

# Test 2 Review

2.3 #14. Determine if  $f: \mathbb{Z} \times \mathbb{Z} \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}$  is onto for

(d)  $f(m,n) = |m| - |n|$

(e)  $f(m,n) = m^2 - 4$

We claim  $f(m,n) = |m| - |n|$  is onto. Take  $a \in \mathbb{Z}$  arbitrary. If  $a \geq 0$  consider  $(a,0) \in \mathbb{Z} \times \mathbb{Z}$ , then  $f(a,0) = a$ . If  $a < 0$  consider  $(0,a) \in \mathbb{Z} \times \mathbb{Z}$ , then  $f(0,a) = a$ . Therefore  $f(m,n) = |m| - |n|$  is onto.

We claim  $f(m,n) = m^2 - 4$  is not onto. To see this take  $-5 \in \mathbb{Z}$ . Since  $m^2 \geq 0$  for any  $m \in \mathbb{Z}$  we see that  $f(m,n) = m^2 - 4 \geq -4$  for any  $(m,n) \in \mathbb{Z} \times \mathbb{Z}$ . Therefore  $f(m,n) \neq -5$  for any  $(m,n) \in \mathbb{Z} \times \mathbb{Z}$  and  $f(m,n) = m^2 - 4$  is not onto.

2.4 #17 (f) ← similar but different  
Find the solution to  $a_n = 3a_{n-1} - 1$   
for  $n > 0$  and  $a_0 = 1$

$a_0 = 1$	$1 + 1 = 2$	$a_0 = 1$
$a_1 = 3 - 1 = 2$	$2 + 3 = 5$	$a_1 = 1 + 1$
$a_2 = 6 - 1 = 5$	$5 + 9 = 14$	$a_2 = 1 + 1 + 3$
$a_3 = 15 - 1 = 14$	$14 + 27 = 41$	$a_3 = 1 + 1 + 3 + 9$
$a_4 = 42 - 1 = 41$		
$a_5 = 123 - 1 = 122$		

$$a_n = a_{n-1} + 3^{n-1}$$

$$a_n = 3a_{n-1} - 1$$

$$D_n = 1 + \sum_{j=0}^{n-1} 3^j$$



$$a_n = 1 + \sum_{j=0}^{n-1} 3^j$$

$$a_{n+1} = 3a_n + 1 = 3\left(1 + \sum_{j=0}^{n-1} 3^j\right) + 1$$

$$= 3 + 3 \sum_{j=0}^{n-1} 3^j + 1$$

$$= 3 + \sum_{j=0}^{n-1} 3^{j+1} + 1$$

$$= 3 + \sum_{j=1}^n 3^j - 1$$

$$= 1 + 1 + \sum_{j=1}^n 3^j$$

$$= 1 + \sum_{j=0}^n 3^j$$

$$a_n = 1 + \sum_{j=0}^{n-1} 3^j = 1 + \frac{3^n - 1}{2}$$

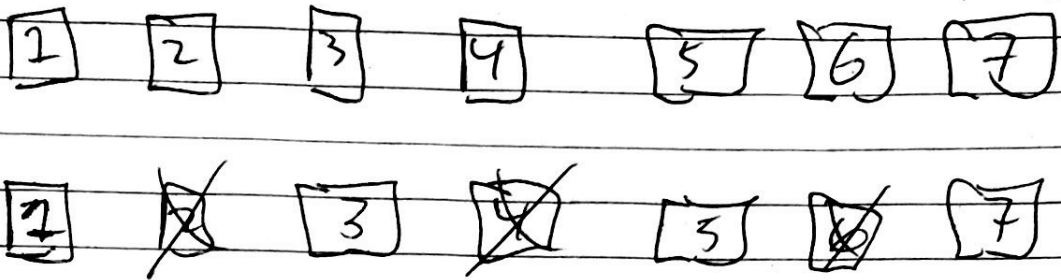
$$a_0 = 1$$

$$a_1 = 2$$

$$a_2 = 5$$

$$a_3 = 14$$

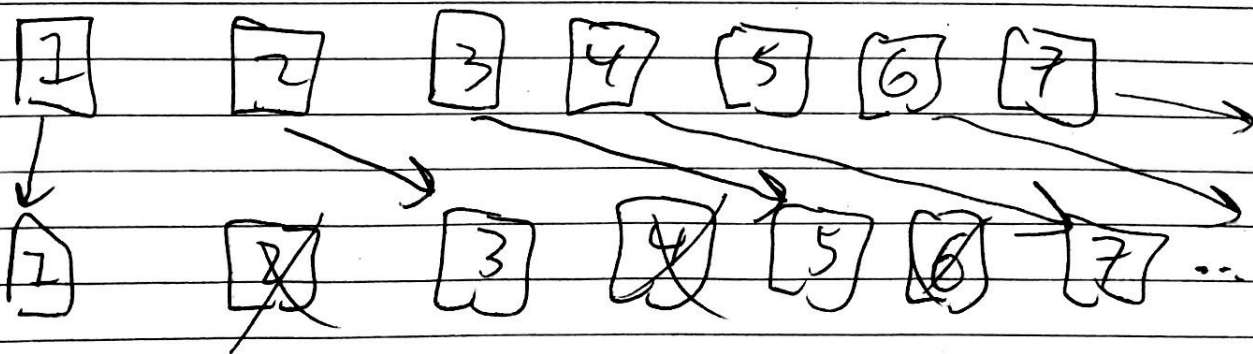
2.5 #14 Suppose that Hilbert's Grand Hotel is fully occupied but all even numbered rooms are closed for maintenance. Show that all guests can remain in the hotel



Need an injective function

$$f: \mathbb{N}^+ \longrightarrow \{2k-1 : k \in \mathbb{N}^+\}$$

Let  $f(n) = 2n-1$  for each  $n \in \mathbb{N}^+$ . That is send ~~each~~ the guest in room  $n$  to room  $2n-1$ .



**#3.2 #11** Show that  $3x^4+1$  is  $O(x^{4/2})$   
and that  $x^{4/2}$  is  $O(3x^4+1)$

Follow from a theorem, but we want to do it by definition for fun/practice.

$$3x^4+1 \leq 3x^4+x^4 = 4x^4 = 8(x^{4/2})$$

Whenever  $x \geq 1$ . Also for  $x \geq 1$  all expressions are nonnegative so we can add absolute value

$$|3x^4+1| \leq 8|x^{4/2}| \quad \forall x \geq 1$$

So  $3x^4+1$  is  $O(x^{4/2})$

Now for the other way

$$x^{4/2} \leq 3x^4 < 3x^4+1 \quad \text{for any } x > 0$$

Again all expressions are nonnegative so

$$|x^{4/2}| \leq 1 \cdot |3x^4+1| \quad \forall x > 0$$

and  $x^{4/2}$  is  $O(3x^4+1)$



5-1 #10

Find a formula for  $\sum_{k=1}^n \frac{1}{k(k+1)}$  and prove it  $n \geq 1$

$$\sum_{k=1}^1 \frac{1}{k(k+1)} = \frac{1}{2}, \quad \sum_{k=1}^2 \frac{1}{k(k+1)} = \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{6} = \frac{4}{6} = \frac{2}{3}$$

$$\sum_{k=1}^3 \frac{1}{k(k+1)} = \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{6} + \frac{1}{12} = \frac{3}{4}$$

conjecture:  $\sum_{k=1}^n \frac{1}{k(k+1)} = \frac{n}{n+1}$

Proof by induction

Base case:  $\sum_{k=1}^1 \frac{1}{k(k+1)} = \frac{1}{2}$

Inductive step: Assume  $\sum_{k=1}^n \frac{1}{k(k+1)} = \frac{n}{n+1}$ , then

$$\sum_{k=1}^{n+1} \frac{1}{k(k+1)} = \sum_{k=1}^n \frac{1}{k(k+1)} + \frac{1}{(n+1)(n+2)}$$

$$= \frac{n}{n+1} + \frac{1}{(n+1)(n+2)}$$

$$= \frac{n(n+2) + 1}{(n+1)(n+2)} = \frac{n^2 + 2n + 1}{(n+1)(n+2)}$$

$$= \frac{(n+1)^2}{(n+1)(n+2)}$$

$$= \frac{n+1}{n+2}$$

5.2 # 6

Show using 3-cent and 10-cent stamp any amount of 18 cents or greater can be made

$$\begin{array}{l} 18 = 6 \cdot 3 \\ 19 = 2 \cdot 3 + 10 \\ 20 = 2 \cdot 10 \end{array} \left. \vphantom{\begin{array}{l} 18 \\ 19 \\ 20 \end{array}} \right\} \begin{array}{l} \text{Base} \\ \text{cases.} \end{array}$$

So we can make 18 cents, 19 cents, and 20 cents.  
Now assume we can make  $k$  cents for all  $18 \leq k \leq n$  for some  $n > 20$ .

Consider  $n+1$  cents. Since  $n > 20$  we know that  $(n+1)-3 = n-2 > 18$  also  $n-2 < n$ . So by strong induct we can make  $n-2$  cent. Adding a 3 cent stamp we have now made  $n$  cents. The result follows by strong induction.