

Math 300 A - Spring 2012
Final Exam
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- Complete all six questions.
- You have 110 minutes to complete the exam.

1. Assign "true" or "false" to each of the following statements. No justification need be given.

(a) If there is a function $f : \mathbb{Z} \rightarrow A$, then A is countable.

(b) The function $g : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ defined by $g(x) = x^3$ is a bijection.

(c) If A and B are sets, then B and $A \setminus B$ are disjoint.

(d) If A is a set, and $D \subseteq A \times A$, then D is a relation.

(e) If $f : \mathbb{Z} \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}$, and f is onto, then f is one-to-one.

(f) There exist one-to-one functions from \mathbb{R} to \mathbb{Z} .

(g) The set $\{-5, 3, 4\}$ is an element of $\mathcal{P}(\mathbb{Z})$.

(h) Every subset of \mathbb{Q} is countable.

2. Let $A = \mathcal{P}(\mathbb{R})$. Define $f : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow A$ by the formula

$$f(x) = \{y \in \mathbb{R} : y^2 < x\}.$$

(a) Is f one-to-one? Prove your answer.

(b) Is f onto? Prove your answer.

3. Let R be a relation on \mathbb{Q} defined by $(p/q, r/s) \in R \Leftrightarrow ps = qr$. Show that R is an equivalence relation.

4. Give a proof by induction that 6 divides $n^3 - n$ for all $n \in \mathbb{Z}_{\geq 0}$.

5. Suppose $f : A \rightarrow C$ and $g : B \rightarrow C$. Prove that if A and B are disjoint, then

$$f \cup g : A \cup B \rightarrow C.$$

6. Suppose R and S are equivalence relations on a set A and $A/R = A/S$. Prove that $R = S$.