

Problem 0. Read the handouts: List of Writing Guidelines and Writing Guidelines.
You can think of these guidelines, which you must follow, as a rubric for your proof writing.
HW 1's LaTeX file should be helpful with LaTeX. Recall the course homepage has [LaTeX](#) help.
For HW problems, you may use, without proving, any previous HW problem (or problem part).
In proofs on homework (and exams), you may use LTGBG (for *Let the givens be given*, as we do in class).

Problem 4. Variant of Exercise 1.1.3.

§1.1
BS4p10

Let S and T be sets of a universal set X .

- (1) Prove that $S \subseteq T$ if and only if $S \cap T = S$.
- (2) Prove that $S \subseteq T$ if and only if $S \cap T^C = \emptyset$. (Here, $T^C = X \setminus T$.)

Proof. LTGBG. continue with your proof ... then end the proof with □

Problem 5. Variant of Exercise 1.1.7.

§1.1
BS4p 11

Consider the subsets of \mathbb{R} defined by, for each natural number n ,

$$A_n = \{k \in \mathbb{N} : k \geq n\}.$$

Find the followings sets. No justification needed. Just type solutions directing into the statement of problem.

HINT: Draw a pictorial representation for A_1, A_2, A_3, A_{17} and then for an arbitrary A_n .

HINT: Some LaTeX help; your solutions can look like:

$$\emptyset, \mathbb{N}, \mathbb{R}, \{n \in \mathbb{R} : n \leq 17\}, \{1, 2, 3, \dots, 17\}.$$

(1).

$$\bigcap_{i=1}^5 A_i = \text{cut this out and put your solution to (1) here}$$

(2).

$$\mathbb{N} \setminus \left(\bigcap_{i=1}^5 A_i \right) =$$

(3).

$$\bigcup_{i=1}^5 A_i =$$

(4).

$$\bigcap_{i \in \mathbb{N}} A_i =$$

(5).

$$\bigcup_{i \in \mathbb{N}} A_i =$$

Problem 6. Variant of Exercise 1.1.7.

§1.1
BS4p 11

As in class, let $\mathbb{R}^{>0}$ be the strictly positive real numbers $\langle \text{so } \mathbb{R}^{>0} = \{x \in \mathbb{R}: x > 0\} \rangle$.

For each $r \in \mathbb{R}^{>0}$, define T_r to be the closed interval $[-r^2, r^2]$ of \mathbb{R} , i.e.,

$$T_r = \{x \in \mathbb{R}: -r^2 \leq x \leq r^2\}. \quad (1)$$

Find the following sets. No justification needed.

HINT: Draw a pictorial representation for $T_{\frac{1}{3}}, T_{\frac{1}{2}}, T_1, T_2, T_3$, and then for an arbitrary T_r .

REMARK: Just type solutions directing into the statement of problem.

Let the index set be $I = \{m \in \mathbb{N}: 1 \leq m \leq 6\}$.

(0). $\langle \text{sample done for you} \rangle$

$$\bigcap_{i \in I} T_i = [-1, 1]$$

(1).

$$\bigcup_{i \in I} T_i =$$

The index set is \mathbb{N}

(2).

$$\bigcap_{i \in \mathbb{N}} T_i =$$

(3).

$$\bigcup_{i \in \mathbb{N}} T_i =$$

The index set is $\mathbb{R}^{>0}$

(4).

$$\bigcap_{i \in \mathbb{R}^{>0}} T_i =$$

(5).

$$\bigcup_{i \in \mathbb{R}^{>0}} T_i =$$

Problem 7. Variant of Exercise 1.1.21.

§1.1
BS4p11

Let $f: X \rightarrow Y$ and $g: Y \rightarrow Z$ be bijective functions.

Prove the composite function $g \circ f$ is bijective.

HINT: Note $g \circ f: X \rightarrow Z$; think of as $(g \circ f): X \xrightarrow{f} Y \xrightarrow{g} Z$.

Problem 8. Variant of Exercise 1.1.22.

§1.1
BS4p11

Let $f: X \rightarrow Y$ and $g: Y \rightarrow Z$ be functions such that the composite function $g \circ f$ is injective.

- (1) Prove that f is injective.
- (2) Need g be injective? Either proof or give a counterexample. (See below remark.)

REMARK: If g need not be injective, then give an example of an $f: X \rightarrow Y$ and $g: Y \rightarrow Z$ such that $g \circ f$ is injective but g is not injective. Similar to the way we thought of functions in the class lecture on the *Function and Sets* handout, try taking X , Y , and Z to be finite sets (e.g., $X = \{x_1, x_2\}$ or $X = \{x_1, x_2, x_3\}$) and say how the functions f and g are defined (e.g., $f(x_1) = y_1$).

Problem 9. Variant of Exercise 1.1.22.

§1.1
BS4p11

Let $f: X \rightarrow Y$ and $g: Y \rightarrow Z$ be functions such that the composite function $g \circ f$ is surjective.

- (1) Prove that g is surjective.
- (2) Need f be surjective? Either proof or give a counterexample. (See below remark.)

REMARK: If f need not be surjective, then give an example of an $f: X \rightarrow Y$ and $g: Y \rightarrow Z$ such that $g \circ f$ is surjective but f is not surjective. Similar to the way we thought of functions in the class lecture on the *Function and Sets* handout, try taking X , Y , and Z to be finite sets (e.g., $X = \{x_1, x_2\}$ or $X = \{x_1, x_2, x_3\}$) and say how the functions f and g are defined (e.g., $f(x_1) = y_1$).

Problem 10. Variant of Exercise 1.1.23.

§1.1
BS4p11

Let $f: X \rightarrow Y$ and $g: Y \rightarrow Z$ be functions. Let C be a subset of Z . Prove that

$$(g \circ f)^{-1}[C] = f^{-1}[g^{-1}[C]].$$

HINT: By definition of the preimage of the set C under the function $g \circ f$, what does it mean for $z \in (g \circ f)^{-1}[C]$? By definition of the preimage of the set $g^{-1}[C]$ under the function f , what does it mean for $z \in f^{-1}[g^{-1}[C]]$?