

Claim: f is a bijection on S .

Pf. f is one-to-one on S

So enough to show it is onto.

$\forall j \in S$, there is $i \in S$
 $f(i) = j$

Beams f is one-to-one it maps
 S to $|S|$ many values

But f maps S to S .

so f is onto

f is onto if $\forall j$
 there exist i s.t. $f(i) = j$

f is one-to-one if $\forall i, j$
 $f(i) \neq f(j)$.

Pf of correctness

By induction

Base Case: $|A| = 1 \Rightarrow S = A$

• f maps $A \rightarrow A$ so $S \rightarrow S$

• f is one-to-one beca $|S| = 1$

Ind Hyp: If f maps B to B for $|B| < n$
 then we can find OPT S for B .

Ind Step: Solve for $|A| = n$.

If $\exists j$ s.t. $f(i) \neq j$ for all i
 then by claim $j \notin S$.

So OPT S is the same as OPT of $A - \{j\}$.

$\forall f$ maps $A - \{j\}$ to $A - \{j\}$

Otherw., S is onto.

Because f maps A to A

and it is onto it must be one-to-one