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?. If  $P$  is the set of divisors of 150 with partial order 'is a divisor of', which one of the following is **not** an immediate successor of 5?

(A) 10, (B) 15, (C) 30, (D) 25.

Answer: **C** : In the partial order we can fit both 10 and 15 between 5 and 30.

?. Suppose  $X = \{x, y, z\}$ ,  $Y = \{a, b\}$  and  $Z = \{p, q, r\}$  while  $R = \{(x, a), (y, b), (z, a)\}$  is a relation between  $X$  and  $Y$  and  $S = \{(a, q), (b, p), (b, r)\}$  is a relation between  $Y$  and  $Z$ .

Which one of the following pairs is **not** in  $S \circ R$ ?

(A)  $(x, q)$ , (B)  $(y, p)$ , (C)  $(z, r)$ , (D)  $(z, q)$ .

Answer: **C** : We have  $xRa$  and  $aSq$  so answer is not A. We have  $yRb$  and  $bSp$  so answer is not B. We have  $zRa$  and  $aSq$  so answer is not D.

?. Suppose  $S = T = \{0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6\}$  and  $f : S \rightarrow T$  is given by  $f(k) = r$  where  $r$  is the remainder when  $k^2$  is divided by 7. Then  $f$  is

(A) Injective but not surjective, (B) Surjective but not injective ,  
(C) Bijective, (D) Neither injective nor surjective.

Answer: **D** : The squares of the numbers in  $\{0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6\}$  are  $\{0, 1, 4, 9, 16, 25, 36\}$ . The remainders mod 7 of these numbers are  $\{0, 1, 4, 2, 2, 4, 1\}$ .

?. The inverse of  $f(x) = (2x + 3)/(-x + 2)$  is

(A)  $g(y) = (2y - 3)/(-y + 2)$ , (B)  $g(y) = (2y - 3)/(y + 2)$  , (C)  $g(y) = (2y + 3)/(y + 2)$ , (D)  $g(y) = (2y + 3)/(-y + 2)$ .

Answer: **B** : If  $y = (2x + 3)/(-x + 2)$  then  $-xy + 2y = 2x + 3$  so that  $-xy - 2x = -2y + 3$  and  $x = (-2y + 3)/(-y - 2) = (2y - 3)/(y + 2)$ .