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ASSIGNMENT 2

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Question 1

$D = \{1, 3, 5\}$, $n, y \in D$, nRy , $3n+y$ is multiple of 6

i) $n=1, y=1 : 3(1) + 1 = 4$

$n=1, y=3 : 3(1) + 3 = 6$

$n=1, y=5 : 3(1) + 5 = 8$

$n=3, y=1 : 3(3) + 1 = 10$

$n=3, y=3 : 3(3) + 3 = 12$

$n=3, y=5 : 3(3) + 5 = 14$

$n=5, y=1 : 3(5) + 1 = 16$

$n=5, y=3 : 3(5) + 3 = 18$

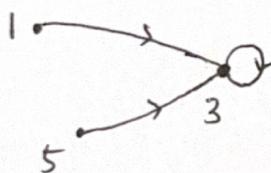
$n=5, y=5 : 3(5) + 5 = 20$

$$R = \{(1, 3), (3, 3), (5, 3)\}$$

ii) Domain of $R = \{1, 3, 5\}$

Range of $R = \{3\}$

iii)



iv) R is not asymmetric because it contains ordered pair which is $(3, 3)$.

Question 2

$$A = \{x, y, z\} \quad (x, y) \in R \quad (y, z) \in R$$

equivalence relation must reflexive, symmetric and transitive.

$$R = \{(x, x), (y, y), (z, z), (x, y), (y, x), (x, z), (z, x), (y, z), (z, y)\}$$

Reflexive requires $(a, a) \in R$. In this case, (x, x) , (y, y) and (z, z) are element of R .

Symmetry requires $(a, b) \in R$ and $(b, a) \in R$. In this case, we have (x, y) , (y, x) , (x, z) , (z, x) , (y, z) , (z, y) .

Transitive requires $(a, b) \in R$ and $(b, c) \in R$ then $(a, c) \in R$. In R , we have (x, y) , (y, z) and (x, z) .

Question 3

$$B = \{u, v, w, y\} \quad R = \{(u, u), (u, w), (v, v), (v, w), (w, w), (w, y), (y, u), (y, v), (y, y)\}$$

i) $M_R = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$

ii)

	in-degrees	out-degrees
u	2	2
v	2	2
w	3	2
y	2	3

iii) partial order relation must reflexive, antisymmetric and transitive.

For R it is reflexive because it have all loops.

R not antisymmetric because it doesn't fulfill $(a, b) \in R$ and $a \neq b$ then $(b, a) \notin R$.

R not transitive because $(y, u) \in R$, $(u, w) \in R$ but $(y, w) \notin R$.

Thus, R is not a partial order relation.

Question 4

Let $f: [1, \infty) \rightarrow [0, \infty)$, $f(x) = (x-1)^2$

Determined whether the function f is one-to-one, onto or bijective.

Show full working and justify your answer.

one-to-one

$$\text{let } f(x_1) = f(x_2)$$

$$\sqrt{(x_1-1)^2} = \sqrt{(x_2-1)^2} \quad (1+\infty) \xrightarrow{\text{S}} (0, \infty)$$

$$x_1 - 1 = x_2 - 1$$

$\therefore x_1 = x_2$, therefore f is one-to-one

$$x_1 = x_2$$

Domain $A = [1, \infty)$, Codomain $B = [0, \infty)$

$$(x-1)^2 = y$$

$$x-1 = \sqrt{y}$$

$$x = 1 + \sqrt{y}$$

check $x=1$ and $x=2$

$$1 = 1 + \sqrt{y}$$

$$2 = 1 + \sqrt{y}$$

$$\sqrt{y} = 0$$

$$\sqrt{y} = 1$$

$$y = 0$$

$$y = 1$$

Since for each $y \in [0, \infty)$, therefore $x = 1 + \sqrt{y}$ in the domain. Thus f is onto.

\therefore Since the function is both one-to-one and onto, therefore it is bijective.

Question 5

Let f and g be functions from the positive integers to the positive integers defined by

$$f(x) = 9x + 4, \quad g(x) = \frac{3}{2}x - 1$$

- a) Find the inverse of $g(x)$.

let $g(x) = y$

$$y = \frac{3}{2}x - 1$$

$$y + 1 = \frac{3}{2}x$$

$$\frac{2}{3}(y+1) = x$$

$$g^{-1}(x) = \frac{2}{3}(x+1)$$

- b) Find the composition $(g \circ f)(x)$.

$$g[f(x)] = \frac{3}{2}(9x + 4) - 1$$

$$= \frac{27}{2}x + 6 - 1$$

$$= \frac{27}{2}x + 5$$

- c) Find the composition $(f \circ g)(x)$.

$$f[g(x)] = 9\left(\frac{3}{2}x - 1\right) + 4$$

$$= \frac{27}{2}x - 9 + 4$$

$$= \frac{27}{2}x - 5$$

- d) Find the composition $(f \circ g \circ g)(x)$.

$$fg[g(x)] = \frac{27}{2}\left(\frac{3}{2}x - 1\right) - 5$$

$$= \frac{81}{4}x - \frac{27}{2} - 5$$

$$= \frac{81}{4}x - \frac{37}{2}$$

Question 6

$$(a) P_n = P_{n-1} + \frac{1}{4} P_{n-2}, n \geq 2$$

$$P_0 = 4.0, P_1 = 5.0$$

$$(b) P_2 = P_1 + \frac{1}{4} P_0 = 5 + \frac{1}{4}(4) = 5 + 1 = 6$$

$$P_3 = P_2 + \frac{1}{4} P_1 = 6 + \frac{1}{4}(5) = 6 + 1.25 = 7.25$$

$$P_4 = P_3 = \frac{1}{4} P_2 = 7.25 + \frac{1}{4}(6) = 7.25 + \frac{6}{4} = 8.75$$

$$P_5 = P_4 + \frac{1}{4} P_3 = \frac{35}{4} + \frac{1}{4}(7.25) = \frac{35}{4} + \frac{29}{16} = \frac{140}{16} + \frac{29}{16} = \frac{169}{16} = 10.5625$$

$$P_6 = P_5 + \frac{1}{4} P_4 = \frac{169}{16} + \frac{1}{4}\left(\frac{35}{4}\right) = \frac{169}{16} + \frac{35}{16} = \frac{204}{16} = \frac{81}{4} = 12.75$$

$$\therefore P_0 = 4.0, P_1 = 5.0, P_2 = 6, P_3 = 7.25, P_4 = 8.75, P_5 = 10.5625, P_6 = 12.75$$

Question 7

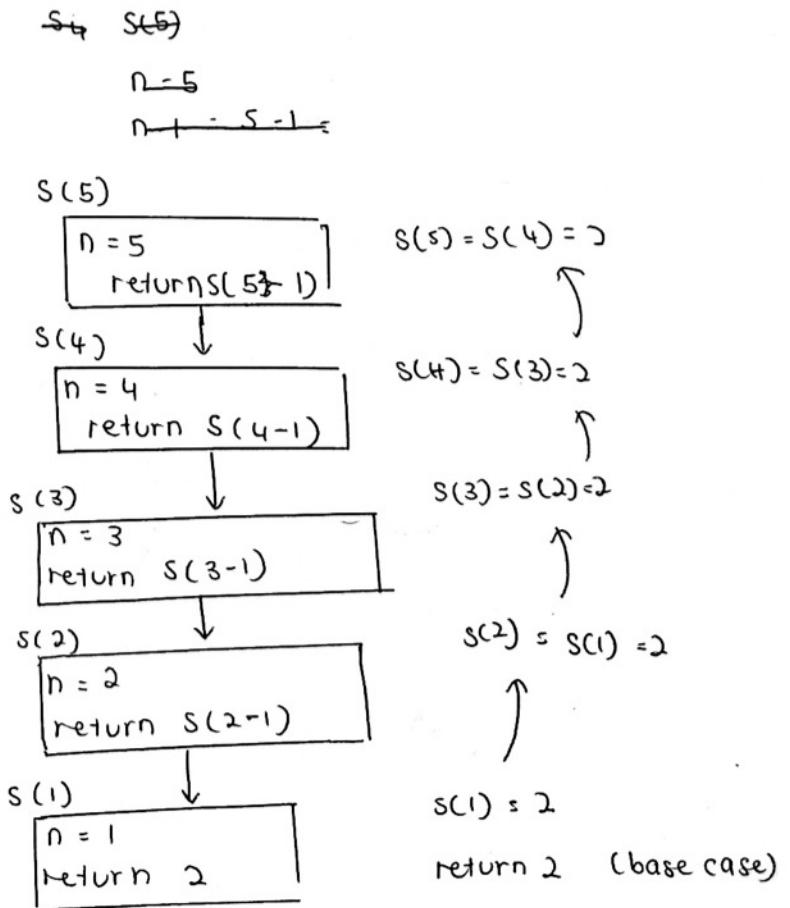
$$S_1 = 2, S_n = S_{n-1} \text{ for } n \geq 2$$

Function $S(n)$

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if n=1 then
    return 2
else
    return S(n-1)
endif
End function

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answer : $S(4) = 2$