

CMPE 16 Homework #8

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1. For each of the following relations :

- Give 3 pairs of elements that are related, Determine whether the relation is reflexive, Determine whether the relation is symmetric, determine whether the relation is transitive

(a) $R_1 = \{(n, m) : n, m \in \mathbb{Z} \text{ and } n * m \geq 0\}$

Part 1.) (1, 2), (3, 4), (5, 6)

Part 2.) True. For any $a \in \mathbb{Z}$, $a * a \geq 0$. Thus (a, a) exists for all $a \in \mathbb{Z}$

Part 3.) True. $\forall (x, y) \in \mathbb{Z} \times \mathbb{Z} : x * y \geq 0 \implies y * x \geq 0$

Multiplication is commutative, so $x * y \geq 0$ necessarily implies that $y * x \geq 0$, because the two statements are equivalent.

Part 4.) True. To prove : $\forall x \forall y \forall z [((x, y) \in R_1) \wedge ((y, z) \in R_1) \implies (x, z) \in R_1]$

This proof will use two cases, one where $x < 0$ and one where $x \geq 0$

Case 1 : $x < 0$

If $x < 0$, then $y \leq 0$ for the relation to hold.

Since $y \leq 0$, then $z < 0$ for the relation to hold.

Since $x < 0$ and $z < 0$, $x * z > 0$, which proves transitivity under this relation

Case 2 : $x \geq 0$

If $x \geq 0$, then $y \geq 0$ for the relation to hold.

Since $y \geq 0$, then $z \geq 0$ for the relation to hold.

Since $x \geq 0$ and $z \geq 0$, $x * z \geq 0$, which proves transitivity under this relation

(b) $R_2 = \{(a, b) : a, b \in \mathbb{Z} \text{ and } a * b > 0\}$

Part 1.) (1, 2), (3, 4), (5, 6)

Part 2.) True. For any $a \in (\mathbb{Z} - \{0\})$, $a * a > 0$. Thus (a, a) exists for all $a \in \mathbb{Z}$

Part 3.) True. $\forall (x, y) \in \mathbb{Z} \times \mathbb{Z} : x * y > 0 \implies y * x > 0$

Multiplication is commutative, so $x * y > 0$ necessarily implies that $y * x > 0$, because the two statements are equivalent.

Part 4.) True. $\forall x \forall y \forall z [((x, y) \in R_2) \wedge ((y, z) \in R_2) \implies (x, z) \in R_2]$

This proof will use two cases, one where $x < 0$ and one where $x > 0$

Case 1 : $x < 0$

If $x < 0$, then $y < 0$ for the relation to hold.

Since $y < 0$, then $z < 0$ for the relation to hold.

Since $x < 0$ and $z < 0$, $x * z > 0$, which proves transitivity under this relation

Case 2 : $x > 0$

If $x > 0$, then $y > 0$ for the relation to hold.

Since $y > 0$, then $z > 0$ for the relation to hold.

Since $x > 0$ and $z > 0$, $x * z > 0$, which proves transitivity under this relation

(c) $R_3 = \{(i, j) : i, j \in \mathbb{N} \text{ and } i/j \geq 1\}$

Part 1.) (10, 2), (20, 8), (1024, 2)

Part 2.) True. $\forall i \in \mathbb{N}, i/i = 1$.

Thus $\forall i \in \mathbb{N} : (i, i) \in R_3$

Part 3.) False. A counter example would be $i = 4, j = 2, i/j > 1$ so $(i, j) \in R_3$ but, $j/i < 1$ so $(j, i) \notin R_3$

Part 4.) True. I will attempt a direct proof

To prove : $\forall x \forall y \forall z [((x, y) \in R_3) \wedge ((y, z) \in R_3) \implies (x, z) \in R_3]$

$(x, y) \in R_3 \implies x/y \geq 1, (y, z) \in R_3 \implies y/z \geq 1$

$x/y \geq 1, x \geq y$

$y/z \geq 1, y \geq z$

$x \geq y \geq z \geq 1$ ($z \geq 1$ by def. of natural numbers)

$x/z \geq y/z \geq 1 \geq 1/z$

$x/z \geq 1$, that which was to be shown

- (d) $R_4 = \{(x, y) : x, y \in \mathbb{R} \text{ and } \lceil x \rceil = \lceil y \rceil\}$
- Part 1.) (1.09, 1.85), (3.90, 3.95), (4.90, 4.95)
- Part 2.)
- Part 3.)
- Part 4.)

2. In each case below explain why the relation between the set S and the set T is **not** a function.

- (a) S is the set of all people at least 21 years old on October 25, 2014 and T is the set of all automobiles. A person is associated with their first car.

Answer : Not a function because there are people at the age of 21 or older who have never owned a car, and thus aren't associated with a first car.

- (b) S is the set of all ordered pairs of integers ($\mathbb{Z} \times \mathbb{Z}$) and T is the set of all rational number (\mathbb{Q}). An ordered pair of integers (m, n) is associated with n/m

Answer : This is not a function because there is no defined mapping from $m \in \mathbb{Z}, n = 0$ to a rational number. (Rational numbers cannot have a zero in the denominator).

- (c) S is the set of all bit strings and T is the set of integers. A bit string is associated with the integer n if it's n th bit is the rightmost bit which is a zero.

Answer : This is not a function because the relation is undefined if the bitstring contains no zeros, ex 0xFFFF.

- (d) S is the set of all integers and T is the set of all real numbers. An integer n is associated with a real number x if $\sqrt{n} = x$.

Answer : This is not a function because $\sqrt{n^2} = \pm n$, thus one input maps to more than one output.

3. In each case below, determine whether the function given is injective (one-to-one) and prove your answer.

- (a) $f : \mathbb{Z}^+ \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ where $f(x) = (3x - 4)/8$

Answer : : True, f is one-to-one. I will attempt to prove this using induction. To do this, I will show that the function f is always strictly increasing over it's domain, which means that $f(x) > f(x-1) > f(x-2) > \dots > f(1)$, which implies that all of the inputs have a different output over f

$$\begin{aligned} \forall x \in \mathbb{Z}^+ : f(x-1) &< f(x) \\ \forall x \in \mathbb{Z}^+ : f(x) &< f(x+1) \\ f(1) = -1/8, f(2) &= 1/4, f(1) < f(2) \\ f(x) = (3x-4)/8 &= \frac{3}{8}x - \frac{4}{8} \\ f(x+1) = (3(x+1)-4)/8 &= (3x-1)/8 = \frac{3}{8}x - \frac{1}{8} \\ f(x+1) = \frac{3}{8}x - \frac{4}{8} + \frac{3}{8} &= f(x) + \frac{3}{8} \\ f(x+1) = f(x) + \frac{3}{8} &\implies f(x+1) > f(x) \end{aligned}$$

Inductive Hypothesis
Inductive Conclusion
Base Case
Simplifying $f(x)$ for later use
Inputting $x+1$ into f
Substituting in $f(x)$
The inductive conclusion has been shwon

- (b) $f : \mathbb{Z}^+ \times \mathbb{Z}^+ \rightarrow \mathbb{Q}^+$ where $f(a, b) = a/b$

- (c) $f : \mathbb{N} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ where $f(n) = \frac{1}{n}$

- (d) $f : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}$ where $f(x) = \lfloor x \rfloor$