

1. MATH 65, REVIEW SHEET FOR EXAM I, FALL 2021.

Question 1. Denote by \mathbb{R} the set of real numbers. Define the function $F : \mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R}$ by $F(a, b) = (a + b, a - b)$.

- (a) Define what it means for a function $f : A \rightarrow B$ to be one to one.
- (b) Define what it means for a function $f : A \rightarrow B$ to be onto.
- (c) Define what it means for a function $f : A \rightarrow B$ to be a bijection.
- (d) For the function F defined above, prove or disprove that F is one to one.
- (e) For the function F defined above, prove or disprove that F is onto.
- (f) For the function F defined above, prove or disprove that F is a bijection.

Question 2. (a) Find a recurrence relation a_n for the number of strings of length n using the letters from the set $\{a, b, c, d, e\}$ that contain 2 consecutive e 's.
 (b) What are the initial conditions, that is, the values of the first terms that together with the recurrence would allow you to find every other term
 (c) What is a_4 ?

Question 3. (1) Assume that $(a_n), (b_n)$ are sequences satisfying that

$$a_n = 6a_{n-1} - 8a_{n-2} \quad b_n = 6b_{n-1} - 8b_{n-2}$$

Give conditions on a_0, a_1, b_0, b_1 that guarantee that for each sequence c_n satisfying $c_n = 6c_{n-1} - 8c_{n-2}$, one can find constants A, B such that $c_n = Aa_n + Bb_n$.

- (2) Find two sequences of the form $c_n = x^n$ satisfying the recurrence.
- (3) Find a non recursive expression for the sequence or sequences satisfying

$$c_n = 6c_{n-1} - 8c_{n-2} \quad c_0 = 4, c_1 = 10$$

or show that no such sequence exists.

Question 4. Show that $\neg(p \leftrightarrow q)$ and $\neg p \leftrightarrow q$ are logically equivalent.

Question 5. Let $p(x)$ be the proposition: "I will go to the concert on day x ."

Let $q(x)$ be the proposition: "I have an exam on day x ." Using p and q and logical connectives, write the propositions that follow. Write the negation of each of these statements both in mathematical symbols and in English.

- (a) "I will not go to the concert today if I have an exam tomorrow."
- (b) "If I do not have an exam tomorrow, I will go to the concert today."
- (c) "If I do not go to the concert today, I will not have an exam tomorrow."
- (d) "I will have the exam some day"
- (e) "I will never go to the concert"

Question 6. Determine the truth value of each of these statements where $\mathbb{N} = \{0, 1, 2, \dots\}$ denotes the set of natural numbers. If the statement is true, give a proof, if false give a counterexample. Write the negation of the statements and again give a proof or counterexample.

- (a) $\exists x \in \mathbb{N} (-x < -3)$
- (b) $\forall x \in \mathbb{N}, \exists y \in \mathbb{N} \exists z \in \mathbb{N} (x = 2y + 4z)$
- (c) $\exists x \in \mathbb{N} \forall y \in \mathbb{N} (y \geq x)$
- (d) $\forall y \in \mathbb{N} \exists x \in \mathbb{N} (x < y)$
- (e) $\forall x \in \mathbb{N} (-2x < -x)$

Question 7. Assume that all the sets we are working with are contained in a set U . Then we will indicate with \bar{A} the complement of A , that is the elements in U that are not in A , $\bar{A} = U - A$. Prove that $\overline{(A \cap B \cap C \cap D)} = \bar{A} \cup \bar{B} \cup \bar{C} \cup \bar{D}$ by showing each side is a subset of the other side.

Question 8. Let $A = \{x \in \mathbb{R} | x^2 \leq 8x\}$, $B = \{x \in \mathbb{R} | x^2 \leq 1\}$

- (a) Find $A \cap B$.
- (b) Find $A \cup B$.

Question 9. Assume that x is an integer.

- (a) Prove that if $x + 5$ is odd, then $3x + 2$ is even.
- (b) Prove that if $x + 5$ is even, then $3x + 2$ is odd.
- (c) Prove that (b) is equivalent to proving that if $3x + 2$ is even, then $x + 5$ is odd.

Question 10. Use mathematical induction to prove that

$$\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{4} + \frac{1}{8} + \cdots + \frac{1}{2^n} = \frac{2^n - 1}{2^n}$$

for all $n \geq 1$.

Question 11. Show that any amount of postage of 12 cents or more can be made with 4 cents and 5 cent stamps.

Question 12. Assume that A, B are finite sets of cardinality m and n respectively. Show that $A \times B$ is finite of cardinality mn .

Question 13. Assume that $A \neq \emptyset$ is a set $f : A \rightarrow B$ a function. Show that f is one to one if and only if there exists a function $g : B \rightarrow A$ such that $g \circ f = I_A$.

Question 14. Let $f : A \rightarrow B$ be a function. We are NOT assuming that f is a bijection, so f^{-1} is not defined as a function.

- (a) If $X \subseteq A$, write the definition of $f(X)$.
- (b) If $Y \subseteq B$, write the definition of $f^{-1}(Y)$.
- (c) If $X \subseteq A$, show that $X \subseteq f^{-1}(f(X))$.
- (d) Give an example of an $f : A \rightarrow B$ and an $X \subseteq A$ such that $X \neq f^{-1}(f(X))$.

Question 15. (a) Show that the set of natural numbers divisible by 5 is countable.
 (b) Show that the real plane $\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R}$ is not countable.

Question 16. How many four digit numbers contain the string 123 or the string 234 (or both)?