

7.2 - 7.3

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Theorem 0.1. A relation from A to B is a subset

$$R \subseteq A \times B \quad (1)$$

In other words

$$aRb \iff (a, b) \in R \quad (2)$$

Theorem 0.2. A function is a relation that satisfies the vertical line test.

$$f : A \rightarrow B \quad (3)$$

is the statement that for every a in the domain of f , there exists some value b such that (a, b) passes the vertical line test.

The image is a function from $P(A)$ to $P(B)$. Similarly, the preimage/inverse image is from $P(B)$ to $P(A)$.

In notion it would be

$$f(U) = \{f(u) : u \in U\} \quad (4)$$

$$f^{-1}(V) = \{a \in A : f(a) \in V\} \quad (5)$$

respectively. Such that U is a set of A and V is a set of B . Notice how these functions spit out a set.

What does it mean for a function to be equal to each other?

1. Same domain, same codomain, and graph
2. Same domain and same graph, different codomains

7.3: Equivalence Relations

Assume

$$R = \{(a, b) : a \equiv b \pmod{n}\} \quad (6)$$

Then $a \equiv a \pmod{n}$, $a \equiv b \implies b \equiv a$, $a \equiv b \equiv c \implies a \equiv c$.

1. R is reflexive if $a R a$ for a in A
2. R is symmetric if $a R b \implies b R a$
3. R is transitive if $a R b \wedge b R c \implies a R c$

An equivalence relation satisfies all three requirements. They tell us that a & b have something in common.