

Discrete Mathematical Structures I
Quiz 1
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Name: Solutions

1. Let $f: \mathbb{Z} \times \mathbb{Z} \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}$ be given by: $f(m, n) = m^2 + n$

(a) is f 1-1?

$$f(-1, 2) = f(1, 2) \Rightarrow f \text{ not 1-1}$$

(b)

(b) is f onto?

Yes. since $\forall a \in \mathbb{Z}$.

$$f(0, a) = a.$$

(c)

2. Same for $f: \mathbb{Z} \times \mathbb{Z} \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}$ be given by: $f(m, n) = 3^m 4^n$.

1) f is 1-1

since y

$$f(m, n) = f(m', n')$$

\Rightarrow

$$3^m 4^n = 3^{m'} 4^{n'}$$

$$3^{m-m'} = 4^{n'-n}$$

$$\Rightarrow m - m' = n' - n = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow m = m' \\ n = n' \Rightarrow$$

$f: \mathbb{Z} \times \mathbb{Z} \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}$

2) f is not onto since $\nexists (m, n) \text{ s.t. } f(m, n) = 11$

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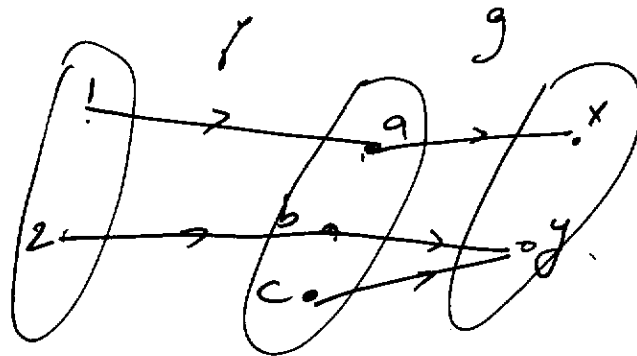
3. Write your own example of a function $f : \mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R}$ that is 1-1 and onto. discuss

$$f(m, n) = (n, m)$$

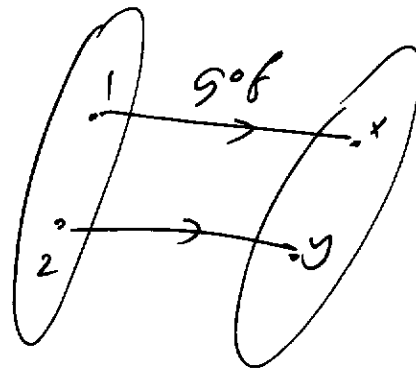


4. Consider the two functions $f : A \rightarrow B$ and $g : B \rightarrow C$. Suppose that $g \circ f : A \rightarrow C$ is onto, then do both g and f need to be onto? Discuss.

No :



f not onto,
although $g \circ f$ onto



5. Determine if $f(x) : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{Z} = \lceil x/2 \rceil$ is 1-1 or onto.

1) not 1-1.

$$f(1.2) = f(1.3)$$

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2) Yes onto $\forall n \in \mathbb{N} \quad f(2n) = n$
 \Rightarrow onto.

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6. Show that if f is 1-1 then $f(S \cap T) = f(S) \cap f(T)$.

1) \subseteq let $x \in S \cap T$ so that
 $f(x) \in f(S \cap T) \Rightarrow$

$\Rightarrow f(x) \in f(S)$, since $x \in S$

and $f(x) \in f(T)$ since $x \in T \Rightarrow$

$$f(x) \in f(S) \cap f(T)$$

2) \supseteq

Suppose $y \in f(S) \cap f(T) =$

$y = f(x)$ for some $x \in S$.

$y \in f(S) \Rightarrow$

and $y \in f(T) \Rightarrow y = f(x')$, $x' \in T$

$\Rightarrow f(x') = f(x) = y$
 since f is 1-1 \Rightarrow

$x = x' \in S \cap T \Rightarrow y \in f(S \cap T)$.

7. Prove by induction that $n(n^2 + 5)$ is divisible by 6.

$$6 \mid n(n^2 + 5)$$

1) Basic step: $6 \mid 1 \cdot (1 + 5)$ $n=1$ ✓

2) Assume $6 \mid k(k^2 + 5)$, show $6 \mid (k+1)((k+1)^2 + 5)$

$$k(k^2 + 5) = 6c \ ; \Rightarrow \ k^3 + 5k = 6c \quad \text{or} \quad \boxed{k^3 = 6c - 5k}$$

show $(k+1) \left(k^2 + 2k + \frac{1+5}{6} \right) = 6d$ for some $d \in \mathbb{Z}$

$$k^3 + 2k^2 + 6k + k^2 + 2k + 6 = k^3 + 3k^2 + 8k + 6$$

$$= (6c - 5k) + 3k^2 + 8k + 6$$

$$= 6c + 3k^2 + 3k + 6$$

$$= 6c + 3 \underbrace{k(k+1)}_{\text{even}} + 6$$

$$= 6c + 3(2e) + 6$$

$$= 6d \quad \checkmark$$

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