

Set Notation Help

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Some set notation

Let Z be the set of integer ≥ 0 . Show $Z \times Z \times Z$ is countable by constructing the bijection $f : Z \times Z \times Z \rightarrow \mathbb{N}$
I am assuming that $0 \notin \mathbb{N}$, so $\mathbb{N} = (1, 2, 3, \dots)$

Proof. First we show that there is a bijection $g : Z \times Z \rightarrow \mathbb{N}$.

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$g : Z \times Z \rightarrow \mathbb{N}$ is a bijection and therefore $Z \times Z$ is countable.

We may now construct $f : Z \times Z \times Z \rightarrow \mathbb{N}$ via composition:

$$f(Z_1, Z_2, Z_3) = h(g(Z_1, Z_2), Z_3)$$

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Proof. $L1 = \{ M \mid M \text{ accepts } w \text{ if } w \text{ contains the substring } 10 \}$ is undecidable

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If $M(w)$ accepts, then $L(HWAMw) = \{ w \mid w \text{ contains the substring } 10 \}$

If $M(w)$ rejects or fails to halt, then $L(HWAMw) = \emptyset$

Thus, we know $(M, w) \in A_{TM} \Leftrightarrow HWAMw \in L1$

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Proof. $L2 = \{ M \mid M \text{ accepts an odd number of strings} \}$ is undecidable

$P(M)$ if $|L(M)|$ is odd.

$x \in \{ 000, 111, 101 \}$

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If $M(w)$ accepts, then $L(HWBMw) = \{ 000, 111, 101 \}$. Note that $|L(HWBMw)| = 3$, which is odd.

If $M(w)$ rejects or fails to halt, then $L(HWBMw) = \emptyset$, so $|L(HWBMw)| = 0$

Thus, we know $(M, w) \in A_{TM} \Leftrightarrow HWBMw \in L2$

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