto Z$  as follows: For all sets  $X$  in  $\mathcal{P}(A)$ ,

$$S(X) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } A-X \text{ has an even number of elements} \\ 0 & \text{if } A-X \text{ has an odd number of elements} \end{cases}$$

- (a) Find  $S(\emptyset)$ ,  $S(\{1, 4\})$ , and  $S(\{1, 2, 3, 4, 5\})$ .

$$S(\emptyset) = 1$$

$$S(\{1, 4\}) = 1$$

$$S(\{1, 2, 3, 4, 5\}) = 0$$

- (b) Is  $S$  a function? Why or why not?

$S$  is a function as it always cleanly maps from any  $X$  into some value  $Z$ .

4. Let  $A = \{a_1, a_2, a_3\}$  and  $\{0, 1\}^3 = \{0, 1\} \times \{0, 1\} \times \{0, 1\}$  be the set of all ordered 3-tuples of 0's and 1's. Define a function  $f : P(A) \mapsto \{0, 1\}^3$  by  $f(X) = (s_1, s_2, s_3)$  for  $X \in P(A)$  where

$$s_i = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } a_i \in X \\ 0 & \text{if } a_i \notin X \end{cases}$$

Draw an arrow diagram for  $f$ .

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5. Determine whether the relation given is one-to-one, onto. If not, explain why not.

- (a) Let  $f : R \mapsto Z$  be defined by  $f(x) = \lceil x \rceil$ .

It is onto as every rational number can be rounded up to some integer.

It is not one-to-one as multiple rational numbers can round up to an integer.

- (b) Let  $Y = \{0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5\}$  where  $f : Z^+ \mapsto Y$  is defined by  $f(x) = 5x \bmod 6$ .

It is onto as every positive integer  $x \bmod 6$  will map onto some value in  $Y$ . This is not changed what that integer  $x$  is multiplied by 5.

It is not one-to-one as every 1 out of 6 positive integers maps to each value in  $Y$ .

- (c) Let  $M : Z^+ \times Z^+ \mapsto Z^+$  be given by  $M(m, n) = m + n$ .

It is onto as any addition between 2 positive integers will always result in another positive integer.

It is not one-to-one as a variety of different integers can be added together to get the same output integer. i.e.  $1 + 3 = 4, 2 + 2 = 4$

6. Determine whether the following mapping is one-to-one, onto, bijective? Find an inverse function if it exists. Justify your answer.

- (a) Let  $f : R \mapsto R$  be defined by  $f(x) = -2x + 6$ .

The function is bijective as every input has 1 and only 1 output and vice versa.  
(1 Variable, Linear function)

The inverse,  $f^{-1} : R \mapsto R$  is defined as  $f^{-1}(x) = 3 - \frac{y}{2}$

- (b) Let  $f : R - \{3\} \mapsto R$  be defined by  $f(x) = \frac{2x}{x-3}$ .

This function is bijective as every value in  $R - \{3\}$  maps directly and individually onto some value in  $R$  and vice versa.

The inverse,  $f^{-1} : R - \{2\} \mapsto R$  is defined as  $f^{-1}(x) = \frac{3y}{y-2}$ .

7. Prove the statement:

If  $f : X \mapsto Y$  and  $g : Y \mapsto Z$ , are both one-to-one functions, then  $g \circ f : X \mapsto Z$  is one-to-one.

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