

Question 1: Let C be a PRC class and g_1, g_2, g_3, g_4 belong to C . Show if $h_1(x, y, z) = g_1(z, x, y)$, $h_2(y) = g_2(y, y, y)$, and $h_3(w, x, y, z) = h_1(g_4(3, g_3(y, z)), g_3(w, y), z)$, then h_1, h_2 , and h_3 also belong to C .

Solution:

To show h_1, h_2 and h_3 belongs to C ,

$$1. h_1(x, y, z) = g_1(U_3^3(x, y, x), U_1^3(x, y, x), U_2^3(x, y, x))$$

$$2. h_2(y) = g_1(U_1^1(y, y, y), U_1^1(y, y, y), U_1^1(y, y, y))$$

$$3. h_3(w, x, y, z) = h_1(g_4(3, g_3(y, z)), g_3(w, y), z)$$

Question 2: Let $Q(x) = 1$ if x is a multiple of 5, and $Q(x) = 0$, otherwise. Show that $Q(x)$ is primitive recursive.

Solution:

$$Q(x) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } 5 \mid x \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

$$Q(x) \iff (\exists t_{\leq x}) (t \cdot 5 = x)$$

Question 3: Let $R(x_1, x_2) = 1$ if x_1, x_2 are prime and if $x_1 + x_2$ is a multiple of 8, $R(x_1, x_2) = 0$ otherwise. Show that $R(x_1, x_2)$ is primitive recursive.

Solution:

$$R(x_1, x_2) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } x_1, x_2 \text{ are prime} \wedge 8 \mid (x_1 + x_2) \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

$$\text{Prime}(x_1, x_2) \iff (x_1, x_2) \text{ and } \forall t_{\leq x_1 * x_2} (t = 1 \vee t \mid x_1 \vee t \mid x_2 \vee \neg(t \mid x_1) \vee \neg(t \mid x_2) \wedge ((x_1 + x_2) * t = 8))$$

Question 4: Let $S(x_1, x_2) = 1$ if the LCM of x_1 and x_2 is a multiple of 3 and the GCD of x_1 and x_2 is not a multiple of 3, $S(x_1, x_2) = 0$, otherwise. Show that $S(x_1, x_2)$ is primitive recursive. (LCM: least common multiple; GCD: greatest common divisor.)

Solution:

$$S(x_1, x_2) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } 3 \mid LCM(x_1, x_2) \text{ and } \neg 3 \mid GCD(x_1, x_2) \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

$$S(x_1, x_2) \iff \exists t_{\leq LCM(x_1, x_2)} (3 * t = LCM(x_1, x_2) \wedge \neg(3 * t = GCD(x_1, x_2)))$$