

Homework 10: Due Friday, April 7

Problem 1: Let $f: X \rightarrow Y$ be a function. Show that if $A, B \subseteq X$, then $F(A \cap B) \subseteq F(A) \cap F(B)$.

Problem 2: Determine whether each of the following functions is injective, surjective, both, or neither. In all cases, give a proof of your claim.

a. $f: \mathbb{Z} \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}$ defined by $f(a) = a + 5$.

b. $f: \mathbb{N} \times \mathbb{N} \rightarrow \mathbb{N}$ defined by $f((a, b)) = a^2 + b^2$.

Problem 3: Recall that \mathbb{Q} is the set of rational numbers, i.e. those numbers that can be written as fractions $\frac{a}{b}$ where $a, b \in \mathbb{Z}$ and $b \neq 0$. Show that the function $f: \mathbb{Q} \rightarrow \mathbb{Q}$ given by $f(x) = 7x - 2$ is bijective.

Problem 4: Let X , Y , and Z be sets. Let $f: X \rightarrow Y$ and $g: Y \rightarrow Z$ be functions. Show that if both f and g are surjective, then $g \circ f$ is surjective.

Problem 5: Let $f: X \rightarrow Y$ be an injective function. Show that if $A, B \subseteq X$, then $F(A - B) \subseteq F(A) - F(B)$.