

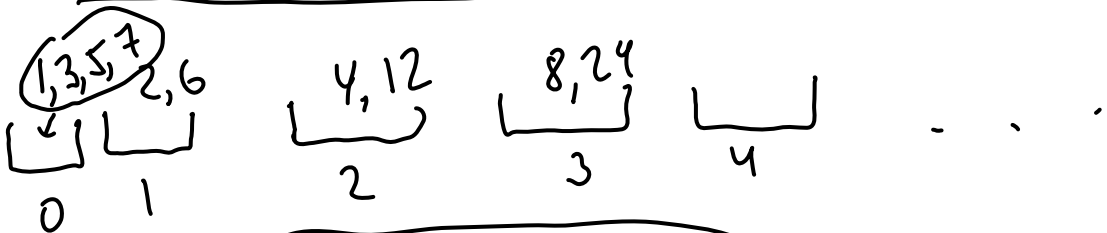
Lecture: 04/06 Proof lecture

Hwk questions:

$A_1, A_2, A_3, \dots, A_n,$

all infinite, disjoint

$$\bigcup_{n=1}^{\infty} A_n = \mathbb{N}.$$



$n = 2^k \cdot m$   
↑ is odd

$n$  goes into  $A_{k+1}$

Sec 17. More on sets.

Def. Given a subset  $A$  of  $\mathbb{R}$  ( $A \subseteq \mathbb{R}$ ), its complement  $A^c$  in  $\mathbb{R}$  is  $A^c = \{x \in \mathbb{R} \mid x \notin A\}$ .

Ex:  $(0, 1)^c = (-\infty, 0] \cup [1, +\infty)$

$$\{0\}^c = (-\infty, 0) \cup (0, +\infty)$$

$$\emptyset^c = \mathbb{R}$$

$$\mathbb{R}^c = \emptyset$$

$A \subseteq \mathbb{R}$ ,  $(A^c)^c = A$

Ex:  $(A \cup B)^c = A^c \cap B^c$

Proof:  $x \in (A \cup B)^c \Leftrightarrow x \notin A \cup B \Leftrightarrow$   
 $x \notin A \text{ and } x \notin B \Leftrightarrow x \in A^c \text{ and } x \in B^c$   
 $\Leftrightarrow x \in A^c \cap B^c$

$$((A \cup B)^c)^c = (A^c \cap B^c)^c$$

$\parallel$

$$A \cup B = (A^c \cap B^c)^c \quad (*) \leftarrow \text{true.}$$

$$A^c = D, \quad A = D^c$$

$$B^c = F, \quad B = F^c$$

$$\rightarrow (D^c \cup F^c = (D \cap F)^c)$$

Proposition 17.4. Let  $S$  be a set consisting of  $n$  elements. Then the total number of subsets of  $S$  is  $2^n$ .

Ex:  $S = \{1, 2, 3\}$ ,  $n = 3$   
must have 8 subsets.

$\emptyset, \{1\}, \{2\}, \{3\}, \{1, 2\}, \{1, 3\}, \{2, 3\},$   
 $\{1, 2, 3\}$

Proof. Suppose  $S$  has  $n$  elements,  
label them  $S = \{a_1, a_2, a_3, \dots, a_n\}$   
associate to each subset a string

of  $n$  zeroes and one's

Ex:  $\{a_1, a_2, a_3\}$

$\emptyset \mapsto 000$   
 $\{a_1\} \mapsto 100$

$\{a_2, a_3\} \mapsto 011$

$\{a_1, a_2, a_3\} \mapsto 111$

$101 \mapsto \{a_1, a_3\}$ .

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Any subset  $B \subset A = \{a_1, a_2, \dots, a_n\}$   
corresponds to a string  $* * * \dots *$

$*$  is  $k^{\text{th}}$  place is 1 if  $a_k \in B$   
is 0 if  $a_k \notin B$ .

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Now we need to count the number  
of strings of length  $n$ .

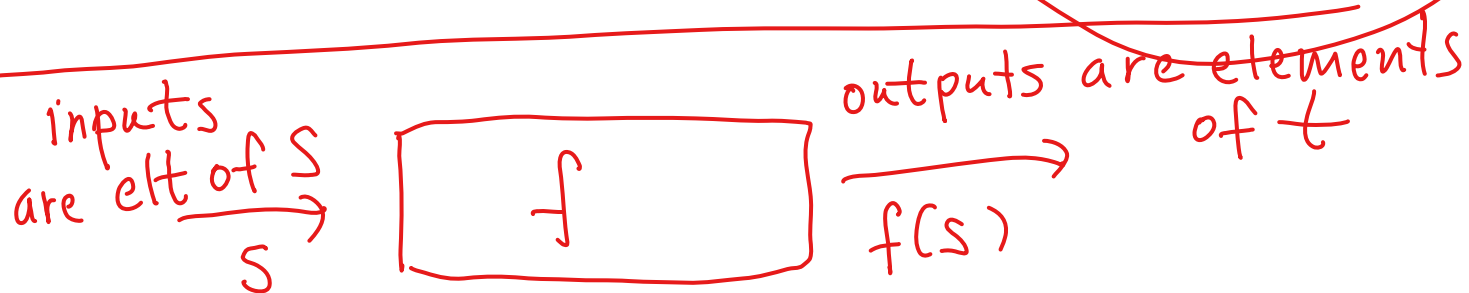
$\underbrace{\{2\} \cdot \{2\} \cdot \{2\} \cdot \dots \cdot \{2\}}_{n \text{ place}} = 2^n$

# Chapter 19. Functions

Def: Let  $S$  and  $T$  be any sets.  
A function  $f: S \rightarrow T$  is a rule that assigns to each  $s \in S$  a single element  $t \in T$ , then one writes  $f(s) = t$ .

$$f: S \rightarrow T$$

Dirichlet  
Weierstrass  
1830-1890.



- Set  $S$  is called the domain of the function (set of all possible inputs)
- $f(S) = \{ f(s) \mid s \in S \}$  ← range or image of  $S$   
↑ set  $f(S) =$  set of all possible outputs.

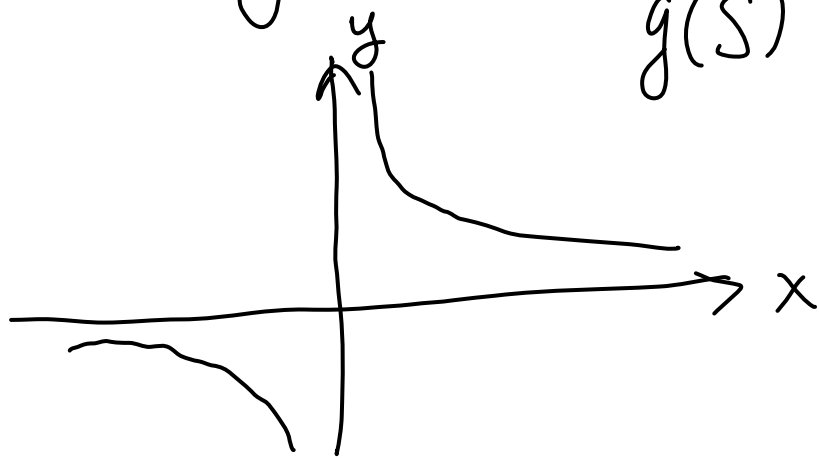
Notice that:  $f(S) \subseteq T$

Ex: a)  $g: S \rightarrow T = \mathbb{R}$ ,  $g(x) = \frac{1}{x}$

Domain:  $S = \{x \in \mathbb{R} \mid x \neq 0\}$

Range:  $g(S) = \{x \in \mathbb{R} \mid x \neq 0\}$   
 $g(S) \subset \mathbb{R}$ .

$\frac{1}{x} = 0$   
 $\uparrow$   
no sol.



b) Dirichlet's function:

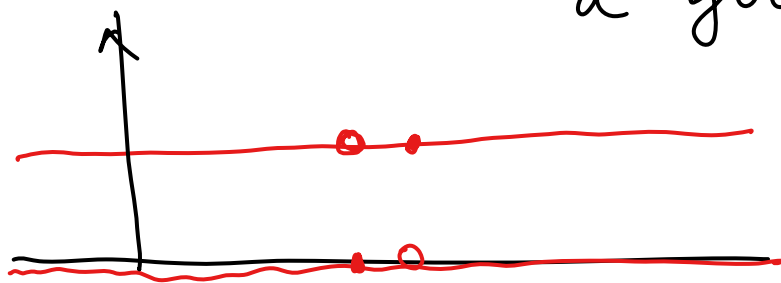
$d: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{N}$ ,

$d(x) = \begin{cases} 1, & \text{if } x \text{ is rational} \\ 0, & \text{if } x \text{ is irrational} \end{cases}$

$d(\frac{1}{3}) = 1$ ,  $d(\sqrt{2}) = 0$

Domain:  $S = \mathbb{R}$ , Range  $f(S) = \{0, 1\} \subset \mathbb{N}$ .

Graph of  $d$ :



Graph is not  
a good representation  
of this fcn.





