

## Problem 1

Let  $A$  be the set  $\{x, y, z\}$  and  $B$  be the set  $\{x, y\}$

1.  $A$  is not a subset of  $B$
2.  $B$  is a proper subset of  $A$
3.  $A \cup B = \{x, y, z\}$
4.  $A \cap B = \{x, y\}$
5.  $A \times B = \{(x, x), (x, y), (y, x), (y, y), (z, x), (z, y)\}$
6.  $\mathcal{P}(B) = \{\emptyset, \{x\}, \{y\}, B\}$

## Problem 2

If  $A$  has  $a$  elements, and  $B$  has  $b$  elements, how many elements are in  $A \times B$ ?

$$|A \times B| = ab$$

This is because, in order to pair every member of  $A$  with each member of  $B$ ,  $|A| \cdot |B|$  tuples are required.

## Problem 3

If  $C$  is a set with  $c$  elements, how many elements are in the power set of  $C$ ?

$$|\mathcal{P}(C)| = 2^c$$

Each element of  $\mathcal{P}(C)$  can either contain or exclude every element of  $C$ . There will always be exactly  $2^c$  unique ways to do this.

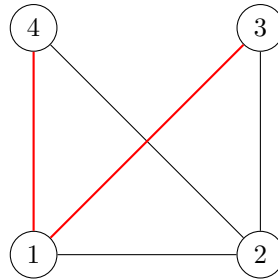
## Problem 4

Let  $X$  be the set  $\{1, 2, 3, 4, 5\}$  and  $Y$  be the set  $\{6, 7, 8, 9, 10\}$ . Let  $f : X \rightarrow Y$  and  $g : X \times Y \rightarrow Y$

1.  $f(2) = 7$
2. The range of  $f$  is  $Y$ , the domain of  $f$  is  $X$
3.  $g(2, 10) = 6$
4. The range of  $g$  is  $Y$ , the domain of  $g$  is  $X \times Y$
5.  $g(4, f(4)) = 8$

**Problem 5**

1.  $R = \{(a, a), (b, b), (c, c), (a, b), (b, a), (b, c), (c, b)\}$
2.  $R = \{(a, a), (b, b), (c, c), (a, b), (a, c), (b, c)\}$
3.  $R = \{(a, b), (b, a), (a, c), (c, a), (b, c), (c, b)\}$

**Problem 6**

Node	Degree
1	3
2	3
3	2
4	2

**Problem 7**

$$G = (V, E)$$

$$V = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6\}$$

$$E = \{\{1, 4\}, \{1, 5\}, \{1, 6\}, \{2, 4\}, \{2, 5\}, \{2, 6\}, \{3, 4\}, \{3, 5\}, \{3, 6\}\}$$

**Problem 8**

If  $a = b$ , then  $a - b = 0$ . The error in the proof is the division by  $(a - b)$ . This operation is undefined when the denominator is 0, therefore the proof is invalid.

## Problem 9

**Theorem.**  $S(n) = 1 + 2 + 3 + \dots + n = \frac{n(n+1)}{2}$

*Proof.* By induction on  $n$

**Base:** When  $n = 1$ ,  $S(n) = 1 = \frac{1(1+1)}{2}$

**Inductive:** Suppose  $S(k) = \frac{k(k+1)}{2}$

$$\implies S(k+1) = 1 + 2 + 3 + \dots + k + (k+1)$$

$$\implies S(k+1) = S(k) + (k+1) = \frac{k(k+1)}{2} + (k+1)$$

$$\implies S(k+1) = \frac{(k+1)((k+1)+1)}{2} = 1 + 2 + \dots + k + (k+1)$$

□

## Problem 10

**Theorem.** For any  $n \in \mathbb{Z}$ , if  $n^3 + 5$  is odd then  $n$  is even.

*Proof.* Suppose that, if  $n^3 + 5$  is odd then  $n$  is also odd.

$$\implies n^3 \text{ is odd, because the product of odd numbers is odd}$$

$$\implies n^3 + 5 \text{ is even, because the sum of two odd numbers is even}$$

$$\therefore n^3 + 5 \text{ is even, and then supposition is incorrect}$$

□

## Problem 11

**Theorem.** In a set of 51 random integers in  $[1, 100]$ , there are at least two integers that divide each other without remainder.

*Proof.* Partition the set of 51 integers such that each subset conforms to the relation that each element of the subset is a multiple of another element of the subset. If this is done by grouping multiples of odd numbers such that:  $\{k, 2k, 4k, 8k, \dots, 2^i k\}$ , where  $k$  is any odd number in  $[1, 100]$ , we will have 50 subsets. By the pigeonhole principle,  $\lceil \frac{51}{50} \rceil = 2$ , so at least 2 random elements will be part of the same subset. Because subsets are constructed by their multiples, the larger one will divide by the smaller one without remainder. □