

Chapter-1: Sets and Functions

Question 1 The functions $f: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ and $g: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ are defined by $f(x) = \frac{2x+2}{x-1}$ and $g(x) = \frac{x-3}{2x+1}$ [D.B.17]

- a. Find the domain of f . 2
 b. Show that g is one-one and onto function. 4
 c. If $3f^{-1}(x) = x$, then find the value of x . 4

Solution to the question no. 1

a Given, $f(x) = \frac{2x+2}{x-1}$

Now, the function $f(x)$ will be defined if and only if $x-1 \neq 0$ or, $x \neq 1$

\therefore Domain = $\mathbb{R} - \{1\}$ (Ans.)

b Given, $g(x) = \frac{x-3}{2x+1}$

Now, $g(x) \in \mathbb{R}$ is valid if and only if $2x+1 \neq 0$

Or, $x \neq -\frac{1}{2}$.

\therefore Domain, $g = \mathbb{R} - \left\{-\frac{1}{2}\right\}$

$g(x)$ will be one-one if and only if for any $a, b \in$ Domain $g, g(a) = g(b)$ implies $a = b$.

Let, $g(a) = g(b)$

Or, $\frac{a-3}{2a+1} = \frac{b-3}{2b+1}$

Or, $2ab - 6b + a - 3 = 2ab - 6a + b - 3$

Or, $a + 6a = b + 6b$

Or, $7a = 7b \therefore a = b$

Therefore, the function $g(x)$ is one-one. (Shown)

Let, $y = g(x) = \frac{x-3}{2x+1}$

Or, $2xy + y = x - 3$

Or, $y + 3 = x - 2xy$

Or, $y + 3 = x(1 - 2y)$

$\therefore x = \frac{y+3}{1-2y} \in \mathbb{R}$ is valid if and only if $1 - 2y \neq 0$

Or, $y \neq \frac{1}{2}$.

\therefore Range of $g(x) = \mathbb{R} - \left\{\frac{1}{2}\right\} =$ co-domain

\therefore The function $g(x)$ is onto.

[N.B. In case of $g: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ the question is not correct. The function $g(x)$ will be defined, one-one and onto in the case

of $g: \mathbb{R} - \left\{-\frac{1}{2}\right\} \rightarrow \mathbb{R} - \left\{\frac{1}{2}\right\}$ and considering this case the solution of the question is given.]

c Given, $f(x) = \frac{2x+2}{x-1}$

Let, $f^{-1}(x) = a$

Or, $x = f(a)$

Or, $x = \frac{2a+2}{a-1}$

Or, $ax - x = 2a + 2$

Or, $ax - 2a = x + 2$

Or, $a(x - 2) = x + 2$

Or, $a = \frac{x+2}{x-2} \therefore f^{-1}(x) = \frac{x+2}{x-2}$

According to question, $3f^{-1}(x) = x$

Or, $3\left(\frac{x+2}{x-2}\right) = x$

Or, $3x + 6 = x^2 - 2x$

Or, $x^2 - 5x - 6 = 0$

Or, $x^2 - 6x + x - 6 = 0$

Or, $x(x - 6) + 1(x - 6) = 0$

Or, $(x - 6)(x + 1) = 0$

$\therefore x = -1, 6$ (Ans.)

Question 2 $E = \{x: x \in \mathbb{R} \text{ and } x^2 - (a+b)x + ab = 0, a, b \in \mathbb{R}\}$.

$F = \{3, 4\}$ and $G = \{4, 5, 6\}$ [B.B.17]

- a. Find the elements of the set E . 2
 b. Prove that, $P(F \cap G) = P(F) \cap P(G)$. 4
 c. Show that, $E \times (F \cup G) = (E \times F) \cup (E \times G)$. 4

Solution to the question no. 2

a Given,

$E = \{x: x \in \mathbb{R} \text{ and } x^2 - (a+b)x + ab = 0, a, b \in \mathbb{R}\}$

Here, $x^2 - (a+b)x + ab = 0$

Or, $x^2 - ax - bx + ab = 0$

Or, $x(x - a) - b(x - a) = 0$

Or, $(x - a)(x - b) = 0$

$\therefore x = a, b$

$\therefore E = \{a, b\}$

The elements of the set E are a and b . (Ans.)

b Given, $F = \{3, 4\}$ and $G = \{4, 5, 6\}$

Here, $F \cap G = \{3, 4\} \cap \{4, 5, 6\} = \{4\}$

Now, $P(F) = \{\{3, 4\}, \{3\}, \{4\}, \emptyset\}$

and $P(G) = \{\{4, 5, 6\}, \{4, 5\}, \{4, 6\}, \{5, 6\}, \{4\}, \{5\}, \{6\}, \emptyset\}$

L.H.S. = $P(F \cap G) = \{\{4\}, \emptyset\}$

and R.H.S. = $P(F) \cap P(G)$

= $\{\{3, 4\}, \{3\}, \{4\}, \emptyset\} \cap \{\{4, 5, 6\}, \{4, 5\}, \{4, 6\},$

$\{5, 6\}, \{4\}, \{5\}, \{6\}, \emptyset\}$

= $\{\{4\}, \emptyset\}$

$\therefore P(F \cap G) = P(F) \cap P(G)$ (Proved)

- c** Given, $F = \{3, 4\}$ and $G = \{4, 5, 6\}$
 From 'a' we get, $E = \{a, b\}$
 Here, $F \cup G = \{3, 4\} \cup \{4, 5, 6\} = \{3, 4, 5, 6\}$
 $E \times F = \{a, b\} \times \{3, 4\}$
 $= \{(a, 3), (a, 4), (b, 3), (b, 4)\}$
 and $E \times G = \{a, b\} \times \{4, 5, 6\}$
 $= \{(a, 4), (a, 5), (a, 6), (b, 4), (b, 5), (b, 6)\}$
 Now, L.H.S. = $E \times (F \cup G)$
 $= \{a, b\} \times \{3, 4, 5, 6\}$
 $= \{(a, 3), (a, 4), (a, 5), (a, 6), (b, 3), (b, 4), (b, 5), (b, 6)\}$
 And R.H.S. = $(E \times F) \cup (E \times G)$
 $= \{(a, 3), (a, 4), (b, 3), (b, 4)\} \cup \{(a, 4), (a, 5), (a, 6), (b, 4), (b, 5), (b, 6)\}$
 $= \{(a, 3), (a, 4), (a, 5), (a, 6), (b, 3), (b, 4), (b, 5), (b, 6)\}$
 $\therefore E \times (F \cup G) = (E \times F) \cup (E \times G)$ (Shown)

- Question ▶ 3** $A = \{x : x \in \mathbb{R} \text{ and } x^2 - (p+q)x + pq = 0;$
 $p, q \in \mathbb{R}\}$, $B = \{2, 3\}$ and $C = \{3, 4, 5\}$. [D.B.16]
 a. Define subset and complementary set. 2
 b. Show that, $P(B \cap C) = P(B) \cap P(C)$. 4
 c. Prove that, $A \times (B \cup C) = (A \times B) \cup (A \times C)$. 4

Solution to the question no. 3

- a** **Sub-set** : If P and Q are two sets such that each of the element of Q belongs to P, then it is said that Q is a sub-set of P and it can be denoted as $Q \subset P$.
Complementary set : If U is a universal set and P be any sub-set of U, then complement set of P is defined as a set which is a sub-set of U containing all the elements of U other than the elements of P and it can be denoted as : $P' = \{x : x \notin P \text{ and } x \in U\}$.
b Given that, $B = \{2, 3\}$, $C = \{3, 4, 5\}$
 $\therefore B \cap C = \{2, 3\} \cap \{3, 4, 5\} = \{3\}$
 L.H.S = $P(B \cap C) = \{\{3\}, \emptyset\}$
 Again, $P(B) = \{\{2\}, \{3\}, \{2, 3\}, \emptyset\}$
 and $P(C) = \{\{3\}, \{4\}, \{5\}, \{3, 4\}, \{4, 5\}, \{3, 5\}, \{3, 4, 5\}, \emptyset\}$
 R.H.S = $P(B) \cap P(C)$
 $= \{\{2\}, \{3\}, \{2, 3\}, \emptyset\} \cap \{\{3\}, \{4\}, \{5\}, \{3, 4\}, \{4, 5\}, \{3, 5\}, \{3, 4, 5\}, \emptyset\}$
 $= \{\{3\}, \emptyset\}$
 $\therefore P(B \cap C) = P(B) \cap P(C)$ (Shown)

- c** Given that,
 $A = \{x : x \in \mathbb{R} \text{ and } x^2 - (p+q)x + pq = 0; p, q \in \mathbb{R}\}$
 $B = \{2, 3\}$
 $C = \{3, 4, 5\}$
 Now, $x^2 - (p+q)x + pq = 0$
 Or, $x^2 - px - qx + pq = 0$
 Or, $x(x-p) - q(x-p) = 0$
 $\therefore (x-p)(x-q) = 0$
 Either, $x-p=0$ or, $x-q=0$
 $\therefore x=p$ $\therefore x=q$
 $\therefore A = \{p, q\}$
 Again, $B \cup C = \{2, 3\} \cup \{3, 4, 5\} = \{2, 3, 4, 5\}$
 $A \times B = \{p, q\} \times \{2, 3\}$
 $= \{(p, 2), (p, 3), (q, 2), (q, 3)\}$
 $A \times C = \{p, q\} \times \{3, 4, 5\}$
 $= \{(p, 3), (p, 4), (p, 5), (q, 3), (q, 4), (q, 5)\}$

L.H.S = $A \times (B \cup C)$
 $= \{p, q\} \times \{2, 3, 4, 5\}$
 $= \{(p, 2), (p, 3), (p, 4), (p, 5), (q, 2), (q, 3), (q, 4), (q, 5)\}$
 R.H.S = $(A \times B) \cup (A \times C)$
 $= \{(p, 2), (p, 3), (q, 2), (q, 3)\} \cup \{(p, 3), (p, 4), (p, 5), (q, 3), (q, 4), (q, 5)\}$
 $= \{(p, 2), (p, 3), (p, 4), (p, 5), (q, 2), (q, 3), (q, 4), (q, 5)\}$
 $\therefore A \times (B \cup C) = (A \times B) \cup (A \times C)$ (Proved)

- Question ▶ 4** $f(x) = \frac{2}{x-3}$ [R.B.17]
 a. Find the domain of $f(x)$ 2
 b. Determine $f^{-1}(5)$. 4
 c. Draw the graph of the given function. 4

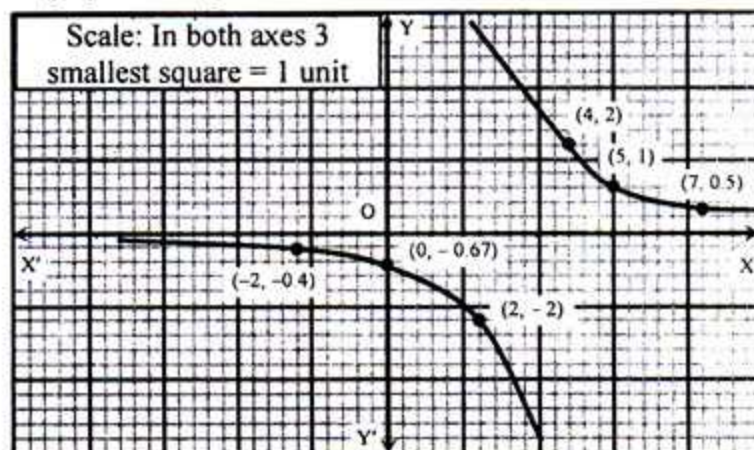
Solution to the question no. 4

- a** Given, $f(x) = \frac{2}{x-3}$
 The function $f(x)$ will be defined if and only if,
 $x-3 \neq 0$ Or, $x \neq 3$.
 \therefore Domain = $\mathbb{R} - \{3\}$ (Ans.)
b Let, $f^{-1}(x) = a$
 $\therefore x = f(a)$
 Or, $x = \frac{2}{a-3}$
 Or, $x(a-3) = 2$
 Or, $ax - 3x = 2$
 Or, $ax = 3x + 2$
 Or, $a = \frac{3x+2}{x}$
 $\therefore f^{-1}(x) = \frac{3x+2}{x}$
 $\therefore f^{-1}(5) = \frac{3 \cdot 5 + 2}{5} = \frac{17}{5}$ (Ans.)

- c** Let, $y = f(x) = \frac{2}{x-3}$
 Now, determine the corresponding values of y for some values of x:

x	-2	0	2	4	5	7
y = f(x)	-0.4	-0.67	-2	2	1	0.5

x-axis and y-axis have been drawn on the graph paper. Here 3 units of graph paper along x-axis and y-axis has been taken to represent 1 unit. Then plot the points (x, y). Adding these points smoothly, we have the graph of the given function.



- Question ▶ 5** $f(x) = \frac{2x+3}{x-3}$, $x \neq 3$ is a function. [C.B.17]
 a. Find the value of $f(a-1)$. 2

- b. Find the inverse function of given function.
 c. Show that the given function is one-one and onto.

Solution to the question no. 5

a. Given, $f(x) = \frac{2x+3}{x-3}$
 $\therefore f(a-1) = \frac{2(a-1)+3}{(a-1)-3}$
 $= \frac{2a-2+3}{a-1-3}$
 $= \frac{2a+1}{a-4}$ (Ans.)

b. Let, $f^{-1}(x) = a$
 $\therefore x = f(a)$
 Or, $x = \frac{2a+3}{a-3}$
 Or, $ax - 3x = 2a + 3$
 Or, $ax - 2a = 3x + 3$
 Or, $a(x-2) = 3x + 3$
 Or, $a = \frac{3x+3}{x-2}$
 $\therefore f^{-1}(x) = \frac{3x+3}{x-2}, x \neq 2$ (Ans.)

c. $f(x)$ will be one-one if and only if for any $x_1, x_2 \in$ Domain $f, x_1 \neq x_2; f(x_1) = f(x_2)$ implies $x_1 = x_2$

Let, $f(x_1) = f(x_2)$
 Or, $\frac{2x_1+3}{x_1-3} = \frac{2x_2+3}{x_2-3}$
 Or, $2x_1x_2 + 3x_2 - 6x_1 - 9 = 2x_1x_2 - 6x_2 + 3x_1 - 9$
 Or, $-6x_1 - 3x_1 = -6x_2 - 3x_2$
 Or, $-9x_1 = -9x_2$
 $\therefore x_1 = x_2$

\therefore The function f is one-one.

Again, let, $y = f(x)$
 $\therefore y = \frac{2x+3}{x-3}$

Or, $xy - 3y = 2x + 3$
 Or, $xy - 2x = 3y + 3$
 Or, $x(y-2) = 3y + 3$
 $\therefore x = \frac{3y+3}{y-2}$

Now, $f\left(\frac{3y+3}{y-2}\right) = \frac{2 \cdot \frac{3y+3}{y-2} + 3}{\frac{3y+3}{y-2} - 3}$
 $= \frac{6y+6+3y-6}{y-2} \times \frac{y-2}{3y+3-3y+6}$
 $= \frac{9y}{9}$
 $= y = f(x)$

\therefore The function f is onto.

Therefore, the function f is one-one and onto. (Shown)

Question 6 $S = \{(x, y): x^2 + y^2 + 6x + 8y + 9 = 0\}$ be a relation and $A = \{x : x \in \mathbb{N}, x \text{ prime number and } x < 7\}, B = \{x : x \text{ positive integer and } \sqrt{x} < 2\}$ are two sets. [Ctg.B.17]

- a. Express the set B in tabular method. 2
 b. Show that, $P(A) \cap P(B) = P(A \cap B)$ 4
 c. Draw the graph of the relation "S" and ascertain from the graph whether 'S' is a function or not. 4

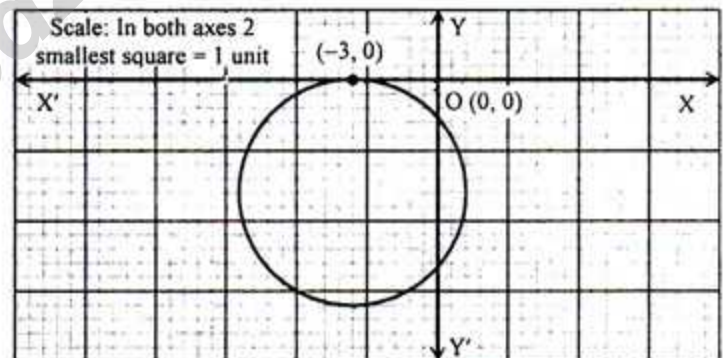
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Solution to the question no. 6

a. Given, $B = \{x : x \text{ positive integer and } \sqrt{x} < 2\}$
 Now, if $x = 1, \sqrt{x} = \sqrt{1} = 1 < 2$
 if $x = 2, \sqrt{x} = \sqrt{2} = 1.4142 < 2$
 if $x = 3, \sqrt{x} = \sqrt{3} = 1.7320 < 2$
 if $x = 4, \sqrt{x} = \sqrt{4} = 2$
 $\therefore B = \{1, 2, 3\}$ (Ans.)

b. Given, $A = \{x : x \in \mathbb{N}, x \text{ prime number and } x < 7\} = \{2, 3, 5\}$
 and $B = \{1, 2, 3\}$ [from 'a']
 $\therefore P(A) = \{\{2\}, \{3\}, \{5\}, \{2, 3\}, \{3, 5\}, \{2, 5\}, \{2, 3, 5\}, \emptyset\}$
 $P(B) = \{\{1\}, \{2\}, \{3\}, \{1, 2\}, \{2, 3\}, \{1, 3\}, \{1, 2, 3\}, \emptyset\}$
 $A \cap B = \{2, 3, 5\} \cap \{1, 2, 3\} = \{2, 3\}$
 L.H.S. = $P(A) \cap P(B) = \{\{2\}, \{3\}, \{2, 3\}, \emptyset\}$
 R.H.S. = $P(A \cap B) = \{\{2\}, \{3\}, \{2, 3\}, \emptyset\}$
 $\therefore P(A) \cap P(B) = P(A \cap B)$ (Shown)

c. Given, $S = \{(x, y) : x^2 + y^2 + 6x + 8y + 9 = 0\} = \{(x, y) : x^2 + 2 \cdot x \cdot 3 + 3^2 + y^2 + 2 \cdot y \cdot 4 + 4^2 - 16 = 0\} = \{(x, y) : (x+3)^2 + (y+4)^2 = 4^2\}$
 So, the graph of S is a circle whose centre is $(-3, -4)$ and radius is 4. Plotting the point on the graph paper and drawing a circle by taking 4 units and centre at $(-3, -4)$, we get the graph of S which is shown below:



In the graph we see that, the circle intersects at two points on the y-axis. So, S is not a function.

Question 7 $f(x) = \sqrt{2x-3}$ is a function. [S.B.17]

- a. If $f(x) = 1$, then determine the value of x. 2
 b. Determine the Domain of $f(x)$ and show the function is one-one. 4
 c. Determine the range of $f^{-1}(x)$. 4

Solution to the question no. 7

a. Given, $f(x) = \sqrt{2x-3}$
 According to question, $f(x) = 1$
 Or, $\sqrt{2x-3} = 1$
 Or, $2x-3 = 1$ [by squaring]
 Or, $2x = 1 + 3$
 Or, $x = \frac{4}{2}$
 $\therefore x = 2$ (Ans.)

b. $f(x)$ will be defined if and only if $2x-3 \geq 0$.
 Or, $2x-3+3 \geq 3$
 Or, $2x \geq 3 \therefore x \geq \frac{3}{2}$

$$\therefore \text{Domain} = \left\{ x \in \mathbb{R} : x \geq \frac{3}{2} \right\} \text{ (Ans.)}$$

$f(x)$ will be one-one if and only if for any $x_1, x_2 \in$ Domain f ,

$$x_1 \neq x_2 \text{ if } f(x_1) = f(x_2) \text{ then } x_1 = x_2.$$

$$\text{Let, } f(x_1) = f(x_2)$$

$$\therefore \sqrt{2x_1 - 3} = \sqrt{2x_2 - 3}$$

$$\text{Or, } 2x_1 - 3 = 2x_2 - 3 \text{ [by squaring]}$$

$$\text{Or, } 2x_1 = 2x_2 \therefore x_1 = x_2$$

\therefore The function f is one-one. (Shown)

c Let, $f^{-1}(x) = a$

$$\text{Or, } x = f(a) \text{ Or, } x = \sqrt{2a - 3}$$

$$\text{Or, } x^2 = 2a - 3$$

$$\text{Or, } 2a = x^2 + 3$$

$$\text{Or, } a = \frac{x^2 + 3}{2}$$

$$\therefore f^{-1}(x) = \frac{x^2 + 3}{2}$$

$$\text{Again, let, } y = \frac{x^2 + 3}{2}$$

$$\text{Or, } x^2 + 3 = 2y$$

$$\text{Or, } x^2 = 2y - 3$$

$$\therefore x = \sqrt{2y - 3}$$

Now, x will be defined if and only if $2y - 3 \geq 0$ or, $y \geq \frac{3}{2}$.

$$\therefore \text{Range of } f^{-1}(x) = \left\{ y \in \mathbb{R} : y \geq \frac{3}{2} \right\} \text{ (Ans.)}$$

Question 8 $f(x) = \frac{4x + 3}{2x + 5}$

[J.B.17]

a. Find the domain of $f(x)$.

b. Show that, $f(x)$ is one-one function.

c. If $f^{-1}(-2) = p, f^{-1}(-3)$, find the value of p .

Solution to the question no. 8

a Given, $f(x) = \frac{4x + 3}{2x + 5}$

$f(x)$ will be defined if and only if $2x + 5 \neq 0$.

$$\text{or, } 2x \neq -5$$

$$\therefore x \neq -\frac{5}{2}$$

$$\therefore \text{Domain} = \mathbb{R} - \left\{ -\frac{5}{2} \right\} \text{ (Ans.)}$$

b For any $x_1, x_2 \in$ Domain f , $f(x)$ will be one-one if and only if $f(x_1) = f(x_2)$ then, $x_1 = x_2$.

$$\text{Let, } f(x_1) = f(x_2)$$

$$\text{Or, } \frac{4x_1 + 3}{2x_1 + 5} = \frac{4x_2 + 3}{2x_2 + 5}$$

$$\text{Or, } 8x_1x_2 + 6x_2 + 20x_1 + 15 = 8x_1x_2 + 6x_1 + 20x_2 + 15$$

$$\text{Or, } 20x_1 - 6x_1 = 20x_2 - 6x_2$$

$$\text{Or, } 14x_1 = 14x_2$$

$$\therefore x_1 = x_2$$

\therefore the function f is one-one. (Shown)

c Let $f^{-1}(x) = a$

$$\text{Or, } x = f(a)$$

$$\text{Or, } x = \frac{4a + 3}{2a + 5}$$

$$\text{Or, } 2ax + 5x = 4a + 3$$

$$\text{Or, } 2ax - 4a = 3 - 5x$$

$$\text{Or, } a(2x - 4) = 3 - 5x$$

$$\text{Or, } a = \frac{3 - 5x}{2x - 4}$$

$$\therefore f^{-1}(x) = \frac{3 - 5x}{2x - 4}$$

According to question, $f^{-1}(-2) = p, f^{-1}(-3)$

$$\text{Or, } \frac{3 - 5(-2)}{2(-2) - 4} = p \left\{ \frac{3 - 5(-3)}{2(-3) - 4} \right\}$$

$$\text{Or, } \frac{3 + 10}{-4 - 4} = p \left(\frac{3 + 15}{-6 - 4} \right)$$

$$\text{Or, } \frac{13}{-8} = p \left(\frac{18}{-10} \right)$$

$$\text{Or, } p = \frac{13 \times 10}{18 \times 8}$$

$$\therefore p = \frac{65}{72} \text{ (Ans.)}$$

Question 9 $F(x) = \sqrt{2 - 4x}$ is a function.

[C.B.16]

a. Find the domain of the function stated by $F(x)$.

2

b. Determine whether the function F is one-one or not.

4

c. Find the value of $F^{-1}(-3)$.

4

Solution to the question no. 9

a Given,

$$F(x) = \sqrt{2 - 4x}$$

$F(x) \in \mathbb{R}$ if and only if

$$2 - 4x \geq 0.$$

$$\text{Or, } -4x \geq -2$$

$$\text{Or, } 4x \leq 2$$

$$\therefore x \leq \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\therefore \text{Domain } F = \{x \in \mathbb{R} : x \leq \frac{1}{2}\} \text{ (Ans.)}$$

b $F(x) = \sqrt{2 - 4x}$

Let, $x_1, x_2 \in$ domain F

The function will be one-one if and only if $F(x_1) = F(x_2)$ then $x_1 = x_2$.

$$\therefore F(x_1) = F(x_2)$$

$$\text{Or, } \sqrt{2 - 4x_1} = \sqrt{2 - 4x_2}$$

$$\text{Or, } 2 - 4x_1 = 2 - 4x_2$$

$$\text{Or, } -4x_1 = -4x_2$$

$$\therefore x_1 = x_2 \text{ [Dividing by } -4]$$

$\therefore F(x)$ is a one-one function (Ans.)

c Let, $y = F(x) = \sqrt{2 - 4x}$

Now, $F(x) = y$

$$\therefore x = F^{-1}(y)$$

$$\text{Again, } y = \sqrt{2 - 4x}$$

$$\text{Or, } y^2 = 2 - 4x$$

$$\text{Or, } 4x = 2 - y^2$$

$$\text{Or, } x = \frac{2 - y^2}{4}$$

$$\text{Or, } F^{-1}(y) = \frac{2 - y^2}{4}$$

$$\therefore F^{-1}(x) = \frac{2 - x^2}{4}$$

$$\therefore F^{-1}(-3) = \frac{2 - (-3)^2}{4} = \frac{2 - 9}{4} = \frac{-7}{4} \text{ (Ans.)}$$

Question ► 10 Given, $f(a) = \frac{a+y}{a-y}$ and $g(x) = \frac{1}{2x+1}$.

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- a. Find the discriminant of the equation $2x^2 - 7x + 1 = 0$. 2
 b. Solve: $f(x) + \frac{1}{f(x)} = \frac{5}{2}$ and $x^2 + y^2 = 90$. 4
 c. Find the domain and range of $g(x)$ and show that $g(x)$ is one-one function 4

Solution to the question no. 10

a We know, the discriminant of $ax^2 + bx + c = 0$ is $b^2 - 4ac$
 \therefore Discriminant of $2x^2 - 7x + 1 = 0$
 is $(-7)^2 - 4.2.1$
 $= 49 - 8$
 $= 41$ (Ans.)

b Given, $f(a) = \frac{a+y}{a-y}$
 $\therefore f(x) = \frac{x+y}{x-y}$
 and $\frac{1}{f(x)} = \frac{x-y}{x+y}$
 $\therefore f(x) + \frac{1}{f(x)} = \frac{5}{2}$

Or, $\frac{x+y}{x-y} + \frac{x-y}{x+y} = \frac{5}{2}$ (i)

and $x^2 + y^2 = 90$ (ii)

From (i) we get,

$$\frac{(x+y)^2 + (x-y)^2}{(x+y)(x-y)} = \frac{5}{2}$$

$$\text{Or, } \frac{2(x^2 + y^2)}{x^2 - y^2} = \frac{5}{2}$$

$$\text{Or, } \frac{2 \times 90}{x^2 - y^2} = \frac{5}{2} \text{ [putting } x^2 + y^2 = 90 \text{ from (ii)]}$$

$$\therefore x^2 - y^2 = 72 \text{..... (iii)}$$

(ii) + (iii) implies, $2x^2 = 162$

$$\text{Or, } x^2 = 81$$

$$\text{Or, } x = \pm 9$$

and (ii) - (iii) implies, $2y^2 = 18$

$$\text{Or, } y^2 = 9$$

$$\text{Or, } y = \pm 3$$

\therefore Required solution: $(x, y) = (9, 3), (9, -3), (-9, 3),$

$(-9, -3)$ (Ans.)

c Given, $g(x) = \frac{1}{2x+1}$

Now, the function $g(x)$ will not be defined if and only if $2x + 1 = 0$

$$\text{or, } x = -\frac{1}{2}$$

$$\therefore \text{Dom } g = \mathbb{R} - \left\{ -\frac{1}{2} \right\} \text{ (Ans.)}$$

Let, $g(x) = y$

$$\text{Or, } \frac{1}{2x+1} = y$$

$$\text{Or, } 2xy + y = 1$$

$$\text{Or, } 2xy = 1 - y$$

$$\text{Or, } x = \frac{1-y}{2y}$$

Now, $x = \frac{1-y}{2y} \in \mathbb{R}$ if and only if $y \neq 0$

\therefore Range $g = \mathbb{R} - \{0\}$ (Ans.)

Again, Let $x_1, x_2 \in \text{Dom } g$

$$\text{and } g(x_1) = g(x_2)$$

$$\text{Or, } \frac{1}{2x_1+1} = \frac{1}{2x_2+1}$$

$$\text{Or, } 2x_1 + 1 = 2x_2 + 1$$

$$\text{Or, } 2x_1 = 2x_2$$

$$\text{Or, } x_1 = x_2$$

$\therefore g(x)$ is a one-one function. (Shown)

Question ► 11 The functions : $f : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ and $g : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ are defined by $f(x) = x^7 + 5$ and $g(x) = (x-5)^{\frac{1}{7}}$ respectively.

[Mymensingh Girls' Cadet College, Mymensingh]

- a. Find the value of $g^{-1}(-1)$ 2
 b. Ascertain whether $f(x)$ is onto function. 4
 c. Show that $f = g^{-1}$. 4

Solution to the question no. 11

a Given,

$$g(x) = (x-5)^{\frac{1}{7}}$$

Let, $g^{-1}(x) = a$

$$\therefore x = g(a)$$

$$\text{Or, } x = (a-5)^{\frac{1}{7}}$$

$$\text{Or, } x^7 = a-5$$

$$\text{Or, } a = x^7 + 5$$

$$\therefore g^{-1}(x) = x^7 + 5$$

$$\therefore g^{-1}(-1) = (-1)^7 + 5 = -1 + 5 = 4 \text{ (Ans.)}$$

b Given, $f(x) = x^7 + 5$

Let, $y = f(x) = x^7 + 5$

$$\text{Or, } y = x^7 + 5$$

$$\text{Or, } x^7 = y - 5$$

$$\therefore x = (y-5)^{\frac{1}{7}}$$

$$\text{Let, } h(y) = (y-5)^{\frac{1}{7}}$$

For any real value of y , the function $h(y)$ is defined.

$$\therefore \text{Range of } f = \mathbb{R} = \text{co-domain of } h(y)$$

\therefore The function $f(x)$ is onto function.

c Given, $f(x) = x^7 + 5$

$$g(x) = (x-5)^{\frac{1}{7}}$$

From, 'a' $g^{-1}(x) = x^7 + 5$

$$\therefore f(x) = g^{-1}(x)$$

$$\therefore f = g^{-1} \text{ (Shown)}$$

Question 12 $f(x) = \frac{x-2}{x-3}$ where $x \neq 3$ and $g(x) = \frac{x-3}{2x+1}$ where

$$x \neq -\frac{1}{2}$$

[Rajshahi Cadet College, Rajshahi]

- Explain the range of $p(x) = 2x - 3$ 2
- Justify $f(x)$ is onto function or not. 4
- Find the value of $g^{-1}(5)$. 4

Solution to the question no. 12

a Given,

$$p(x) = 2x - 3$$

$$\text{Let, } p(x) = y = 2x - 3$$

$$\text{Or, } 2x = y + 3$$

$$\text{Or, } x = \frac{y+3}{2}$$

$$\therefore p^{-1}(x) = \frac{3+x}{2}$$

So, $\frac{3}{2} + \frac{x}{2}$ is defined for all possible values of x .

\therefore Range of $p(x) = (-\infty, \infty)$ (Ans.)

b Given,

$$f(x) = \frac{x-2}{x-3}$$

$$\text{Let, } f(x) = y = \frac{x-2}{x-3}$$

$$xy - 3y = x - 2$$

$$xy - x = 3y - 2$$

$$x(y-1) = 3y-2$$

$$x = \frac{3y-2}{y-1}$$

$$\therefore f\left(\frac{3y-2}{y-1}\right) = \frac{\frac{3y-2}{y-1} - 2}{\frac{3y-2}{y-1} - 3}$$

$$= \frac{\frac{3y-2-2y+2}{y-1}}{\frac{3y-2-3y+3}{y-1}} = \frac{y}{1}$$

$$= \frac{y}{(y-1)} \times (y-1) = y = f(x)$$

$\therefore f(x)$ is onto function (Justified)

c Let, $y = g(x)$

$$\therefore x = g^{-1}(y)$$

$$\text{Now, } g(x) = \frac{x-3}{2x+1}$$

$$\text{Or, } y = \frac{x-3}{2x+1}$$

$$\text{Or, } 2xy + y = x - 3$$

$$\text{Or, } 2xy - x = -y - 3$$

$$\text{Or, } x(2y-1) = -y-3$$

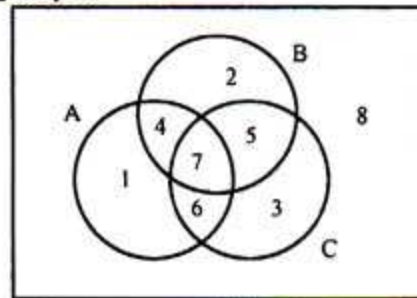
$$\text{Or, } x = \frac{-y-3}{2y-1} = \frac{y+3}{1-2y}$$

$$\therefore g^{-1}(y) = \frac{y+3}{1-2y}$$

$$\text{Or, } g^{-1}(x) = \frac{x+3}{1-2x} \text{ [Interchanging the variables]}$$

$$\therefore g^{-1}(5) = \frac{5+3}{1-(2 \times 5)} = -\frac{8}{9} \text{ (Ans.)}$$

Question 13 Step-I.



Step-II. The function, $F(x) = \frac{ax+b}{cx+d}$, where $a, b, c \in \mathbb{R}$.

[Joypurhat Girls' Cadet College, Joypurhat]

- Represent the set area no. -7 by the sets A, B, C in the step-I. 2
- State and prove "DeMorgans Law" by the sets A, B, C in the step-I. 4
- Find the domain, range, inverse function and justify the function one-one or onto in step-II. 4

Solution to the question no. 13

a From the figure,

$$A = \{1, 4, 6, 7\}$$

$$B = \{2, 4, 5, 7\}$$

$$C = \{3, 5, 6, 7\}$$

$$A \cap B = \{1, 4, 6, 7\} \cap \{2, 4, 5, 7\} = \{4, 7\}$$

$$\therefore (A \cap B) \cap C = \{2, 7\} \cap \{3, 5, 6, 7\} = \{7\}$$

\therefore The set area is $(A \cap B) \cap C$. (Ans.)

b DeMorgans law: For any subsets A and B of a universal set U, we have

$$i) (A \cup B)' = A' \cap B'$$

$$ii) (A \cap B)' = A' \cup B'$$

Proof :

From the figure,

$$U = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8\}$$

From 'a,

$$A = \{1, 4, 6, 7\}$$

$$B = \{2, 4, 5, 7\}$$

$$C = \{3, 5, 6, 7\}$$

$$(i) A \cup B = \{1, 4, 6, 7\} \cup \{2, 4, 5, 7\} = \{1, 2, 4, 5, 6, 7\}$$

$$(A \cup B)' = U - (A \cup B) = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8\} - \{1, 2, 4, 5, 6, 7\} = \{3, 8\}$$

$$A' = U - A = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8\} - \{1, 4, 6, 7\} = \{2, 3, 5, 8\}$$

$$B' = U - B = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8\} - \{2, 4, 5, 7\} = \{1, 3, 6, 8\}$$

$$\therefore A' \cap B' = \{2, 3, 5, 8\} \cap \{1, 3, 6, 8\} = \{3, 8\}$$

$\therefore (A \cup B)' = A' \cap B'$ (Proved)

$$(ii) (A \cap B)' = \{1, 4, 6, 7\}' \cap \{2, 4, 5, 7\}' = \{4, 7\}'$$

$$(A \cap B)' = U - (A \cap B) = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8\} - \{4, 7\} = \{1, 2, 3, 5, 6, 8\}$$

$$A' = \{2, 3, 5, 8\}$$

$$B' = \{1, 3, 6, 8\}$$

$$\therefore A' \cup B' = \{2, 3, 5, 8\} \cup \{1, 3, 6, 8\}$$

$$= \{1, 2, 3, 5, 6, 8\}$$

$$\therefore (A \cap B)' = A' \cup B' \text{ (Proved)}$$

c Given function,

$$F(x) = \frac{ax + b}{cx + d}$$

The function $f(x)$ is defined if and only if $cx + d \neq 0$

$$\text{Or, } cx \neq -d$$

$$\therefore x \neq \frac{-d}{c}$$

$$\therefore \text{Domain of the function} = \mathbb{R} - \left\{ \frac{-d}{c} \right\} \text{ (Ans.)}$$

$$\text{Let, } y = f(x) \therefore x = f^{-1}(y)$$

$$\text{Or, } y = \frac{ax + b}{cx + d}$$

$$\text{Or, } cxy + yd = ax + b$$

$$\text{Or, } cxy - ax = b - yd$$

$$\text{Or, } x(cy - a) = b - yd$$

$$\therefore x = \frac{b - yd}{cy - a}$$

$$\text{Now, } x = \frac{b - yd}{cy - a} \in \mathbb{R} \text{ if and only if}$$

$$cy - a \neq 0$$

$$\therefore y = \frac{a}{c}$$

$$\therefore \text{Range of the function} = \mathbb{R} - \left\{ \frac{a}{c} \right\} \text{ (Ans.)}$$

$$\text{Here, } x = \frac{b - yd}{cy - a}$$

$$\therefore f^{-1}(y) = \frac{b - yd}{cy - a}$$

$$\text{Or, } f^{-1}(x) = \frac{b - xd}{cx - a} \text{ (Ans.)}$$

Let, $x_1, x_2 \in \text{domain } F$

$F(x)$ will be one one if and only if $F(x_1) = F(x_2)$ for which

$$x_1 = x_2.$$

$$\therefore f(x_1) = f(x_2)$$

$$\text{Or, } \frac{ax_1 + b}{cx_1 + d} = \frac{ax_2 + b}{cx_2 + d}$$

$$\text{Or, } acx_1x_2 + bcx_1 + adx_2 + bd = acx_2x_1 + adx_1 + bcx_2 + bd$$

$$\text{Or, } bcx_1 - adx_1 = bcx_2 - adx_2$$

$$\text{Or, } x_1(bc - ad) = x_2(bc - ad)$$

$$\therefore x_1 = x_2$$

$\therefore F(x)$ is one one function. (Ans.)

Let, $y \in \text{Range } F,$

$$\therefore F\left(\frac{b - yd}{cy - a}\right) = \frac{a \frac{b - yd}{cy - a} + b}{c \frac{b - yd}{cy - a} + d}$$

$$= \frac{ab - ady + bcy - ab}{cy - a} \div \frac{bc - cdy + cdy - ad}{cy - a}$$

$$= \frac{y(bc - ad)}{cy - a} \times \frac{cy - a}{bc - ad} = y$$

\therefore The function is on to. Thus the function is one-one and onto. (Justified)

Question ► 14 A relation is described by $x^2 + y^2 = 4$.

[Pabna Cadet College, Pabna]

- Express the relation in the form of $y = f(x)$ & find the domain of $f(x)$. 2
- If $y \geq 0$ then verify whether the relation is function & also prove that it is not one-one function. 4
- Draw the graph of the relation & also write down the geometric name of it? 4

Solution to the question no. 14

a Given, $x^2 + y^2 = 4$

$$\text{Or, } y^2 = 4 - x^2$$

$$\therefore y = \pm\sqrt{4 - x^2}$$

$$\therefore y = f(x) = \pm\sqrt{4 - x^2}$$

Now, $f(x)$ will be defined if

$$4 - x^2 \geq 0$$

$$\text{Or, } 4 \geq x^2$$

$$\text{Or, } |x| \leq 2$$

$$\therefore -2 \leq x \leq 2$$

$$\therefore \text{Domain, } f = \{x : x \in \mathbb{R} \text{ and } -2 \leq x \leq 2\} \text{ (Ans.)}$$

b From 'a'

$$y = \sqrt{4 - x^2} \quad [\because y \geq 0]$$

$$\text{Let, } f(x) = \sqrt{4 - x^2}$$

For any value of x there is no more than one value of y .

So, the relation is a function.

Now, the function will be one-one if for any $a, b \in \text{Domain } f, f(a) = f(b)$ implies that $a = b$.

$$\text{Now, } f(a) = f(b)$$

$$\text{Or, } \sqrt{4 - a^2} = \sqrt{4 - b^2}$$

$$\text{Or, } a^2 = b^2$$

$$\text{Or, } 4 - a^2 = 4 - b^2$$

$$\text{Or, } -a^2 = -b^2$$

$$\therefore a = \pm b$$

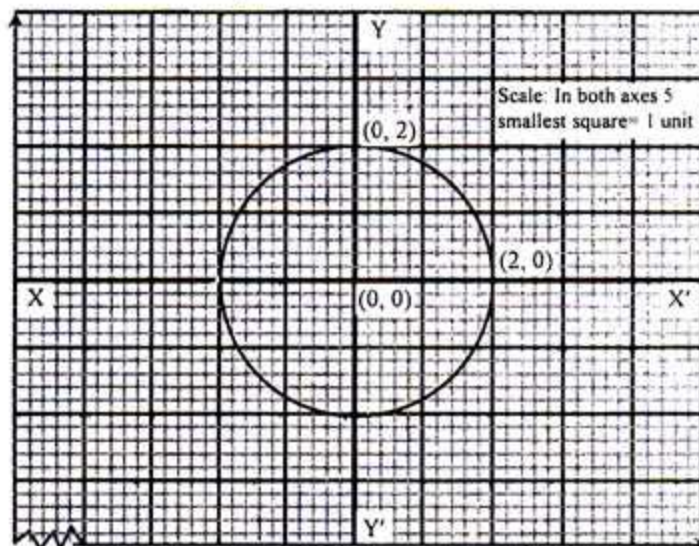
So, the function is not one-one.

c Given,

$$x^2 + y^2 = 4$$

$$\therefore (x - 0)^2 + (y - 0)^2 = 2^2$$

The graph of the given relation is a circle with centre $(0, 0)$ and radius 2. Graph of the relation is shown below—



Question ► 15 Let $f : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ then function is defined as $f(x) =$

$$\frac{4x + 3}{2x + 5}$$

[Rangpur Cadet College, Rangpur]

- Determine whether the relation $x^2 + y^2 = 25$ is function or not? 2
- Find whether the function f is one-one or not. 4
- If $f^{-1}(-6) = m \cdot f^{-1}(-2)$, find the value of m . 4

Solution to the question no. 15

a $x^2 + y^2 = 25$
 Or, $y^2 = 25 - x^2$
 $\therefore y = \pm \sqrt{25 - x^2}$
 For a single value of x we are getting two different value of y .
 So, $x^2 + y^2 = 25$ is not a function.

b For any $x_1, x_2 \in \text{Domain } f$, $f(x)$ will be one-one if and only if $f(x_1) = f(x_2)$ then, $x_1 = x_2$.

Let, $f(x_1) = f(x_2)$
 Or, $\frac{4x_1 + 3}{2x_1 + 5} = \frac{4x_2 + 3}{2x_2 + 5}$
 Or, $8x_1x_2 + 6x_2 + 20x_1 + 15 = 8x_1x_2 + 6x_1 + 20x_2 + 15$
 Or, $20x_1 - 6x_1 = 20x_2 - 6x_2$
 Or, $14x_1 = 14x_2$

$\therefore x_1 = x_2$
 \therefore The function f is one-one. (Shown)

c Given, $f(x) = \frac{4x + 3}{2x + 5}$

Let, $y = f(x)$
 $\therefore x = f^{-1}(y)$
 Now, $y = \frac{4x + 3}{2x + 5}$

Or, $2xy + 5y = 4x + 3$
 Or, $2xy - 4x = 3 - 5y$
 Or, $x(2y - 4) = 3 - 5y$
 Or, $x = \frac{3 - 5y}{2y - 4}$

$\therefore f^{-1}(y) = \frac{3 - 5y}{2y - 4}$

$\therefore f^{-1}(x) = \frac{3 - 5x}{2x - 4}$

$\therefore f^{-1}(-6) = \frac{3 - 5(-6)}{2(-6) - 4} = \frac{3 + 30}{-12 - 4} = \frac{-33}{16}$

$\therefore f^{-1}(-2) = \frac{3 - 5(-2)}{2(-2) - 4} = \frac{3 + 10}{-4 - 4} = \frac{-13}{8}$

Given,
 $f^{-1}(-6) = m f^{-1}(-2)$

Or, $\frac{-33}{16} = m \cdot \left(\frac{-13}{8}\right)$

Or, $\frac{-33}{16} \times \frac{8}{-13} = m$

$\therefore m = \frac{33}{26}$ (Ans.)

Question 16 Scenario : $f(x) = \ln \frac{3+x}{3-x}$ and P, Q are any finite set.

[Faujdarhat Cadet College, Chattogram]

- a. Find the domain of $f(x)$. 2
 b. According to scenario prove that $f(x)$ has inverse function then find $f^{-1}(x)$. 4
 c. Prove that $n(P \cup Q) = n(P) + n(Q) - n(P \cap Q)$. 4

Solution to the question no. 16

a Let, $y = f(x) = \ln \frac{3+x}{3-x}$

Since, logarithm is defined only for the positive real number,

$\therefore \frac{3+x}{3-x} > 0$ if (i) $3+x > 0$ and $3-x > 0$,

Or, (ii) $3+x < 0$ and $3-x < 0$,

From no.(i), we get, $x > -3$ and $-x > -3$

Or, $x > -3$ and $x < 3$

$\therefore \text{Domain} = (x : -3 < x) \cap \{x : x < 3\}$
 $= (-3, \infty) \cap (-\infty, 3)$
 $= (-3, 3)$

From no.(ii), we get, $x < -3$ and $-x < -3$
 or, $x < -3$ and $x > 3$

$\therefore \text{Domain} = \{x : x < -3\} \cap \{x : x > 3\} = \emptyset$

\therefore Domain of the given function

$D_f = \text{union of the domain obtained in (i) and (ii)}$
 $= (-3, 3) \cup \emptyset = (-3, 3)$

Ans: Domain of the given function $D_f = (-3, 3)$

b We know that, if a function is one-one and onto then the function has an inverse.

Now, $f(x) = \ln \left(\frac{3+x}{3-x}\right)$

$f(x)$ will be one-one if and only if for any $x_1, x_2 \in \text{Domain } f$, $x_1 \neq x_2 : f(x_1) = f(x_2)$

implies $x_1 = x_2$

Let, $f(x_1) = f(x_2)$

Or, $\ln \left(\frac{3+x_1}{3-x_1}\right) = \ln \left(\frac{3+x_2}{3-x_2}\right)$

Or, $\frac{3+x_1}{3-x_1} = \frac{3+x_2}{3-x_2}$

Or, $9 - 3x_2 + 3x_1 - x_1x_2 = 9 + 3x_2 - 3x_1 - x_1x_2$

Or, $3x_1 + 3x_1 = 3x_2 + 3x_2$

Or, $6x_1 = 6x_2$

$\therefore x_1 = x_2$

\therefore The function $f(x)$ is one-one.

Let, $y = f(x)$

$\therefore y = \ln \left(\frac{3+x}{3-x}\right)$

Or, $e^y = \frac{3+x}{3-x}$

Or, $3+x = 3e^y - xe^y$

Or, $x(1+e^y) = 3(e^y-1)$

$\therefore x = \frac{3(e^y-1)}{e^y+1}$

Now, $f\left(\frac{3(e^y-1)}{e^y+1}\right) = \ln \left(\frac{3 + \frac{3(e^y-1)}{e^y+1}}{3 - \frac{3(e^y-1)}{e^y+1}}\right) = \ln \left(\frac{3e^y + 3 + 3e^y - 3}{3e^y + 3 - 3e^y + 3}\right)$

$= \ln \left(3 \cdot \frac{e^y-1}{e^y+1}\right) = \ln e^y = y$

\therefore The function is onto.

So, the function $f(x)$ has in inverse.

Now, let $y = f(x) = \ln \left(\frac{3+x}{3-x}\right)$

$\therefore y = \ln \left(\frac{3+x}{3-x}\right)$ and $x = f^{-1}(y)$

Or, $e^y = \frac{3+x}{3-x}$

Or, $3+x = 3e^y - xe^y$

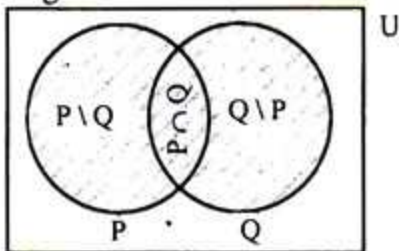
Or, $x(1+e^y) = 3(e^y-1)$

$$\text{Or, } x = \frac{3(e^y - 1)}{1 + e^y}$$

$$\text{Or, } f^{-1}(y) = \frac{3(e^y - 1)}{e^y + 1}$$

$$\therefore f^{-1}(x) = \frac{3(e^x - 1)}{e^x + 1} \text{ (Ans.)}$$

Here, $P \setminus Q$, $P \cap Q$ and $Q \setminus P$ are disjoint sets to each other shown in Venn diagram.



$$\text{and, } P = (P \setminus Q) \cup (P \cap Q)$$

$$Q = (Q \setminus P) \cup (P \cap Q)$$

$$P \cup Q = (P \setminus Q) \cup (P \cap Q) \cup (Q \setminus P)$$

$$\therefore n(P) = n(P \setminus Q) + n(P \cap Q) \dots\dots\dots(i)$$

$$n(Q) = n(Q \setminus P) + n(P \cap Q) \dots\dots\dots(ii)$$

$$n(P \cup Q) = n(P \setminus Q) + n(P \cap Q) + n(Q \setminus P) \dots\dots\dots(iii)$$

Therefore, from (i) we get,

$$n(P \setminus Q) = n(P) - n(P \cap Q)$$

$$\text{From (ii), we get, } n(Q \setminus P) = n(Q) - n(P \cap Q)$$

Now, $n(P \setminus Q)$ and $n(Q \setminus P)$ putting in (iii)

We get,

$$n(P \cup Q)$$

$$= n(P) - n(P \cap Q) + n(Q) - n(P \cap Q) + n(P \cap Q)$$

$$\therefore n(P \cup Q) = n(P) + n(Q) - n(P \cap Q) \text{ (Shown)}$$

Question 17 $A = \{x : x \in \mathbb{R} \text{ and } x^2 - (e + f)x + ef = 0\}$; $B = \{1, 2\}$ and $C = \{2, 4, 5\}$ [Sylhet Cadet College, Sylhet]

a. Find $n(A)$ 2

b. Show that $P(B \cap C) = P(B) \cap P(C)$ 4

c. Prove that $A \times (B \cup C) = (A \times B) \cup (A \times C)$ 4

Solution to the question no. 17

a Given, $A = \{x : x \in \mathbb{R} \text{ and } x^2 - (e + f)x + ef = 0\}$

Now,

$$\text{Or, } x^2 - (e + f)x + ef = 0$$

$$\text{Or, } x^2 - ex - fx + ef = 0$$

$$\text{Or, } x(x - e) - f(x - e) = 0$$

$$\text{Or, } (x - e)(x - f) = 0$$

$$\therefore x = e, f$$

$$\therefore A = \{e, f\}$$

$$\therefore n(A) = 2 \text{ (Ans.)}$$

b Given, $B = \{1, 2\}$, $C = \{2, 4, 5\}$

$$P(B) = \{\{1\}, \{2\}, \{1, 2\}, \emptyset\}$$

$$P(C) = \{\{2\}, \{4\}, \{5\}, \{2, 4\}, \{2, 5\}, \{4, 5\}, \{2, 4, 5\}, \emptyset\}$$

$$\therefore P(B) \cap P(C) = \{\{1\}, \{2\}, \{1, 2\}, \emptyset\} \cap \{\{2\}, \{4\}, \{5\},$$

$$\{2, 4\}, \{2, 5\}, \{4, 5\}, \{2, 4, 5\}, \emptyset\}$$

$$= \{\{2\}, \emptyset\}$$

$$\text{Again, } B \cap C = \{1, 2\} \cap \{2, 4, 5\} = \{2\}$$

$$\therefore P(B \cap C) = \{\{2\}, \emptyset\}$$

$$\therefore P(B \cap C) = P(B) \cap P(C). \text{ (Shown)}$$

c Given, $B = \{1, 2\}$, $C = \{2, 4, 5\}$

and $A = \{e, f\}$ [From 'a']

$$B \cup C = \{1, 2\} \cup \{2, 4, 5\} = \{1, 2, 4, 5\}$$

$$\text{L.S.} = A \times (B \cup C) = \{e, f\} \times \{1, 2, 4, 5\}$$

$$= \{(e, 1), (e, 2), (e, 4), (e, 5), (f, 1), (f, 2), (f, 4), (f, 5)\}$$

$$\text{Again, } A \times B = \{e, f\} \times \{1, 2\} = \{(e, 1), (e, 2), (f, 1), (f, 2)\}$$

$$\text{and } A \times C = \{e, f\} \times \{2, 4, 5\}$$

$$= \{(e, 2), (e, 4), (e, 5), (f, 2), (f, 4), (f, 5)\}$$

$$\text{R.S.} = (A \times B) \cup (A \times C)$$

$$= \{(e, 1), (e, 2), (f, 1), (f, 2)\} \cup \{(e, 2), (e, 4), (e, 5),$$

$$(f, 2), (f, 4), (f, 5)\}$$

$$= \{(e, 1), (e, 2), (e, 4), (e, 5), (f, 1), (f, 2), (f, 4), (f, 5)\}$$

$$\therefore A \times (B \cup C) = (A \times B) \cup (A \times C) \text{ (Proved)}$$

Question 18 $f : \mathbb{R} \setminus \{1\} \rightarrow \mathbb{R} \setminus \{2\}$, $f(x) = \frac{2x + 2}{x - 1}$ and $g(x) =$

$$\sqrt{x - 2}$$

[Barishal Cadet College, Barishal]

a. Determine the domain of $g(x)$. 2

b. Show that $f(x)$ is one-one and on-to function. 4

c. If $5 f^{-1}(x) = g^{-1}(3)$, then find the value of x . 4

Solution to the question no. 18

a Given, $g(x) = \sqrt{x - 2}$

$g(x)$ is defined if and only if $x - 2 \geq 0$

$$\text{or, } x \geq 2$$

$$\therefore \text{Dom, } g = \{x \in \mathbb{R} : x \geq 2\} \text{ (Ans.)}$$

b Given that, $f(x) = \frac{2x + 2}{x - 1}$

Assume that, $a, b \in \mathbb{R}$ then,

$$f(a) = \frac{2a + 2}{a - 1}$$

$$f(b) = \frac{2b + 2}{b - 1}$$

So, $f(a) = f(b)$ implies.

Now, $f(a) = f(b)$

$$\text{Or, } \frac{2a + 2}{a - 1} = \frac{2b + 2}{b - 1}$$

$$\text{Or, } 2ab + 2b - 2a - 2 = 2ab + 2a - 2b - 2$$

$$\text{Or, } 2ab - 2ab + 2b + 2b - 2a - 2 + 2 = 2a$$

$$\text{Or, } 4b = 4a$$

$$\therefore a = b$$

Therefore, $f(x)$ is one-one function.

Again, for any $y \in \text{Range of } f$, let

$$y = f(x)$$

$$\text{Or, } y = \frac{2x + 2}{x - 1}$$

$$\text{Or, } xy - y = 2x + 2$$

$$\text{Or, } x(y - 2) = y + 2$$

$$\text{Or, } x = \frac{y + 2}{y - 2}$$

$$\therefore x = \frac{y + 2}{y - 2}$$

$$\therefore f\left(\frac{y + 2}{y - 2}\right) = \frac{2 \cdot \frac{y + 2}{y - 2} + 2}{\frac{y + 2}{y - 2} - 1}$$

$$= \frac{2y + 4 + 2y - 4}{y + 2 - y + 2} = \frac{4y}{4} = y = f(x)$$

$\therefore f(x)$ is onto function

Therefore, $f(x)$ is one-one and onto function. (Shown)

c The given relation, $5 f^{-1}(x) = g^{-1}(3)$

Therefore, we find $f^{-1}(x)$ and $g^{-1}(x)$

Let, $y = f(x)$

$$\text{Or, } y = \frac{2x+2}{x-1}$$

$$\text{Or, } xy - y = 2x + 2$$

$$\text{Or, } x(y-2) = 2+y$$

$$\therefore x = \frac{2+y}{y-2}$$

$$\therefore y = f(x) \text{ or, } x = f^{-1}(y)$$

$$\therefore f^{-1}(y) = \frac{2+y}{y-2}$$

$$\text{Or, } f^{-1}(x) = \frac{2+x}{x-2}$$

$$\text{Again let, } y = g(x) = \sqrt{x-2}$$

$$\therefore y = \sqrt{x-2}$$

$$\text{Or, } y^2 = x-2$$

$$\text{Or, } x = y^2 + 2$$

$$\therefore g^{-1}(y) = y^2 + 2$$

$$\text{Or, } g^{-1}(x) = x^2 + 2$$

$$\therefore g^{-1}(3) = 3^2 + 2 = 11$$

Now, according to question,

$$5 f^{-1}(x) = g^{-1}(3)$$

$$\text{Or, } 5 \frac{2+x}{x-2} = 11$$

$$\text{Or, } \frac{10+5x}{x-2} = 11$$

$$\text{Or, } 11x - 22 = 10 + 5x$$

$$\text{Or, } 11x - 5x = 32$$

$$\therefore x = \frac{32}{6} = \frac{16}{3} \text{ (Ans.)}$$

Question 19 (i) $\frac{1}{(3x-1)} + \frac{1}{(3x-1)^2} + \frac{1}{(3x-1)^3} + \dots$

is a geometrical series.

$$(ii) F(x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{5x-1}}$$

[Viqarunnisa Noon School & College, Dhaka]

- Show that, $F(x, y, z) = (x+y+z)(xy+yz+zx)$ is a cyclic expression. 2
- If $x = 1$, then determine the 5th term and sum up to the 15th term of the series. 4
- With the help of (ii) verified $F(x)$ is one-one and find $F^{-1}(1)$. 4

Solution to the question no. 19

a $F(x, y, z) = (x+y+z)(xy+yz+zx)$
 $\therefore F(y, z, x) = (y+z+x)(yz+zx+xy)$
 $= (x+y+z)(xy+yz+zx)$
 $= F(x, y, z)$

So, $F(x, y, z)$ is a cyclic expression (Shown)

b Given,

$$\frac{1}{3x-1} + \frac{1}{(3x-1)^2} + \frac{1}{(3x-1)^3} + \dots$$

When $x = 1$ then, we have

$$\frac{1}{3x-1} = \frac{1}{3 \cdot 1 - 1} = \frac{1}{3-1} = \frac{1}{2}$$

The geometric series is

$$\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2^2} + \frac{1}{2^3} + \frac{1}{2^4} + \dots$$

1st term of the series, $a = \frac{1}{2}$

$$\text{Common ratio, } r = \frac{\frac{1}{2^2}}{\frac{1}{2}} = \frac{\frac{1}{4}}{\frac{1}{2}} = \frac{1}{4} \times \frac{2}{1} = \frac{1}{2} < 1$$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore 5^{\text{th}} \text{ term} &= ar^{5-1} \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \cdot \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{5-1} \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{2^4} \\ &= \frac{1}{2^5} \\ &= \frac{1}{32} \text{ (Ans.)} \end{aligned}$$

Sum up to 15th term

$$\begin{aligned} S_{15} &= \frac{a(1-r^{15})}{1-r} \\ &= \frac{\frac{1}{2} \left\{ 1 - \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{15} \right\}}{1 - \frac{1}{2}} \\ &= \frac{\frac{1}{2} \cdot \left(1 - \frac{1}{32768}\right)}{\frac{1}{2}} \\ &= 1 - \frac{1}{32768} \\ &= \frac{32767}{32768} \text{ (Ans.)} \end{aligned}$$

c Given, $F(x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{5x-1}}$

$F(x)$ will be one-one function if and only if $F(x_1) = F(x_2)$ for which $x_1 = x_2$

Now, $F(x_1) = F(x_2)$

$$\text{Or, } \frac{1}{\sqrt{5x_1-1}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{5x_2-1}}$$

$$\text{Or, } \sqrt{5x_1-1} = \sqrt{5x_2-1}$$

$$\text{Or, } 5x_1 - 1 = 5x_2 - 1$$

$$\text{Or, } 5x_1 = 5x_2$$

$$\therefore x_1 = x_2$$

$\therefore F(x)$ is one-one function.

Let, $F^{-1}(1) = x$

$$\text{Or, } 1 = F(x)$$

$$\text{Or, } \frac{1}{\sqrt{5x-1}} = 1$$

$$\text{Or, } \sqrt{5x-1} = 1$$

$$\text{Or, } 5x - 1 = 1$$

$$\text{Or, } 5x = 1 + 1$$

$$\text{Or, } 5x = 2$$

$$\therefore x = \frac{2}{5}$$

$$\therefore F^{-1}(1) = \frac{2}{5} \text{ (Ans.)}$$

Question ▶ 20 $E = \{x : x \in \mathbb{R} \text{ and } x^2 - (a+b)x + ab = 0, a, b \in \mathbb{R}\}$

$F = \{3, 4\}$ and $G = \{4, 5, 6\}$

[Dhaka Residential Model School and College, Dhaka]

- a. Find the elements of the set E. 2
 b. Prove that $P(F \cap G) = P(F) \cap P(G)$ 4
 c. Show that $E \times (F \cap G) = (E \times F) \cap (E \times G)$ 4

Solution to the question no. 20

a Given,
 $E = \{x : x \in \mathbb{R} \text{ and } x^2 - (a+b)x + ab = 0, a, b \in \mathbb{R}\}$

Here, $x^2 - (a+b)x + ab = 0$

or, $x^2 - ax - bx + ab = 0$

or, $x(x-a) - b(x-a) = 0$

or, $(x-a)(x-b) = 0$

$\therefore x = a, b$

$\therefore E = \{a, b\}$

The elements of the set E are a and b. (Ans.)

b Given, $F = \{3, 4\}$ and $G = \{4, 5, 6\}$

Here, $F \cap G = \{3, 4\} \cap \{4, 5, 6\}$

$= \{4\}$

Now, $P(F) = \{\{3, 4\}, \{3\}, \{4\}, \emptyset\}$

and $P(G) = \{\{4, 5, 6\}, \{4, 5\}, \{4, 6\}, \{5, 6\}, \{4\}, \{5\}, \{6\}, \emptyset\}$

L.H.S. = $P(F \cap G) = \{\{4\}, \emptyset\}$

and R.H.S. = $P(F) \cap P(G)$

$= \{\{3, 4\}, \{3\}, \{4\}, \emptyset\} \cap \{\{4, 5, 6\}, \{4, 5\}, \{4, 6\},$

$\{5, 6\}, \{4\}, \{5\}, \{6\}, \emptyset\}$

$= \{\{4\}, \emptyset\}$

$\therefore P(F \cap G) = P(F) \cap P(G)$ (Proved)

c Given,

$F = \{3, 4\}, G = \{4, 5, 6\}$

$\therefore F \cap G = \{3, 4\} \cap \{4, 5, 6\}$

$= \{4\}$

From 'a',

$E = \{a, b\}$

\therefore L.H.S = $E \times (F \cap G)$

$= \{a, b\} \times \{4\}$

$= \{(a, 4), (b, 4)\}$

Now,

$E \times F = \{a, b\} \times \{3, 4\}$

$= \{(a, 3), (a, 4), (b, 3), (b, 4)\}$

and $E \times G = \{a, b\} \times \{4, 5, 6\}$

$= \{(a, 4), (a, 5), (a, 6), (b, 4), (b, 5), (b, 6)\}$

\therefore R.H.S = $(E \times F) \cap (E \times G)$

$= \{(a, 3), (a, 4), (b, 3), (b, 4)\} \cap \{(a, 4), (a, 5), (a, 6), (b, 4), (b, 5), (b, 6)\}$

$= \{(a, 4), (b, 4)\}$

\therefore L.H.S = R.H.S (Shown)

Question ▶ 21 A Function $f : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ is defined by $f(x) =$

$\frac{2x+k}{x-3}$ and that $f(6) = 5$. [Saint Joseph Higher Secondary School, Dhaka]

- a. Find the value of k. 2
 b. Find the inverse function f^{-1} , and state the domain of f^{-1} . 4
 c. Determine whether f is one-one, onto function or not. 4

Solution to the question no. 21

a Given, $f : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ and $f(x) = \frac{2x+k}{x-3}$

and $f(6) = 5$

Or, $\frac{2 \cdot 6 + k}{6 - 3} = 5$

Or, $\frac{12 + k}{3} = 5$

Or, $12 + k = 15$

Or, $k = 3$ (Ans.)

b From 'a' we get, $k = 3$

$\therefore f(x) = \frac{2x+3}{x-3}$

Let, $f^{-1}(x) = a$

$\therefore x = f(a)$

Or, $x = \frac{2a+3}{a-3}$

Or, $ax - 3x = 2a + 3$

Or, $ax - 2a = 3x + 3$

Or, $a(x-2) = 3x+3$

Or, $a = \frac{3x+3}{x-2}$

$\therefore f^{-1}(x) = \frac{3x+3}{x-2}, x \neq 2$ (Ans.)

Now, $f^{-1}(x) \in \mathbb{R}$, is invalid if and only if $x-2=0$ or $x=2$

\therefore Domain $f^{-1} = \mathbb{R} - \{2\}$ (Ans.)

c $f(x)$ will be one-one if and only if for any $x_1, x_2 \in$ Domain f , $x_1 \neq x_2$; $f(x_1) = f(x_2)$ implies $x_1 = x_2$

Let, $f(x_1) = f(x_2)$

Or, $\frac{2x_1+3}{x_1-3} = \frac{2x_2+3}{x_2-3}$

Or, $2x_1x_2 + 3x_2 - 6x_1 - 9 = 2x_1x_2 - 6x_2 + 3x_1 - 9$

Or, $-6x_1 - 3x_1 = -6x_2 - 3x_2$

Or, $-9x_1 = -9x_2$

$\therefore x_1 = x_2$

\therefore The function f is one-one.

Again, let, $y = f(x)$

$\therefore y = \frac{2x+3}{x-3}$

Or, $xy - 3y = 2x + 3$

Or, $xy - 2x = 3y + 3$

Or, $x(y-2) = 3y+3$

$\therefore x = \frac{3y+3}{y-2}$

Now, $f\left(\frac{3y+3}{y-2}\right) = \frac{2 \cdot \frac{3y+3}{y-2} + 3}{\frac{3y+3}{y-2} - 3}$

$= \frac{6y+6+3y-6}{y-2} \times \frac{y-2}{3y+3-3y+6}$

$= \frac{9y}{9}$

$= y$

$= f(x)$

\therefore The function f is onto.

Therefore, the function f is one-one and onto. (Shown)

Question 22 $F(x) = \sqrt{3-4x}$ is a function.

[BAF Shaheen College, Tejgaon, Dhaka]

- a. Find the domain of the function stated by $F(x)$. 2
 b. Determine whether the function F is one-one or not. 4
 c. Find the value of $F^{-1}(-5)$. Also, determine the range of $F^{-1}(x)$. 4

Solution to the question no. 22

a Given, $F(x) = \sqrt{3-4x}$

Here, $F(x) \in \mathbb{R}$, if and only if

$$3-4x \geq 0$$

$$\text{Or, } -4x \geq -3$$

$$\text{Or, } 4x \leq 3$$

$$\therefore x \leq \frac{3}{4}$$

$$\therefore \text{Domain } F = \{x \in \mathbb{R} : x \leq \frac{3}{4}\} \text{ (Ans.)}$$

b $F(x) = \sqrt{3-4x}$

Let, $x_1, x_2 \in \text{domain } F$

The function will be one-one if and only if

$$F(x_1) = F(x_2) \text{ then } x_1 = x_2$$

$$\therefore F(x_1) = F(x_2)$$

$$\text{Or, } \sqrt{3-4x_1} = \sqrt{3-4x_2}$$

$$\text{Or, } 3-4x_1 = 3-4x_2 \text{ [Squaring both sides]}$$

$$\text{Or, } -4x_1 = -4x_2$$

$$\therefore x_1 = x_2$$

$\therefore F(x)$ is a one-one function. (Ans.)

c Let, $y = F(x) = \sqrt{3-4x}$

Now, $F(x) = y$

$$\therefore x = F^{-1}(y)$$

$$\text{Again, } y = \sqrt{3-4x}$$

$$\text{Or, } y^2 = 3-4x$$

$$\text{Or, } 4x = 3-y^2$$

$$\text{Or, } x = \frac{3-y^2}{4}$$

$$\therefore F^{-1}(y) = \frac{3-y^2}{4}$$

$$\therefore F^{-1}(x) = \frac{3-x^2}{4}$$

$$\therefore F^{-1}(-5) = \frac{2-(-5)^2}{4}$$

$$= \frac{2-25}{4}$$

$$= \frac{-23}{4} \text{ (Ans.)}$$

$$\text{Again let, } a = \frac{3-x^2}{4}$$

$$\text{Or, } 4a = 3-x^2$$

$$\text{Or, } x^2 = 3-4a$$

$$\therefore x = \sqrt{3-4a}$$

Now, x will be defined if and only if

$$3-4a \geq 0$$

$$\text{Or, } -4a \geq -3$$

$$\text{Or, } 4a \leq 3$$

$$\therefore a \leq \frac{3}{4}$$

$$\therefore \text{Range of } F^{-1}(x) = \{a \in \mathbb{R} : a \leq \frac{3}{4}\} \text{ (Ans.)}$$

Question 23 $f(x) = \frac{4x-9}{x-2}, x \neq 2$

[BAF Shaheen College, Kurmitola, Dhaka]

- a. Find $f^{-1}(-1)$ and $f^{-1}(1)$. 2
 b. Find the value of x when $4f^{-1}(x) = x$. 4
 c. If $f: \{1, 2, 3, 4\} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ is a function which is defined by $f(x) = 2x + 1$ then show that, f is a one-one function but not an onto function. 4

Solution to the question no. 23

a Let, $y = f(x) = \frac{4x-9}{x-2}, x \neq 2$

$$\text{Or, } y = \frac{4x-9}{x-2}$$

$$\text{Or, } xy - 2y = 4x - 9$$

$$\text{Or, } xy - 4x = 2y - 9$$

$$\text{Or, } x(y-4) = 2y-9$$

$$\text{Or, } x = \frac{2y-9}{y-4}$$

$$\text{Or, } f^{-1}(y) = \frac{2y-9}{y-4} \text{ [Since, } y = f(x) \therefore f^{-1}(y) = x]$$

$$\text{Or, } f^{-1}(x) = \frac{2x-9}{x-4} \dots\dots (i)$$

$$\text{Or, } f^{-1}(-1) = \frac{2(-1)-9}{-1-4}$$

$$= \frac{-2-9}{-5} = \frac{-11}{-5} = \frac{11}{5} = 2\frac{1}{5}$$

$$\text{and } f^{-1}(1) = \frac{2(1)-9}{1-4} = \frac{-7}{-3} = \frac{7}{3} = 2\frac{1}{3}$$

$$\therefore f^{-1}(-1) = 2\frac{1}{5} \text{ and } f^{-1}(1) = 2\frac{1}{3} \text{ (Ans.)}$$

b Given, $4f^{-1}(x) = x$

$$\text{Or, } 4\left(\frac{2x-9}{x-4}\right) = x \text{ [By equation (i)]}$$

$$\text{Or, } 8x - 36 = x^2 - 4x$$

$$\text{Or, } x^2 - 4x - 8x + 36 = 0$$

$$\text{Or, } x^2 - 12x + 36 = 0$$

$$\text{Or, } x^2 - 2 \cdot x \cdot 6 + (6)^2 = 0$$

$$\text{Or, } (x-6)^2 = 0$$

$$x-6 = 0$$

$$\therefore x = 6 \text{ (Ans.)}$$

c $f: \{1, 2, 3, 4\} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$

Let, $A = \{1, 2, 3, 4\}$

Given, $f(x) = 2x + 1$

$$f(1) = 2 \cdot 1 + 1 = 3$$

$$f(2) = 2 \cdot 2 + 1 = 5$$

$$f(3) = 2 \cdot 3 + 1 = 7$$

$$f(4) = 2 \cdot 4 + 1 = 9$$

So, it is observed that, for distinct values of x distinct images are obtained.

$\therefore f$ is one-one function but it is not onto function.

Because $f(A) \neq \mathbb{R}$ and $f(A) \subset \mathbb{R}$.

So, f is one-one function but it is not onto function.

(Shown)

Question ▶ 24 Functions $f: \mathbb{R} - \{1\} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ and $g: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ are defined by

$$f(x) = \frac{2x+2}{x-1} \text{ and } g(x) = \sqrt{x-2}.$$

[Rajshahi Cantonment Public School & College, Rajshahi]

- Find the domain of $f(x)$ and $g(x)$. 2
- Show that, $f(x)$ is an one-one function and an onto function. 4
- Determine the value of x when $3f^{-1}(x) = g^{-1}(2)$ 4

Solution to the question no. 24

a Given that,

$$f(x) = \frac{2x+2}{x-1}$$

$$\text{and } g(x) = \sqrt{x-2}$$

Now, the function $f(x)$ will be defined if and only if $x-1 \neq 0$ or, $x \neq 1$

\therefore Domain of $f = \mathbb{R} - \{1\}$. (Ans.)

And, the function $g(x)$ will be defined if and only if $x-2 \geq 0$ or, $x \geq 2$

\therefore Domain of $g = \{x \in \mathbb{R} : x \geq 2\}$. (Ans.)

b Given that, $f(x) = \frac{2x+2}{x-1}$

Assume that, $a, b, \in \mathbb{R}$ then,

$$f(a) = \frac{2a+2}{a-1}$$

$$f(b) = \frac{2b+2}{b-1}$$

So, $f(a) = f(b)$ implies.

Now, $f(a) = f(b)$

$$\text{Or, } \frac{2a+2}{a-1} = \frac{2b+2}{b-1}$$

$$\text{Or, } 2ab + 2b - 2a - 2 = 2ab + 2a - 2a - 2$$

$$\text{Or, } 2ab - 2ab + 2b - 2a + 2a - 2 + 2 = 2a$$

$$\text{Or, } 2b = 2a$$

$$\therefore a = b$$

Therefore, $f(x)$ is one-one function.

Again, for any $y \in \text{Range of } f$,

Let,

$$y = f(x)$$

$$\text{Or, } y = \frac{2x+2}{x-1}$$

$$\text{Or, } xy - y = 2x + 2$$

$$\text{Or, } x(y-2) = y+2$$

$$\text{Or, } x = \frac{y+2}{y-2}$$

$$\therefore x = \frac{y+2}{y-2}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore f\left(\frac{y+2}{y-2}\right) &= \frac{2 \cdot \frac{y+2}{y-2} + 2}{\frac{y+2}{y-2} - 1} \\ &= \frac{2y+4+2y-4}{y+2-y+2} \\ &= \frac{4y}{4} = y = f(x) \end{aligned}$$

$\therefore f(x)$ is onto function

Therefore, $f(x)$ is one-one and onto function. (Shown)

c Let $f^{-1}(x) = a$

$$\therefore x = f(a)$$

$$\text{Or, } x = \frac{2a+2}{a-1}$$

$$\text{Or, } ax - x = 2a + 2$$

$$\text{Or, } ax - 2a = x + 2$$

$$\text{Or, } a(x-2) = x+2$$

$$\text{Or, } a = \frac{x+2}{x-2}$$

$$\therefore f^{-1}(x) = \frac{x+2}{x-2}$$

Again, let, $b = g^{-1}(x)$

$$\therefore g(b) = x$$

$$\text{Or, } \sqrt{b-2} = x$$

$$\text{Or, } b-2 = x^2$$

$$\text{Or, } b = x^2 + 2$$

$$\therefore g^{-1}(x) = x^2 + 2$$

$$\therefore g^{-1}(2) = 2^2 + 2 = 4 + 2 = 6$$

Now, According to question,

$$3f^{-1}(x) = g^{-1}(2)$$

$$\text{Or, } 3 \cdot \frac{x+2}{x-2} = 6$$

$$\text{Or, } \frac{x+2}{x-2} = 2$$

$$\text{Or, } x+2 = 2x-4$$

$$\text{Or, } 2x-x = 2+4$$

$$\therefore x = 6 \text{ (Ans.)}$$

Question ▶ 25 $f(x) = \sqrt{2x-3}$ is a function.

[Dinajpur Laboratory School & College, Dinajpur]

- If $f(x) = 1$, then determine the value of x . 2
- Determine the domain of $f(x)$ and show that the function is one-one. 4
- Determine the range of $f^{-1}(x)$. 4

Solution to the question no. 25

a Given, $f(x) = \sqrt{2x-3}$

According to question, $f(x) = 1$

$$\text{Or, } \sqrt{2x-3} = 1$$

$$\text{Or, } 2x-3 = 1 \text{ [by squaring]}$$

$$\text{Or, } 2x = 1+3$$

$$\text{Or, } x = \frac{4}{2}$$

$$\therefore x = 2 \text{ (Ans.)}$$

b $f(x)$ will be defined if and only if $2x-3 \geq 0$.

$$\text{Or, } 2x-3+3 \geq 3$$

$$\text{Or, } 2x \geq 3 \therefore x \geq \frac{3}{2}$$

$$\therefore \text{Domain} = \left\{ x \in \mathbb{R} : x \geq \frac{3}{2} \right\} \text{ (Ans.)}$$

$f(x)$ will be one-one if and only if for any $x_1, x_2 \in \text{Domain } f$,

$$x_1 \neq x_2 \text{ if } f(x_1) = f(x_2) \text{ then } x_1 = x_2.$$

$$\text{Let, } f(x_1) = f(x_2)$$

$$\therefore \sqrt{2x_1-3} = \sqrt{2x_2-3}$$

$$\text{Or, } 2x_1-3 = 2x_2-3 \text{ [by squaring]}$$

$$\text{Or, } 2x_1 = 2x_2 \therefore x_1 = x_2$$

\therefore The function f is one-one. (Shown)

c Let, $f^{-1}(x) = a$
 Or, $x = f(a)$ Or, $x = \sqrt{2a - 3}$
 Or, $x^2 = 2a - 3$
 Or, $2a = x^2 + 3$
 Or, $a = \frac{x^2 + 3}{2}$

$$\therefore f^{-1}(x) = \frac{x^2 + 3}{2}$$

Again, let, $y = \frac{x^2 + 3}{2}$

Or, $x^2 + 3 = 2y$

Or, $x^2 = 2y - 3$

$\therefore x = \sqrt{2y - 3}$

Now, x will be defined if and only if $2y - 3 \geq 0$ Or, $y \geq \frac{3}{2}$.

$$\therefore \text{Range of } f^{-1}(x) = \left\{ y \in \mathbb{R} : y \geq \frac{3}{2} \right\} \text{ (Ans.)}$$

Question ▶ 26 Given that, $F(x) = \frac{1}{x-5}$

[Mainamati International School and College, Cumilla]

- a. If $F(x) = 4$, find the value of x . 2
 b. Determine whether the function is one-one or not. 4
 c. Determine $F^{-1}(5)$. 4

Solution to the question no. 26

a Given, $F(x) = \frac{1}{x-5}$

Again, $F(x) = 4$

$$\therefore \frac{1}{x-5} = 4$$

Or, $1 = 4x - 20$

Or, $1 + 20 = 4x$

Or, $4x = 21$

$$\therefore x = \frac{21}{4} \text{ (Ans.)}$$

b $F(x) = \frac{1}{x-5}$

Let, $x_1, x_2 \in \text{dom } F$ then the function $F(x)$ will be one-one for $\text{dom } F(x_1) = \text{dom } F(x_2)$ if and only if, $x_1 = x_2$.

$$\therefore \frac{1}{x_1-5} = \frac{1}{x_2-5}$$

Or, $x_1 - 5 = x_2 - 5$

$$\therefore x_1 = x_2$$

F is a one-one function. (Ans.)

c Let, $y = F(x) = \frac{1}{x-5}$

Or, $y = \frac{1}{x-5}$

Or, $xy - 5y = 1$

Or, $xy = 1 + 5y$

Or, $x = \frac{1 + 5y}{y}$

Or, $F^{-1}(y) = \frac{1 + 5y}{y}$ [$\because y = F(x) \therefore x = F^{-1}(y)$]

Or, $F^{-1}(x) = \frac{1 + 5x}{x}$ [Substituting y by x]

$$\therefore F^{-1}(5) = \frac{1 + 5 \cdot 5}{5} + \frac{1 + 25}{5} = \frac{26}{5} \text{ (Ans.)}$$

Question ▶ 27 $f(x) = \frac{2x+5}{x+1}$ where $f: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$

[Jalalabad Cantonment Public School & College, Sylhet]

- a. Find domain and range of $f(x)$. 2
 b. Prove that $f(x)$ is one-one but not onto. 4
 c. If $3f^{-1}(x) = 2x$ then find the value of x . 4

Solution to the question no. 27

a Let, $f(x) = y = \frac{2x+5}{x+1}$

$$\therefore f^{-1}(x) = \frac{5-x}{x-2}$$

Now $\frac{2x+5}{x+1}$ is undefined if $x+1 = 0$, or, $x = -1$

\therefore Domain of the function = $\{x : x \in \mathbb{R}, x \neq -1\}$ (Ans.)

Again, $f^{-1}(x) = \frac{5-x}{x-2}$

Here $\frac{5-x}{x-2}$ is undefined for $x-2 = 0$, or, $x = 2$

\therefore Range of $f = \{x : x \in \mathbb{R} \text{ and } x \neq 2\}$ (Ans.)

b $f(x) = \frac{2x+5}{x+1}$

For $x_1, x_2 \in \text{Dom } f$

Let, $f(x_1) = f(x_2)$

$$\text{Or, } \frac{2x_1+5}{x_1+1} = \frac{2x_2+5}{x_2+1}$$

$$\text{Or, } 2x_1x_2 + 5x_2 + 2x_1 + 5 = 2x_1x_2 + 5x_1 + 2x_2 + 5$$

$$\text{Or, } 3x_2 = 3x_1$$

$$\text{Or, } x_1 = x_2$$

Since, $f(x_1) = f(x_2)$ Or, $x_1 = x_2$, So $f(x)$ is one-one.

Again, for any $y \in \text{range of } f$

Let, $y = f(x)$

$$\text{Or, } y = \frac{2x+5}{x+1}$$

$$\text{Or, } xy + y = 2x + 5$$

$$\text{Or, } xy - 2x = 5 - y$$

$$\text{Or, } x(y-2) = 5-y$$

$$\therefore x = \frac{5-y}{y-2}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore f\left(\frac{5-y}{y-2}\right) &= \frac{2 \cdot \frac{5-y}{y-2} + 5}{\frac{5-y}{y-2} + 1} \\ &= \frac{10 - 2y + 5y - 10}{5 - y + y - 2} \\ &= \frac{3y}{3} = y = f(x) \end{aligned}$$

$\therefore f(x)$ is onto function.

Therefore, $f(x)$ is one-one and onto. (Proved)

c Here, $f(x) = \frac{2x+5}{x+1}$

Let, $y = f(x)$

$$\text{Or, } y = \frac{2x+5}{x+1}$$

$$\text{Or, } xy + y = 2x + 5$$

$$\text{Or, } xy - 2x = 5 - y$$

$$\text{Or, } x(y-2) = 5-y$$

$$\text{Or, } x = \frac{5-y}{y-2}$$

$$\therefore f^{-1}(y) = \frac{5-y}{y-2}$$

$$\text{Or, } f^{-1}(x) = \frac{5-x}{x-2}$$

$$\text{Given, } 3f^{-1}(x) = 2x$$

$$\text{Or, } 3 \cdot \frac{5-x}{x-2} = 2x$$

$$\text{Or, } \frac{15-3x}{x-2} = 2x$$

$$\text{Or, } 2x^2 - 4x = 15 - 3x$$

$$\text{Or, } 2x^2 - 4x + 3x - 15 = 0$$

$$\text{Or, } 2x^2 - x - 15 = 0$$

$$\text{Or, } 2x^2 - 6x + 5x - 15 = 0$$

$$\text{Or, } 2x(x-3) + 5(x-3) = 0$$

$$\text{Or, } (x-3)(2x+5) = 0$$

$$\text{Either, } x-3 = 0$$

$$\therefore x = 3$$

$$\text{Or, } 2x+5 = 0$$

$$\text{Or, } 2x = -5$$

$$\therefore x = -\frac{5}{2}$$

So, the value of x is 3, or, $-\frac{5}{2}$ (Ans.)

Question ▶ 28 Given, $f(x) = \frac{2x+5}{x+1}$

[The Sylhet Khajanchibari International School & College, Sylhet]

- Find domain and range of $f(x)$. 2
- Prove that $f(x)$ is one-one and onto. 4
- Determine the inverse function of $f(x)$. 4

Solution to the question no. 28

a Let, $f(x) = y = \frac{2x+5}{x+1} \therefore x = f^{-1}(y)$

$$\therefore y = \frac{2x+5}{x+1}$$

$$\text{Or, } y(x+1) = 2x+5$$

$$\text{Or, } xy - 2x = 5 - y$$

$$\text{Or, } x(y-2) = 5 - y$$

$$\text{Or, } x = \frac{5-y}{y-2}$$

$$\text{Or, } f^{-1}(y) = \frac{5-y}{y-2}$$

$$\therefore f^{-1}(x) = \frac{5-x}{x-2}$$

Now, $\frac{2x+5}{x+1}$ is undefined if $x+1 = 0$, Or, $x = -1$

\therefore Domain of the function = $\{x : x \in \mathbb{R}, x \neq -1\}$

$$\text{Again, } f^{-1}(x) = \frac{5-x}{x-2}$$

Here, $\frac{5-x}{x-2}$ is undefined for $x-2 = 0$ or $x = 2$

\therefore Range of $f = \{x : x \in \mathbb{R} \text{ and } x \neq 2\}$

b $f(x) = \frac{2x+5}{x+1}$

For $x_1, x_2 \in \text{Dom } f$

Let, $f(x_1) = f(x_2)$

$$\text{Or, } \frac{2x_1+5}{x_1+1} = \frac{2x_2+5}{x_2+1}$$

$$\text{Or, } 2x_1x_2 + 5x_2 + 2x_1 + 5 = 2x_1x_2 + 5x_1 + 2x_2 + 5$$

$$\text{Or, } 3x_2 = 3x_1$$

$$\text{Or, } x_1 = x_2$$

Since, $f(x_1) = f(x_2) \Rightarrow x_1 = x_2$, So $f(x)$ is one-one.

Again, for any $y \in \text{Range of } f$,

Let, $y = f(x)$

$$\text{Or, } y = \frac{2x+5}{x+1}$$

$$\text{Or, } xy + y = 2x + 5$$

$$\text{Or, } xy - 2x = 5 - y$$

$$\text{Or, } x(y-2) = 5 - y$$

$$\therefore x = \frac{5-y}{y-2}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore f\left(\frac{5-y}{y-2}\right) &= \frac{2 \cdot \frac{5-y}{y-2} + 5}{\frac{5-y}{y-2} + 1} \\ &= \frac{10 - 2y + 5y - 10}{5 - y + y - 2} \\ &= \frac{3y}{3} = y = f(x) \end{aligned}$$

$\therefore f(x)$ is onto function.

Therefore, $f(x)$ is one-one and onto. (Proved)

c From 'a', we get,

$$\therefore f^{-1}(x) = \frac{5-x}{x-2}$$

So, inverse function of $f(x)$ is $\frac{5-x}{x-2}$ (Ans.)