321 Section, Week 3

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Functions

- A function from A to B is an assignment of exactly one element of B to each element of A. We write f(a) = b if b is the unique element of B assigned by f to the element a of A. If f is a function from A to B, we write f: A→B. We say that f maps A to B
- Domain: A
- Codomain: B
- If f(a) = b, b is the image of a, a is the preimage of b
- Range of f is the set of all images of elements of A

Identify the domain, codomain, range, image of a, preimage of 2 for the following B



What does it mean for a function to be one-to-one (aka injective)?

• Use a picture

What does it mean for a function to be onto (aka surjective)?

Every b has an a f(a)=b Mention that a bijection is both

Is this -a function? -one-to-one? -onto?



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What's an inverse?

F(a) = b -> f-1(b) = a

What's the inverse of

- X
- x²

What kinds of functions have inverses?

bijections

What's the composition of two functions?

• Draw a picture

A few more things that you probably already know

- Increasing
- Strictly increasing
- Decreasing
- Strictly decreasing
- Product
- Sum
- Ceiling function
- Floor function

Homework 1

• Associativity (parentheses matter!)

HW1

- Proof style
- Only if

Fallacies

• Affirming the conclusion

• Denying the hypothesis

P->q, q, therefore p;;p->q, -p, therefore -q

Machine representation of sets

- Store the set somewhere in a given order
- Represent a subset by a sequence of zeros and ones that express subset membership
- $U = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10\}$
- Subset $\{1,2,3\} = 1110000000$

Represent subsets of {1,2,3,4,5,6,7,8,9,10}

Odd numbers

• Even numbers

• How do you find the complement of a subset given its binary representation?

Union and intersection

 How would you compute the union of 1010101010 and 1111100000?

How would you compute the intersection of 1010101010 and 1111100000

Use a direct proof to prove that the product of two rational numbers is rational

$(\mathsf{AUB}) \subseteq (\mathsf{AUBUC})$

(B-A)U(C-A)=(BUC)-A

Use a direct proof to show that every odd integer is the difference of two squares