

– **Week 12** –

1. Let  $S = \mathbb{R}^2$  and let  $R$  be a binary relation on  $S$  defined by

$$(x_1, y_1)R(x_2, y_2) \Leftrightarrow x_1^2 + y_1^2 = x_2^2 + y_2^2.$$

Show that  $R$  is equivalence relation and find  $R[(7, 1)]$ .

2. Show that  $f = \{(x, y) \in \mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R} : x = y^3\}$  is a function from  $\mathbb{R}$  to  $\mathbb{R}$ .  
 3. Is  $g = \{(x, y) \in [-5, 5] \times \mathbb{R} : x^2 + y^2 = 25\}$  a function from  $[-5, 5]$  to  $\mathbb{R}$ .  
 4. Show that the following relations are not functions on  $\mathbb{R}$ :

- (i)  $\{(x, y) \in \mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R} : x^2 = y^2\}$ ,
- (ii)  $\{(x, y) \in \mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R} : x = \cos(y)\}$ ,
- (iii)  $\{(x, y) \in \mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R} : y^2 = \sqrt{x}\}$ .

5. Which of the following functions are injective or surjective:

- (i)  $f: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}; f(x) = x^2$ ,
- (ii)  $f: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}; f(x) = \lfloor x \rfloor$ ,
- (iii)  $f: \mathbb{R}^+ \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^+; f(x) = \sqrt{x}$ ,
- (iv)  $f: \mathbb{Z} \rightarrow \mathbb{N}; f(x) = |x|$ .

6. We are given the following functions

$$(i) \ f: \mathbb{N} \rightarrow \mathbb{N}, f(n) = \begin{cases} 2n, & n \text{ even} \\ 3n - 1, & n \text{ odd}, \end{cases}$$

$$(ii) \ f: \mathbb{Z} \rightarrow \mathbb{Z} \times \mathbb{Z}, f(x) = (x^2, x^3).$$

(a) Find images  $f(\{1, 2, 3\})$  and  $f(\mathbb{N})$ .

(b) Find those preimages  $f^{-1}(\{1, 2, 3, 4\})$  and  $f^{-1}(\{(1, -1), (4, 8)\})$  that are well-defined.

7. Let  $f: X \rightarrow Y$  and  $g: X \rightarrow Z$  be two bijective functions. Is the function  $h: X \rightarrow Y \times Z$  defined by

$$h(x) = (f(x), g(x)),$$

- (i) injective, (ii) surjective?

8. Let  $A, B$  and  $C$  be arbitrary sets, and let  $g: A \rightarrow B$  and  $f: B \rightarrow C$  be functions. Show:

- (i) if  $f, g$  are injective, then  $f \circ g$  is injective,
- (ii) if  $f, g$  are surjective, then  $f \circ g$  is surjective.