

SPRING 2019 MATH 300 A FINAL EXAM

*Write clearly and legibly. Justify all your answers.
You will be graded for correctness and clarity of your solutions.
You may use one 8.5 x 11 sheet of notes; writing is allowed on both sides.
You may use a calculator.
You can use elementary algebra and any result that we proved in class (but not in the homework). You need to prove everything else.
Please raise your hand and ask a question if anything is not clear.
This exam contains 8 pages, please make sure you have a complete exam.
You have 1 hr and 50 minutes. Good luck*

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PROBLEM 1 (10 points) -----

PROBLEM 2 (8 points) -----

PROBLEM 3 (10 points) -----

PROBLEM 4 (16 points) -----

PROBLEM 5 (8 points) -----

PROBLEM 6 (8 points) -----

PROBLEM 7 (10 points) -----

Total (70 points) -----

- **Problem 1** Given sets A, B , prove that $(A - (A - B)) \subseteq B$. Give an example to show that equality does not have to hold.

- **Problem 2** Write a statement equivalent to the negation of

$$\exists x \in A \forall y \in B (x \leq y) \Rightarrow (\exists z \in C ((z > x) \Rightarrow (z > y \wedge z = y)))$$

that does not use the negation symbol \neg . You are allowed to use \neq .

- **Problem 3** Prove that the sum of two odd perfect squares is never a perfect square. A perfect square is an integer z such that $z = k^2$ for some integer k .

- **Problem 4** Define a function $f : \mathbb{Z} \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}$ by:

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} x + 2 & \text{if 3 divides } x \\ x - 1 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

1. Is f injective? (*Give a proof*).

2. Is f surjective? (*Give a proof*).

3. Prove that $\forall n \in \mathbb{Z}^+ \forall m \in \mathbb{Z} f^{3n}(m) = m$ (Recall that f^n means f composed with itself n times, so for example $f^2(x) = f(f(x))$)

- **Problem 5** Find all integer solutions of $3 \cdot 7^{1022}x \equiv 25 \pmod{31}$

- **Problem 6** Show that the relation r defined on R , the set of real numbers by xry iff $x - y \in Z$ is an equivalence relation.

- **Problem 7** Prove that if A and B are denumerable sets, then their cartesian product $A \times B$ is denumerable. For this problem you can assume that Z , EVEN (the set of even integers), ODD (the set of odd integers), $Z^+ \times Z^+$, $Z \times Z$ are denumerable, without having to prove it.