- 1. Let f be a function and let A and B be subsets of the domain of f.
  - (a) Prove that  $f(A \cap B) \subseteq f(A) \cap f(B)$ .
  - (b) Give an example of f, A and B such that  $f(A) \cap f(B) \not\subseteq f(A \cap B)$ .
  - (c) Must  $f^{-1}(f(A))$  be always equal to A ? If yes, justify your answer; if no, give a counter-example.
- 2. (a) Define when is a function f: A → B an injection.
  (b) Suppose f: A → B is an injection. Prove by using mathematical induction that if A has n elements then f(A) must have n elements too.
  - (c) Let  $f: \mathbf{Q} \to B$  be a surjection. Which of the three "sizes" can B have: finite, countable infinite, uncountable ?
- 3. Let  $F(+,\bullet)$  be an ordered field with unit  $\hat{1}$  and zero  $\hat{0}$  (note that  $\hat{1} \neq \hat{0}$ ).
  - (a) Prove that 1 > 0.
  - (b) Prove that for every a in F, there exists b in F such that a < b.
  - (c) Can an ordered field be finite? Explain.
- 4. (a) State the definition of a supremum of a bounded set.(b) State the Archimedean property.
  - (c) Let  $A = \{ 3 \frac{1}{2n}; n \text{ in } \mathbb{N} \}$ . Find inf A and sup A. Prove the claim about the supremum of A by using (a) and (b).
- 5. (a) State the definition of the limit of a sequence. (b) Prove by using the definition that  $\lim_{n\to\infty} \frac{2n+3}{3n-1} = \frac{2}{3}$ .
- 6. (a) State the definition of  $\lim_{x \to c} f(x) = L$  (where  $f: A \to \mathbf{R}$  and c is a cluster point of A.) (b) Prove by using (a) that  $\lim_{x \to 1} \sqrt{2x - 1} = 1$ .
- 7. (a) State the sequential criteria for continuity of f(x) at a point c (where  $f: A \to \mathbf{R}$  and c is in A).
  - (b) Let  $f: \mathbf{R} \to \mathbf{R}$  be continuous on  $\mathbf{R}$  and such that f(r) = 3 for all rational r. Prove by using (a) that f(x) = 3 for all x in  $\mathbf{R}$ .

- 8. (a) State Max-Min Theorem for continuous functions.
  - (b) Give an example of a function f defined on the interval (1,2) but such that f does not attain its maximal value on (1, 2).
  - (c) Give an example of a function f bounded on the interval [1,2] but such that f does not attain its maximal value on [1, 2].
  - (d) Let  $f: \mathbf{R} \to \mathbf{R}$  be continuous and bounded on  $\mathbf{R}$  by a constant M. Could there exist a sequence  $(x_n)$  such that  $\lim_{n \to \infty} f(x_n) = M$  but still f does not attain its maximal value on  $\mathbf{R}$ ? Explain !
- 9. (a) State the Bolzano Intermediate Value Theorem.
  - (b) Let f be a continuous function on [0,2] with f(0) = f(2). Show that there is an x in [0,1] such that f(x) = f(x+1). [Hint: look at g(x) = f(x) f(x+1).]
    (c) Let f be continuous on (a, b], f<sup>-1</sup>({2}) = Ø and f((a+b)/2) = 3. Can lim f(b-1/n) = 1? Explain.
- 10.(a) State the definition of a function f being uniformly continuous on a set A.
  - (b) Let f be uniformly continuous on an interval (a, b), Let  $(x_n)$  be a Cauchy sequence such that  $x_n$  is in (a, b) for all n. Prove that  $(f(x_n))$  is also a Cauchy sequence.
  - (c) Give an example of a function f that is continuous on (0,1), and an example of a Cauchy sequence  $(x_n)$  from the interval (0,1) such that  $(f(x_n))$  is not a Cauchy sequence.