

HW 4

1. $f: X \rightarrow Y$

a. For every element y in Y there are two possibilities; either it is not mapped from an element in X or it is. If it is, add it to a new set Y' . Then, $Y' \subset Y$ and Y' is surjective,

b. Let x_1 and x_2 be two unique elements in X . If $f(x_1) = f(x_2)$, set x_2 as an alias to x_1 , so $x_1 = x_2$. This new domain X' makes $f: X' \rightarrow Y$ injective.

2. $f: X \rightarrow Y$ $I_f(A) := \{x \in X : f(x) \in A\}$

a. Prove $I_f(A \cup B) = I_f(A) \cup I_f(B)$

$$I_f(B) = \{x \in X : f(x) \in B\}$$

Let $C = A \cup B$

$$\begin{aligned} I_f(C) &= \{x \in X : f(x) \in C\} = \{x \in X : f(x) \in (A \cup B)\} \\ &= \{x \in X : f(x) \in A \cup f(x) \in B\} \\ &= \{x \in X : f(x) \in A\} \cup \{x \in X : f(x) \in B\} \\ &= I_f(A) \cup I_f(B) \quad \blacksquare \end{aligned}$$

b. Prove $I_f(A \cap B) = I_f(A) \cap I_f(B)$

Let $C = A \cap B$

$$\begin{aligned} I_f(C) &= \{x \in X : f(x) \in C\} = \{x \in X : f(x) \in (A \cap B)\} \\ &= \{x \in X : f(x) \in A \cap f(x) \in B\} \\ &= \{x \in X : f(x) \in A\} \cap \{x \in X : f(x) \in B\} \\ &= I_f(A) \cap I_f(B) \quad \blacksquare \end{aligned}$$

c. Prove $I_f(A \setminus B) = I_f(A) \setminus I_f(B)$

Let $C = A \setminus B$

$$\begin{aligned}I_f(C) &= \{x \in X : f(x) \in C\} = \{x \in X : f(x) \in (A \setminus B)\} \\&= \{x \in X : f(x) \in A \setminus f(x) \in B\} \\&= \{x \in X : f(x) \in A\} \setminus \{x \in X : f(x) \in B\} \\&= I_f(A) \setminus I_f(B)\end{aligned}\quad \blacksquare$$

3. a. f and g surjective $\Rightarrow g \circ f$ surjective

Assume f and g surjective.

Suppose $f: X \rightarrow Y$ and $g: Y \rightarrow Z$.

Since f and g are surjective, $\forall y \in Y, \exists x \in X$ such that $f(x) = y$ and $\forall z \in Z, \exists y \in Y$ such that $g(y) = z$.

Then, it follows that a function from $X \rightarrow Z$ is surjective. \blacksquare

b. f and g bijective $\Rightarrow g \circ f$ bijective

Assume f and g bijective.

We need to show that if f and g are injective, then $g \circ f$ is injective.

$$x_1 \neq x_2 \Rightarrow f(x_1) \neq f(x_2) \Rightarrow g(f(x_1)) \neq g(f(x_2)).$$

In part a we already proved the case of $g \circ f$ surjective. \blacksquare

c. $g \circ f$ injective $\Rightarrow f$ injective

Assume f is not injective. Then, there exists x_1 and x_2 where $x_1 \neq x_2$ such that $f(x_1) = f(x_2)$. $g(f(x_1)) = g(f(x_2))$ so $g \circ f$ is not injective. \blacksquare

4. a. f is injective iff $\exists l: B \rightarrow A$ so that $l \circ f = id_A$

Assume there does not exist $l: B \rightarrow A$ so that $l \circ f = id_A$. Then, since f does not have an inverse, it can't be injective.

↳ proved in lecture

b. f is surjective iff $\exists h: B \rightarrow A$ so that $f \circ h = id_B$

Assume there does not exist $h: B \rightarrow A$ so that $f \circ h = id_B$. Then, the inverse of f does not exist so f is not surjective.

↳ already proved in lecture.

c. f is bijective iff $\exists g: B \rightarrow A$ so that $g \circ f = id_A$ and $f \circ g = id_B$

Assume there does not exist $g: B \rightarrow A$ so that $g \circ f = id_A$ and $f \circ g = id_B$

Then, the inverse of f does not exist so f is not bijective.

↳ proved in lecture.

5. a. Must include the fact that distinct values of X map to distinct values of Y .

b. We must declare the same thing as from part a or else f doesn't have to be injective.

4.4.12 a.	x	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
	$1 \cdot x \pmod{10}$	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9

Range: 0 to 9 Cardinality: 10

x	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
$2x \pmod{10}$	0	2	4	6	8	0	2	4	6	8

Range: $\{0, 2, 4, 6, 8\}$ Cardinality: 5

x	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
$3x \pmod{10}$	0	3	6	9	2	5	8	1	4	7

Range: 0 to 10 Cardinality: 10

x	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
$4x \pmod{10}$	0	4	8	2	6	0	4	8	2	6

Range: $\{0, 2, 4, 6, 8\}$ Cardinality: 5

k is odd



no

yes

Range: $\{0, 2, 4, 6, 8\}$

Range: $\{0 \dots 10\}$

Cardinality: 5

Cardinality: 10

b.

k is odd



no

yes

Range: $\{x \in A; x \text{ even}\}$

Range: $\{0 \dots n-1\}$

Cardinality: $[n/2]$

Cardinality: n