

ECEN 227 - Introduction to Finite Automata and Discrete Mathematics

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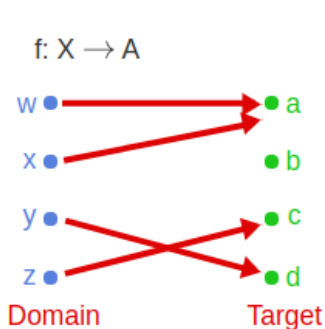
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Introduction

Function

A function f that maps elements of a set X to elements of a set Y , is a subset of $X \times Y$ such that for every $x \in X$, there is **exactly one** $y \in Y$ for which $(x, y) \in f$

Arrow Diagram of Function



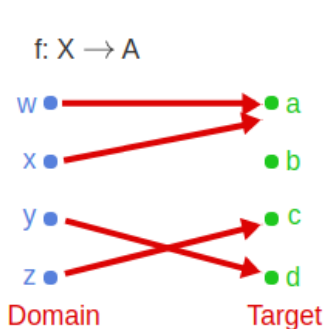
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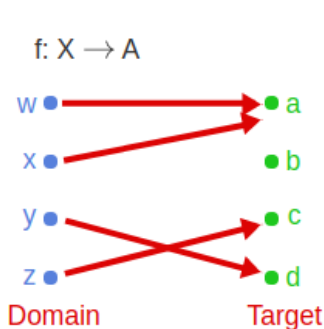
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Excercise

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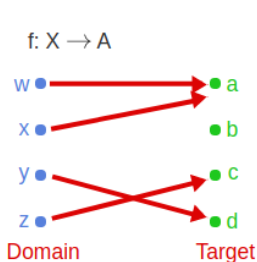
Ex.

- What is the target of function f ?
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- What is $f(c)$?
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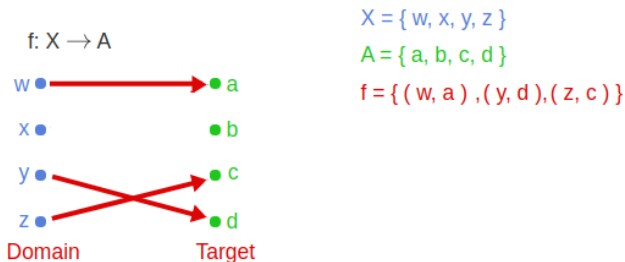
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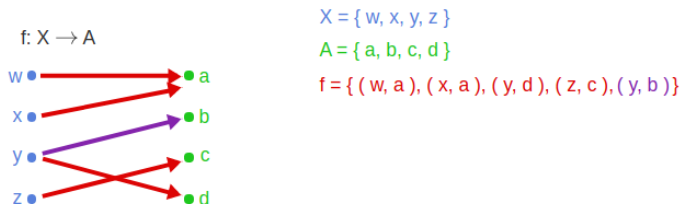


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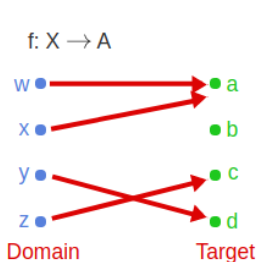
Are the expressions below well-defined functions from \mathbb{R} to \mathbb{R} ?

- $f(x) = \frac{1}{x-1}$
 - The function f is not well-defined for $x = 1$.
- $f(x) = \sqrt{x^2 + 2}$
 - well-defined
- $f(x) = \pm\sqrt{x^2 + 2}$
 - The function h does not have a well-defined value for every real number x .

Range

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For function $f: X \rightarrow Y$, an element y is in the range of f if and only if there is an $x \in X$ such that $(x, y) \in f$.



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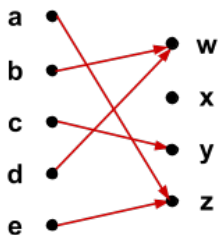
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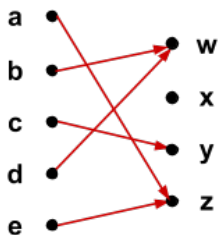
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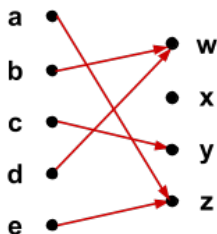
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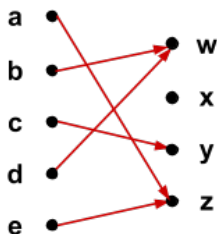
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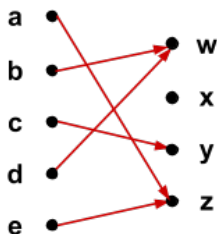
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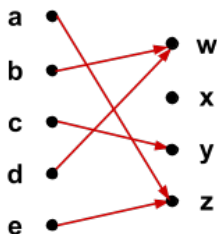
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Function Equality

Two functions, f and g , are equal if

- f and g have the **same domain**.
- f and g have the **same target**.
- $f(x) = g(x)$ for every element x in the domain.

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The floor function maps a **real number** to the **nearest integer** in the downward direction.

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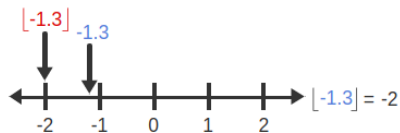
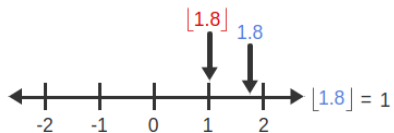
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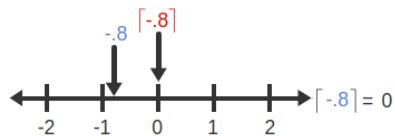
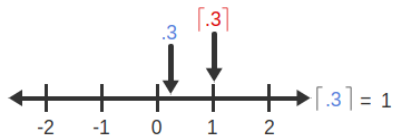
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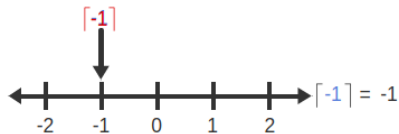
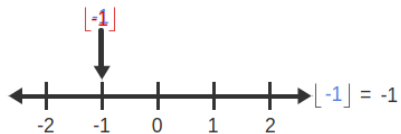
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The ceiling and floor of an integer are the same:



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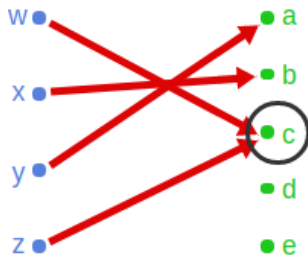
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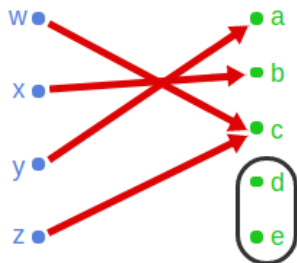
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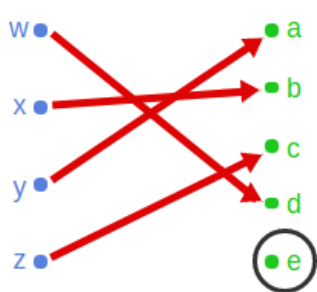
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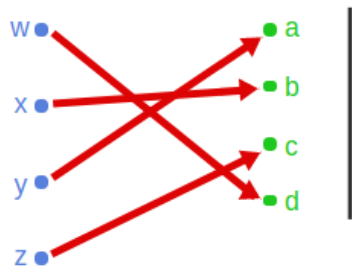
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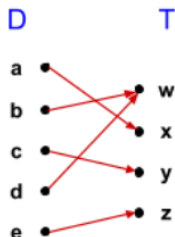
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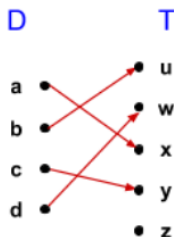
Ex.

- $f : \{0, 1\}^3 \rightarrow \{0, 1\}^3$. The output of f is obtained by taking the input string and replacing the first bit by 1, regardless of whether the first bit is a 0 or 1. For example, $f(001) = 101$ and $f(110) = 110$
 - Neither one-to-one nor onto.
- $f : \{0, 1\}^3 \rightarrow \{0, 1\}^3$. The output of f is obtained by taking the input string and reversing the bits. For example $f(011) = 110$.
 - One-to-one and onto.

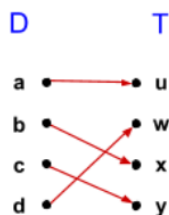
Relative sizes of the domain and target

onto

$$|D| \geq |T|$$

one-to-one

$$|D| \leq |T|$$

bijection

$$|D| \leq |T| \text{ and } |D| \geq |T|$$

$$|D| = |T|$$

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Function Inverse

- If a function $f: X \rightarrow Y$ is a **bijection**, then the inverse of f is obtained by exchanging the first and second entries in each pair in f .
- The inverse of f is denoted by f^{-1}

$$f^{-1} = \{ (y, x) : (x, y) \in f \}.$$

Example 1

$$X = \{1, 2, 3\}$$

$$Y = \{7, 8, 9\}$$

$$1 \bullet \longrightarrow \bullet 7$$

$$2 \bullet \searrow \bullet 8$$

$$3 \bullet \longrightarrow \bullet 9$$

$$f: X \rightarrow Y$$

$$f = \{(1, 7), (2, 9), (3, 9)\}$$

$$7 \bullet \longrightarrow \bullet 1$$

$$\textcircled{8} \bullet \longrightarrow \bullet 2$$

$$\textcircled{9} \bullet \longrightarrow \bullet 3$$

$$f^{-1} = \{(7, 1), (9, 2), (9, 3)\}$$

f^{-1} is not a function. f does not have an inverse.

Example 2


 $g: X \rightarrow Y$
 $g = \{ (1, 9), (2, 7), (3, 8) \}$

$$g^{-1}(7) = 2$$


 $g^{-1} = Y \rightarrow X$
 $g^{-1} = \{ (7, 2), (8, 3), (9, 1) \}$
 g^{-1} is a function. g has an inverse defined by

$$g^{-1}(8) = 3$$

$$g^{-1}(9) = 1$$

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Sol:

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- $f^{-1} = f$

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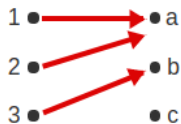
The **composition of g with f** , denoted $g \circ f$, is the function $(g \circ f): X \rightarrow Z$, such that for all $x \in X$, $(g \circ f)(x) = g(f(x))$.

Example

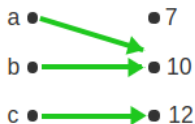
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$$Y = \{a, b, c\}$$

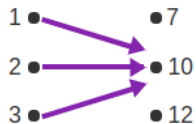
$$Z = \{7, 10, 12\}$$



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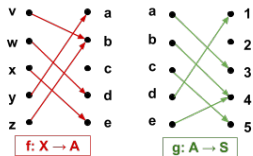


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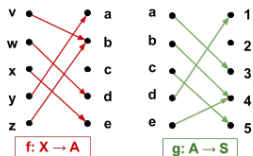
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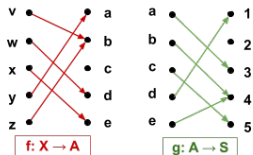
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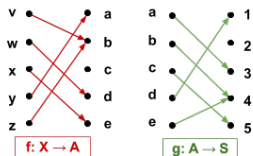
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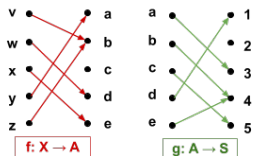
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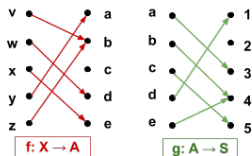
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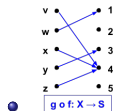


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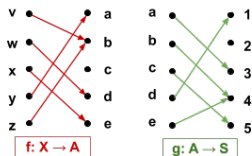
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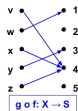
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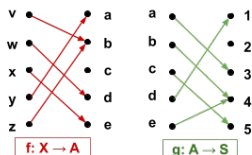


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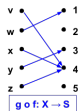


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 - $\{1, 3, 4\}$

Notes I

- $f \circ g$ is not the same as $g \circ f$.

Ex.

$$\begin{aligned} f: \mathbb{R}^+ &\rightarrow \mathbb{R}^+, f(x) = x^3 \\ g: \mathbb{R}^+ &\rightarrow \mathbb{R}^+, g(x) = x + 2 \end{aligned}$$

- $(f \circ g)(x) = f(g(x)) = (x + 2)^3$
- $(g \circ f)(x) = g(f(x)) = x^3 + 2$

Notes II

- It is possible to compose more than two functions.
- Composition is associative.

$$f \circ g \circ h = (f \circ g) \circ h = f \circ (g \circ h) = f(g(h(x)))$$

Ex.

$$\begin{aligned}f: R^+ &\rightarrow R^+, f(x) = x^3 \\g: R^+ &\rightarrow R^+, g(x) = x + 2 \\h: R^+ &\rightarrow R^+, h(x) = x - 1\end{aligned}$$

- $(f \circ g)(x) = f(g(x)) = (x + 2)^3$
- $(f \circ g \circ h)(x) = f(g(h(x))) = (x + 1)^3$

Identity Function

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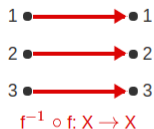
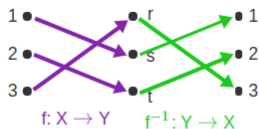
The identity function **always maps a set onto itself** and maps every element onto itself.

- The identity function on A , denoted $I_A : A \rightarrow A$, is defined as $I_A(a) = a$, for all $a \in A$.

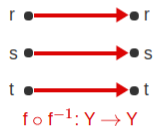
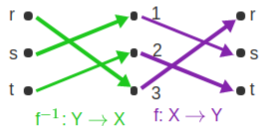
Note That

Let $f: A \rightarrow B$ be a bijection. Then $f^{-1} \circ f = I_A$ and $f \circ f^{-1} = I_B$.

Example

 $X = \{1, 2, 3\}$
 $Y = \{r, s, t\}$


The identity function on X : I_X



The identity function on Y : I_Y

The composition of f with the inverse of f has domain Y and target Y and maps each element to itself and is therefore the identity function on Y .



Questions 

