

Assignment2

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Q1.

(a) If $A - B = A$, then $B \not\subseteq A$ or $B = \emptyset$

When $A - B = A$ is true, then $B \subset A$ is false

Therefore the statement is false

(b) $\therefore (A \cap B \cap C) = \{x | (x \in A) \wedge (x \in B) \wedge (x \in C)\}$

$((x \in B) \vee (x \in A)) \rightarrow (x \in (A \cup B))$

$\therefore (x \in (A \cap B \cap C)) \rightarrow (x \in (A \cup B))$

The statement is true

(c) $\therefore \overline{(A - B)} = \overline{(A \cap \overline{B})} = \overline{A} \cup B$

$B - A = B \cap \overline{A}$

$\therefore \overline{(A - B)} \cap (B - A) = (\overline{A} \cup B) \cap (B \cap \overline{A}) = B \cap \overline{A}$

The statement is not true

Q2.

(a) The symmetric difference is associative.

$A \oplus (B \oplus C) = A \oplus ((B \wedge \neg C) \vee (\neg B \wedge C)) = (A \wedge B \wedge C) \vee (\neg A \wedge \neg B \wedge C) \vee (\neg A \wedge B \wedge \neg C) \vee (A \wedge \neg B \wedge \neg C)$

$(A \oplus B) \oplus C = (A \wedge B \wedge C) \vee (\neg A \wedge \neg B \wedge C) \vee (\neg A \wedge B \wedge \neg C) \vee (A \wedge \neg B \wedge \neg C)$

Therefore $A \oplus (B \oplus C) = (A \oplus B) \oplus C$

(b) Yes

$A \oplus C = A \cup C - A \cap C = (A - (A \cap C)) + (C - (A \cap C))$

$B \oplus C = B \cup C - B \cap C = (B - (B \cap C)) + (C - (B \cap C))$

$\therefore A \oplus C = B \oplus C$

$A \cap C = B \cap C$

$\therefore A = B$

Q3.

(1) $(B - A) \cup (C - A) = (B \cap \overline{A}) \cup (C \cap \overline{A}) = (B \cup C) \cap \overline{A}$

$(B \cup C) - A = (B \cup C) \cap \overline{A}$

$\therefore (B - A) \cup (C - A) = (B \cup C) - A = (B \cup C) \cap \overline{A}$

(2) $(A \cap B) \cap \overline{(B \cap C)} \cap (A \cap C) = A \cap (B \cap C) \cap \overline{(B \cap C)} = \emptyset$

Q4.

If $A \subseteq B$

$\forall a \in A (a \in B)$

So $(P(a) \in P(A)) \wedge (P(a) \in P(B))$

$\forall a \in A (P(a) \in P(B))$

$\therefore P(A) \subseteq P(B)$

If $P(A) \subseteq P(B)$

$\forall a \in A (P(a) \in P(B))$

Which means $\exists b(P(a) = P(b))$

$\therefore P$ is injective

$$a = b$$

$$\forall a \in A \exists b \in B (a = b)$$

$$\therefore A \subseteq B$$

Q5.

(a) A function is onto but not one to one

$$f(x) = f(-x), \text{ it's not one to one}$$

$$\forall (y \geq 0) \exists x \in R (f(x) = y), \text{ it's onto}$$

(b) A function which is neither one to one nor onto

$$f(3) = 6 \text{ is not in } \{2, 4\}, \text{ so it's not one to one}$$

$$4 \text{ has no } x \text{ in } \{1, 3\} \text{ that } f(x) = 4$$

(c) A function which is both one to one and onto

$$\text{When } x \neq y, 8 - 2x \neq 8 - 2y, \text{ therefore } f(x) \text{ is one to one}$$

$$\text{There exist } f(x) = y \text{ if and only if } 8 - 2x = y \text{ and } x = 4 - 0.5y, \text{ it's onto}$$

(d) A function which is onto but not one to one

$$f(1) = f(1.5), \text{ it's not one to one}$$

$$\forall y \in Z \exists x \in R (f(x) = \lfloor x + 1 \rfloor), \text{ it's onto}$$

(e) A function which is onto but not one to one

$$f(0.5) \notin R^+, \text{ it's not one to one}$$

$$\forall (y \in R^+) \exists (x \in R^+) f(x) = y, \text{ it's onto}$$

(f) A function which is one to one but not onto

$$\text{When } x \neq y, x + 1 \neq y + 1, \text{ therefore } f(x) \text{ is one to one}$$

$$\forall x \in Z^+ f(x) \neq 1, \text{ it's not onto}$$

Q6.

(c) Because $f(x)$ is both onto and one to one, it has $f^{-1}(x) = 4 - 0.5x$

Q7.

$$\text{If } x \% 1 \in [0, \frac{1}{3}]$$

$$\lfloor x \rfloor = \lfloor x + \frac{1}{3} \rfloor = \lfloor x + \frac{2}{3} \rfloor = x$$

$$\lfloor x \rfloor + \lfloor x + \frac{1}{3} \rfloor + \lfloor x + \frac{2}{3} \rfloor = \lfloor 3x \rfloor = 3x$$

$$\text{If } x \% 1 \in [\frac{1}{3}, \frac{2}{3}]$$

$$\lfloor x \rfloor = \lfloor x + \frac{1}{3} \rfloor = x$$

$$\lfloor x + \frac{2}{3} \rfloor = x + 1$$

$$3\lfloor x \rfloor = 3\lfloor x/1 \rfloor + \lfloor 3(x \% 1) \rfloor = 3x + 1$$

$$\lfloor 3x \rfloor = \lfloor x \rfloor + \lfloor x + \frac{1}{3} \rfloor + \lfloor x + \frac{2}{3} \rfloor = 3x + 1$$

$$\text{If } x \% 1 \in [\frac{2}{3}, 1)$$

$$\lfloor x \rfloor = x$$

$$\lfloor x + \frac{1}{3} \rfloor = \lfloor x + \frac{2}{3} \rfloor = x + 1$$

$$3\lfloor x \rfloor = 3\lfloor x/1 \rfloor + \lfloor 3(x \% 1) \rfloor = 3x + 2$$

$$\lfloor 3x \rfloor = \lfloor x \rfloor + \lfloor x + \frac{1}{3} \rfloor + \lfloor x + \frac{2}{3} \rfloor = 3x + 2$$

Q8.

(a)yes

Assume $f(g(a)) = f(g(b))$

Because $f \circ g$ is one to one

Therefore $a = b$

Because g is one to one

Then $g(a) = g(b)$

Therefore f is one to one

(b)yes

(c)yes

proof:(b)&(c)

If $f \circ g$ is one to one

Assume $g(a) = g(b)$

Then $f(g(a)) = f(g(b))$

Because $f \circ g$ is one to one

Therefore $a = b$, g is one to one, f is one to one

(d)Let $c \in C$

Because $f \circ g$ is onto, there is $a \in A$ that $c = f \circ g(a)$

Let $b = g(a)$, $b \in B$

Therefore for every $c \in C$, there is $b \in B$ such that $c = f(b)$

Therefore f is onto

(e)No

For example $A = \{0\}$, $B = \{0, 1\}$, $C = \{0\}$ with $g(0) = 0$, $f(0) = 0$, $f(1) = 1$

In this case f and $f \circ g$ is onto but g is not onto

Q9.

$$(n+1)^3 - n^3 = 3n^2 + 3n + 1$$

$$n^3 - (n-1)^3 = 3(n-1)^2 + 3(n-1) + 1$$

$$(n+1)^3 - n^3 + n^3 - (n-1)^3 + \dots + 2^3 - 1^3 = (n+1)^3 - 1^3 = 3(n^2 + (n-1)^2 + \dots + 2^2 + 1^2) + 3(n + (n-1) + \dots + 2 + 1) + 1$$

$$\sum_{k=1}^n k^2 = \frac{n(n+1)(2n+1)}{6}$$

Q10.

(a) $A\{x|x \in N\}$, $B\{x \in Z^+\}$

(b) $A\{x|x = 2n, n \in N\}$, $B\{x|x = 4n, n \in N\}$

(c) $A\{x|x \in R\}$, $B\{x|x \in R^+\}$

Q11.

(a)The set is countable. Assume that CS201 have n students, there exist C_n^k subsets of size k . Therefore the set of all subsets of students in CS201 have $\sum_{k=1}^n C_n^k$ objects in it. It's countable.

(b)The set is countable. We can list all object as follow:

$$\begin{array}{cccccc}
(0, 0) & (0, 1) & (0, 2) & \cdots & (0, n) \\
(1, 0) & (1, 1) & (1, 2) & \cdots & (1, n) \\
\vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\
(n, 0) & (n, 1) & (n, 2) & \cdots & (n, n)
\end{array}$$

(c) The set is uncountable. Assume that the set is countable, then we list it as:

$$\begin{array}{cccccc} (0, b_1) & (0, b_2) & (0, b_3) & \cdots & (0, b_n) \\ (1, b_1) & (1, b_2) & (1, b_3) & \cdots & (1, b_n) \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ (n, b_1) & (n, b_2) & (n, b_3) & \cdots & (n, b_n) \end{array}$$

Because set R is uncountable, then sequence b_1, b_2, \dots, b_n can't have all numbers in R , so this set can't be listed.

Therefore this set is also uncountable.

Q12.

Suppose that $A - B$ is a countable set.

B is a countable set.

Then $(A - B) \cup B$ is countable.

$$A \subseteq ((A - B) \cup B)$$

Therefore A is contained in a countable set.

But A is an uncountable set.

It's contradictory.

Therefore $A - B$ is an uncountable set

Q13.

$$\because m \in \mathbb{Z}^+, n \in \mathbb{Z}^+$$

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial m} = m + n - \frac{1}{2} > 0$$

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial n} = n + m - \frac{3}{2} > 0$$

Therefore f is strictly increasing, f is one to one.

Suppose $f(m - 1, 1) = k, k \in \mathbb{Z}^+$, then we can get $f(m - 1, 1) + 1 = f(1, m)$

$$f(1, 1) = 1$$

Therefore $\forall y \in \mathbb{Z}^+ \exists x \in \mathbb{Z}^+ ((f(1, x) = y) \vee (f(x, 1) = y))$, f is onto

Therefore set $\mathbb{Z}^+ * \mathbb{Z}^+$ is countable

Q14.

There exist $f(x) = x$ is a injective function from $(0, 1)$ to $[0, 1]$

There also exist $f(x) = \frac{1}{2}x$ is a injective function from $[0, 1]$ to $(0, 1)$

By Schröder-Bernstein theorem we have $|(0, 1)| = |[0, 1]|$

Q15.

If $|A| = |B|$ and $|B| = |C|$

Then there exist an injective function $f : A \rightarrow B$ and $g : B \rightarrow C$ and $p : B \rightarrow A$ and $q : C \rightarrow B$

So $h = g \circ f$ is an injective function from $A \rightarrow C$ and $r = p \circ q$ is an injective function from $C \rightarrow A$

By Schröder-Bernstein theorem we have $|A| = |C|$

Q16.

$$\because f(x) \text{ is } \Theta(g(x)), g(x) \text{ is } \Theta(h(x))$$

There exist $x > k_1, k_1 \in \mathbb{Z}^+$, which $C_1|g(x)| \leq |f(x)| \leq C_2|g(x)|, C_1 \in \mathbb{R}, C_2 \in \mathbb{R}$

There exist $x > k_2, k_2 \in \mathbb{Z}^+$, which $C_3|h(x)| \leq |g(x)| \leq C_4|h(x)|, C_3 \in \mathbb{R}, C_4 \in \mathbb{R}$

Therefore there exist $x > \max(k_1, k_2), C_1C_3|h(x)| \leq |f(x)| \leq C_2C_4|h(x)|$

$$\therefore f(x) \text{ is } \Theta(h(x))$$

Q17.

(a) $2n$ multiplications and n additions are used

(b) $\Theta(n)$