

§1E. Sets

1. *DeMorgan's Laws.* Let A , B , and C be sets. Show that

- a) $(A \cup B) \cup C = A \cup (B \cup C)$. d) $(A \cap B) \cap C = A \cap (B \cap C)$.
b) $A \cup B = B \cup A$. e) $A \cap B = B \cap A$.
c) $A \cup \emptyset = A$. f) $A \cap (B \cup C) = (A \cap B) \cup (A \cap C)$.

§2E. Functions

- Let $S, T,$ and U be sets and let $f: S \rightarrow T$ and $g: T \rightarrow U$ be functions. Show that
 - If f and g are injective then $g \circ f$ is injective.
 - If f and g are surjective then $g \circ f$ is surjective.
 - If f and g are bijective then $g \circ f$ is bijective.
- Let $f: S \rightarrow T$ be a function and let $U \subseteq S$. The **image** of U under f is the subset of T given by

$$f(U) = \{f(u) \mid u \in U\}.$$

Let $f: S \rightarrow T$ be a function. The **image** of f is the subset of T given by

$$\text{im } f = \{f(s) \mid s \in S\}.$$

Note that $\text{im } f = f(S)$.

Let $f: S \rightarrow T$ be a function and let $V \subseteq T$. The **inverse image** of V under f is the subset of S given by

$$f^{-1}(V) = \{s \in S \mid f(s) \in V\}.$$

Let $f: S \rightarrow T$ be a function and let $t \in T$. The **fiber** of f over t is the subset of S given by

$$f^{-1}(t) = \{s \in S \mid f(s) = t\}.$$

Note that $f^{-1}(t) = f^{-1}(\{t\})$.

Let $f: S \rightarrow T$ be a function. Show that the set $F = \{f^{-1}(t) \mid t \in T\}$ of fibers of the map f is a partition of S .

- Let $f: S \rightarrow T$ be a function. Define

$$\begin{aligned} f': S &\rightarrow \text{im } f \\ s &\mapsto f(s). \end{aligned}$$

Show that the map f' is well defined and surjective.

- Let $f: S \rightarrow T$ be a function and let $F = \{f^{-1}(t) \mid t \in T\}$ be the set of nonempty fibers of f . Define

$$\begin{aligned} \hat{f}: F &\rightarrow T \\ f^{-1}(t) &\mapsto t. \end{aligned}$$

Show that the map \hat{f} is well defined and injective.

- Let $f: S \rightarrow T$ be a function and let $F = \{f^{-1}(t) \mid t \in T\}$ be the set of nonempty fibers of f . Define

$$\begin{aligned} \hat{f}': F &\rightarrow \text{im } f \\ f^{-1}(t) &\mapsto t. \end{aligned}$$

Show that the map \hat{f}' is well defined and bijective.

4. Let S be a set. The **power set** of S , 2^S , is the set of all subsets of S .

Let S be a set and let $\{0, 1\}^S$ be the set of all functions $f: S \rightarrow \{0, 1\}$. Given a subset $T \subseteq S$ define a function $f_T: S \rightarrow \{0, 1\}$ by

$$f_T(s) = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } s \notin T; \\ 1 & \text{if } s \in T. \end{cases}$$

Show that the map

$$\psi: \begin{array}{ll} 2^S & \rightarrow \{0, 1\}^S \\ T & \mapsto f_T \end{array}$$

is a bijection.

5. Let $\circ: S \times S \rightarrow S$ be an associative operation on a set S . An **identity** for \circ is an element $e \in S$ such that $e \circ s = s \circ e = s$, for all $s \in S$.

Let e be an identity for an associative operation \circ on a set S . Let $s \in S$. A **left inverse** for s is an element $t \in S$ such that $t \circ s = e$. A **right inverse** for s is an element $t' \in S$ such that $s \circ t' = e$. An **inverse** for s is an element $s^{-1} \in S$ such that $s \circ s^{-1} = s^{-1} \circ s = e$.

- a) Let \circ be an operation on a set S . Show that if S contains an identity for \circ then it is unique.
- b) Let e be an identity for an associative operation \circ on a set S . Let $s \in S$. Show that if s has an inverse then it is unique.
6. a) Let S and T be sets and let ι_S and ι_T be the identity maps on S and T respectively. Show that for any function $f: S \rightarrow T$,

$$\begin{aligned} \iota_T \circ f &= f, & \text{and} \\ f \circ \iota_S &= f. \end{aligned}$$

- b) Let $f: S \rightarrow T$ be a function. Show that if an inverse function to f exists then it is unique. (Hint: The proof is very similar to the proof in Ex. 5b.)

§1P. Sets

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| b) $A \cup B = B \cup A$. | e) $A \cap B = B \cap A$. |
| c) $A \cup \emptyset = A$. | f) $A \cap (B \cup C) = (A \cap B) \cup (A \cap C)$. |

Proof.

- a) To show: aa) $(A \cup B) \cup C \subseteq A \cup (B \cup C)$.
 ab) $A \cup (B \cup C) \subseteq (A \cup B) \cup C$.

aa) Let $x \in (A \cup B) \cup C$.
 Then $x \in A \cup B$ or $x \in C$.
 So $x \in A$ or $x \in B$ or $x \in C$.
 So $x \in A$ or $x \in B \cup C$.
 So $x \in A \cup (B \cup C)$.
 So $(A \cup B) \cup C \subseteq A \cup (B \cup C)$.

ab) Let $x \in A \cup (B \cup C)$.
 Then $x \in A$ or $x \in B \cup C$.
 So $x \in A$ or $x \in B$ or $x \in C$.
 So $x \in A \cup B$ or $x \in C$.
 So $x \in (A \cup B) \cup C$.
 So $A \cup (B \cup C) \subseteq (A \cup B) \cup C$.

So $(A \cup B) \cup C = A \cup (B \cup C)$.

- b) To show: ba) $A \cup B \subseteq B \cup A$.
 bb) $B \cup A \subseteq A \cup B$.

ba) Let $x \in A \cup B$.
 Then $x \in A$ or $x \in B$.
 So $x \in B$ or $x \in A$.
 So $x \in B \cup A$.
 So $A \cup B \subseteq B \cup A$.

bb) Let $x \in B \cup A$.
 Then $x \in B$ or $x \in A$.
 So $x \in A$ or $x \in B$.
 So $x \in A \cup B$.
 So $B \cup A \subseteq A \cup B$.

So $A \cup B = B \cup A$.

- c) To show: ca) $A \cup \emptyset \subseteq A$.
 cb) $A \subseteq A \cup \emptyset$.

ca) Proof by contradiction.
 Assume $A \cup \emptyset \not\subseteq A$.
 Then there exists $x \in A \cup \emptyset$ such that $x \notin A$.
 So $x \in \emptyset$.
 This is a contradiction to the definition of empty set.
 So $A \cup \emptyset \subseteq A$.

cb) Let $x \in A$.
 Then $x \in A$ or $x \in \emptyset$.
 So $x \in A \cup \emptyset$.
 So $A \subseteq A \cup \emptyset$.

So $A \cup \emptyset = A$.

- d) To show: da) $(A \cap B) \cap C \subseteq A \cap (B \cap C)$.
db) $A \cap (B \cap C) \subseteq (A \cap B) \cap C$.

da) Let $x \in (A \cap B) \cap C$.
Then $x \in A \cap B$ and $x \in C$.
So $x \in A$ and $x \in B$ and $x \in C$.
So $x \in A$ and $x \in B \cap C$.
So $x \in A \cap (B \cap C)$.
So $(A \cap B) \cap C \subseteq A \cap (B \cap C)$.

db) Let $x \in A \cap (B \cap C)$.
Then $x \in A$ and $x \in B \cap C$.
So $x \in A$ and $x \in B$ and $x \in C$.
So $x \in A \cap B$ and $x \in C$.
So $x \in (A \cap B) \cap C$.
So $A \cap (B \cap C) \subseteq (A \cap B) \cap C$.

So $(A \cap B) \cap C = A \cap (B \cap C)$.

- e) To show: ea) $A \cap B \subseteq B \cap A$.
eb) $B \cap A \subseteq A \cap B$.

ea) Let $x \in A \cap B$.
Then $x \in A$ and $x \in B$.
So $x \in B$ and $x \in A$.
So $x \in B \cap A$.
So $A \cap B \subseteq B \cap A$.

eb) Let $x \in B \cap A$.
Then $x \in B$ and $x \in A$.
So $x \in A$ and $x \in B$.
So $x \in A \cap B$.
So $B \cap A \subseteq A \cap B$.

So $A \cap B = B \cap A$.

- f) To show: fa) $A \cap (B \cup C) \subseteq (A \cap B) \cup (A \cap C)$.
fb) $(A \cap B) \cup (A \cap C) \subseteq A \cap (B \cup C)$.

fa) Let $x \in A \cap (B \cup C)$.
Then $x \in A$ and $x \in B \cup C$.
So $x \in A$ and $x \in B$ or $x \in C$.
So $x \in A$ and $x \in B$, or $x \in A$ and $x \in C$.
So $x \in A \cap B$ or $x \in A \cap C$.
So $x \in (A \cap B) \cup (A \cap C)$.
So $A \cap (B \cup C) \subseteq (A \cap B) \cup (A \cap C)$.

fb) Let $x \in (A \cap B) \cup (A \cap C)$.
Then $x \in A \cap B$ or $x \in A \cap C$.
So $x \in A$ and $x \in B$, or $x \in A$ and $x \in C$.
So $x \in A$ and, $x \in B$ or $x \in C$.
So $x \in A$ and $x \in B \cup C$.
So $x \in A \cap (B \cup C)$.
So $(A \cap B) \cup (A \cap C) \subseteq A \cap (B \cup C)$.

So $A \cap (B \cup C) = (A \cap B) \cup (A \cap C)$. \square

§2P. Functions

(2.2.3) Proposition. *Let $f: S \rightarrow T$ be a function. An inverse function to f exists if and only if f is bijective.*

Proof.

\implies : Assume $f: S \rightarrow T$ has an inverse function $f^{-1}: T \rightarrow S$.

To show: a) f is injective.

b) f is surjective.

a) Assume $f(s_1) = f(s_2)$.

To show: $s_1 = s_2$.

$$s_1 = f^{-1}(f(s_1)) = f^{-1}(f(s_2)) = s_2.$$

So f is injective.

b) Let $t \in T$.

To show: There exists $s \in S$ such that $f(s) = t$.

Let $s = f^{-1}(t)$.

Then

$$f(s) = f(f^{-1}(t)) = t.$$

So f is surjective.

So f is bijective.

\impliedby : Assume $f: S \rightarrow T$ is bijective.

To show: f has an inverse function.

We need to define a function $\varphi: T \rightarrow S$.

Let $t \in T$.

Since f is surjective there exists $s \in S$ such that $f(s) = t$.

Define $\varphi(t) = s$.

To show: a) φ is well defined.

b) φ is an inverse function to f .

a) To show: aa) If $t \in T$ then $\varphi(t) \in S$.

ab) If $t_1, t_2 \in T$ and $t_1 = t_2$ then $\varphi(t_1) = \varphi(t_2)$.

aa) It is clear from the definition that $\varphi(t) \in S$.

ab) To show: If $t_1 = t_2$ then $\varphi(t_1) = \varphi(t_2)$.

Assume $t_1, t_2 \in T$ and $t_1 = t_2$.

Let $s_1, s_2 \in S$ such that $f(s_1) = t_1$ and $f(s_2) = t_2$.

Since $t_1 = t_2$, $f(s_1) = f(s_2)$.

Since f is injective this implies that $s_1 = s_2$.

So $\varphi(t_1) = s_1 = s_2 = \varphi(t_2)$.

So φ is well defined.

b) To show: ba) If $s \in S$ then $\varphi(f(s)) = s$.

bb) If $t \in T$ then $f(\varphi(t)) = t$.

ba) This is immediate from the definition of φ .

bb) Assume $t \in T$.

Let $s \in S$ be such that $f(s) = t$.

Then

$$f(\varphi(t)) = f(s) = t.$$

So $\varphi \circ f$ and $f \circ \varphi$ are the identity functions on S and T respectively.

So φ is an inverse function to f . \square

(2.2.7) Proposition.

- a) Let S be a set and let \sim be an equivalence relation on S . The set of equivalence classes of the relation \sim is a partition of S .
b) Let S be a set and let $\{S_\alpha\}$ be a partition of S . Then the relation defined by

$$s \sim t, \text{ if } s, t \text{ are in the same } S_\alpha,$$

is an equivalence relation on S .

Proof.

- a) To show: aa) If $s \in S$ then s is in some equivalence class.
ab) If $[s] \cap [t] \neq \emptyset$ then $[s] = [t]$.

aa) Let $s \in S$.
Since $s \sim s$, $s \in [s]$.

ab) Assume $[s] \cap [t] \neq \emptyset$.

To show: $[s] = [t]$.

Since $[s] \cap [t] \neq \emptyset$, there is an $r \in [s] \cap [t]$.

So $s \sim r$ and $r \sim t$.

By transitivity, $s \sim t$.

To show: aba) $[s] \subseteq [t]$

abb) $[t] \subseteq [s]$.

aba) Suppose $u \in [s]$.

Then $u \sim s$.

We know $s \sim t$.

So, by transitivity, $u \sim t$.

Therefore $u \in [t]$.

So $[s] \subseteq [t]$.

abb) Suppose $v \in [t]$.

Then $v \sim t$.

We know $t \sim s$.

So, by transitivity, $v \sim s$.

Therefore $v \in [s]$.

So $[t] \subseteq [s]$.

So $[s] = [t]$.

So the equivalence classes form a partition of S .

- b) We must show that \sim is an equivalence relation, i.e. that \sim is reflexive, symmetric, and transitive.

To show: ba) $s \sim s$ for all $s \in S$.

bb) If $s \sim t$ then $t \sim s$.

bc) If $s \sim t$ and $t \sim u$ then $s \sim u$.

ba) s and s are in the same S_α so $s \sim s$.

bb) Assume $s \sim t$.

Then s and t are in the same S_α .

So $t \sim s$.

bc) Assume $s \sim t$ and $t \sim u$.

Then s and t are in the same S_α and t and u are in the same S_α .

So s and u are in the same S_α .

So $s \sim u$.

So \sim is an equivalence relation. \square

1. Let S, T, U be sets and let $f: S \rightarrow T$ and $g: T \rightarrow U$ be functions.

- a) If f and g are injective then $g \circ f$ is injective.
- b) If f and g are surjective then $g \circ f$ is surjective.
- c) If f and g are bijective then $g \circ f$ is bijective.

Proof.

- a) Assume f and g are injective.

To show: If $s_1, s_2 \in S$ and $(g \circ f)(s_1) = (g \circ f)(s_2)$ then $s_1 = s_2$.

Assume $s_1, s_2 \in S$ and $(g \circ f)(s_1) = (g \circ f)(s_2)$.

Then

$$g(f(s_1)) = g(f(s_2)).$$

Thus, since g is injective, $f(s_1) = f(s_2)$.

Thus, since f is injective, $s_1 = s_2$.

So $g \circ f$ is injective.

- b) Assume f and g are surjective.

To show: If $u \in U$ then there exists $s \in S$ such that $(g \circ f)(s) = u$.

Assume $u \in U$.

Since g is surjective there exists $t \in T$ such that $g(t) = u$.

Since f is surjective there exists $s \in S$ such that $f(s) = t$.

So

$$\begin{aligned} (g \circ f)(s) &= g(f(s)) \\ &= g(t) \\ &= u. \end{aligned}$$

So there exists $s \in S$ such that $(g \circ f)(s) = u$.

So $g \circ f$ is surjective.

- c) Assume f and g are bijective.

To show: ca) $g \circ f$ is injective.

cb) $g \circ f$ is surjective.

ca) Since f and g are bijective, f and g are injective.

Thus, by a), $g \circ f$ is injective.

cb) Since f and g are bijective, f and g are surjective.

Thus, by b), $g \circ f$ is surjective.

So $g \circ f$ is bijective. \square

2. Let $f: S \rightarrow T$ be a function. Then the set $F = \{f^{-1}(t) \mid t \in T\}$ of fibers of the map f is a partition of S .

Proof.

To show: a) If $s' \in S$ then $s' \in f^{-1}(t)$ for some $t \in T$.

b) If $f^{-1}(t_1) \cap f^{-1}(t_2) \neq \emptyset$ then $f^{-1}(t_1) = f^{-1}(t_2)$.

- a) Assume $s' \in S$.

Then $f^{-1}(f(s')) = \{s \in S \mid f(s) = f(s')\}$.

Since $f(s') = f(s')$, $s' \in f^{-1}(f(s'))$.

- b) Assume $f^{-1}(t_1) \cap f^{-1}(t_2) \neq \emptyset$.

Let $s \in f^{-1}(t_1) \cap f^{-1}(t_2)$.

So $f(s) = t_1$ and $f(s) = t_2$.

To show: $f^{-1}(t_1) = f^{-1}(t_2)$.

To show: ba) $f^{-1}(t_1) \subseteq f^{-1}(t_2)$.

bb) $f^{-1}(t_2) \subseteq f^{-1}(t_1)$.

ba) Let $k \in f^{-1}(t_1)$.
 Then $f(k) = t_1$
 $= f(s)$
 $= t_2$.
 So $k \in f^{-1}(t_2)$.
 So $f^{-1}(t_1) \subseteq f^{-1}(t_2)$.

bb) Let $h \in f^{-1}(t_2)$.
 Then $f(h) = t_2$
 $= f(s)$
 $= t_1$.
 So $h \in f^{-1}(t_1)$.
 So $f^{-1}(t_2) \subseteq f^{-1}(t_1)$.

So $f^{-1}(t_1) = f^{-1}(t_2)$.

So the set $F = \{f^{-1}(t) \mid t \in T\}$ of fibers of the map f is a partition of S . \square

3. a) Let $f: S \rightarrow T$ be a function. Define

$$f': S \rightarrow \text{im } f$$

$$s \mapsto f(s).$$

Then the map f' is well defined and surjective.

b) Let $f: S \rightarrow T$ be a function and let $F = \{f^{-1}(t) \mid t \in T\}$ be the set of nonempty fibers of f . Define

$$\hat{f}: F \rightarrow T$$

$$f^{-1}(t) \mapsto t.$$

Then the map \hat{f} is well defined and injective.

c) Let $f: S \rightarrow T$ be a function and let $F = \{f^{-1}(t) \mid t \in T\}$ be the set of nonempty fibers of f . Define

$$\hat{f}': F \rightarrow \text{im } f$$

$$f^{-1}(t) \mapsto t.$$

Then the map \hat{f}' is well defined and bijective.

Proof.

a) To show: aa) f' is well defined.

ab) f' is surjective.

aa) To show: aaa) If $s \in S$ then $f'(s) \in \text{im } f$.

aab) If $s_1 = s_2$ then $f'(s_1) = f'(s_2)$.

aaa) Assume $s \in S$.

Then $f'(s) = f(s) \in \text{im } f$ by definition of f' and $\text{im } f$.

aab) Assume $s_1 = s_2$.

Then, by definition of f' ,

$$f'(s_1) = f(s_1) = f(s_2) = f'(s_2).$$

So f' is well defined.

ab) To show: If $t \in \text{im } f$ then there exists $s \in S$ such that $f'(s) = t$.

Assume $t \in \text{im } f$.

Then $f(s) = t$ for some $s \in S$.

So $f'(s) = f(s) = t$.

So f' is surjective.

b) To show: ba) \hat{f} is well defined.

bb) \hat{f} is injective.

ba) To show: baa) If $f^{-1}(t) \in F$ then $\hat{f}(f^{-1}(t)) \in T$.

bab) If $f^{-1}(t_1) = f^{-1}(t_2)$ then $\hat{f}(f^{-1}(t_1)) = \hat{f}(f^{-1}(t_2))$.

baa) Assume $f^{-1}(t) \in F$.

Then $\hat{f}(f^{-1}(t)) = t \in T$, by definition.

bab) Assume $f^{-1}(t_1) = f^{-1}(t_2)$.

Let $s \in f^{-1}(t_1)$.

Then $s \in f^{-1}(t_2)$ also.

So $t_1 = f(s) = t_2$.

Then

$$\hat{f}(f^{-1}(t_1)) = t_1 = t_2 = \hat{f}(f^{-1}(t_2)).$$

So \hat{f} is well defined.

bb) To show: If $\hat{f}(f^{-1}(t_1)) = \hat{f}(f^{-1}(t_2))$ then $f^{-1}(t_1) = f^{-1}(t_2)$.

Assume $\hat{f}(f^{-1}(t_1)) = \hat{f}(f^{-1}(t_2))$.

Then $t_1 = t_2$.

To show: $f^{-1}(t_1) = f^{-1}(t_2)$.

This is clearly true since $t_1 = t_2$.

So \hat{f} is injective.

c) By Ex. 2.2.3 b), the function

$$\hat{f}: \begin{array}{ccc} F & \rightarrow & T \\ f^{-1}(t) & \mapsto & t \end{array}$$

is well defined and injective.

By Ex. 2.2.3 a), the function

$$\hat{f}': \begin{array}{ccc} F & \rightarrow & \text{im } \hat{f} \\ f^{-1}(t) & \mapsto & t \end{array}$$

is well defined and surjective.

To show: ca) $\text{im } \hat{f} = \text{im } f$.

cb) \hat{f}' is injective.

ca) To show: caa) $\text{im } \hat{f} \subseteq \text{im } f$.

cab) $\text{im } f \subseteq \text{im } \hat{f}$.

caa) Assume $t \in \text{im } \hat{f}$.

Then $f^{-1}(t)$ is nonempty.

So there exists $s \in S$ such that $f(s) = t$.

So $t \in \text{im } f$.

So $\text{im } \hat{f} \subseteq \text{im } f$.

cab) Assume $t \in \text{im } f$.

Then there exists $s \in S$ such that $f(s) = t$.

So $f^{-1}(t) \neq \emptyset$.

So $t \in \text{im } \hat{f}$.

So $\text{im } f \subseteq \text{im } \hat{f}$.

So $\text{im } \hat{f} = \text{im } f$.

cb) To show: If $\hat{f}'(f^{-1}(t_1)) = \hat{f}'(f^{-1}(t_2))$ then $f^{-1}(t_1) = f^{-1}(t_2)$.

Assume $\hat{f}'(f^{-1}(t_1)) = \hat{f}'(f^{-1}(t_2))$.

So $t_1 = t_2$.
 So $f^{-1}(t_1) = f^{-1}(t_2)$.
 So \hat{f}' is injective.
 So \hat{f}' is well defined and bijective. \square

4. Let S be a set and let $\{0, 1\}^S$ be the set of all functions $f: S \rightarrow \{0, 1\}$. Given a subset $T \subseteq S$ define a function $f_T: S \rightarrow \{0, 1\}$ by

$$f_T(s) = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } s \notin T; \\ 1 & \text{if } s \in T. \end{cases}$$

Then the map

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \psi: & 2^S & \rightarrow & \{0, 1\}^S \\ & T & \mapsto & f_T \end{array}$$

is a bijection.

Proof.

To show: a) ψ is well defined.
 b) ψ is bijective.

a) To show: aa) If $T \in 2^S$ then $\psi(T) = f_T \in \{0, 1\}^S$.

ab) If T_1 and T_2 are subsets of S and $T_1 = T_2$ then $\psi(T_1) = \psi(T_2)$.

aa) It is clear from the definition of f_T that $zz/psi(T) = f_T$ is a function from S to $\{0, 1\}$.

ab) Assume T_1 and T_2 are subsets of S and $T_1 = T_2$.

To show: $\psi(T_1) = \psi(T_2)$.

To show: $f_{T_1} = f_{T_2}$.

To show: If $s \in S$ then $f_{T_1}(s) = f_{T_2}(s)$.

Assume $s \in S$.

Case 1: If $s \in T_1$ then, since $T_1 = T_2$, $s \in T_2$.

So

$$f_{T_1}(s) = 1 = f_{T_2}(s).$$

Case 2: If $s \notin T_1$ then, since $T_1 = T_2$, $s \notin T_2$.

So

$$f_{T_1}(s) = 0 = f_{T_2}(s).$$

So $f_{T_1}(s) = f_{T_2}(s)$ for all $s \in S$.

So $f_{T_1} = f_{T_2}$.

So $\psi(T_1) = f_{T_1} = f_{T_2} = \psi(T_2)$.

So ψ is well defined.

b) By virtue of Proposition 2.2.3 we would like to show:

$\psi: 2^S \rightarrow \{0, 1\}^S$ has an inverse function.

Given a function $f: S \rightarrow \{0, 1\}$ define

$$T_f = \{s \in S \mid f(s) = 1\}.$$

Define a function $\varphi: \{0, 1\}^S \rightarrow 2^S$ by

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \varphi: & \{0, 1\}^S & \rightarrow & 2^S \\ & f & \mapsto & T_f. \end{array}$$

To show: ba) φ is well defined.

bb) φ is an inverse function to ψ .

ba) To show: baa) If $f \in \{0, 1\}^S$ then $\varphi(f) = T_f \in 2^S$.

bab) If $f_1, f_2 \in \{0, 1\}^S$ and $f_1 = f_2$ then

$$\varphi(f_1) = \varphi(f_2).$$

baa) By definition, $T_f = \{s \in S \mid f(s) = 1\}$ is a subset of S .

bab) Assume $f_1, f_2 \in \{0, 1\}^S$ and $f_1 = f_2$.

To show: $\varphi(f_1) = \varphi(f_2)$.

To show: $T_{f_1} = T_{f_2}$.

To show: baba) $T_{f_1} \subseteq T_{f_2}$.

babb) $T_{f_2} \subseteq T_{f_1}$.

baba) Assume $s \in T_{f_1}$.

Then $f_1(s) = 1$.

Since $f_2(s) = f_1(s)$, $f_2(s) = 1$.

Thus $s \in T_{f_2}$.

So $T_{f_1} \subseteq T_{f_2}$.

babb) Assume $s \in T_{f_2}$.

Then $f_2(s) = 1$.

Since $f_1(s) = f_2(s)$, $f_1(s) = 1$.

Thus $s \in T_{f_1}$.

So $T_{f_2} \subseteq T_{f_1}$.

So $T_{f_1} = T_{f_2}$.

So $\varphi(f_1) = \varphi(f_2)$.

So φ is well defined.

bb) To show: bba) If $T \in 2^S$ then $\varphi(\psi(T)) = T$.

bbb) If $f \in \{0, 1\}^S$ then $\psi(\varphi(f)) = f$.

bba) Assume $T \subseteq S$.

To show: $\varphi(\psi(T)) = T$.

To show: $T_{f_T} = T$.

To show: bbaa) $T_{f_T} \subseteq T$.

bbab) $T \subseteq T_{f_T}$.

bbaa) Assume $t \in T_{f_T}$.

Then $f_T(t) = 1$.

So $t \in T$.

So $T_{f_T} \subseteq T$.

bbab) Assume $t \in T$.

Then $f_T(t) = 1$.

So $t \in T_{f_T}$.

So $T \subseteq T_{f_T}$.

So $T_{f_T} = T$.

So $\varphi(\psi(T)) = T$.

bbb) Assume $f \in \{0, 1\}^S$.

To show: $\psi(\varphi(f)) = f$.

By definition, $\psi(\varphi(f)) = f_{T_f}$.

To show: If $s \in S$ then $f_{T_f}(s) = f(s)$.

Assume $s \in S$.

Case 1: $f(s) = 1$.

Then $s \in T_f$.

So $f_{T_f}(s) = 1$.
 So $f_{T_f}(s) = f(s)$.

Case 2: $f(s) = 0$.
 Then $s \notin T_f$.
 So $f_{T_f}(s) = 0$.
 So $f_{T_f}(s) = f(s)$.

So $f_{T_f}(s) = f(s)$.
 So $\psi(\varphi(f)) = f$.

So φ is an inverse function to ψ .

So ψ is bijective. \square

5. a) Let \circ be an operation on a set S . If S contains an identity for \circ then it is unique.
 b) Let e be an identity for an associative operation \circ on a set S . Let $s \in S$. If s has an inverse then it is unique.

Proof.

- a) Let $e, e' \in S$ be identities for \circ .
 Then $e \circ e' = e$, since e' is an identity, and $e \circ e' = e'$, since e is an identity.
 So $e = e'$.
 b) Assume $t, u \in S$ are both inverses for s .
 By associativity of \circ , $u = (t \circ s) \circ u = t \circ (s \circ u) = t$. \square

6. a) Let S and T be sets and let ι_S and ι_T be the identity maps on S and T respectively.
 For any function $f: S \rightarrow T$,

$$\iota_T \circ f = f, \quad \text{and} \\ f \circ \iota_S = f.$$

- b) Let $f: S \rightarrow T$ be a function. If an inverse function to f exists then it is unique.

Proof.

- a) Assume $f: S \rightarrow T$ is a function.
 To show: aa) $\iota_T \circ f = f$.
 ab) $f \circ \iota_S = f$.
 To show: aa) If $s \in S$ then $\iota_T(f(s)) = f(s)$.
 ab) If $s \in S$ then $f(\iota_S(s)) = f(s)$.
 aa) and ab) follow immediately from the definitions of ι_T and ι_S respectively.
 b) Assume φ and ψ are both inverse functions to f .
 To show: $\varphi = \psi$.
 By the definitions of identity functions and inverse functions,

$$\varphi = \varphi \circ (f \circ \psi) = (\varphi \circ f) \circ \psi = \psi.$$

So, if an inverse function to f exists, then it is unique. \square