

### CSI 30, Homework 5 on section 2.3

Due by Wed, Mar 15.

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Please use lots of space and explain your answers, showing clearly any work you had to do. Each question is worth 3 points for a total of 18.

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(1) Let  $A = \{5, 7\}$  and  $B = \{0, 1, 2, 3, 4\}$ . Suppose  $f(5) = 3$  and  $f(7) = 2$ .

- (a) Is  $f$  a function from  $A$  to  $B$ ? Explain.
- (b) What is the range of  $f$ ? Write your answer in the correct set notation.

(2) Let  $g$  be the function that sends every word to its first letter. So

$$g(\text{dog}) = \text{d}$$

for example. The domain of  $g$  is the set of English words and its codomain is the set of 26 letters.

- (a) Is  $g$  onto? Explain.
- (b) Is  $g$  one-to-one? Explain.

(3) Let  $S = \{1, 2, 3\}$  and  $T = \{4, 5, 6\}$ . Suppose  $f : S \rightarrow T$  is defined by  $f(x) = 7 - x$ .

- (a) What is  $f(1)$ ?
- (b) Draw the picture of  $f$ , as we did in class, showing the domain, codomain and connecting arrows.
- (c) Explain why  $f$  is a one-to-one correspondence.
- (d) Then  $f$  has an inverse. Find  $f^{-1}(5)$ .

(4) Let  $p : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  be given by the formula  $p(x) = 4x - 3$ .

- (a) Find:  $p(0)$
- (b) Find:  $p(-5)$
- (c) Find a number  $x$  so that:  $p(x) = 2$

(5) Let  $f : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  be given by  $f(x) = 3x + 5$  and let  $g : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  be given by  $g(x) = 4 - x$ . Answer these questions involving composition of functions.

- (a) Show that  $(f \circ g)(1) = 14$   
(Hint: First find  $g(1)$  then find  $f$  of that number. Recall  $(f \circ g)(x)$  means  $f(g(x))$ .)
- (b) Find:  $(g \circ f)(1)$
- (c) Find:  $(f \circ f)(0)$
- (d) Find a formula for:  $(f \circ f)(x)$

(6) The floor function  $\lfloor x \rfloor$  is a useful function from  $\mathbb{R}$  to  $\mathbb{Z}$  that sends a real number  $x$  to the closest integer that is less than or equal to  $x$ . The ceiling function  $\lceil x \rceil$  is a similar function from  $\mathbb{R}$  to  $\mathbb{Z}$  that sends  $x$  to the closest integer that is greater than or equal to  $x$ . Compute

(a)  $\lfloor 17.6 \rfloor$

(b)  $\lceil 19 \rceil$

(c)  $\lfloor -8.93 \rfloor$

(d)  $\lceil -3/4 \rceil$

(The answers to parts (a), (b), (c) and (d) must be integers.)

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If you get stuck on a question or aren't sure if you understand it:

- Go over the relevant class notes and section in the textbook.
- Check if you get the right answer for a similar odd-numbered question in the textbook (answers at the back of the book).
- Ask me about it after class.
- Come to my office hours: Tue 3 - 4, Wed 3 - 4 in CP 317.
- Go to the Math Tutorial Lab in-person in CP 303 or online.