

# CORRECTIONS TO An Introduction to Mathematical Reasoning

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- p. 56, problem 21:  $x + 1/x$  is to be interpreted as  $x + (1/x)$ , not  $(x + 1)/x$ . Same goes for  $x^n + 1/x^n$ .
- p. 78, line 6 from bottom:  $a \rightarrow n$ .
- p. 97, last line of proof of Example 8.3.3: is  $\rightarrow$  as.
- p. 125, 5th line of text:  $n - i$  should be  $n + 1 - i$ .
- p. 184, problem 14:  $N$  should be  $\mathbb{N}$ .
- p. 185, problem 18, line 4: the summation should be from 0 to  $k$ , not 0 to  $n$ .
- p. 185, problem 20, second line: change “disjoint” to “distinct.”
- p. 267, second displayed equation:  $\mathbb{Z}$  should be  $X$ .
- p. 269, last line:  $(a_1, a_2) = (b_1, b_2)$  should be  $(a_1, a_2) \sim (b_1, b_2)$ .
- p. 270, problem 22.2:  $Z^+$  should be  $\mathbb{Z}^+$ .
- p. 323, last 3 lines: In the last two sentences  $X$  and  $Y$  need to be switched.
- p. 327, solution to problem 14.1, line 2:  $|X|$  should be  $|A|$ .
- p. 341, solution to problem 22.3: Change  $f(a, 0)$  to  $f(a + 1, 1)$ , and  $f(0, -a)$  to  $f(1, 1 - a)$ .