

Q1. (i) $\forall x (x < 0) \rightarrow \exists y \forall z (y > z)$

Our proposition is $\forall x (x < 0)$ and our conclusion is $\exists y \forall z (y > z)$

$\forall x (x < 0)$ is ~~never~~ false, $x \in \mathbb{R}$ as not all $x \in \mathbb{R}$ is negative
 $\exists y \forall z (y > z)$ is true, $y, z \in \mathbb{R}$

Hence the implication is true.

(ii) $\exists x (x < 0) \rightarrow \forall y \exists z (y > z)$

Proposition: $\exists x (x < 0)$ is true, $x \in \mathbb{R}$

Conclusion: $\forall y \exists z (y > z)$ is true, $y, z \in \mathbb{R}$

Hence the implication is true.

(iii) $\forall x \exists y (x \leq 0 \wedge xy < 0)$

First part of the 'and' statement is true i.e. $x \leq 0$.

However for $x=0$ the second part becomes false $xy \neq 0$
 and thus the statement, $\forall x \exists y (x \leq 0 \wedge xy < 0)$ becomes false for $x=0$.

Truth value = FALSE.

(iv) $\forall x \forall y (x \leq y \rightarrow \exists z (x \leq z \wedge z \leq y))$

$\forall x \forall y; x, y \in \mathbb{R}$

if $x \leq y$ then there can exist a $z \in \mathbb{R}$ such that

$x \leq z \wedge z \leq y$. (x, y) simply becomes the range

for $z \in \mathbb{R}$.

Truth value = TRUE

Q2. Let $(x, y) \in A$ such that $(x, y) \in (R \circ S)^{-1}$.

Then we have

$$(y, x) \in R \circ S$$

So, there exists a $z \in A$ such that $(y, z) \in R$ and $(z, x) \in S$.

Now,

$$((y, z) \in R) \rightarrow ((z, y) \in R^{-1})$$

and

$$((z, x) \in S) \rightarrow ((x, z) \in S^{-1})$$

Then,

$(x, z) \in S^{-1}$ and $(z, y) \in R^{-1}$ implies that $(x, y) \in S^{-1} \circ R^{-1}$.

$$\text{Thus } (R \circ S)^{-1} \subseteq S^{-1} \circ R^{-1} \quad \text{--- ①}$$

Conversely,

let $(x, y) \in A$ such that $(x, y) \in S^{-1} \circ R^{-1}$

Then there exists $z \in A$ such that $(x, z) \in S^{-1}$ and $(z, y) \in R^{-1}$.

Now, $(x, z) \in S^{-1}$ implies $(z, x) \in S$ and $(z, y) \in R^{-1}$ implies

that $(y, z) \in R$.

Then,

$(y, z) \in R$ and $(z, x) \in S$ implies $(y, x) \in R \circ S$.

So, $(x, y) \in (R \circ S)^{-1}$

Thus

$$S^{-1} \circ R^{-1} \subseteq (R \circ S)^{-1} \quad \text{--- ②}$$

From ① & ②:

$$(R \circ S)^{-1} = S^{-1} \circ R^{-1}$$

Hence proved

Q3. If $X = \emptyset$, then the empty function is the only function from X to X .

The empty function is injective, since if it is not then

$$\exists (x_1 \neq x_2) \in X \text{ such that } f(x_1) = f(x_2)$$

But that is not possible for $X = \emptyset$.

The empty function is surjective, since if it is not then $\exists y \in X$ such that $y \neq f(x) \forall x \in X$. But X is empty so there cannot exist such a y .

Thus, the only function from X to X where $X = \emptyset$ is injective and surjective. Hence a function from $X = \emptyset$ is injective iff it is surjective.

Now, suppose $X \neq \emptyset$.

If $X = \{x\}$ then the only injective function from X to X is the identity function that maps x to itself.

This is also the only surjective function.

Hence a function from X to itself, where $|X| = 1$ is injective iff it is surjective.

$$\Rightarrow |X| \geq 2, X = \{x_1, \dots, x_n\}$$

Let $f: X \rightarrow X$ be injective, To prove: f is surjective

Proof by contradiction: f is not surjective.

Then there exists $x_i \in X$, $1 \leq i \leq n$ such that $f(x_j) \neq x_i$ for all $1 \leq j \leq n$.

f maps the n distinct elements of X into the $n-1$ distinct elements in $X \setminus \{x_i\}$. So at least 2 elements in X must be mapped to one element of $X \setminus \{x_i\}$. So f is not injective. This is a contradiction.

Hence f is surjective.

Lemma:

$f: X \rightarrow X$ is surjective. To prove: f is injective.

Proof by Contradiction: f is not injective.

Then there exists $x_i, x_j \in X$ where $1 \leq i < j \leq n$ such that

$$f(x_i) = f(x_j).$$

$$\text{Let } f(x_i) = f(x_j) = x_k \in X, \quad 1 \leq k \leq n.$$

Since f is a function the pre-images of distinct images are distinct,

$$f^{-1}(\{x_s\}) \cap f^{-1}(\{x_t\}) = \emptyset, \quad 1 \leq s \neq t \leq n.$$

Since f is surjective, each element of X has at least one pre-image in X .

Now, since x_k has at least 2 pre-images in X , this implies that there are at most $n-2$ distinct pre-images available for the $n-1$ elements in $X \setminus \{x_k\}$. This implies that not all elements in $X \setminus \{x_k\}$ can have distinct pre-images.

This is a contradiction that f is a function.

Hence f must be injective.

Thus, for any finite X , a function $f: X \rightarrow X$ is injective iff it is surjective.

\Rightarrow Suppose X is an infinite set. Then there is a countably infinite subset $\{d_1, d_2, \dots\}$ of X .

$$\text{Let } f_i, f_s: X \rightarrow X$$

$$f_i(x) = \begin{cases} d_{i+1} & , x = d_i \text{ for some } i \\ x & , \text{ otherwise} \end{cases}; \quad f_s(x) = \begin{cases} d_{i-1} & , x = d_i \text{ for some } i > 1 \\ x & , \text{ otherwise} \end{cases}$$

f_i is an injection, f_s is a surjection

but neither is a bijection, i.e., injection and surjection.

Q4

We know

$$\binom{p}{k} = \frac{\prod_{i=0}^{k-1} (p-i)}{k!}$$

Since $k \geq 1$, $\prod_{i=0}^{k-1} (p-i) \neq 1$. Thus $p = (p-0)$ is a factor in the product in

the numerator.

Now, $\binom{p}{k}$ is the number of k -element subsets of a p -element set, hence it is a natural number.

Thus $k!$ divides $\prod_{i=0}^{k-1} (p-i)$.

Since p is prime and $k < p$, $k, k-1, \dots, 3, 2$ do not divide p . So $k!$ must divide $\prod_{i=0}^{k-1} (p-i)$.

Let $\frac{\prod_{i=0}^{k-1} (p-i)}{k!} = l \in \mathbb{Z}^+$. Thus $\binom{p}{k} = p \cdot l$.

Thus $\binom{p}{k}$ is divisible by p .

Q5

$$x^2(y^2)^4 \pm \dots = x^2 y^8 \pm$$

In $(2x + y^2 - 5z)^{10}$ we have

$$\frac{7!}{2!4!1!} = 105$$

So $x^2(y^2)^4 \pm$ term is

$$105(2x)^2(y^2)^4(-5z) = (105)(4)(-5)x^2y^8z \\ = -2100x^2y^8z$$

Hence coefficient is (-2100) .

Q6. Yes, it is true that if 2 graphs are isomorphic then there exists a bijection $f: E(G) \rightarrow E(H)$ where G and H are the 2 graphs.

For two isomorphic graphs we know that the number of edges and vertices are the same.

$$|E(G)| = |E(H)|, \quad |V(G)| = |V(H)|$$

→ For every edge in G , there is a corresponding edge in H .

Hence $f: E(G) \rightarrow E(H)$ is injective.

→ For every edge in H , we can find the corresponding edge in G , hence every element in $E(H)$ has a pre-image in $E(G)$.

Thus $f: E(G) \rightarrow E(H)$ is surjective.

As $f: E(G) \rightarrow E(H)$ is injective and surjective, it is bijective.

Moreover,

2 graphs are isomorphic if a bijection $f: V(G) \rightarrow V(H)$ exists such that $\{x, y\} \in E(G)$ iff $\{f(x), f(y)\} \in E(H)$

holds for all $x, y \in V(G)$, $x \neq y$.

Q2 We will first note the sum of the degree:

$$1 + 2 + 2 + 3 = \underset{\text{even}}{\overset{8}{4n}}$$

We reduce the sequence by a repeated use of the Scott's Theorem.

Sequence $\Delta(1, 2, 2, 3) = \Delta$

Here $n = 4$, $d_n = 3$, $n - d_n = 1$

$\Delta' = (0, 1, 1)$

again, sequence $(0, 1, 1)$

$n = 3$, $d_n = 1$, $n - d_n = 2$

$\Delta'' = (0, 0)$

Δ'' is a graph score with, $G_1 = \begin{matrix} 1 & 2 \\ | & | \end{matrix}$ is a graph

The given sequence must be a graph score by the Score Theorem.

Now, to find a graph with score Δ we reduce our steps from G_1 using the scores obtained.

$G_1 = \begin{matrix} 1 & 2 \\ | & | \end{matrix}$ (Score = Δ'')

$G_2 = \begin{matrix} 1 & & 2 \\ & \swarrow & \\ & 3 & \end{matrix}$ (Score = Δ')

$\Delta' = (0, 1, 1)$ was obtained

$G_3 = \begin{matrix} 1 & & 2 \\ | & \diagup & | \\ & 4 & \\ & | & \\ & 3 & \end{matrix}$ (1, 2, 2, 3)

→ Graph required.

Yes, by using the score method, we proved that the sequence can be drawn into a graph using score $(1, 2, 2, 3)$.