



SECI1013: DISCRETE STRUCTURE
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Question 1

[3 Marks]

Fill in the blank with correct properties that relation could be reflexive/ irreflexive/ symmetric/ anti-symmetric/ transitive. (One answer only)

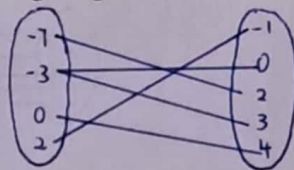
- a. Nothing is related to itself irreflexive (1m)
b. No one-way streets symmetric (1m)
c. Whenever there's a roundabout route, there's a direct route transitive (1m)

Question 2

[3 Marks]

Given the relation $\{(-7,2), (0,4), (2,-1), (-3,0), (-3,3)\}$

- a. State the domain and range of the relation
domain = $\{-7, -3, 0, 2\}$ (1m)
range = $\{-1, 0, 2, 3, 4\}$ (1m)
b. Determine whether the relation is function and explain The relation is not a function (1m)
c. Create a mapping diagram of the relation Since there is one-to-many relation. (1m)



Question 3

[6 Marks]

Given a pair of functions, $f(x) = 3/(2x+1)$, $g(x) = 2/x$. Find:

- a. $(g \circ f)(x)$
b. Domain of function.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{a) } g(f(x)) &= g\left(\frac{3}{2x+1}\right) \\ &= \frac{2}{\frac{3}{2x+1}} \\ &= \frac{2(2x+1)}{3} \\ &= \frac{4x+2}{3} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{b) } f(x) &= \frac{3}{2x+1} \\ \text{let } 2x+1 &= 0 \\ 2x &= -1 \\ x &= -\frac{1}{2} \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{domain} = \{(-\infty, -\frac{1}{2}) \cup (-\frac{1}{2}, \infty)\} \quad [3 \text{ Marks}]$$

$$\begin{aligned} g(x) &= \frac{2}{x} \\ \text{(3m) let } x &= 0 \\ \text{(3m)} & \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{domain} = \{(-\infty, 0) \cup (0, \infty)\}$$

Question 4

Given an arithmetic sequence 5, 37/7, 39/7, 41/7

- a. Find the sequence recursive formula (1m)
b. Write a Pseudo-code for function a(n) (2m)

$$\begin{aligned} \text{(a) } a_0 &= 5 \\ a_1 &= a_0 + \frac{2}{7} \\ a_2 &= a_1 + \frac{2}{7} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} a_n &= a_{n-1} + \frac{2}{7}, n \geq 1 \\ \text{with } a_0 &= 5 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{(b) } a(n) & \\ \{ \text{if } (n=0) & \\ \quad \text{return } 5 & \\ \quad \text{return } a(n-1) + \frac{2}{7} & \\ \} \end{aligned}$$