

Let $F: \mathbf{Z}^+ \rightarrow \mathbf{Z}^+$ be defined by $F(n) =$ the number of positive integer divisors of n .

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NOTE: F is a function. You do NOT need to prove that.

NO POINTS FOR ANSWERS
WITHOUT EXPLANATIONS



[a] Find $F(12)$. Justify your answer clearly & briefly.

$$F(12) = 6$$

6 positive integer divisors of $12 = 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 12$

(1)

[b] Find $F(\{5, 8\})$. Justify your answer clearly & briefly.

$$F(\{5, 8\}) = \{2, 4\}$$

(1) PROPER SET NOTATION

2 positive integer divisors of $5 = 1, 5$

4 positive integer divisors of $8 = 1, 2, 4, 8$

(1)

[c] Find $F^{-1}(\{1\})$. Justify your answer clearly & briefly.

$$F^{-1}(\{1\}) = \{1\}$$

$F(n) = 1 \Rightarrow n$ has only one positive integer divisor $\Rightarrow n = 1$

(1)

[d] What is $F^{-1}(\{2\})$ more commonly known as? Justify your answer clearly & briefly.

(1) the set of prime numbers

$F(n) = 2 \Rightarrow n$ has only two positive integer divisors (ie. 1 and itself)
 $\Rightarrow n$ is prime

(1/2)

[e] Determine if F is one-to-one. If yes, justify your answer clearly & briefly. If no, give an explicit counterexample.

(1/2) no, since $F(2) = F(3) = 2$

[f] Determine if F is onto. If yes, justify your answer clearly & briefly. If no, give an explicit counterexample.

(1) yes - positive integer divisors of $2^{y-1} = 1 (= 2^0), 2 (= 2^1), 4 (= 2^2), \dots, 2^{y-1} \Rightarrow F(2^{y-1}) = y$ for every $y \in \mathbf{Z}^+$

[g] Determine if $F^{-1}(2)$ exists. If yes, find its value. If no, explain briefly why not.

(2)

(1) no, since F is not one-to-one

Let $S = \{1, 2, 3\}$. Let $F \subseteq \wp(S) \times \wp(S)$ be defined by $(X, Y) \in F$ if and only if $X \cup Y = S$.

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[a] Determine if $\{1, 3\} F \{2\}$. Justify your answer clearly & briefly.

yes, since $\{1, 3\} \cup \{2\} = \{1, 2, 3\}$

$\frac{1}{2}$

[b] Determine if F is a well-defined function. If yes, find $F(\{3\})$. If no, give an explicit counterexample.

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no, since $\{1, 3\} \cup \{2, 3\} = \{1, 2, 3\}$, so $\{1, 3\} F \{2, 3\}$ but $\{2\} \neq \{2, 3\}$, violating uniqueness requirement of a function

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Prove that $F : \mathbf{Z} \times \mathbf{Z} \rightarrow \mathbf{Z} \times \mathbf{Z}$ defined by $F(x, y) = (x - y, x - 2y)$ is a one-to-one correspondence.

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Let $(x, y), (a, b)$ be particular but arbitrarily chosen elements of $\mathbf{Z} \times \mathbf{Z}$ such that $F(x, y) = F(a, b)$ (1)

$$\text{So, } (x - y, x - 2y) = (a - b, a - 2b)$$

$$\text{So, } x - y = a - b \text{ and } x - 2y = a - 2b \quad (1)$$

$$\text{So, } x - y - (x - 2y) = a - b - (a - 2b) \quad (1)$$

$$\text{So, } y = b \quad (1/2)$$

$$\text{So, } x - b = a - b \quad (1/2)$$

$$\text{So, } x = a \quad (1/2)$$

$$\text{So, } (x, y) = (a, b) \quad (1)$$

Therefore, F is one-to-one by definition of one-to-one (1/2)

Let (a, b) be a particular but arbitrarily chosen elements of $\mathbf{Z} \times \mathbf{Z}$ (1)

$$F(2a - b, a - b) = (2a - b - (a - b), 2a - b - 2(a - b)) = (a, b) \quad (1)$$

where $(2a - b, a - b) \in \mathbf{Z} \times \mathbf{Z}$ by closure of \mathbf{Z} under $\cdot, +$ (1)

Therefore, F is onto by definition of onto (1/2)

Therefore, F is a one-to-one correspondence by definition of one-to-one correspondence (1/2)

$$x - y = a \text{ and } x - 2y = b$$

$$\Rightarrow x - y - (x - 2y) = a - b$$

$$\Rightarrow y = a - b$$

$$\Rightarrow x - (a - b) = a$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 2a - b$$