

CSCE 222 [505] Discrete Structures for Computing
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Problem 1. (10 points) Supplementary Exercise 4

Solution. :

- A) $E \cup O$ = set that contains either even or odd integers = set Z .
- B) $E \cap O$ = set containing both E and O = EMPTY set since even and odd are total opposites.
- C) $Z - E$ = set of all integers excluding even integers = set O .
- D) $Z - O$ = set of all integers excluding odd integers = set E .

Problem 2. (10 points) Supplementary Exercise 6

Solution. :

Given : $A \cap B = A$ which means that every element in set A also belongs in set B, and by definition of subset ($A \subseteq B$) which means that every element of A is also an element of B.

So: the quantification $\forall x(x \in A \rightarrow x \in B)$ is True.

Problem 3. (10 points) Section 2.2, Exercise 46

Solution. :

Using : $|A \cup B| = |A| + |B| - |A \cap B|$ (principle of inclusion exclusion)

$$\begin{aligned}
 & |A \cup B \cup C| = |A \cup (B \cup C)| \text{ ————— (associative law)} \\
 &= |A| + |B \cup C| - |A \cap (B \cup C)| \text{ ——— (principle of inclusion exclusion)} \\
 &= |A| + |B| + |C| - |B \cup C| - |(A \cap B) \cup (A \cap C)| \text{ ——— (distribution law)} \\
 &= |A| + |B| + |C| - |B \cup C| - |A \cap B| - |A \cap C| + |A \cap B \cap C| \\
 &= |A \cup B \cup C|
 \end{aligned}$$

Problem 4. (10 points) Supplementary Exercise 14

Solution. :

$$f(x) = x$$

$$x \in S \text{ and } f(x) \in S$$

$$\text{so } x, y \in S$$

if $x=y$ then,

$f(x)=f(y)$ therefore f is a one to one function, and

$|f(S)| \leq |S|$ is TRUE for all subsets of A .

Problem 5. (10 points) Supplementary Exercise 22

Solution. :

$$n \in \mathbb{Z}$$

$n=2y$ for some integer y

$$\left[\frac{n}{2}\right] \left[\frac{n}{2}\right] = \left[\frac{2y}{2}\right] \left[\frac{2y}{2}\right]$$

$$= y^2$$

$$\left[\frac{n^2}{4}\right] = \left[\frac{4y^2}{4}\right] = y^2$$

$$\text{Therefore: } \left[\frac{n}{2}\right] \left[\frac{n}{2}\right] = \left[\frac{n^2}{4}\right] = y^2$$

Problem 6. (10 points) Section 2.3, Exercise 22

Solution. :

A) $y = -3x + 4$

$x = -3y + 4$

$f^{-1}(x) = (x-4) / -3$

So it is a bijection since we can find the inverse.

B) Not a bijection because it fails the horizontal line test, and by failing the horizontal line test it means the function is not one to one. We can also not that $f(2) = f(-2)$ to confirm.

C) Not a bijection from \mathbb{R} to \mathbb{R} because at $x = -2$ the function can not divide by 0.

D) $y = x^5 + 1$

$f^{-1}(x) = \sqrt[5]{x-1}$

So this is a bijection because we can take the inverse.

Problem 7. (10 points) Supplementary Exercise 30

Solution. :

Last three terms add up to be the next term so:

Given:

$$a_0 = 1$$

$$a_1 = 3$$

$$a_2 = 4$$

Therefore the sequence is : $a(n) = a_{n-3} + a_{n-2} + a_{n-1}$

Next four terms :

$$a_5 = a_2 + a_3 + a_4 = 27 + 50 + 92 = 169$$

$$a_6 = a_3 + a_4 + a_5 = 50 + 92 + 169 = 311$$

$$a_7 = a_4 + a_5 + a_6 = 92 + 169 + 311 = 572$$

$$a_8 = a_5 + a_6 + a_7 = 169 + 311 + 572 = 1052$$

Problem 8. (10 points) Section 2.4, Exercise 22

Solution. :

$$\begin{aligned} \text{A) } a_n &= a_{n-1} + 1000 + 0.05a_{n-1} \\ &= 1.05a_{n-1} + 1000 \\ a_o &= 50000 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{B) } a_8 &= 1.05a_7 + 1000 \\ a_o &= 50000 \\ a_1 &= 1.05(50000) + 1000 = 53500 \\ a_2 &= 1.05(53500) + 1000 = 57175 \\ a_3 &= 1.05(57175) + 1000 = 61033.8 \\ a_4 &= 1.05(61033.8) + 1000 = 65085.5 \\ a_5 &= 1.05(65085.5) + 1000 = 69339.8 \\ a_6 &= 1.05(69339.8) + 1000 = 73806.8 \\ a_7 &= 1.05(73806.8) + 1000 = 78497.1 \\ a_8 &= 1.05(78497.1) + 1000 = 83422 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{C) } a_n &= 1.05^n a_o + \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} 1.05^i 1000 \\ &= 1.05^n 50000 + 1000 \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} 1.05^i = 1.05^n 50000 + 1000 (20 \cdot 1.05^n - 20) \\ &= 70000 (1.05^n) - 20000 \end{aligned}$$

Problem 9. (10 points) Section 2.4, Exercise 38

Solution. :

$$a_k = k^3$$

$$\text{telescoping: } a_k - a_{k-1} = k^3 - (k-1)^3$$

expanding $(k-1)^3$ we then get:

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

$$= 1 + 3k^2 - 3k$$

$$k^2 = (3k-1) / 3$$

$$k^2 = (k^3 - (k-1)^3 + 3k - 1) / 3$$

$$\sum_{k=1}^n k^2 = (1/3) \sum_{k=1}^n (k^3 - (k-1)^3 + 3k - 1)$$

$$= (1/3) \sum_{k=1}^n (k^3 - (k-1)^3) + 3 \sum_{k=1}^n k - \sum_{k=1}^n 1$$

by formula:

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

$$\sum_{k=1}^n 1 = n$$

$$\text{by telescoping: } \sum_{k=1}^n (k^3 - (k-1)^3) = n^3 - 0$$

$$\text{by substituting: } \sum_{k=1}^n k^2 = (1/3)[n^3 - 0 + 3(n(n+1) / 2) - n]$$

$$= (1/3)[n^3 + (3n^2 + n) / 2]$$

$$= n(n+1)(2n+1) / 6$$

Problem 10. (10 points) Supplementary Exercise 38

Solution. :

$$\mathbf{A} = c\mathbf{I}$$

We are trying to show that $\mathbf{AB} = \mathbf{BA}$.

Therefore, let's give values to c and the matrix \mathbf{I} , and \mathbf{B} .

$$c = 2$$

$$\mathbf{I} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\mathbf{B} = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 3 \\ 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{So: } \mathbf{A} = 2 \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 4 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 4 \\ 6 & 8 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\mathbf{AB} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 4 \\ 6 & 8 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 3 \\ 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 8 & 12 \\ 12 & 8 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\mathbf{BA} = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 3 \\ 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 4 \\ 6 & 8 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 8 & 12 \\ 12 & 8 \end{bmatrix}$$

Therefore we can conclude that $\mathbf{AB} = \mathbf{BA}$