

Lemma 1.2(c)

Show if  $g, f$  are surjective,  
so is  $g \circ f$ .

$f$  is surjective  $\equiv \forall b \in B \cdot \exists a \in A \cdot f(a) = b$

For any  $c \in C$ , we show

$\exists a \in A$  s.t.  $(g \circ f)(a) = c$ .

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Consider any  $c \in C$ .

Then by  $g$  surjective,

$\exists b \in B \cdot g(b) = c$ .

Then, given that  $b$ ,

by  $f$  surjective,

$\exists a \in A \cdot f(a) = b$ .

So, for any  $c \in C$ ,

$\exists a \in A \cdot g(f(a)) = c$ , i.e.,  $(g \circ f)(a) = c$ .

### Lemma 1.2 (d)

From parts (b) and (c).

### Cor. 1.3 (a)

Show  $A \approx A$ .

$\text{id}_A$  is a bijection, i.e.  $\text{id}_A : A \approx A$

$\therefore A \approx A$ .

### Cor. 1.3 (c)

Show if  $A \underset{f}{\times} B \underset{g}{\approx} C$ , then  $A \approx C$ .

Take  $g \circ f$ . By an earlier result,

since  $f, g$  are bijective, so is  $g \circ f$ .