

1. True or False: Examine the statements below and state whether they are true or false. If false, give a counter-example or explain why (whichever is more appropriate).

- (T) (a) If $R \subset S$ and $S \subset R$, then $R = S$.
 (*Everything in R is in S, and vice-versa)
- (d) $(1, 3) = \{n : 1 < n < 3\}$. (F) (n represents integers; so $\{n : 1 < n < 3\} = \{2\}$!)
- (T) (b) If $x \geq 0$, then $(\sqrt{x})^2 = x$.
- (e) $|x| < 3 \iff x^2 < 9$. (T)
- (F) (c) $\phi = \{\phi\}$. has one member
 has no members
- (f) If $x \in S$, then $x \in S \cup T$. (T)
 "If x is in S then (x is in S or x is in T)".

2. Grammatical Errors: Something may be grammatically wrong with each one of the statements below. If so, what is wrong? If nothing is wrong, just say so.

- (a) $x < 2 \wedge x > -1$ "or"
- (d) $x \wedge x^2 \geq 0$ x is an expression, but " \implies " is used with conditional sentences!
- (b) $S = x < 5$ this implies " $S = x$," but a set is not a number!
- (e) $\{-3, 3\} \wedge x^2 = 9$ same reason as above.
- (c) $E1 \wedge E2$ E1 and E2 are not sets!
- (f) $\phi \wedge \{x : x > 10\}$ subset (" \subset ") would be ok, but ϕ is not a member of the set. $\{x : x > 10\}$.

3. Sets: Express the following sets using a different notation.

answers may vary:

- (a) $\{2, 5\}^c = (-\infty, 2) \cup (2, 5) \cup (5, \infty)$
- (c) $(-1, 2) \cup (2, \infty)$
 $\{x : -1 < x < 2 \text{ or } x > 2\}$
- (b) $\{x : 9 - x^2 < 0\} = \{x : x^2 > 9\}$
 $= \{x : x < -3 \text{ or } x > 3\} = (-\infty, -3) \cup (3, \infty)$
- (d) $\{x : x > 1 \text{ and } x < 3\} = (1, \infty) \cap (-\infty, 3)$
 $= (1, 3)$.

4. Venn Diagrams: Sketch a Venn diagram to represent (a) $S \cup T$, (b) S^c , (c) $S \cap T$, (d) $S^c \cap T$.



5. Word Problems: For each of the problems below, clearly identify all variables you choose to use. Also, when you provide an answer, you must use algebra to find it. (In other words, guessing the right answer is not sufficient.)

- (a) Let x represent the length of one of the sides of a square picture frame.

i. Find a formula for the length of the diagonal.

d is diagonal length
 x is the side length.

$$x^2 + x^2 = d^2 \quad (\text{pythagorean theorem})$$

$$\iff 2x^2 = d^2$$

ii. Find the length of one of the sides if the diagonal is 32 inches.

$$32^2 = 2x^2$$

$$\iff 1024 = 2x^2 \quad (\text{subst.})$$

$$\iff 512 = x^2 \quad (\text{uniqueness of mult.})$$

$$\iff x = \sqrt{512} \text{ or } x = -\sqrt{512} \quad (\text{inverse of squaring})$$

So $x = \sqrt{512}$ is the solution.

- (b) Betty-Sue pays no taxes on the first \$12,000 of her income. Income in excess of \$12,000 is taxed at 10%. If her taxes are 4% of her income, what is her income?

$T = \text{taxes}, x = \text{income}$

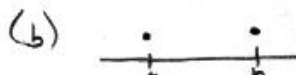
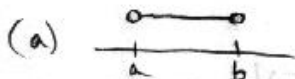
$T = .04x$, and also $T = .10(x - 12,000)$.

Together,

$$.04x = .10(x - 12,000) \iff 4x = 10(x - 12,000) \quad (\text{u. mult.})$$

$$\iff 4x = 10x - 120,000 \quad (\text{subst.})$$

$\iff -6x = -120,000 \quad (\text{u. add.})$
 $\iff x = 20,000 \quad (\text{u. mult.})$
 So $x = 20,000$ is her income.



6. **Intervals and Sets:** Sketch one numberline for each of the sets (a) (a, b) , (b) $\{a, b\}$, and (c) $[a, b]$.

7. **Sets, Subsets, and Elements:** Fill in the blank with the most appropriate of the following symbols. What other symbols (if any) would be acceptable?

$\in \quad \notin \quad = \quad \subset$

(a) $a \in (a, b)$

(e) $\{a, b\} \subset [a, b]$

(b) $a \in [a, b]$

(f) $(a, b) \cup \{a, b\} = [a, b]$ (\subset would also be acceptable)

(c) $a \notin (a, b)$

(g) $\phi = \phi$ (or \subset)

(d) $(a, b) \subset [a, b]$

(h) $\phi \subset (a, b)$

8. **Functions:** Let $h(x) = 5 - 3x$. Find simpler functions f and g such that $h(x) = f(g(x))$.

$g(x) = 3x, f(x) = 5 - x.$

9. **Functions:** Let $f(x) = \sqrt{x+1}$, $g(x) = 4 - x$, and $A(r) = \pi r^2$.

(a) Find $A(x) + a = \pi x^2 + a$

(e) Find $f(g(x)) = \sqrt{(4-x)+1}$

(b) Find $A(x+a) = \pi(x+a)^2$

(f) Find $g(f(x)) = 4 - \sqrt{x+1}$

(c) Find $f(x^2) = \sqrt{x^2+1}$

(g) State (using any correct set notation) the natural domain of each function f , g , and A .

(d) Find $[f(x)]^2 = (\sqrt{x+1})^2$

$f: \{x: x+1 \geq 0\}$

$g: \mathbb{R}$

$A: \{r: r \geq 0\}$ (by context! radius is non-neg)

10. **Solving Equations:** Solve each of the following problems. Exhibit each step, exhibit each connective, and cite one of rules 1-9 as justification for each step.

(a) $\sqrt{x+21} = x+1$

$\Rightarrow x+21 = (x+1)^2$ (squaring)

$\Leftrightarrow x+21 = x^2+2x+1$ (subst.)

$\Leftrightarrow 0 = x^2+x-20$ (u. of adding, twice)

$\Leftrightarrow 0 = (x+5)(x-4)$ (subst.)

$\Leftrightarrow x = -5$ or $x = 4$ (zero product rule)

(b) $\frac{1}{3}x^2 = x$

$\Leftrightarrow x^2 = 3x$ (u. mult by non-zero number) does not check - extraneous

$\Leftrightarrow x = 3$ or $x = 0$ (canceling)

- OR - $\frac{1}{3}x^2 = x$ (u. mult.) $\Leftrightarrow x^2 = 3x$

(u. add'n) $\Leftrightarrow x^2 - 3x = 0$ (subst.) $\Leftrightarrow x(x-3) = 0$

$\Leftrightarrow x = 0$ or $x = 3$

(zero product rule)