

Homework Solutions - Section 1.7

1.

$$S = \{1,2,3,4,5\} \quad T = \{a,b,c,d\}$$

- (a) No - S is larger than T
- (b) Yes - e.g., $f(a)=1$, $f(b)=2$, $f(c)=3$, $f(d)=4$
- (c) Yes - e.g., $f(1)=a$, $f(2)=b$, $f(3)=c$, $f(4)=f(5)=d$
- (d) No - T is smaller than S
- (e) No - S and T are of different sizes

3.

$$f: \mathbb{N} \times \mathbb{N} \rightarrow \mathbb{N} \text{ where } f(m,n) = 2^m 3^n$$

- (a) $f(2,1) = 2^2 3^1 = (4)(3) = 12$, $f(1,2) = 2^1 3^2 = (2)(9) = 18$, ...
- (b) Let $f(m,n) = f(p,q)$, then $2^m 3^n = 2^p 3^q$.

If $m < p$, then, if we divide both sides by 2^m , we get $3^n = 2^{p-m} 3^q$.

Now 3^n and 3^q are both odd and if $m \neq p$, 2^{p-m} is even.

Hence, we would have an odd number equal to an even number.

This is a contradiction.

Therefore, $f(m,n) = f(p,q)$, only if $m = n$ and $p = q$.

Consequently, we have a one-to-one function.

- (c) No, e.g., $f^{-1}(0) = \emptyset$, or $f^{-1}(5) = \emptyset$.
- (d) $g: \mathbb{N} \times \mathbb{N} \rightarrow \mathbb{N}$ where $g(m,n) = 2^m 4^n$

$$g(2,0) = g(0,1) = 4.$$

Hence, g is not one-to-one.

$$\text{Note: } g(m,n) = 2^m 4^n = 2^m 2^{2n} = 2^{m+2n}$$

$$\text{and } g(p,q) = 2^p 4^q = 2^{p+2q}$$

Hence, $g(m,n) = g(p,q)$ if $m+2n = p+2q$.

5.

$f: \mathbb{N} \rightarrow \mathbb{N}; g: \mathbb{N} \rightarrow \mathbb{N}$

$f(n) = n + 1; g(n) = \max\{0, n - 1\}$

(a) $f(0)=1, f(1)=2, f(2)=3, f(3)=4, f(4)=5, f(73)=74$

(b) $g(0)=0, g(1)=0, g(2)=1, g(3)=2, g(4)=3, g(73)=72$

(c) If $f(n) = f(p)$, then $n+1=p+1$ which implies $n=p$.

Therefore, f is one-to-one.

f is not onto since $f^{-1}(0) = \emptyset$.

(d) g is onto since $g^{-1}(n)$ contains $n+1$ for all $n \in \mathbb{N}$.

g is not one-to-one since $g^{-1}(0) = \{0,1\}$.

(e) $g \circ f = g(f(n)) = g(n+1) = \max\{0, n+1-1\} = \max\{0, n\} = n$

$f \circ g = f(g(0)) = f(0) = 1$

7.

(a) $f^{-1}(y) = (y - 3) / 2$

(b) $g^{-1}(y) = (y + 2)^{1/3}$

(c) $h^{-1}(y) = y^{1/3} + 2$

(d) $k^{-1}(y) = (y - 7)^3$

11.

All functions: $\mathbb{N} \times \mathbb{N} \rightarrow \mathbb{N}$

SUM(m,n) = $m + n$; PROD(m,n) = mn

MAX(m,n) = $\max\{m,n\}$; MIN(m,n) = $\min\{m,n\}$

(a) All of them are onto

(b) None are one-to-one

SUM(2,1) = SUM(1,2)

PROD(2,1) = PROD(1,2)

MAX(2,1) = MAX(1,2)

MIN(2,1) = MIN(1,2)

(c) SUM⁻¹(4) = $\{(0,4),(1,3),(2,2),(3,1),(4,0)\}$

PROD⁻¹(4) = $\{(1,4),(2,2),(4,1)\}$

MAX⁻¹(4) = $\{(0,4),(1,4),(2,4),(3,4),(4,4),(4,3),(4,2),(4,1),(4,0)\}$

MIN⁻¹(4) = $\{(4,n) : n \geq 4\} \cup \{(m,4) : m \geq 4\}$ (infinite number)