

Relation and Function

CHAPTER - 1

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The topics and subtopics covered in relations and Functions for class 12 are:

- Cartesian product of sets
- Relation
- Types of Relations
- Types of Functions
- Composition of functions and invertible functions
- Binary operations

Cartesian product of sets

Let A and B be two non empty sets. The set of all ordered pairs (a, b) such that $a \in A$ and $b \in B$ is called the cartesian product of set A with set B and is denoted by $A \times B$.

Thus, $A \times B = \{(a, b) : a \in A \text{ and } b \in B\}$.

Note

$$B \times A = \{(b, a) : b \in B \text{ and } a \in A\}$$

Example

If $A = \{1, 2, 3\}$ and $B = \{x, y\}$ then, $A \times B = \{(1, x), (1, y), (2, x), (2, y), (3, x), (3, y)\}$

Relation

- Mathematically, "a relation R from a set A to a set B is a subset of the cartesian product $A \times B$ obtained by describing a relationship between the first element x and the second element y of the ordered pairs in $A \times B$.

- **Representation :** If $(a, b) \in R$, then we write $a R b$ which is read as "a is related to b by the relation R"

If $(a, b) \notin R$ then we say "a is not related to b under R"

Note

If A and B are finite sets consisting of m and n elements respectively, then $A \times B$ has mn ordered pairs. therefore, total number of relation from A to B is 2^{mn} .

Example

Let A be the set of students of class XII of a school and B be the set of students of class XI of the same school. Then relation $R = \{(a, b) \in A \times B : a \text{ is brother of } b\}$

Domain : Let R be a relation from a set A to a set B. Then the set of all first components of the ordered pairs belonging to R is called the domain of R.

Thus , Domain of $R = \{ a : (a,b) \in R \}$

Example

If $A = \{ 1, 3, 5, 7 \}$, $B = \{ 2, 4, 6, 8, 10 \}$ and $R = \{(1,8), (3,6), (5,2), (1,4)\}$ is a relation from A to B, then domain = $\{ 1, 3, 5 \}$.

Range : Let be a relation from a set A to a set B. Then the set of all second components of ordered pairs belonging to R is called the range of R.

Thus , Range of $R = \{ b : (a,b) \in R \}$

Example

If $A = \{ 1, 3, 5, 7 \}$, $B = \{ 2, 4, 6, 8, 10 \}$ and $R = \{(1,8), (3,6), (5,2), (1,4)\}$ is a relation from A to B, then range of $R = \{ 2, 4, 6, 8 \}$.

RELATION ON A SET

Let A be a non empty set. Then a relation from A to itself i.e., a subset of $A \times A$ is called a relation on set A.

INVERSE OF A RELATION

Let A, B be two sets and let R be a relation from a set A to a set B. Then ,the inverse of R, denoted by $R^{-1} = \{ (b, a) : (a, b) \in R \}$

Clearly , $(a, b) \in R$ iff $(b, a) \in R^{-1}$

Example

Let $A = \{ 1, 2, 3 \}$, $B = \{ a, b, c, d \}$ be two sets and $R = \{(1,a), (1, c), (d,2), (c,2) \}$ is a relation from B to A.

Types of Relations

- A relation R from A to A is also stated as a relation on A, and it can be said that the relation in a set A is a subset of $A \times A$. Thus, the empty set \varnothing and $A \times A$ are two extreme relations. Below are the definitions of types of relations:

- **Identity Relation**

Identity relation is the one in which every elements related to itself only. i.e., Let A be a set. Then ,the relation $I_A = \{(a, a) : a \in A \}$ is called identity relation.

Example

Let A be a non empty set $\{1,2,3\}$ then $R = \{(1,1), (2,2), (3,3)\}$ is a identity relation.

- **Empty Relation**

If no element of A is related to any element of A, i.e. $R = \varnothing \subset A \times A$, then the relation R in a set A is called empty relation.

Example

Let A be the set of all students of a boys school. Then the relation $R = \{(a, b) : a \text{ is sister of } b\}$ is a empty relation.

- **Universal Relation**

If each element of A is related to every element of A, i.e. $R = A \times A$, then the relation R in set A is said to be universal relation.

Example

Let A be the set of all students of a boys school. Then the relation $R = \{(a, b) : \text{the difference between heights of a and b is less than 3 meters}\}$ is universal set.

- Both the empty relation and the universal relation are sometimes called trivial relations.
- A relation R in a set A is called-

Reflexive- if $(a, a) \in R$, for every $a \in A$

Example

Let $A = \{1, 2, 3\}$ and $R = \{(1, 1), (2, 2)\}$
Then, R is not reflexive since $3 \in A$ but $(3, 3) \notin R$.

Note

The identity relation on a non empty set A is always reflexive relation on A. However, a reflexive relation on A is not necessarily the identity relation on A.

Example

$R = \{(a, a), (b, b), (c, c), (a, b)\}$ is a reflexive relation on set $A = \{a, b, c\}$ but it is not the identity relation on A .

Symmetric- if $(a_1, a_2) \in R$ implies that $(a_2, a_1) \in R$, for all $a_1, a_2 \in A$

Example

Let $A = \{2, 3, 4\}$
 $R_1 = \{(2, 3), (3, 2)\}$
 $R_2 = \{(2, 3), (3, 2), (3, 4)\}$

Here R_1 is a symmetric relation on A but R_2 is not a symmetric relation on A because $(3, 4) \in R_2$ but $(4, 3) \notin R_2$.

Note

The identity and the universal relation on a non empty set are symmetric relations.

A reflexive relation on a set A is not necessarily symmetric.

Example

The relation $R = \{(1, 1), (2, 2), (3, 3), (1, 3)\}$ is reflexive relation on set $A = \{1, 2, 3\}$ but it is not symmetric.

Transitive- if $(a_1, a_2) \in R$ and $(a_2, a_3) \in R$ implies that $(a_1, a_3) \in R$ for all $a_1, a_2, a_3 \in A$.

Example

Let $A = \{1, 2, 3\}$
 $R = \{(1, 2), (2, 1), (1, 1)\}$
 $R_1 = \{(2, 2), (2, 3), (3, 2), (3, 3)\}$

Then, R is not transitive since $(2, 1) \in R, (1, 2) \in R$ but $(2, 2) \notin R$. R_1 is transitive.

$\therefore (2, 3) \in$

$R_1, (3, 2) \in R_1 \Rightarrow (2, 2) \in R_1$
 and $(3, 2) \in R_1, (2, 3) \in R_1 \Rightarrow (3, 3) \in R_1$.

Note

The identity and universal relations on a non empty set are transitive.

Equivalence Relation- A relation R in a set A is an equivalence relation if R is reflexive, symmetric and transitive.

Example

Show that the relation R is an equivalence relation in the set $A = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5\}$ given by the relation $R = \{(a, b) : |a-b| \text{ is even}\}$.

Solution: $R = \{(a, b) : |a-b| \text{ is even}\}$. Where a, b belongs to A

Note

An equivalence relation on R defined on a set A partitions the set A into pairwise disjoint subsets. These subsets are called equivalence classes determined by relation R .

The set of all elements of A related to an element $a \in A$ is denoted by $[a] = \{x \in A : (x, a) \in R\}$. This is an equivalence class.

The collection of all equivalence classes form a partition of set A .

Antisymmetric Relation : Let A any set. A relation R on set A is said to be an antisymmetric relation iff $(a, b) \in R$ and $(b, a) \in R \Rightarrow a = b$ for all $a, b \in A$.

Example

Let S be a non empty set and R be a relation on power set $P(S)$ defined by $(A, B) \in R$ iff A subset B for all $A, B \in P(S)$.

Then, R is an antisymmetric relation on $P(S)$, because $(A, B) \in R$ and $(B, A) \in R \Rightarrow A$ is a subset B and B is a subset $A \Rightarrow A = B$.

Note

The identity relation on a set A is an antisymmetric relation.

Reflexive Property

From the given relation,

$$|a - a| = |0| = 0$$

And 0 is always even.

Thus, $|a - a|$ is even

Therefore, (a, a) belongs to R

Hence R is Reflexive

Symmetric Property

From the given relation,

$$|a - b| = |b - a|$$

We know that $|a - b| = |-(b - a)| = |b - a|$

Hence $|a - b|$ is even,

Then $|b - a|$ is also even.

Therefore, if $(a, b) \in R$, then (b, a) belongs to R

Hence R is symmetric.

Transitive Property:

If $|a - b|$ is even, then $(a - b)$ is even.

Similarly, if $|b - c|$ is even, then $(b - c)$ is also even.

Sum of even number is also even

So, we can write it as $a - b + b - c$ is even

Then, $a - c$ is also even

So,

$|a - b|$ and $|b - c|$ is even, then $|a - c|$ is even.

Therefore, if $(a, b) \in R$ and $(b, c) \in R$, then (a, c) also belongs to R

Hence R is transitive.

SOME USEFUL RESULTS ON RELATIONS

Theorem: If R and A are two equivalence relations on a set A, then $R \cap S$ is also an equivalence relation on A.

Theorem: The union of two equivalence relations on a set is not necessarily an equivalence relation on the set.

Example

Let $A = \{a, b, c\}$ and let R and S be two relations on A, given by

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

It can be easily seen that each one of R and S is an equivalence relation on A. But $R \cup S$ is not transitive, because $(a, b) \in R \cup S$ and $(b, c) \in R \cup S$ but $(a, c) \notin R \cup S$.

Hence, $R \cup S$ is not an equivalence relation on A.

Theorem: If R is an equivalence relation on set A, then R^{-1} is also an equivalence relation on A.

Functions

Mathematically, "a relation f from a set A to a set B is said to be a function if every element of set A has one and only one image in set B".

In other words, Let A and B be two non - empty sets. A relation f from A to B i.e., a subset of $A \times B$ is called a function (or a mapping or a map) from A to B, if

(i) For each $a \in A$ there exist $b \in B$ such that $(a, b) \in f$.

(ii) $(a, b) \in f$ and $(a, c) \in f \Rightarrow b = c$.

Representation: If f is a function from a set A to a set B, then we write $f: A \rightarrow B$, which is read as f is a function from A to B or f maps A to B.

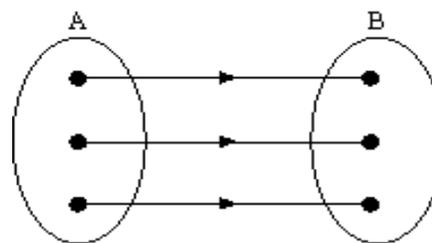
1. **Domain:** In function $F: A \rightarrow B$, the set A is called domain and the elements of A are called pre-images.

$$F: A \rightarrow B$$

Example

$f: \{1,2,3,4\} \rightarrow \{2,4,9,16\}$ defined by $f(x)=2x$. Domain of function = $\{1,2,3,4\}$

2. **Co-domain** In function $F: A \rightarrow B$, the set B is called co-domain and the element of B are called images.



Example

$f: \{1,2,3,4\} \rightarrow \{1,2,3,\dots,16\}$ defined by $f(x)=2x$. Co-domain = $\{1,2,3,\dots,16\}$ and range = $\{1,4,9,16\}$.

3. **Range :** The set of all f - images of A is known as the range of f or image set of A and is denoted by $f(A)$.

$$\text{Thus, } f(A) = \{f(x) : x \in A\} = \text{Range of } f.$$

Example

$f: \{1,2,3,4\} \rightarrow \{1,2,3,\dots,16\}$ defined by $f(x)=2x$, then range of $f = \{1,4,9,16\}$.

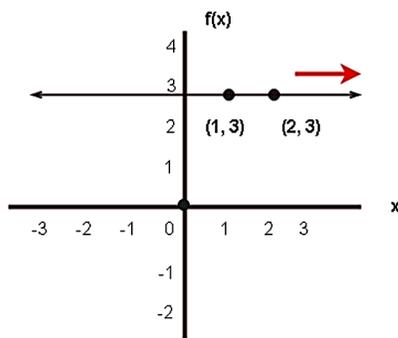
GRAPH OF A FUNCTION: The graph of a real function f consists of point whose coordinates (x, y) satisfy $y = f(x)$, for all $x \in \text{Domain}(f)$

vertical line test: A curve in a plane represents the graph of a real function iff no vertical line intersect it more than once.

constant function: If k is a fixed real number, then a function $f(x) = k$ is the set \mathbb{R} for all $x \in \mathbb{R}$ is called a constant function.

The domain of the constant function $f(x) = k$ is the set \mathbb{R} of all real numbers and range of f is the singleton set $\{k\}$.

The graph of a constant function $f(x) = k$ is a straight line parallel to x -axis which is above or below x -axis according as k is positive or negative. If $k = 0$, then the straight line is coincident to x -axis.

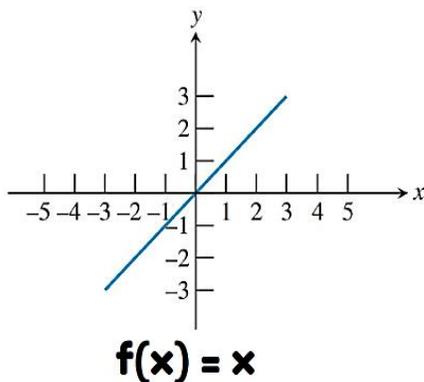


IDENTITY FUNCTION: The function that associates each real number to itself is called the identity function and is usually denoted by I .

Thus, the function $I : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ defined by $I(x) = x$ for all $x \in \mathbb{R}$ is called the identity function.

Domain = \mathbb{R} and Range = \mathbb{R} .

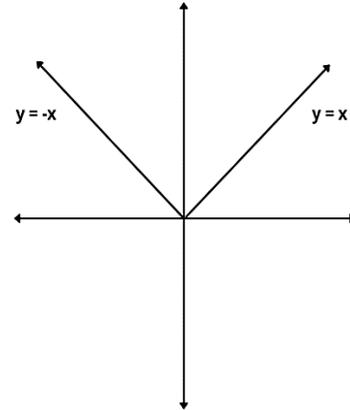
The graph of the identity function is a straight line passing through the origin and inclined at an angle of 45° with x -axis.



MODULUS FUNCTION: The function $f(x)$ defined by $f(x) = |x| = \begin{cases} x, & \text{when } x \geq 0 \\ -x, & \text{when } x < 0 \end{cases}$ is called the modulus function.

Domain = The set of all real numbers

Range = $\mathbb{R}^+ = \{x \in \mathbb{R} : x \geq 0\}$



Properties: (i) For any real number x , we have $\sqrt{x^2} = |x|$

(ii) If a, b are positive real numbers, then

$$x^2 \leq a^2 \text{ iff } |x| \leq a \text{ iff } -a \leq x \leq a$$

$$x^2 \geq a^2 \text{ iff } |x| \geq a \text{ iff } x \leq -a, x \geq a$$

$$x^2 < a^2 \text{ iff } |x| < a \text{ iff } -a < x < a$$

$$x^2 > a^2 \text{ iff } |x| > a \text{ iff } x < -a \text{ or } x > a$$

$$a^2 \leq x^2 \leq b^2 \text{ iff } a \leq |x| \leq b \text{ iff } x \in [-b, -a] \cup [a, b]$$

$$a^2 < x^2 < b^2 \text{ iff } a < |x| < b \text{ iff } x \in (-b, -a) \cup (a, b)$$

(iii) For real numbers x and y , we have

$$|x + y| = |x| + |y|, \text{ if } (x \geq 0 \text{ and } y \geq 0) \text{ or } (x < 0 \text{ and } y < 0)$$

$$|x - y| = |x| - |y|, \text{ if } (x \geq 0 \text{ and } |x| \geq |y|) \text{ or } (x < 0 \text{ and } y < 0)$$

$$|x \pm y| \leq |x| + |y|$$

$$|x \pm y| > ||x| - |y||$$

GREATEST INTEGER FUNCTION: For any real number x , we have use the symbol $[x]$ to denote the greatest integer less than or equal to x .

Example

$$[2.75] = 2$$

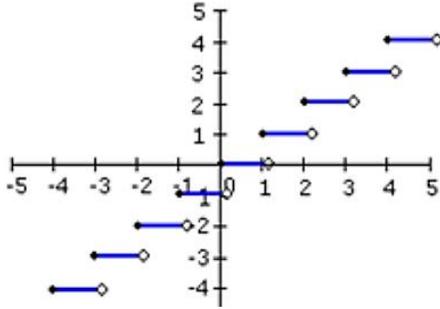
Note

It is also called a step function.

Domain = The set of real numbers

Range = the set of integers.

$$f(x) = [x]$$



Properties: If n is an integer and x is a real number between n and $n+1$, then

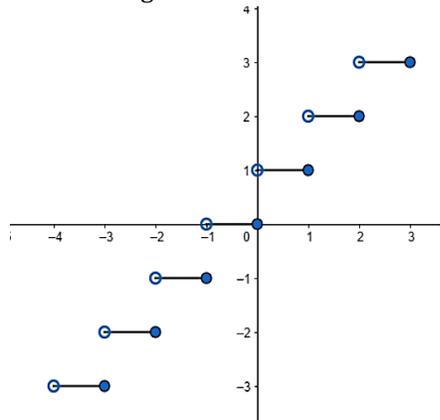
- (i) $[-n] = -[n]$
- (ii) $[x+k] = [x] + k$ for any integer k
- (iii) $[-x] = -[x] - 1$
- (iv) $[x] + [-x] = \begin{cases} -1, & \text{if } x \notin \mathbb{Z} \\ 0, & \text{if } x \in \mathbb{Z} \end{cases}$
- (v) $[x] - [-x] = \begin{cases} 2[x] + 1, & \text{if } x \notin \mathbb{Z} \\ 2[x], & \text{if } x \in \mathbb{Z} \end{cases}$
- (vi) $[x] \geq k \Rightarrow x > k$, where $k \in \mathbb{Z}$
- (vii) $[x] < k \Rightarrow x < k + 1$, where $k \in \mathbb{Z}$
- (viii) $[x] > k \Rightarrow x \geq k + 1$, where $k \in \mathbb{Z}$
- (ix) $[x] < k \Rightarrow x < k$, where $k \in \mathbb{Z}$
- (x) $[x+y] = [x] + [y+x-[x]]$ for all $x, y \in \mathbb{Z}$
- (xi) $[x] + [x + \frac{1}{n}] + [x + \frac{2}{n}] + \dots + [x + \frac{n-1}{n}] = [nx]$, $n \in \mathbb{Z}$

SMALLEST INTEGER FUNCTION : For any real number x , we use the symbol $[x]$ to denote the smallest integer greater than or equal to x .

Example

$$[4.7] = 5$$

The function $f: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ defined by $f(x) = [x]$ for all $x \in \mathbb{R}$ is called the smallest integer function.



Domain = Set of real numbers and Range = Set of integers.

Properties : (i) $[x] + [y] - 1 \leq [x+y] \leq [x] + [y]$

- (ii) $[x+a] = [x] + a$
- (iii) $[x] = a$; iff $x \leq a < x + 1$
- (iv) $[x] = a$; iff $x - 1 < a \leq x$
- (v) $a < [x]$ iff $a < x$
- (vi) $a \leq [x]$ iff $x < a$

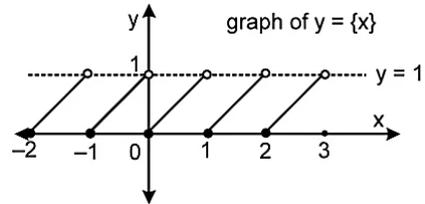
FRACTIONAL PART FUNCTION : $f(x)$ is denoted by $\{f(x)\}$, is read as fractional part of $f(x)$. Domain of Fractional Part function is same as Domain of function $f(x)$ And Outcome always lie in 0 to 1 i.e $0 \leq \{f(x)\} < 1$.

Fractional part function is denoted by $\{x\}$, is read as fractional part of x . Let $[x]$ be the greatest integer value of a real number x then fractional part of x is $\{x\} = x - [x]$.

Example

$$\{3.45\} = 0.45$$

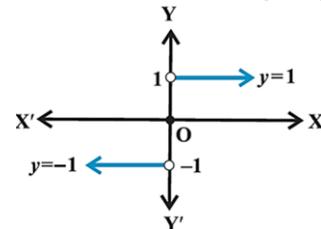
Domain = Set of real numbers, Range = $[0, 1)$.



SIGNUM FUNCTION: The signum function of a real number x is piecewise function which is defined as follows:

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} 1, & x > 0 \\ 0, & x = 0 \\ -1, & x < 0 \end{cases}$$

Domain = Set of real numbers and Range = $\{-1, 0, 1\}$



EXPONENTIAL FUNCTION : If a is a positive real number other than unity, then a function that associates each $x \in \mathbb{R}$ to a^x is called the exponential function.

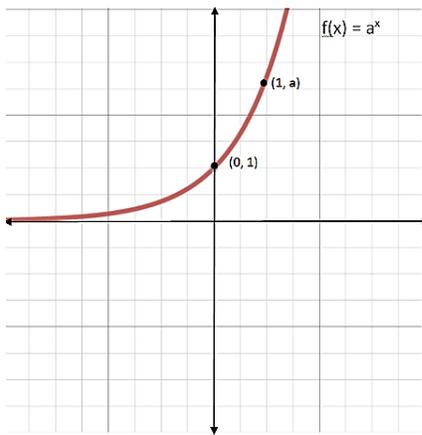
In other word, a function $f: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ defined by $f(x) = a^x$, where $a > 0$ and $a \neq 1$ is called the exponential function.

Domain = Set of real numbers, Range = $(0, \infty)$

Case 1. When $a > 1$

We observe that the value of $y = f(x) = a^x$ increase as the values of x increase.

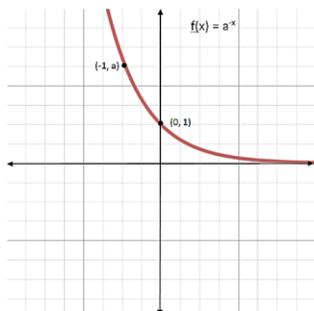
$$f(x) = a^x = \begin{cases} < 1, \text{ for } x < 0 \\ = 1, \text{ for } x = 0 \\ > 1, \text{ for } x > 0 \end{cases}$$



Case 2. When $0 < a < 1$

In this case, the values of $y = f(x) = a^x$ decrease with the increase in x and $y > 0$ for all $x \in \mathbb{R}$.

$$Y = f(x) = a^x = \begin{cases} > 1, \text{ for } x < 0 \\ = 1, \text{ for } x = 0 \\ < 1, \text{ for } x > 0 \end{cases}$$



LOGARITHMIC FUNCTION: If $a > 0$ and $a \neq 1$, then the function defined by $f(x) = \log_a x$, $x > 0$ is called the logarithmic function. i.e., $\log_a x = y$ iff $x = a^y$

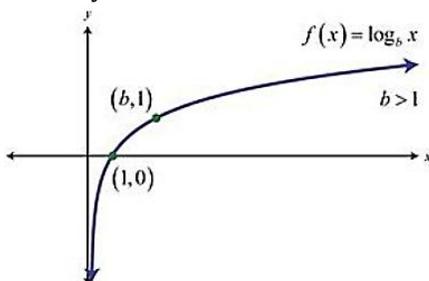
Domain = Set of all positive real numbers.

Range = Set of all real numbers.

Case 1. When $a > 1$

$$y = \log_a x = \begin{cases} < 0, \text{ for } 0 < x < 1 \\ = 0, \text{ for } x = 1 \\ > 0, \text{ for } x > 1 \end{cases}$$

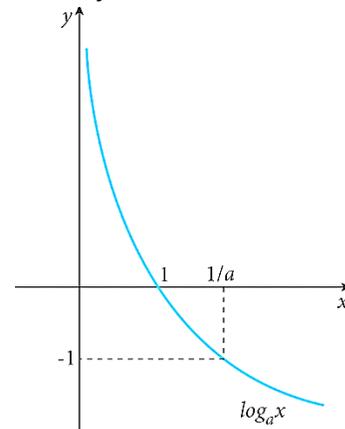
Also, the value of y increase with the increase in x .



Case 2. When $0 < a < 1$

$$y = \log_a x = \begin{cases} > 0, \text{ for } 0 < x < 1 \\ = 0, \text{ for } x = 1 \\ < 0, \text{ for } x > 1 \end{cases}$$

Also, the value of y decrease with the increase in x .



Remark

Function $f(x) = \log_a x$ and $g(x) = a^x$ are inverse of each other, So, their graph are mirror images of each other in the line mirror $y = x$.

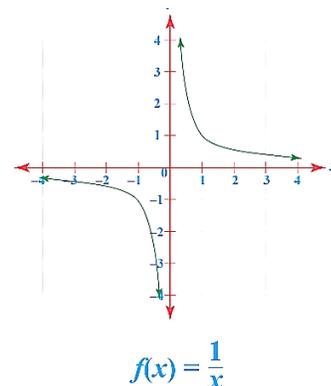
RECIPORCAL FUNCTION: The function that associates a real number x to its reciprocal $\frac{1}{x}$ is called the reciprocal function. Since $\frac{1}{x}$ is not defined for $x = 0$. So, we defined the reciprocal function as follows:

The function $f : \mathbb{R} - \{0\} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ defined by $f(x) = \frac{1}{x}$ is called the reciprocal function.

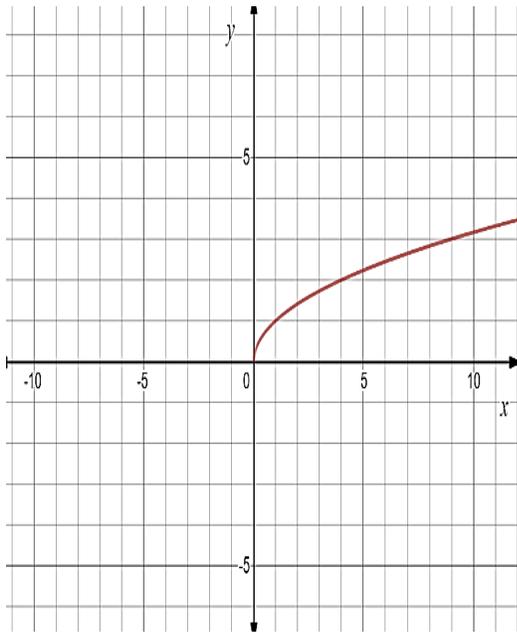
Domain = $\mathbb{R} - \{0\}$, Range = $\mathbb{R} - \{0\}$

Note

We observe that the sign of $\frac{1}{x}$ is same as that of x and $\frac{1}{x}$ decreases with the increase in x .



SQUARE ROOT FUNCTION: The function $f : R^+ \rightarrow R$ defined by $f(x) = \sqrt{x}$ is called the square root function.
 Domain = R^+ , Range = $[0, \infty)$



Types of Functions

One to one Function: A function $f : X \rightarrow Y$ is defined to be one-one (or injective), if the images of distinct elements of X under f are distinct, i.e., for every $x_1, x_2 \in X$, $f(x_1) = f(x_2)$ implies $x_1 = x_2$.

Algorithm

- Step 1:** Take two arbitrary elements x, y (say) in the domain of f :
- Step 2:** Put $f(x) = f(y)$
- Step 3:** Solve $f(x) = f(y)$. If it gives $x = y$ only, then $f : A \rightarrow B$ is a one-one function (or an injection). Otherwise not.

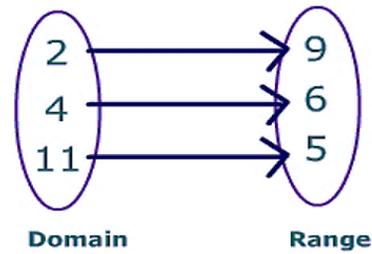
Note

Let $f : A \rightarrow B$ and let $x, y \in A$. Then, $x = y \Rightarrow f(x) = f(y)$ is always true from the definition. But $f(x) = f(y) \Rightarrow x = y$ is true only when f is one-one.
 If A and B are two sets having m and n elements respectively such that $m \leq n$, then total numbers of one-one functions from A to B is $n_{C_m} \times m!$

Example

The identity function $X \rightarrow X$ is always injective, if function $f : R \rightarrow R$, then $f(x) = 2x$ is injective, If function $f : R \rightarrow R$, then $f(x) = 2x+1$ is injective.

$\{ (2,9), (4, 6), (11, 5) \}$



- **Onto Function:** A function $f : X \rightarrow Y$ is said to be onto (or surjective), if every element of Y is the image of some element of X under f , i.e., for every $y \in Y$, there exists an element x in X such that $f(x) = y$.

Thus, $f : A \rightarrow B$ is a surjection iff for each $b \in B$, there exists a $a \in A$ such that $f(a) = b$.

Algorithm : Let $f : A \rightarrow B$ be the given function

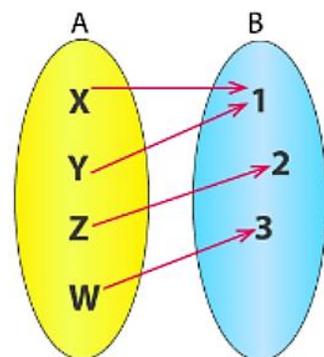
- Step 1** Choose an arbitrary element y in B
- Step 2** Put $f(x) = y$
- Step 3** Solve the equation $f(x) = y$ for x and obtain x in terms of y . Let $x = g(y)$
- Step 4** If for all values of $y \in B$, the values of x obtained from $x = g(y)$ are in A , then f is onto.

Example

Let $C = \{1, 2, 3\}$, $D = \{4, 5\}$ and let $g = \{(1, 4), (2, 5), (3, 5)\}$. Show that the function g is an onto function from C into D .

Solution: Domain = set $C = \{1, 2, 3\}$
 We can see that the element from C , 1 has an image 4, and both 2 and 3 have the same image 5. Thus, the Range of the function is $\{4, 5\}$ which is equal to D . So we conclude that $g : C \rightarrow D$ is an onto function.

Surjection

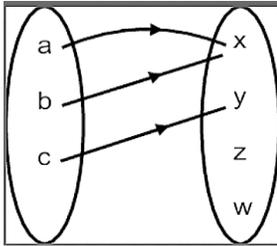


- **Many-one function:** If two or more elements of A have same image in B.

Thus, $f : A \rightarrow B$ is a many one function if there exist $x, y \in A$ such that $x \neq y$ but $f(x) = f(y)$

Example

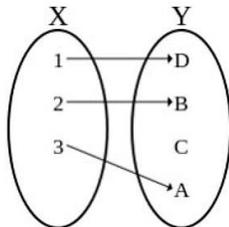
$f: \{a, b, c\} \rightarrow \{x, y, z, w\}$ defined by $f(a)=x$, $f(b)=x$ and $f(c)=y$



- **Into function:** If there exists at least one element in B which does not have a pre-image in A.

Example

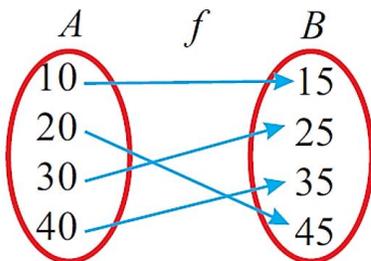
$f: \{1,2,3\} \rightarrow \{A,B,C,D\}$ defined by $f(1) = D$, $f(2) = B$ and $f(3) = A$



- **One-one and Onto Function:** A function $f: X \rightarrow Y$ is said to be one-one and onto (or bijective), if f is both one-one and onto.

Example

The function $f: \mathbf{R} \rightarrow \mathbf{R}, f(x) = 2x + 1$ is bijective, since for each y there is a unique $x = (y - 1)/2$ such that $f(x) = y$.



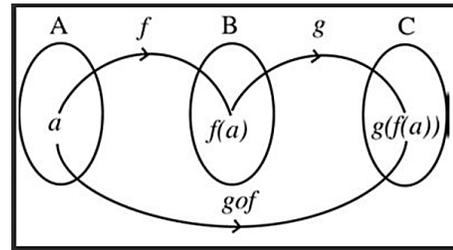
Remark

It follows from the above discussion that if A and B are two finite sets and $f : A \rightarrow B$ is a function, then

- (i) f is an injection $\Rightarrow n(A) \leq n(B)$
- (ii) f is a surjection $\Rightarrow n(B) \leq n(A)$
- (iii) f is a bijection $\Rightarrow n(A) = n(B)$

Composition of Functions

Let $f: A \rightarrow B$ and $g: B \rightarrow C$ be two functions. Then the composition of f and g , denoted by **gof**, is defined as the function $gof: A \rightarrow C$ given by; $(gof)(x) = g(f(x))$, for all $x \in A$.



Example

Given the functions $f(x) = x^2 + 6$ and $g(x) = 2x - 1$, find $(f \circ g)(x)$.

Solution: Substitute x with $2x - 1$ in the function $f(x) = x^2 + 6$.

$$(f \circ g)(x) = (2x - 1)^2 + 6 = (2x - 1)(2x - 1) + 6$$

PROPERTIES

Theorem 1: The composition of functions is not commutative i.e. $fog \neq gof$.

Theorem 2: The composition of functions is associative i.e., f, g, h are three functions such that $(fog)oh$ and $fo(goh)$ exist, then $(fog)oh = fo(goh)$

Theorem 3: The composition of two bijections i.e., if f and g are two bijection, then gof is also a bijection.

Theorem 4: Let $f: A \rightarrow B$. Then, $f \circ I_A = I_B \circ f = f$ i.e. the composition of any function with the identity function is the function itself.

Theorem 5: Let $f: A \rightarrow B, g: B \rightarrow A$ be two functions such that $gof = I_A$. Then f is an injection and g is a surjection.

Theorem 6: Let $f: A \rightarrow B$ and $g: B \rightarrow A$ be two function such that $fog = I_B$. Then, f is a surjection and g is an injection.

Theorem 7: Let $f: A \rightarrow B$ and $g: B \rightarrow C$ be two function, Then,
(i) $gof: A \rightarrow C$ is onto $\Rightarrow g: B \rightarrow C$ is onto

- (ii) $g \circ f : A \rightarrow C$ is one - one $\Rightarrow f : A \rightarrow B$ is one - one
- (iii) $g \circ f : A \rightarrow C$ is onto and $g : B \rightarrow C$ is one - one $\Rightarrow f : A \rightarrow B$ is onto
- (iv) $g \circ f : A \rightarrow C$ is one -one and $f : A \rightarrow B$ is onto $\Rightarrow g : B \rightarrow C$ is one -one.

INVERSE OF AN ELEMENT

Let A and B be two sets and let $f : A \rightarrow B$ be a mapping. If a $\in A$ is associated to $b \in B$ under the function f, then b is called the f image of a and we write it as $b = f(a)$.

We also say that a is the pre-image or inverse element of b under f and we write $a = f^{-1}(b)$

If $f : A \rightarrow B$ is a bijection, we can define a new function from B to A which associates each element $y \in B$ to its pre-image $f^{-1}(y) \in A$. Such a function is known as the inverse of function f and is denoted by f^{-1}

Algorithm: Let $A \rightarrow B$ be a bijection. To find the inverse of f we follow the following steps:

- Step 1** Put $f(x) = y$, where $y \in Y$ and $x \in A$
- Step 2** Solve $f(x) = y$ to obtain x in terms of y.
- Step 3** In the relation obtained in step 2 replace x by $f^{-1}(y)$ to obtain the required inverse of f.

Example

If $A = \{ 1, 2, 3, 4 \}$, $B = \{ 2, 4, 6, 8 \}$ and $f : A \rightarrow B$ is given by $f(x) = 2x$, then write f and f^{-1} as a set of ordered pairs.

Solution: $f(1) = 2, f(2) = 4, f(3) = 6$ and $f(4) = 8$

Therefore, $f = \{ (1, 2), (2, 4), (3, 6), (4, 8) \}$ which is clearly a bijection.

On interchanging the components of ordered pairs in f, we obtain $f^{-1} = \{ (2, 1), (4, 2), (6, 3), (8, 4) \}$

PROPERTIES

- Theorem 1:** The inverse of a bijection is unique.
- Theorem 2:** The inverse of a bijection is also a bijection
- Theorem 3:** If $f : A \rightarrow B$ is a bijection and $g : B \rightarrow A$ is the inverse of f, then $f \circ g = I_B$ and $g \circ f = I_A$, where I_A and I_B are the identity functions on the sets A and B respectively.
- Theorem 4:** If $f : A \rightarrow B$ and $g : B \rightarrow C$ are two bijection, then $g \circ f : A \rightarrow C$ is a bijection and $(g \circ f)^{-1} = f^{-1} \circ g^{-1}$

Theorem 5: Let $f : A \rightarrow B$ and $g : B \rightarrow A$ be two functions such that $g \circ f = I_A$ and $f \circ g = I_B$. Then f and g are bijections and $g = f^{-1}$

Theorem 6: Let $f : A \rightarrow B$ be an invertible function, then $(f^{-1})^{-1} = f$

INVERTIBLE FUNCTION

A function $f : X \rightarrow Y$ is defined to be invertible if there exists a function $g : Y \rightarrow X$ such that $g \circ f = I_X$ and $f \circ g = I_Y$. The function g is called the inverse of f and is denoted by f^{-1} .

Example

Find the inverse for the function $f(x) = (3x+2)/(x-1)$

Solution: First, replace $f(x)$ with y and the function becomes,

$$y = (3x+2)/(x-1)$$

By replacing x with y we get,

$$x = (3y+2)/(y-1)$$

Now, solve y in terms of x :

$$x(y - 1) = 3y + 2$$

$$\Rightarrow x.y - x = 3y + 2$$

$$\Rightarrow x.y - 3y = 2 + x$$

$$\Rightarrow y(x - 3) = 2 + x$$

$$\Rightarrow y = (2 + x) / (x - 3)$$

$$\text{So, } y = f^{-1}(x) = (x+2)/(x-3)$$

An important note is that, if f is invertible, then f must be one-one and onto and conversely if f is one-one and onto, then f must be invertible.

BINARY FUNCTION

A binary operation * on a set A is a function $* : A \times A \rightarrow A$. We denote * (a, b) by $a * b$

- **Closure Property:** A binary operation * on a non-empty set P has closure property, if $a \in P, b \in P \Rightarrow a * b \in P$.

Example

$2 + 3 = 5, 5 \in R, 6 + -9 = -3, -3 \in R$ This is true for all real numbers R

- **Associative Property:** The associative property of binary operations holds if, for a non-empty set S, we can write $(a * b) * c = a * (b * c)$, where $\{a, b, c\} \in S$. Suppose Z be the set of integers and multiplication be the binary operation.

Example

Let, $a = -3, b = 5$, and $c = -16$. We can write $(a \times b) \times c = 240 = a \times (b \times c)$. \therefore Please note that all binary operations are not associative, for example, subtraction denoted by '-'.

- **Commutative Property:** A binary operation $*$ on a non-empty set S is commutative, if $a * b = b * a$, for all $(a, b) \in S$. Suppose addition be the binary operation and N be the set of natural numbers.

Example

Let, $a = 4$ and $b = 5$, $a + b = 9 = b + a$, where a, b belongs to set of real numbers

- **Distributive Property:** Let $*$ and $\#$ be two binary operations defined on a non-empty set S . The binary operations are distributive if, $a * (b \# c) = (a * b) \# (a * c)$, for all $\{a, b, c\} \in S$. Suppose $*$ is the multiplication operation and $\#$ is the subtraction operation defined on Z (set of integers).

Example

Let, $a = 3$, $b = 4$, and $c = 7$. Then, $a * (b \# c) = a \times (b - c) = 3 \times (4 - 7) = -9$. And, $(a * b) \# (a * c) = (a \times b) - (a \times c) = (3 \times 4) - (3 \times 7) = 12 - 21 = -9$. Therefore, $a * (b \# c) = (a * b) \# (a * c)$, for all $\{a, b, c\} \in Z$.

- **Identity Element:** A non-empty set P with a binary operation $*$ is said to have an identity $e \in P$, if $e * a = a * e = a$, $\forall a \in P$. Here, e is the identity element.

Example

'0' is additive identity for addition binary operation.

- **Inverse Property:** A non-empty set P with a binary operation $*$ is said to have an inverse element, if $a * b = b * a = e$, $\forall \{a, b, e\} \in P$. Here, a is the inverse of b , b is the inverse of a and e is the identity element.

Example

'-a' is the additive inverse of 'a' under the addition binary operation. Where a belongs to the set real number

Example

Show that subtraction is not binary operation on N , where N is the set of natural number.

Solution: $- : N \times N \rightarrow N$, given by $(a, b) \rightarrow a - b$, is not binary operation, as the image of $(3, 5)$ under ' $-$ ' is $3 - 5 = -2$ not belongs to N .

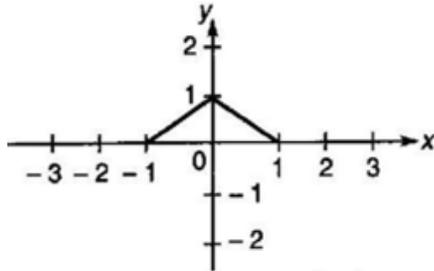
QUESTIONS

MCQ

- Q1.** Determine the binary operation on the set R $a*b=1$ for all $a, b \in R$.
 (a) $*$ is only commutative
 (b) $*$ is only associative
 (c) $*$ is both commutative and associative
 (d) None of these
- Q2.** If $f : R \rightarrow R; f(x) = x^2$ and $g: R \rightarrow R; g(x) = 2x + 1$, then $f \circ g$ is
 (a) $2x^2 + 1$
 (b) $(2x + 1)^2$
 (c) $4x^2 + 1$
 (d) None of these
- Q3.** If $f: R \rightarrow R$ is a bijection given by $f(x) = x^3 + 3$, then $f^{-1}(x)$ is:
 (a) $f^{-1}(x) = (x - 3)^{1/3}$
 (b) $f^{-1}(x) = (x - 3)^{-1/3}$
 (c) $f^{-1}(x) = (x + 3)^{1/3}$
- Q4.** Let A and B be sets. Then the function $f: A \times B \rightarrow B \times A$ such that $f(a, b) = (b, a)$ is:
 (a) One-one only
 (b) Onto only
 (c) Into only
 (d) Bijjective
- Q5.** Let $f: \{1,3,4\} \rightarrow \{1,2,5\}$ and $g: \{1,2,5\} \rightarrow \{1,3\}$ be given by $f = \{(1,2), (3,5), (4,1)\}$ and $g = \{(1,3), (2,3), (5,1)\}$. Then $g \circ f = ?$
 (a) $\{(1,3), (3,1), (4,3)\}$
 (b) $\{(1,3), (3,1), (3,3)\}$
 (c) $\{(1,3), (3,1), (4,3), (5,1)\}$
 (d) None
- Q6.** What is the minimum value of the expression $x^2 + 8x + 10$
 (a) -3
 (b) -6
 (c) 0
 (d) 2
- Q7.** What is the maximum value of expression $5 - 6x - x^2$
 (a) 10
 (b) 12
 (c) 14
 (d) 16
- Q8.** Which of the following functions have inverse
 $f: \{1,2,3,4\} \rightarrow \{10\}$ with $f = \{(1,10), (2,10), (3,10), (4,10)\}$
 $g: \{5,6,7,8\} \rightarrow \{1,2,3,4\}$ with $g = \{(5,4), (6,3), (7,4), (8,2)\}$
 $h: \{2,3,4,5\} \rightarrow \{7,9,11,13\}$ with $h = \{(2,7), (3,9), (4,11), (5,13)\}$
 (a) f, g but not h
 (b) g but not h and f
 (c) f but not h and g
 (d) h but not f and g
- Q9.** If $f: R \rightarrow R$, defined by $f(x) = x^2 + 1$, then the values of $f^{-1}(17)$ and $f^{-1}(-3)$ respectively are
 (a) Empty set, $\{4, -4\}$
 (b) $\{3, -3\}$, Empty set
 (c) Empty set, Empty set
 (d) $\{4, -4\}$, Empty set
- Q10.** If $f: Z \rightarrow Z, f(x) = x^2 + x$ for all $x \in Z$, then f is:
 (a) Many one
 (b) One - One
 (c) Onto
 (d) None of these
- Q11.** Let $A = \{1,2,3\}$. Then number of equivalence relations containing $(1,2)$ is
 (a) 1
 (b) 2
 (c) 3
 (d) 4
- Q12.** Let $A = \{1,2,3\}$. Then number of relations containing $(1,2)$ and $(1,3)$ which are reflexive and symmetric but not transitive is
 (a) 1
 (b) 2
 (c) 3
 (d) 4
- Q13.** Number of binary operations on the set $\{a, b\}$ are
 (a) 10
 (b) 16
 (c) 20
 (d) 8
- Q14.** Find the number of all onto functions from the set $\{1,2,3, \dots, n\}$ to itself.
 (a) $2^n - n$
 (b) 2^n
 (c) n
 (d) $2^n - 1$

- Q15.** If $f: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ is defined by $f(x) = x^2 - 3x + 2$, find $f(f(x))$
- (a) $x^4 - 6x^3 + 10x^2 - 3x + 1$
 (b) $x^4 - 6x^3 + 10x^2 + 3x - 1$
 (c) $x^4 - 6x^3 + 10x^2 - 3x$
 (d) $x^4 - 6x^3 + 10x^2 + 3x$

- Q16.** In the following graph for $x \in [-1, 1]$ $f(x)$ is defined by :



- (a) $|x| + 1$
 (b) $-|x| + 1$
 (c) $-|x + 1|$
 (d) $-|x| - 1$
- Q17.** Find the domain of the function, $f(x) = \frac{x^2+2x+3}{x^2-7x+10}$
- (a) $\mathbb{R} - \{2,5\}$
 (b) $\mathbb{R} - \{3,4\}$
 (c) $\mathbb{R} - \{4,5\}$
 (d) $\mathbb{R} - \{1,2\}$
- Q18.** What is the maximum possible value of xy , where $|x + 5| = 8$ and $y = 9 - |x - 4|$
- (a) 401
 (b) 124
 (c) 104
 (d) None
- Q19.** If A and B are finite sets such that $n(A)=m$ and $n(B)=k$, find the number of relations from A to B
- (a) 2^{mk}
 (b) mk
 (c) $2^{mk} - 1$
 (d) $mk + 1$
- Q20.** If $f(x) = x^3 - \frac{1}{x^3}$, then
- (a) $f(x) + f\left(\frac{1}{x}\right) = 1$
 (b) $f(x) + f\left(\frac{1}{x}\right) = 0$
 (c) $f(x) \cdot f\left(\frac{1}{x}\right) = 0$
 (d) $f(x) \cdot f\left(\frac{1}{x}\right) = 1$

- Q21.** Find the range of, $f(x) = |2x - 3| - 3$
- (a) $[3, \infty)$
 (b) $(2, \infty)$
 (c) $[-2, \infty)$
 (d) $[-3, \infty)$
- Q22.** If $f(x)$ is a one to one function, where $f(x) = x^2 - x + 1$, then find the inverse of the $f(x)$:
- (a) $\left(x - \frac{1}{2}\right)$
 (b) $\sqrt{x - \frac{3}{4}} + \frac{1}{2}$
 (c) $\sqrt{x - \frac{3}{4}} - \frac{1}{2}$
 (d) None of these
- Q23.** If $f(x)$ is a one to one function, where $f(x) = x^2 - x + 1$. Find the value of $f\left(\frac{3}{4}\right) + f^{-1}\left(\frac{3}{4}\right)$
- (a) $\frac{21}{16}$
 (b) $\frac{4}{5}$
 (c) $\frac{16}{5}$
 (d) None of these
- Q24.** If $f(x) = 5^x$, then $f^{-1}(x)$ is :
- (a) x^5
 (b) 5^{-x}
 (c) $\log_5 x$
 (d) None of these
- Q25.** Determine a quadratic function f defined by $f(x) = ax^2 + bx + c$ if $f(0) = 6$, $f(2) = 11$, and $f(-3) = 6$
- (a) $f(x) = \frac{1}{10}x^2 + \frac{23}{10}x + 6$
 (b) $f(x) = \frac{1}{10}x^2 - \frac{23}{10}x + 6$
 (c) $f(x) = \frac{1}{10}x^2 + \frac{23}{10}x - 6$
 (d) $f(x) = \frac{1}{10}x^2 - \frac{23}{10}x - 6$
- Q26.** Which of the following function is an even function
- (a) $f(x) = \frac{a^x+1}{a^x-1}$
 (b) $f(x) = \frac{a^x-a^{-x}}{a^x+a^{-x}}$
 (c) $f(x) = x \frac{a^x+1}{a^x-1}$
 (d) None of these
- Q27.** Find the domain and the range of the function $f(x) = \frac{x^2}{1+x^2}$.
- (a) Domain= \mathbb{R} Range= $[0,1)$
 (b) Domain= $\mathbb{R} - \{0\}$ Range= $[0,1)$
 (c) Domain= $\mathbb{R} - \{0,1\}$ Range= $(0,1)$
 (d) Domain= \mathbb{R} Range= $(0,1)$
- Q28.** Find domain of the function $f(x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{x+|x|}}$.
- (a) $(1, \infty)$
 (b) $[0, \infty)$
 (c) $(0, \infty)$
 (d) $[1, \infty)$
- Q29.** If $A = \{1,2,3\}$, then the relation $R = \{(1,2), (2,3), (1,3)\}$ in A is
- (a) transitive only
 (b) reflexive only
 (c) symmetric only
 (d) symmetric and transitive only
- Q30.** The domain of the relation $\{(x,y): y = |x - 1|, x \in \mathbb{Z}, \text{ and } |x| \leq 3\}$ is
- (a) $\{-3, -2, -1, 0, 1, 2, 3\}$
 (b) $\{4, 3, 2, 1, 0\}$
 (c) $\{16, 1, 2, 3, 4\}$
 (d) None of these

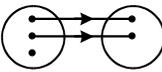
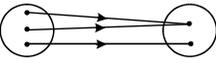
SUBJECTIVE QUESTIONS

- Q1.** Show that a relation R is defined on the set of positive integers N by $a R b$ if $a^b = b^a$ then R is an equivalence relation.
- Q2.** For a real number 'x' and 'y' if $x R y$ iff $x - y + \sqrt{2}$ is an irrational number, then what you say about relation R .
- Q3.** Let R be a relation on the set N of natural numbers defined by $R = \{ (x, y) : x + 2y = 8 \}$. What is domain of the R .
- Q4.** Show that a relation in the set of natural numbers N is defined as follows : $a < b$ if $a + x = b$ has a solution in N . Then the relation $<$ is only transitive.
- Q5.** Find R^{-1} if $R = \{ (a, b) : a = 2b \text{ for all } a, b \in N \}$

NUMERICAL TYPE QUESTIONS

- Q1.** If $A = \{ 1, 2, 3, 4 \}$ and $B = \{ 5, 6, 7 \}$, then number of relations from A to B is equal to _____.
- Q2.** Let $f(x) = \cos x + x$ and $g(x) = x^2$, $f \circ g(0)$ _____.
- Q3.** The domain of $f(x) = \sqrt{x+3}$ is $[a, \infty)$ then a _____.
- Q4.** Range of $g \circ f(x)$ where $f(x) = \sqrt{x}$, $g(x) = x^2 - 1$ is $[\alpha, \infty)$ then find the value of α _____.
- Q5.** Let $g : R \rightarrow R$ be a function such that $g(x) = 2x + 5$. Then, the value of $g^{-1}(5)$ _____.

TRUE AND FALSE

- Q1.**  pictorial diagrams represent the function.
- Q2.** A function whose domain and range are both subsets of real numbers is called a **real function**.
- Q3.**  many-one onto (surjective but not injective)
- Q4.** $f(x) = \cos x$ is an even function.
- Q5.** If $f(x)$ has a period T , then $f(ax + b)$ has a period $\frac{T}{|a|}$.

ASSERTION AND REASONING

- Q1. Assertion (A) :** $\{ x \in R | x^2 < 0 \}$ is not a set. Here, R is the set of real numbers.
Reason (R) : For every real number x , $x^2 \geq 0$
 (a) Both A and R are individually true but R is the correct explanation of A .
 (b) Both A and R are individually true but R is not the correct explanation of A .
 (c) A is true but R is false.
 (d) A is false but R is true.
- Q2. Assertion (A) :** If $A = \{ 1, 2, 3 \}$, $B = \{ 2, 4 \}$, then the number of relation from A to B is equal to 26
Reason (R) : The total number of relation from set A to set B is equal to $\{ 2^{n(A) \cdot n(B)} \}$
 (a) Both A and R are individually true but R is the correct explanation of A .
 (b) Both A and R are individually true but R is not the correct explanation of A .
 (c) A is true but R is false.
 (d) A is false but R is true.
- Q3. Assertion (A) :** If $A = \{ 1, 2, 3 \}$, then the relation R defined on A is $\{ (1, 1), (2, 2), (3, 3), (4, 4) \}$ is transitive.
Reason (R) : A relation R defined on A is transitive iff $aRb, bRc \Rightarrow cRa$ for all $a, b, c \in A$.
 (a) Both A and R are individually true but R is the correct explanation of A .
 (b) Both A and R are individually true but R is not the correct explanation of A .
 (c) A is true but R is false.
 (d) A is false but R is true.
- Q4. Assertion (A) :** $f(x) = \cos x$ is even function.
Reason (R) : If $f(-x) = -f(x)$, for all $x \in R$, then f is odd function.
 (a) Both A and R are individually true but R is the correct explanation of A .
 (b) Both A and R are individually true but R is not the correct explanation of A .
 (c) A is true but R is false.
 (d) A is false but R is true.
- Q5. Assertion (A) :** R is an equivalence relation.
Reason (R) : R is reflexive relation, R is symmetric relation and R is transitive relation.
 (a) Both A and R are individually true but R is the correct explanation of A .
 (b) Both A and R are individually true but R is not the correct explanation of A .
 (c) A is true but R is false.
 (d) A is false but R is true.

ASSERTION AND REASONING

Q1. **Assertion (a) :** The function $f : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ given by $f(x) = x^3$ is injective.

Reason (R) : The function $f : X \rightarrow Y$ is injective, if $f(x) = f(y) \Rightarrow x = y$ for all $x, y \in X$.

- (a) Both A and R are individually true but R is the correct explanation of A.
- (b) Both A and R are individually true but R is not the correct explanation of A.
- (c) A is true but R is false.
- (d) A is false but R is true.

Q2. Consider the function $f : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ defined as $f(x) = \frac{x}{x^2+1}$

Assertion (A) : $f(x)$ is not one-one.

Reason (R) : $f(x)$ is not onto.

- (a) Both A and R are individually true but R is the correct explanation of A.
- (b) Both A and R are individually true but R is not the correct explanation of A.
- (c) A is true but R is false.
- (d) A is false but R is true.

Q3. Let W be the set of words in the English dictionary. A relation R is defined on W as $R = \{(x,y) \in W \times W \text{ such that } x \text{ and } y \text{ have at least one letter in common}\}$

Assertion (A) : R is reflexive

Reason (R) : R is symmetric

- (a) Both A and R are individually true but R is the correct explanation of A.

- (b) Both A and R are individually true but R is not the correct explanation of A.
- (c) A is true but R is false.
- (d) A is false but R is true.

Q4. Consider the set $A = \{1, 3, 5\}$

Assertion (A) : The number of reflexive relations on set A is 2^9

Reason (R) : A relation is said to be reflexive if xRx , for all $x \in A$

- (a) Both A and R are individually true but R is the correct explanation of A.
- (b) Both A and R are individually true but R is not the correct explanation of A.
- (c) A is true but R is false.
- (d) A is false but R is true

Q5. Let R be any relation in the set A of human beings in a town at a particular time.

Assertion (A) : If $R = \{(x,y) : x \text{ is wife of } y\}$, then R is reflexive.

Reason (R) : If $R = \{(x,y) : x \text{ is father of } y\}$, then R is neither reflexive nor symmetric nor transitive.

- (a) Both A and R are individually true but R is the correct explanation of A.
- (b) Both A and R are individually true but R is not the correct explanation of A.
- (c) A is true but R is false.
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SOLUTIONS

MCQ

S1. (c) Clearly, by definition $a * b = b * a = 1$, for all $a, b \in R$. Also $(a * b) * c = (1 * c) = 1$ and $a * (b * c) = 1$ and $a * (b * c) = a * 1 = 1$, for all $a, b, c \in R$. Hence R is both associative and commutative.

S2. (b) $f \circ g(x) = f(g(x)) = f(2x + 1) = (2x + 1)^2$

S3. (a) Let $f(x) = y$
 $\Rightarrow x^3 + 3 = y$
 $\Rightarrow x = (y - 3)^{\frac{1}{3}}$
 $\Rightarrow f^{-1}(y) = (y - 3)^{\frac{1}{3}}$
 Thus $f^{-1}: R \rightarrow R$ is different as $f^{-1}(x) = (x - 3)^{\frac{1}{3}}$ for all $x \in R$.

S4. (d) Check for injectivity:
 Let (a_1, b_1) and $(a_2, b_2) \in A \times B$ such that
 $f(a_1, b_1) = f(a_2, b_2)$
 This implies, $(b_1, a_1) = (b_2, a_2)$
 $\Rightarrow b_1 = b_2$ and $a_1 = a_2$
 $(a_1, b_1) = (a_2, b_2)$ for all (a_1, b_1) and $(a_2, b_2) \in A \times B$
 Therefore, f is injective.
 Check for Subjectivity:
 Let (b, a) be any element of $B \times A$. Then $a \in A$ and $b \in B$
 This implies $(a, b) \in A \times B$
 For all $(b, a) \in B \times A$, there exists $(a, b) \in A \times B$
 Therefore, $f: A \times B \rightarrow B \times A$ is bijective function.

S5. (a) Given function, $f: \{1,3,4\} \rightarrow \{1,2,5\}$ and $g: \{1,2,5\} \rightarrow \{1,3\}$ be given by
 $f = \{(1,2), (3,5), (4,1)\}$ and $g = \{(1,3), (2,3), (5,1)\}$
 At $f(1) = 2$ and $g(2) = 3$, $g \circ f$ is
 $g \circ f(1) = g(f(1)) = g(2) = 3$
 At $f(3) = 5$ and $g(5) = 1$, $g \circ f$ is
 $g \circ f(3) = g(f(3)) = g(5) = 1$
 At $f(4) = 1$ and $g(1) = 3$, $g \circ f$ is
 $g \circ f(4) = g(f(4)) = g(1) = 3$
 Therefore, $g \circ f = \{(1,3), (3,1), (4,3)\}$

S6. (b) $x^2 + 8x + 10 = x^2 + 8x + 16 - 6 \Rightarrow (x + 4)^2 - 6$
 Now the smallest possible value of the above expression can be -6
 Since $(x + 4)^2$ can be minimum 0 , when $x = -4$

S7. (c) $5 - 6x - x^2 = 14 - (3 + x)^2$

Thus the expression can have maximum value 14 , when $x = -3$

S8. (d) $f: \{1,2,3,4\} \rightarrow \{10\}$ with $f = \{(1,10), (2,10), (3,10), (4,10)\}$
 f has many-one function like $f(1)=f(2)=f(3)=f(4)=10$, therefore f has no inverse.
 $g: \{5,6,7,8\} \rightarrow \{1,2,3,4\}$ with $g = \{(5,4), (6,3), (7,4), (8,2)\}$ g has many-one function like $g(5) = g(7) = 4$, therefore g has no inverse.
 $h: \{2,3,4,5\} \rightarrow \{7,9,11,13\}$ with $h = \{(2,7), (3,9), (4,11), (5,13)\}$
 All elements have different images under h . So h is one-one onto function, therefore, h has an inverse.

S9. (d) $y = x^2 + 1$
 $x^2 = y - 1$
 $x = \sqrt{y-1}$
 $f^{-1}(x) = \sqrt{x-1}$
 $f^{-1}(17) = \sqrt{17-1} = 4, -4$
 $f^{-1}(-3) = \sqrt{-3-1} = \sqrt{-4}$ which is not defined $= \phi$

S10. (a) Let $x, y \in Z$ (domain); then $f(x) = f(y) \Rightarrow x^2 + x = y^2 + y$
 $(x^2 - y^2) + (x - y) = 0 \Rightarrow (x - y)(x + y + 1) = 0 \Rightarrow x = y$ or $y = -x - 1$
 Since $f(x) = f(y)$ does not provide the unique solution $x = y$, but it also provides $y = -x - 1$. Putting $x = 1$, we get $y = 1$ and $y = -2$. Thus f provides 1 and -2 same image under f . Hence f is a many-one function

S11. (a) $A = \{1,2,3\}$
 For equivalence relation containing $(1,2)$
 For symmetric, it must consists $(1,2)$ and $(2,1)$.
 For transitivity, it must consists $(1,3)$ and $(3,2)$ and $(1,2), (2,1), (2,3), (3,1)$
 For reflexivity, it must consists $(1,1)$ and $(2,2), (3,3)$
 $\Rightarrow R = \{(1,1), (2,2), (2,3), (3,3), (1,2), (1,3), (2,1), (3,1), (3,1)\}$
 \Rightarrow Only 1 such relation is possible.

S12. (a) $A = \{1,2,3\}$
 Relation containing $(1,2)$ and $(1,3)$
 For symmetricity, $(1,2), (2,1), (1,3)$ and $(3,1)$ must be included.
 For reflexivity, $(1,1), (2,2), (3,3)$ must be included.
 For transitivity $(2,1), (1,3) \in R$ but $(2,3)$ not belongs to R .
 \Rightarrow Only one set is there $R = \{(1,1), (1,2), (1,3), (2,2), (2,1), (3,3), (3,1)\}$

S13. (b) $A = \{a, b\}$ and $A \times A = \{(a, a), (a, b), (b, b), (b, a)\}$
 Number of elements = 4
 So, number of subsets = $2^4 = 16$.

S14. (a) The number of onto functions that can be defined from a finite set A containing n elements onto a finite set B containing elements = $2^n - n$.

S15. (c) Given function:

$$\begin{aligned} f(f(x)) &= f(x)^2 - 3f(x) + 2 \\ &= (x^2 - 3x + 2)^2 - 3(x^2 - 3x + 2) + 2 \end{aligned}$$

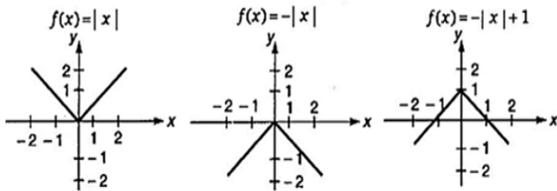
By using the formula $(a - b + c)^2 = a^2 + b^2 + c^2 - 2ab + 2ac - 2ab$, we get

$$\begin{aligned} &= (x^2)^2 + (-3x)^2 + 2^2 - 2x^2(3x) + 2x^2(2) - 2 \times 2 \times (3x) - 3(x^2 - 3x + 2) + 2 \\ &= x^4 + 9x^2 + 4 - 6x^3 - 12x + 4x^2 - 3x^2 - 9x - 6 + 2 \\ &= x^4 - 6x^3 + 9x^2 + 4x^2 - 3x^2 - 12x + 9x - 6 + 2 + 4 \end{aligned}$$

Simplifying the expression, we get,

$$f(f(x)) = x^4 - 6x^3 + 10x^2 - 3x$$

S16. (b)



S17. (a) The given function is $f(x) = \frac{x^2+2x+3}{x^2-5x+6}$
 Now, $x^2 - 7x + 10 = (x - 2)(x - 5)$
 Therefore, the given function can be written as

$$f(x) = \frac{x^2+2x+3}{(x-2)(x-5)}$$

 So, clearly for $x = 2, 5$, the function will be unbounded. Therefore, $f(x)$ exists for all real numbers except at $x = 2, 5$.
 Hence, the domain of the function $f(x)$ is $\mathbb{R} - \{2, 5\}$

S18. (c) $|x + 5| = 8$
 $\Rightarrow x = 3$ and $x = -13$
 and $9 - |x - 4| = y = f(x)$
 for $x = 3, y = f(x) = 8$
 and for $x = -13, y = f(x) = -8$
 Max. $(x \cdot y) = (-13) \times (-8) = 104$

S19. (a) It is provided that, the number of elements in the set A and B is $n(A)=m$ and $n(B) = k$ respectively.
 Therefore, the number of relations from the set A to set B is $2^{n(A)m(B)} = 2^{mk}$.

S20. (b) The given function is $f(x) = x^3 - \frac{1}{x^3}$. Replacing x by $\frac{1}{x}$ into the given function we obtain, $f\left(\frac{1}{x}\right) = \frac{1}{x^3} - x^3$
 Therefore, adding these two functions, we get

$$\begin{aligned} f(x) + f\left(\frac{1}{x}\right) &= x^3 - \frac{1}{x^3} + \frac{1}{x^3} - x^3 \\ &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

S21. (d) The given function is $f(x) = |2x - 3| - 3$.

There does not exist any value of x for which $f(x)$ is unbounded. So, domain of the function $f(x)$ is the set of all real numbers \mathbb{R} :
 Observe that, $f(x) \geq -3$, since $|2x - 3| \geq 0$.
 Therefore, the range of the function $f(x)$ is $[-3, \infty)$.

S22. (b) $y = x^2 - x + 1$
 $\Rightarrow y = x^2 - x + \frac{1}{4} + \frac{3}{4} \Rightarrow y = \left(x - \frac{1}{2}\right)^2 + \frac{3}{4}$
 $\Rightarrow y - \frac{3}{4} = \left(x - \frac{1}{2}\right)^2 \Rightarrow \left(x - \frac{1}{2}\right) = \sqrt{y - \frac{3}{4}}$
 $\Rightarrow x = \sqrt{y - \frac{3}{4}} + \frac{1}{2} \Rightarrow y = \sqrt{x - \frac{3}{4}} + \frac{1}{2}$

S23. (a) $f(x) + f^{-1}(x) = (x^2 - x + 1) + \sqrt{x - \frac{3}{4}} + \frac{1}{2}$
 $= \left(\frac{3}{4}\right)^2 - \frac{3}{4} + 1 + \sqrt{\frac{3}{4} - \frac{3}{4}} + \frac{1}{2}$
 $= \frac{9}{16} + \frac{1}{4} + \frac{1}{2} = \frac{9+4+8}{16} = \frac{21}{16}$
 Again $f(x) = x \frac{a^x + 1}{a^x - 1}$

$$f(-x) = (-x) \frac{a^{-x} + 1}{a^{-x} - 1} = (-x) \frac{(1 + a^x)}{1 - a^x}$$

 $= (-x) \frac{1 + a^x}{1 - a^x} = (-x) \frac{1 + a^x}{-(a^x - 1)} = x \frac{1 + a^x}{a^x - 1} = x \frac{a^x + 1}{a^x - 1}$
 $\therefore f(x) = f(-x)$

S24. (c) $y = 5^x \Rightarrow \log_5 y = x \Rightarrow f^{-1}(x) = \log_5 x$

S25. (a) The given quadratic function is $f(x) = ax^2 + bx + c$.
 Since, $f(0) = 6$, so
 $a(0)^2 + b(0) + c = 6$
 $\Rightarrow c = 6$
 Again, $f(2) = 11$

$$\Rightarrow a(2)^2 + b(2) + 6 = 11$$

$$\Rightarrow 4a + 2b + 6 = 11$$

$$\Rightarrow 4a + 2b = 5 \dots (i)$$

$$\text{Also, } f(-3) = 6$$

$$\Rightarrow a(-3)^2 + b(-3) + c = 0 \Rightarrow 9a - 3b = -6 \dots (ii)$$

Solving the equation (i) and (ii), we obtain

$$a = \frac{1}{10} \text{ and } b = \frac{23}{10}$$

Thus, the required quadratic function is $f(x) = \frac{1}{10}x^2 + \frac{23}{10}x + 6$

S26. (c) $f(x) = \frac{a^{x+1}}{a^{x-1}}$

$$\therefore f(-x) = \frac{a^{-x+1}}{a^{-x-1}} = \frac{1+a^x}{1-a^x}$$

$\Rightarrow f(x) \neq f(-x)$, hence $f(x)$ is not an even function

$$\text{Again } f(x) = \frac{a^x - a^{-x}}{a^x + a^{-x}}$$

$$\therefore f(-x) = \frac{a^{-x} - a^x}{a^{-x} + a^x}$$

Hence $f(x)$ is an even function.

S27. (a) The given function is $f(x) = \frac{x^2}{1+x^2}$. Observe that, $1+x^2 \neq 0$.

Therefore, the function is defined for all real numbers.

Thus, the domain of the function $f(x)$

is the set of all real numbers R .

Now, rewrite the given function in terms of x , taking $f(x)=y$.

$$y = \frac{x^2}{1+x^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow y + x^2y = x^2$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2(1-y) = y$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 = \frac{y}{1-y}$$

$$\Rightarrow x = \sqrt{\frac{y}{1-y}}, \text{ which is valid if } \frac{y}{1-y} \geq 0.$$

i.e., if $y(1-y) \geq 0$,

i.e., if $-y(y-1) \geq 0$,

i.e., if $y \geq 0$ and $y-1 < 0$, since y should not be 1.

i.e. if $0 \leq y < 1$.

Hence, the range of the function $f(x)$ is $[0,1)$.

28. (c) The given function is $f(x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{x+[x]}}$

Recall that, the greatest integer function $[x]$ is defined as

$$[x] = \begin{cases} 0, & \text{if } 0 \leq x < 1 \\ 1 & \text{if } 1 \leq x < 2 \\ 2, & \text{if } 2 \leq x < 3 \\ \dots, & \end{cases}$$

$$\text{Now, } x + [x] = \begin{cases} x + [x] > 0 & \text{for all } x > 0 \\ 0, & \text{for all } x = 0 \\ x + [x] < 0 & \text{for all } x < 0 \end{cases}$$

Therefore, the function $f(x)$

$$= \frac{1}{\sqrt{x+[x]}}$$

is defined for all real values of x such that $x + [x] > 0$

Thus, the domain of the function $f(x)$ is $(0, \infty)$.

S29. (a) A relation R on a non-empty set A is said to be transitive if xRy and $yRz \Rightarrow xRz$, for all $x \in R$. Here, $(1,2)$ and $(2,3)$ belongs to R implies that $(1,3)$ belongs to R .

S30. (a) $R = \{(-3, 4), (-2, 3), (-1, 2), (0, 1), (1, 0), (2, 1), (3, 2)\}$

Domain R Set of first entries of the ordered pairs in the relation R

$\{-3, -2, -1, 0, 1, 2, 3\}$

SUBJECTIVE QUESTIONS

S1. A relation R is defined on the set of positive N by a R b if $a^b = b^a$

Reflexive : Let any number (positive) $2 \in N$ such that $2 R 2$ if $2^2 = 2^2$ (correct)

Therefore , R is reflexive relation.

Symmetric : Let $a = 2$ and $b = 4 \in N$ such that $2 R 4 \Rightarrow 2^4 = 4^2 \dots(i)$

And $4 R 2 \Rightarrow 4^2 = 2^4 \dots(ii)$

From (i) and (ii) , we have $2 R 4 = 4 R 2$

Therefore , R is symmetric relation.

Transitivity : Let $a = 2$, $b = 4$ and $c = 2 \in N$ such that $2 R 4 \Rightarrow 2^4 = 4^2$ and $4 R 2 \Rightarrow 4^2 = 2^4$

$$\Rightarrow 2^4 = 2^4$$

Therefore , the relation R is reflexive , symmetric and transitive. Hence the relation is an equivalence relation.

S2. Given relation R is defined as $x R y$ iff $x - y + \sqrt{2}$ is an irrational number where $x, y \in R$.

For reflexive : $x R x \Rightarrow x - x + \sqrt{2} = \sqrt{2}$ which is an irrational number. Hence R is reflexive.

For symmetric : Let $x R y \Rightarrow x - y + \sqrt{2} \Rightarrow -y + x + \sqrt{2} \Rightarrow (-y) - (-x) + \sqrt{2} \Rightarrow y$ is not related to x

Hence R is not symmetric.

For transitive : Let $x, y, z \in R$ then $x R y$ and $y R z \Rightarrow x - y + \sqrt{2}$ and $y - z + \sqrt{2}$

Adding we get $x - y + \sqrt{2} + y - z + \sqrt{2} = x - z + 2\sqrt{2} \Rightarrow x$ is not related to z . Hence R is not transitive.

S3. Relation R is defined as $R = \{ (x, y) : x + 2y = 8 \}$
Domain = $\{ x : x, y \in N \text{ and satisfying } x + y + y = 8 \}$
For $x = 2, 4, 6$, y is a natural number .Hence domain of R in $\{ 2, 4, 6 \}$

S4. a is not related to a { since a is not less than itself }
Hence not reflexive

Symmetric : $1 + x = 2$

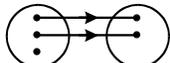
$x = 1$
 $2 + x = 1$
 $x = -1$
 Not symmetric
 Transitive : $(1, 2), (2, 3) \Rightarrow 1 R 3$
 $(1, 2) \in R \Rightarrow 1 + x = 2 \Rightarrow x = 1 \in N$
 $(2, 3) \in R \Rightarrow 2 + x = 3 \Rightarrow x = 1 \in N$
 Now $1 + x = 3 \Rightarrow x = 2 \in N$
 It is only transitive.

- S5.** if $R = \{ (a, b) : a = 2b \text{ for all } a, b \in N \}$
 $R = \{ (1, 2), (2, 4), (3, 6), (4, 8) \dots \}$
 $R^{-1} = \{ (2, 1), (4, 2), (6, 3) \dots \}$

NUMERICAL TYPE QUESTIONS

- S1. (2¹²)** Given, $n(A) = 4, n(B) = 3$
 We know that, the total number of relations from two finite sets A and B is given by $2^{n(A)n(B)} = 2^{12}$
- S2. (1)** $f \circ g(x) = \cos g(x) + g(x)$
 $= \cos x^2 + x^2$
 $f \circ g(0) = 1$
- S3. (-3)** $f(x) = \sqrt{x+3}$, then Domain of f is $[-3, \infty)$, then $a = -3$
- S4. (-2)** $f(x) = \sqrt{x}, g(x) = x^2 - 1$.
For gof(x)
 Since range of f is a subset of the domain of g,
 \therefore domain of gof is $[0, \infty)$ and $g\{f(x)\} = g(\sqrt{x}) = x - 1$. Range of gof is $[-1, \infty)$
 Then $a = -1 \Rightarrow 2a = -2$
- S5. (0)** Let $y = 2x + 5$
 $\Rightarrow y - 5 = 2x$
 $\Rightarrow x = \frac{y-5}{2} = g^{-1}(y)$
 $\therefore g^{-1}(x) = \frac{x-5}{2}$
 Then $g^{-1}(5) = 0$

TRUE AND FALSE

- S1. (False)** In  one element of domain has no image, therefore it is not a function.
- S2. (True)** A function whose domain and range are both subsets of real numbers is called a **real function**.
- S3. (True)**  many -one onto (surjective but not injective)
- S4. (True)** If $f(-x) = f(x)$ for all x in the domain of 'f', then f is said to be an even function.
Example: $f(x) = \cos x$ is even function.
- S5. (False)** If $f(x)$ has a period T, then $f(ax + b)$ has a period $\frac{T}{|a|}$.

ASSERTION AND REASONING

- S1. (a)** Both A and R are true and R is the correct explanation of A.
 Since, x^2 is never negative but it can be positive or zero.
- S2. (a)** We know by the property of relation, the total number of relation from set A to set B is $2^{n(A)n(B)}$. So, both A and R are true and R is the correct explanation of A.
- S3. (a)** Since, $\{ (1,1), (2,2), (3,3), (4,4) \}$ is identity relation and identity relation is always equivalence relation. So, it is transitive.
 By definition of transitive relation
 $aRb, bRc \text{ iff } cRa$, for all $a, b, c \in A$
 Therefore, A and R are both correct and R is the correct explanation of A.
- S4. (b)** Let $f(x) = \cos x$ then $f(-x) = \cos(-x) = \cos x = f(x)$ i.e., $f(-x) = f(x)$, then f is even function.
 Both A and R are individually true but R is not the correct explanation of A.
- S5. (a)** R is an equivalence relation, if R is reflexive relation, R is symmetric relation and R is transitive relation. So, both A and R are true and R is the correct explanation of A.

HOMEWORK

MCQ

- S1. (a)** For any two real number, an operation defined by $a * b = 1 + ab$ then the value of $4 * 6 = 1 + 4 \times 6 = 25$
- S2. (b)** Since the function $f(x)$ is linear. So, let $f(x) = ax + b$
 Therefore $f(-2) = a(-2) + b = 29 \dots \dots (i)$
 And $f(x) = a(x) + b, f(3) = 3a + b = 39 \dots \dots (ii)$

$\Rightarrow a = 2$ and $b = 33$
 Sving (i) and (ii), we get $f(x) = 2x + 33$
 Therefore, $f(5) = 2 \times 5 + 33 = 10 + 33 = 43$

- S3. (a)** If $f(x) = \frac{x+2}{x-3}, x \neq 3$, then $f^{-1}(-2)$ is equal to
 Let $f(x) = y \Rightarrow x = f^{-1}(y)$
 Therefore, $y = \frac{x+2}{x-3}$
 $\Rightarrow xy - 3y = x + 2$

$$\Rightarrow x = \frac{3y+2}{y-1}$$

$$\Rightarrow f^{-1}(y) = \frac{3y+2}{y-1}$$

$$\Rightarrow f^{-1}(x) = \frac{3x+2}{x-1}$$

$$\Rightarrow f^{-1}(-2) = \frac{3(-2)+2}{(-2)-1} = \frac{-6+2}{-3} = \frac{4}{3} = 1.33$$

S4. (c) $-1 \leq \frac{2k+1}{\sqrt{7^2+5^2}} \leq 1$ { since $-1 \leq \cos(x - \alpha) \leq 1$ }

$$\Rightarrow -\sqrt{74} \leq 2k + 1 \leq \sqrt{74}$$

Therefore, $k = -4, -3, -2, -1, 0, 1, 2, 3$
i.e., 8 value which will satisfy the above inequality.

S5. (d) We know that, If $n(A) = n$

Then, No. of symmetric relation = $2^{\frac{n^2+n}{2}}$

Since, $n(A) = 5$

Therefore, number of symmetric relation = $2^{\frac{5^2+5}{2}} = 2^{\frac{25+5}{2}} = 2^{\frac{30}{2}} = 2^{15}$

S6. (a) Number of equivalence relation defined in the set $S = \{a, b, c, d\}$ is

If cardinality of the set S is n then number of equivalence relation = $n^2 - 1$

A.T.Q

Cardinality of set $S = \{a, b, c, d\} = 4$

Now, number of equivalence relation = $4^2 - 1 = 15$

S7. (b) $f(x).g(x).h(x) = \frac{1}{1-x} \cdot \frac{1}{1-f(x)} \cdot \frac{1}{1-g(x)}$

$$\frac{1}{1-x} \cdot \frac{1}{1-\frac{1}{1-x}} \cdot \frac{1}{1-\frac{1}{1-f(x)}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{-1}{x} \cdot \frac{1}{1-\frac{1}{1-x}} = \frac{-1}{x} \cdot \frac{1}{1-\frac{1}{-x}} = \frac{-1}{x} \cdot x = -1$$

S8. (d) Given that,

$$y = 4\sin^2 x - \cos 2x$$

$$y = 6\sin^2 x - (1 - 2\sin^2 x) \quad [\text{Since } -1 \leq \sin x \leq 1]$$

$$\Rightarrow 0 \leq \sin^2 x \leq 1$$

$$\Rightarrow 0 \leq 6\sin^2 x - 1 \leq 1 \times 6$$

$$\Rightarrow 0 - 1 \leq 6\sin^2 x - 1 \leq 6 - 1$$

$$\Rightarrow -1 \leq 6\sin^2 x - 1 \leq 5$$

$$\Rightarrow -1 \leq y \leq 5$$

$$\Rightarrow y \in [-1, 5]$$

S9. (c) Let $f(x) = x - 1$

Now, $f(x_1) = f(x_2)$

$$\Rightarrow x_1 - 1 = x_2 - 1$$

$$\Rightarrow x_1 = x_2$$

Therefore, f is one-one

Now, if $y = x - 1 \Rightarrow x = y + 1$

$$f(y + 1) = y + 1 - 1 = y$$

Therefore, f is onto.

Hence, f is bijective.

S10. (d) Let $f(x) = \sqrt{2^x - 5^x}$

$$\Rightarrow 2^x - 5^x \geq 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 2^x \geq 5^x$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{2^x} \leq \frac{1}{5^x} \dots\dots(i)$$

Equation (i) is satisfied so that value of x i.e., $x \leq 0$

SUBJECTIVE QUESTIONS

S1. Let $A = \{1, 3, 5, 7\}$ and $B = \{2, 4, 6, 8\}$ and R be the relation defined by $\{(x, y) : x - y > 0\}$, then find the domain and range of R

$R = \{(3, 2), (5, 2), (5, 4), (7, 2), (7, 4), (7, 6)\}$

Therefore, domain of $R = \{3, 5, 7\}$ and Range = $\{2, 4, 6\}$

S2. $f(n) = 2\{f(1)+f(2)+f(3)+\dots+f(n-1)\}$

Therefore, $f(n+1) = 2\{f(1)+f(2)+\dots+f(n)\}$

$$\Rightarrow f(n+1) = 3f(n) \text{ for } n \geq 2$$

Also $f(2) = 2f(1) = 2$

Therefore $f(3) = 3f(2) = 2 \cdot 3$, etc.

Therefore, $\sum_{n=1}^m f(n) = f(1) + f(2) + \dots + f(m)$

$$= 1 + 2 + 2 \cdot 3 + 2 \cdot 3^2 + \dots + 2 \cdot 3^{m-2}$$

$$= 1 + 2(1 + 3 + 3^2 + \dots + 3^{m-2})$$

$$= 3^m - 1$$

S3. As $f(x)$ is onto

Therefore $S = \text{Range}$

Minimum value of $f(x) = -\sqrt{1 + (-\sqrt{3})^2} + 1 = -1$

And maximum value of $f(x) = \sqrt{1 + (-\sqrt{3})^2} + 1 = 3$

$$\Rightarrow S = [-1, 3]$$

S4. Let $y = \frac{3x^2+9x+17}{3x^2+9x+7} = 1 + \frac{10}{3x^2+9x+7}$

Now, $3x^2 + 9x + 7 = 3(x^2 + 3x) + 7 = 3\left(x + \frac{3}{2}\right)^2 + \frac{1}{4} \geq \frac{1}{4}$ for all $x \in \mathbb{R}$

Maximum value of $\frac{10}{3x^2+9x+7}$ is 40

Maximum value of y is $1 + 40 = 41$

Therefore $5k + 1 = 41$

$$\Rightarrow k = 8$$

S5. Since each of 3 elements of A can be associated to an element of B in 2 ways. Therefore all the 3 elements can be associated with elements of B in 2^3 ways.

NUMERICAL TYPE QUESTIONS

S1. (0) The identity element of the set of real numbers under the binary operation '+'

Let e is the identity element then

$$X + e = x = e + x \text{ for all } x \in \mathbb{R}.$$

$$\Rightarrow e = 0$$

S2. (4) Given

$$R = \{(a, b) : a \in \mathbb{N}, a < 5, b = 4\}$$

Natural numbers less than 5 are 1, 2, 3 and 4

$$a = \{1, 2, 3, 4\} \text{ and } b = \{4\}$$

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

So, Domain of relation $R = \{1, 2, 3, 4\}$

Range of function = $\{4\}$

S3. (1) Let $S = \{1, 2, 3, 4\}$ and $*$ be an operation on S defined by $a * b = r$, where r is the least non-negative remainder when product is divided by 5, $*$ is a binary operation then find the value of $2 * 3 = (\text{Remainder when } 2 \times 3 = 6 \text{ is divided by } 5) = 1$

S4. (3) Domain of $f(x) = \frac{\sin^{-1}(x-3)}{\sqrt{9-x^2}}$
 Here $-1 \leq (x-3) \leq 1$ and $9-x^2 > 0$
 $\Rightarrow 2 \leq x \leq 4$ and $-3 < x < 3$
 So, $2 \leq x < 3$, then $b = 3$

S5. ($\frac{10}{3}$) Clearly $f : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ is a one - one function. So, it is invertible .
 Let $f(x) = y$. Then $3x - 5 = y \Rightarrow x = \frac{y+5}{3} \Rightarrow f^{-1}(y) = \frac{y+5}{3}$
 Hence $f^{-1}(x) = \frac{x+5}{3}$, then value of $f^{-1}(5) = \frac{10}{3}$

TRUE AND FALSE

S1. (False) The signum function of a real number x is piecewise function which is defined as follows:

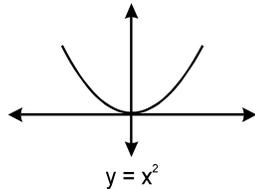
$$f(x) = \begin{cases} 1, & x > 0 \\ 0, & x = 0 \\ -1, & x < 0 \end{cases}$$

Domain = Set of real numbers and Range = $\{-1, 0, 1\}$

S2. (True) A function $f: X \rightarrow Y$ is defined to be invertible if there exists a function $g: Y \rightarrow X$ such that $g \circ f = I_X$ and $f \circ g = I_Y$. The function g is called the inverse of f and is denoted by f^{-1} .

S3. (True) A non-empty set P with a binary operation $*$ is said to have an identity $e \in P$, if $e * a = a * e = a, \forall a \in P$. Here, e is the identity element

S4. (False) $y = x^2$ is symmetric about y -axis,



S5. (True) If no element of A is related to any element of A , i.e. $R = \emptyset \subset A \times A$, then the relation R in a set A is called empty relation.

ASSERTION AND REASONING

S1. (a) Here, the function $f : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ given by $f(x) = x^3$
 Suppose $f(x) = f(y)$ where, $x, y \in \mathbb{R}$
 $\Rightarrow x^3 = y^3 \dots\dots\dots(i)$
 Now, we try to show that $x = y$

Suppose $x \neq y$, their cubes will not be equal.
 $x^3 \neq y^3$

However, this will be a contradiction to equation (i)
 Therefore, $x = y$. Hence, f is injective. Hence both Assertion and reason are true and reason is the correct explanation of assertion.

S2. (b) Given $f : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ s.t. $f(x) = \frac{x}{1+x^2}$

Taking $x_1 = 4, x_2 = \frac{1}{4} \in \mathbb{R}$

$$f(x_1) = f(4) = \frac{4}{17}, f(x_2) = f\left(\frac{1}{4}\right) = \frac{4}{17}$$

$(x_1 \neq x_2)$

Therefore, f is not one -one

A is true.

Let $y \in \mathbb{R}$

$$f(x) = y$$

$$\frac{x}{1+x^2} = y$$

$$\Rightarrow x = \frac{1 \pm \sqrt{1-4y^2}}{2y}$$

Since $x \in \mathbb{R}, 1 - 4y^2 \geq 0$

$$\Rightarrow -\frac{1}{2} \leq y \leq \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\text{So, range } (f) \in \left[-\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}\right]$$

Range $(f) \neq \mathbb{R}$

Therefore, f is not onto.

\mathbb{R} is true

\mathbb{R} is not the correct explanation for A .

S3. (b) For any word $x \in W$
 x and x have at least one (all) letter in common
 Therefore, $(x, x) \in R$, for all $x \in W$

Therefore R is reflexive

Symmetric : Let $(x, y) \in R, x, y \in W$

$\Rightarrow x$ and y have at least one letter in common

$\Rightarrow y$ and x have at least one letter in common

$\Rightarrow (y, x) \in R$

Therefore, R is symmetric

Hence A is true, R is true, R is not a correct explanation for A .

S4. (d) By definition, a relation in A is said to be reflexive if $x R x$, for all $x \in A$. So R is true.

The number of reflexive relations on a set containing n elements is 2^{n^2-n}

Here $n = 3$

The number of reflexive relations on a set $A = 2^{9-3} = 2^6$

Hence A is false.

S5. (d) Assertion : Here R is not reflexive : as x cannot be wife of x .

Reason : Here, R is not reflexive ; as x cannot be father of y , then y cannot be father of x . Therefore, R is not symmetric. R is not transitive as if x is father of y and y is father of z , then x is grandfather (not father) of z .