

**CS2022/MA2201**  
**HW#3**

**DUE:** Monday, September 15

1. (6 points) What can we say about the sets  $A$  and  $B$  in each of the following cases?
  - (a)  $A \cap B = B$
  - (b)  $A \cup B = B$
  - (c)  $A - B = B - A$
  
2. (1 point) What is the power set of  $\{\{a\}, \emptyset\}$ ?
  
3. (3 points) Neil is worried vabout the low grades in his class, so he'll apply the transform  $f_{Neil}(x) = \lceil \sqrt{x} \rceil * 10$ . Is  $f_{Neil}$  a function from  $\mathbb{N} = \{0, 1, 2, \dots\}$  to  $\mathbb{Z} = \{\dots, -2, -1, 0, 1, 2, \dots\}$ ?
  
4. (10 points) Do **Exercise 1.8.6** from the text. In part **c**), take the absolute value of the difference. In all five parts, take the smallest domain and range possible to satisfy the problem.
  
5. (8 points) Do **Exercise 1.8.16** from the text.

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**HW#3 SOLUTIONS**

1. (a)  $B \subseteq A$  (b)  $A \subseteq B$  (c)  $A = B$

2.  $\{\emptyset, \{\{a\}\}, \{\emptyset\}, \{\{a\}, \emptyset\}\}$

3. No.  $f(49)$  is -70 and 70.

4.

	Domain	Range
(a)	$\mathbb{Z}^+ \times \mathbb{Z}^+$	$\mathbb{Z}^+$
(b)	$\mathbb{Z}^+$	$\{1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9\}$
(c)	{bit strings}	$\mathbb{N}$
(d)	$\mathbb{Z}^+$	$\mathbb{Z}^+$
(e)	{bit strings}	{strings of 1's}

5. (a)  $f(n) = n + 1$

(b)  $f(n) = \lfloor n/2 \rfloor$

(c)  $f(n) = \begin{cases} n+1, & \text{if } n \text{ is even} \\ n-1, & \text{if } n \text{ is odd} \end{cases}$

(d)  $f(n) = 42$