

Discrete Structures - Spring 1995 - Exam 2

Symbols: \mathbb{N} denotes the Natural Numbers, \mathbb{Z} denotes the Integers,
 \mathbb{Q} denotes the Rational Numbers, and \mathbb{R} denotes the Real Numbers.

1. Circle T if the statement is true or F if the statement is false.

T F If A is a set, then $A \times A$ is a function.

T F If A is a set, then $A \times A$ is an equivalence relation.

T F If the sets A , B , C , and D partition a set X , then the relation
 $R = (A \times A) \cup (B \times B) \cup (C \times C) \cup (D \times D)$ is an equivalence relation on X .

T F If f is a 1-1 and ONTO function from A to B , then $A = B$.

T F If f is a 1-1 function from A to B , then $|A| = |f(A)|$.

T F If $f: A \rightarrow B$ and $g: B \rightarrow C$ are functions, then $(g \circ f)^{-1} = (g^{-1} \circ f^{-1})$.

T F If n is a positive integer, $1 + 10 + 100 + \dots + 10^{(n-1)} = (10^n - 1)/9$.

T F Let DIV denote the INTEGER DIVIDE operation. If a , b , and p are positive integers
and $a \equiv b \pmod{p}$, then $[a - p(a \text{ DIV } p)] = [b - p(b \text{ DIV } p)]$.

T F If H is the Hamming distance function, d is the density function, and $\mathbf{0}$ is the
all-zero string, then $H(s, \mathbf{0}) = d(s)$ for all binary strings, s .

T F There cannot exist a 1-1 correspondence between \mathbb{N} and \mathbb{Q} .

2. Rewrite: $\frac{1}{1 \cdot 2} + \frac{2}{2 \cdot 3} + \frac{4}{3 \cdot 4} + \frac{8}{4 \cdot 5} + \frac{16}{5 \cdot 6} + \dots + \frac{512}{10 \cdot 11}$ into summation notation.

3. Let $R = \{(a,b) \mid a,b \in \{1,2,3,4\} \text{ and } a/b \leq 1\}$. Graph R .

4. Do 1 of the following 2 induction proofs:

Prove: $1 \cdot 2 + 2 \cdot 3 + 3 \cdot 4 + \dots + n(n+1) = \frac{n(n+1)(n+2)}{3}$.

or

Prove: If s_i is a recursively generated sequence given by $s_i = s_{i-1} + s_{i-2}$,
with $s_0 = 5$ and $s_1 = 15$, then s_i is divisible by 5 for all $i > 1$.

5. List out the ordered pairs that make up the equivalence relation is induced by the partition
 $\{2\}, \{1,3\}, \{0,4,5\}$ of the set $\{0,1,2,3,4,5\}$?

6. Find the Domain and Image of the function $f = \{(a,3), (w,12), (e,2), (s,5), (t,3), (g,2), (v,1)\}$.

7. Let d be the density function on Σ^n , the set of all n -long strings and define the relation R on Σ^n
 $R = \{(s,t) \mid s,t \in \Sigma^n \text{ and } d(s) = d(t)\}$.

(a) Show R is an equivalence relation on Σ^n . (b) Describe the partition of Σ^n induced by R .

8. Prove the function $f: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ given by $f(x) = 5x + 3$ is a bijection (1-1 and onto).