

Discrete Test 2 Review: first study quizzes!

- (1) Prove $\forall a, b \in \mathbb{Z}$, if $(a \bmod 6 = 5 \text{ and } b \bmod 4 = 3)$ then $4a + 6b \bmod 8 = 6$.
Use a Direct proof.
- a) Write the assumption, translated to algebraic equations.
- b) Write what we want to show, translated to algebraic equations.
- c) Write the proof steps.
- (2) Suppose we were to prove the statement “ $\forall y \in \mathbb{Z}$, y is even $\Rightarrow (y^3 - 1)$ is odd.” (Answer using algebraic equations, without using the word “not” or the symbol “ \sim .”)
- a) For a direct proof we assume _____ and show _____.
- b) For proof using the contrapositive we assume _____ and show _____.
- c) For proof by contradiction we assume _____ and show that we reach a false conclusion.
- (3) Use contradiction to prove: $\forall a, b \in \mathbb{Z}$, if $(a \text{ is even and } b \text{ is odd})$ then 4 does not divide $(a^2 + 2b^2)$.
- a) Negate the statement.
- b) What do we assume? Translate to algebraic equations.
- c) Use the assumptions to prove that $4 \nmid 2$, as an algebraic equation.
- (4) Prove by induction that: $\forall n \in \mathbb{N}$, if $n \geq 2$ then $3 \mid (2^{(4n-4)} + 2^{(2n-3)})$.
- a) Show the base case.
- b) State the induction assumption, translate to algebraic equations.
- c) State what we need to show, translate to algebraic equations.
- d) Do the proof steps.
- (5) Use a Direct proof to prove: $\forall z \in \mathbb{Z}$, $3 \mid (z + 1) \Rightarrow z^2 \bmod 3 = 1$.
- a) Write the assumption, translated to algebraic equations.
- b) Write what to show, translated to algebraic equations.
- c) Do the proof steps.

For your use:

A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M	N	O	P	Q	R	S	T	U	V	W	X	Y	Z
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26

(6) Given the one-time-pad sequence $(2, 6, 13, 1)$ encrypt the word COOL. Your output will be letters.

(7) Use the BBS sequence $a_n = (a_{n-1})^2 \bmod pq$ to encrypt the word ZAP. Use the seed $a_0 = 11$ and the constant $pq = 7 * 13 = 91$. Start the encryption with $n = 1$.

(8) Use the same BBS sequence to decrypt the word LLJ. Use the seed $a_0 = 11$ and the constant $pq = 7 * 13 = 91$.

(9) Use the sequence $a_n = 5 + 3(a_{n-1} \bmod n); a_0 = 7$ to encrypt the digits 1101. Start with $n = 1$.

(10) Use the sequence $a_n = n^2 - 1$ to decrypt the digits 1110. Start with $n = 1$.

(11) Given universe $\mathcal{U} = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 7, 9, 10, 21, 25\}$; $A = \{7, 9, 10, 21, 25\}$;
and $B = \{5, 4, 7, 10, 21\}$. Find the following:

- $\overline{A \cup B}$

- $(A - B) \cup (B - A)$

- $\overline{(B - A) \cap A}$

- $|\mathcal{P}(A)|$

- $|\mathcal{P}(A \times B) \times A|$

- $|\mathcal{P}(A \cup B)|$

- $|\overline{A \cup B}|$

(12) How many PIN's are there with 7 digits, no repeated digits?

(13) How many PIN's are there with 3 digits, repeated digits allowed, and such that the first digit is not 0 and the second digit is not 9?

(14) How many ways can 7 students fill in the first row of 4 seats? (seated in order, leaving 3 students still standing.)

(15) How many DNA sequences are there, using $\{A, G, T, C\}$, of length 5 where the sequence cannot start with G in 1st location, and cannot repeat two letters in the 4th and 5th location?

(16) Also study the quizzes!