

Homework 3

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Q1

Q1, part a

We proceed by induction. First, we consider the set \mathcal{F}_{x_1} . We need to show that the size of \mathcal{F}_{x_1} is 2. This follows from the observation that the sets $\{0\}$ and $\{1\}$ are in \mathcal{F}_{x_1} .

Now, assume that the size of $\mathcal{F}_{x_1, \dots, x_n}$ is $n + 1$. We want to show that the size of $\mathcal{F}_{x_1, \dots, x_{n+1}}$ is $n + 2$.

Denote the $n + 1$ elements of $\mathcal{F}_{x_1, \dots, x_n}$ by $\{0 \dots 0\}$, $\{0 \dots 01\}$, $\{0 \dots 011\}$, *etc.*

Q1, part b

Q1, part c

Q1, part d

Q1, part e

Q2

Q2, part a

Q2, part b

Q3

Q4

Q5

Q5, part a

Q5, part b