

*Note: the distribution of these problems may not match the distribution of exam topics.*

**Problem §1.3: 14:** Determine whether  $(\neg p \wedge (p \implies q)) \implies \neg q$  is a tautology.

**Problem §1.4: 16:** Determine the truth value of each of these statements if the domain of each variable consists of all real numbers.

- (a)  $\exists x(x^2 = 2)$
- (b)  $\exists x(x^2 = -1)$
- (c)  $\forall x(x^2 + 2 > 1)$
- (d)  $\forall x(x^2 \neq x)$

**Problem §2.1:** Let  $A = \{2, 6\}$  and  $B = \{3, 1\}$ .

- (a) Find  $\mathcal{P}(A)$  and  $|\mathcal{P}(A)|$ .
- (b) Find  $A \times B$ .
- (c) Is  $A \times B = B \times A$ ? Why or why not?

**Problem §2.1:** Let  $C = \{n \in \mathbb{N} : n < 6\}$  and  $D = \{1, 3, 5\}$ .

- (a) Write  $C$  in set roster notation.
- (b) Is  $D \subseteq C$ ? Why or why not?
- (c) Draw a Venn diagram representing sets  $C$  and  $D$ . (*Hint: This diagram should reflect the relationship that you determined in part (b).*)

**Problem §2.2:** Prove that  $A \cup (A \cap B) = A$  by showing that each set is a subset of the other.

**Problem §2.3:** Consider the function  $f : \mathbb{Z} \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}_{\geq 0}$  defined by  $z \mapsto |z| + 1$ .

- (a) Is  $f$  one-to-one? Why or why not?
- (b) Is  $f$  onto? Why or why not?

**Problem §3.1: 61:** Write the deferred acceptance algorithm in pseudocode.

**Problem §3.2:** Give a big- $O$  estimate for  $f(x) = (7n^n + n2^n + 3^n)(n! + 3^n)$ . For the function  $g(x)$  in your estimate  $O(g(x))$ , use a simple function  $g$  of the smallest order.

**Problem §3.2:** Use the definition of “ $f(x)$  is  $O(g(x))$ ” to show that  $f(x) = x^4 + 7x^3 + 8$  is  $O(x^4)$ .

**Problem §5.1: 10:**

- (a) Find a formula for

$$\frac{1}{1 \cdot 2} + \frac{1}{2 \cdot 3} + \cdots + \frac{1}{n(n+1)}$$

by examining the values of this expression for small values of  $n$ .

- (b) Prove the formula you conjectured in part (a).

**Problem §5.1: 18:** Let  $P(n)$  be the statement that  $n! < n^n$ , where  $n$  is an integer greater than 1.

- (a) What is the statement  $P(2)$ ?
- (b) Show that  $P(2)$  is true, completing the basis step of the proof.
- (c) What is the inductive hypothesis?
- (d) What do you need to prove in the inductive step?
- (e) Complete the inductive step.
- (f) Explain why these steps show that this inequality is true whenever  $n$  is an integer greater than 1.

**Problem §5.1: 22:** For which nonnegative integers is  $n^2 \leq n!$ ? Prove your answer.

**Problem §5.1: 36:** Prove that 21 divides  $4^{n+1} + 5^{2n-1}$  whenever  $n$  is a positive integer.

**Problem §5.1: 38:** Prove that if  $A_1, A_2, \dots, A_n$  and  $B_1, B_2, \dots, B_n$  are sets such that  $A_j \subseteq B_j$  for  $j = 1, 2, \dots, n$ , then

$$\bigcup_{j=1}^n A_j \subseteq \bigcup_{j=1}^n B_j.$$

**Problem §5.1: 57:** Use mathematical induction to prove that the derivative of  $f(x) = x^n$  equals  $nx^{n-1}$  whenever  $n$  is a positive integer.

**Problem §5.2: 31:** Show that strong induction is a valid method of proof by showing that it follows from the well-ordering property.

**Problem §6.1: 28:** How many license plates can be made using either three digits followed by three uppercase English letters or three uppercase English letters followed by three digits?

**Problem §6.1: 37:** How many functions are there from the set  $\{1, 2, \dots, n\}$ , where  $n$  is a positive integer, to the set  $\{0, 1\}$

- (a) That are one-to-one?
- (b) That assign 0 to both 1 and  $n$ ?

(c) That assign 1 to exactly one of the positive integers less than  $n$ ?

**Problem §6.2: 31:** Show that there are at least six people in California (population: 37 million) with the same three initials who were born on the same day of the year (but not necessarily the same year). Assume that everyone has three initials.

**Problem §6.2: 40:** Prove that at a party where there are at least two people, there are two people who know the same number of other people there.