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RELATION AND FUNCTIONS

Exercise

1. Write the smallest equivalence relation on A
 $= \{1, 2, 3\}$.



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2. Congruence modulo 3 relation partitions the set \mathbb{Z} into how many equivalence classes ?



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3. Given an example of a relation which is reflexive, symmetric but not transitive.



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4. Given an example of a relation which is reflexive, transitive but not symmetric.



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5. Given an example of a relation which is reflexive but neither symmetric nor transitive.



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6. Find the least positive integer r such that

$$-375 \in [r]_{11}$$



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7. Find three positive integers $x_i, i = 1, 2, 3$

satisfying $3x \equiv 2 \pmod{7}$.



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8. State the reason for the relation R in the set $\{1, 2, 3\}$ given by $R = \{(1, 2), (2, 1)\}$ not to be transitive.



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9. Show that $f: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ defined as $f(x) = \text{sgn}(x)$ is neither one-one nor onto.



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10. Give an example of a function which is injective but not surjective.



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11. Let $f = \{(1,3), (2,4), (3,7)\}$ and $g = \{(3,2), (4,3), (7,1)\}$

Determine $g \circ f$ and $f \circ g$ if possible . Test whether $f \circ g = g \circ f$.



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12. Express each of the following function as the sum of an even function and an odd function: $1 + X + X^2$.



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13. Let $X = \{1, 2, 3, 4\}$. Determine whether $f: X \rightarrow X$ defined as given below have inverses. Find f^{-1} if it exist

$$f = \{(1, 2), (2, 2), (3, 2), (4, 2)\}$$



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14. If the invertible function f is defined as

$$f(X) = \frac{3x - 4}{5}, \text{ write } f^{-1}(X).$$



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15. Let $f, R \rightarrow R$ and $g, R \rightarrow R$ defined as

$$f(x) = |x|, g(x) = |5x - 2| \text{ then find } fog.$$



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16. Let \cdot is a binary operation defined by

$$a \cdot b = 3a + 4b - 2, \text{ find } 4 \cdot 5.$$



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17. Let the binary operation on Q defined as

$$a \cdot b = 2a + b - ab, \text{ find } 3 \cdot 4.$$



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18. Let \cdot is a binary operation on \mathbb{Z} defined as $a \cdot b = a + b - 5$ find the identity element for \cdot on \mathbb{Z} .



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19. Find the number of binary operations on the set $\{a, b\}$.



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20. Let \cdot is a binary operation on $[0, \infty)$ defined as $a \cdot b = \sqrt{a^2 + b^2}$ find the identity element.



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21. List the members of the equivalence relation defined by $\{\{1\}, \{2\}, \{3, 4\}\}$ partitions on $X=\{1,2,3,4\}$. Also find the equivalence classes of 1, 2, 3 and 4.



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22. Find least non negative integer r such that

$$7 \times 13 \times 23 \times 413 \equiv r \pmod{11}$$



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23. Find least non negative integer r such that

$$1237 \pmod{4} + 985 \pmod{4} \equiv r \pmod{4}$$



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24. For real numbers x and y , define $x R y$ if and only if $x - y + \sqrt{2}$ is an irrational number. Is R transitive? Explain your answer.



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25. Let $A = \{a, b, c\}$ and the relation R be defined on A as follows:

$$R = \{(a, a), (b, c), (a, b)\}.$$

Then, write minimum number of ordered pairs

to be added in R to make R reflexive and transitive.



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26. Let X and Y be sets containing m and n elements respectively. How many functions from X to Y are one-one according as $m < n$, $m > n$ and $m = n$?



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27. Show that the relation R in the set of real numbers, defined as $R = \{(a, b) : a \leq b^2\}$ is neither reflexive nor symmetric nor transitive.



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28. Let $f(x) = \sqrt{x}$ and $g(x) = 1 - x^2$.

Compute $f \circ g$ and $g \circ f$ and find their natural domains.



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29. Show that the operation $*$ given by $x*y = x + y + -xy$ is a binary operation on \mathbb{Z}, \mathbb{Q} and \mathbb{R} but not on \mathbb{N} .



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30. Let $*$ is a binary operation on the set of all non-zero real numbers, given by $a * b = \frac{ab}{5}$ for all $a, b \in \mathbb{R} - (0)$. Find the value of x , given that $2 * (x * 5) = 10$.



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31. Test whether the relations are reflexive, symmetric or transitive on the sets specified.

$$R = \{(m, n) : \frac{m}{n} \text{ is a power of } 5\} \text{ on } \mathbb{Z} - \{0\}.$$



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32. Suppose a box contains a set of n balls ($n > 4$) (denoted by B) of four different colours (many have different sizes), viz, red, blue, green and yellow. Show that a relation R defined on B as $R = \{(b_1, b_2) : \text{balls } b_1 \text{ and } b_2$

have the same colour} is an equivalence relation on B. How many equivalence classes can you find with respect to R ?



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33. If $f:X \rightarrow Y$ and $g:Y \rightarrow Z$ be two bijective functions, then prove that $(g \circ f)^{-1} = f^{-1} \circ g^{-1}$.



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34. Prove that $f: X \rightarrow Y$ is surjective iff for all $B \subseteq Y$, $f(f^{-1}(B)) = B$.



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35. Prove that $f: X \rightarrow Y$ is surjective iff for all $A \subseteq X$, $(f(A))' \subseteq f(A')$, where A' denotes the complement of A in X .



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36. Let A and B be sets.

Show that $f : A \times B \rightarrow B \times A$ such that $f(a,b) = (b,a)$ is bijective function .



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37. Examine $f: (-1, 1) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}, f(x) = \frac{x}{1-x^2}$

functions if it is (i) injective (ii) surjective, (iii) bijective and (iv) none of the three.



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38. Consider $f: R_+ [4, \infty]$ is given by $f(x) = x^2 + 4$. Show that f is invertible with the inverses f^{-1} of f given by $f^{-1}(y) = \sqrt{y - 4}$, where R_+ , is the set of all non-negative real numbers.



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39. Test whether the relations are reflexive, symmetric or transitive on the sets specified.

$R = \{(m, n) : m - n \geq 7\}$ on Z .



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40. Find the number of equivalence, relations on $X = \{1, 2, 3\}$,



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41. Let $A = \{1, 2, 3\}$. Then, show that the number of relations containing $(1, 2)$ and $(2, 3)$ which are reflexive and transitive but not symmetric is three.



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42. Let R be a relation on the set A of ordered pairs of positive integers defined by $(x, y) R (u, v)$, if and only if $xv = yu$. Show that R is an equivalence relation.



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43. Show that $f: \mathbb{N} \rightarrow \mathbb{N}$, given by

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} x + 1, & \text{if } x \text{ is odd} \\ x - 1, & \text{if } x \text{ is even} \end{cases}$$

is bijective (both one-one and onto).





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44. Prove that $f: X \rightarrow Y$ is injective iff for all subsets A, B of X , $f(A \cap B) = f(A) \cap f(B)$.



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45. Congruence modulo 3 relation partitions the set Z into how many equivalence classes ?



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46. Let R be the relation on the set \mathbb{R} of real numbers such that aRb iff $a-b$ is an integer. Test whether R is an equivalence relation. If so find the equivalence class of 1 and $\frac{1}{2}$ wrt. This equivalence relation.



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47. Construct the composition table/multiplication table for the binary operation $*$ defined on $\{0,1,2,3,4\}$ by

$a * b = a \times b \pmod{5}$. Find the identity element if any. Also find the inverse elements of 2 and 4.



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