

HW 17

11.3) 1. Equivalent classes of R:

$$[1] = \{1\}$$

$$[2] = [3] = \{2, 3\}$$

$$[4] = [5] = [6] = \{4, 5, 6\}$$

2. Reflexive $\rightarrow (a,a)(b,b)(c,c)(d,d)$

Symmetric $\rightarrow (d,a)(c,b)(d,e)$

Transitive $\rightarrow (a,d)(d,e) \in R$

$$\Rightarrow (a,e) \in R$$

$$(e,d)(d,a) \in R$$

$$\Rightarrow (e,a) \in R$$

$$R = \{(a,a)(b,b)(c,c)(d,d)$$

$$(e,e)(a,d)(b,c)(e,d)$$

$$(d,a)(c,b)(d,e)$$

$$(a,e)(e,a)\}$$

b. $\{\{a\}, \{b\}, \{c\}\}$ no others

$$\{\{a\}, \{b, c\}\} \quad b \equiv c, c \equiv b$$

$$\{\{b\}, \{a, c\}\} \quad a \equiv c, c \equiv a$$

$$\{\{c\}, \{a, b\}\} \quad a \equiv b, b \equiv a$$

$$\{\{a, b, c\}\} \quad a \equiv b, b \equiv a, a \equiv c$$

$$c \equiv a, b \equiv c, c \equiv b$$

9. It is reflexive, for any $x \in \mathbb{Z}$,

$$4 \mid (x+3x), \text{ thus } xRx.$$

Suppose xRy . Then, $4 \mid (x+3y)$.

$$\text{So, } x+3y = 4k \text{ for some int } k.$$

We can multiply this by 3 to

$$\text{get } 3x+9y = 12k, \text{ which can}$$

be rewritten as: $y+3x = 4(3k-2y)$.

$$\text{So, } 4 \mid (y+3x), \text{ and thus } yRx,$$

proving R is symmetric.

Suppose xRy and yRz . Then,

$$4 \mid (x+3y) \text{ and } 4 \mid (y+3z), \text{ so}$$

$$x+3y = 4k \text{ and } y+3z = 4q,$$

for some integers k and q . Adding

these equations will create

$$x+4y+3z = 4k+4q, \text{ which can be}$$

rewritten as $x+3z = 4k+4q-4y = 4(k+q-y)$.

Because of this, we know $4 \mid (x+3z)$,

thus xRz , and R is transitive.

Since R is reflexive, symmetric, and

transitive, so R is an equivalence relation.

$$[0] = \{x \in \mathbb{Z} : 4 \mid x\} = \{-4, 0, 4, 8, 12, \dots\}$$

$$[1] = \{x \in \mathbb{Z} : 4 \mid (x+3)\} = \{-3, 1, 5, 9, 13, \dots\}$$

$$[2] = \{x \in \mathbb{Z} : 4 \mid (x+6)\} = \{-2, 2, 6, 10, 14, 18, \dots\}$$

$$[3] = \{x \in \mathbb{Z} : 4 \mid (x+9)\} = \{-1, 3, 7, 11, 15, 19, \dots\}$$

Statement
(False)

12. Proof by counterexample.

Let $A = \{a, b, c\}$, $R = \{(a, a)(b, b)(c, c)(c, a)(a, c)\}$,

and $S = \{(a, a)(b, b)(c, c)(a, b)(b, a)\}$.

$R \cup S = \{(a, a)(b, b)(c, c)(a, c)(c, a)(a, b)(b, a)\}$

is not equivalence relation since does not have transitive property (such as $c(R \cup S)a \cap a(R \cup S)b \not\Rightarrow c(R \cup S)b$)

Thus, the union of 2 equivalence relations are not necessarily an equivalence relation. \square