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1. (a) (i)
$$-7 = 4(-2) + 1$$
, and $7 = 4 + 3$, so $f(-7) = 1$ and $f(7) = 3$.

- (ii) f is not one-to-one because f(3) = f(7) = 3 with $3, 7 \in A$.
- (iii) f is not onto because $f(x) \neq -1$ for all $x \in A$.
- (b) (i) $g(\{-1,0,1\}) = \{f(-1), f(0), f(1)\} = \{3,0,1\}.$
 - (ii) g is not one-to-one because $g(\{3\}) = g(\{7\}) = \{3\}$ with $\{3\}, \{7\} \in \mathcal{P}(A)$.
 - (iii) g is not onto because $g(X) \neq \{-1\}$ for all $X \in \mathcal{P}(A)$.
- (c) (i) $a \in S \iff a \sim 7 \iff f(a) = f(7) = 3 \iff a = 4q + 3$ for some $q \in \mathbb{Z} \iff a 3 = 4q$ for some $q \in \mathbb{Z}$. Thus

$$S = \{-9, -5, -1, 3, 7\}.$$

(ii) $[0] = \{-8, -4, 0, 8\}, [1] = \{-7, -3, 1, 5\}, [2] = \{-10, -6, -2, 2, 6\}$ and $[3] = \{-9, -5, -1, 3, 7\}.$

$$\begin{array}{rcl} z \in f(X) \setminus f(Y) & \iff & z \in f(X) \wedge z \not\in f(Y) \\ & \iff & (\exists \ x \in X \ f(x) = z) \wedge (\forall \ y \in Y \ f(y) \neq z) \\ & \implies & \exists \ x \in X \setminus Y \ f(x) = z \\ & \iff & z \in f(X \setminus Y), \end{array}$$

that is, $f(X) \setminus f(Y) \subseteq f(X \setminus Y)$.

(b) Suppose f is one-to-one. It suffices to show that f(X \ Y) ⊆ f(X) \ f(Y).
Suppose z ∈ f(X \ Y), then ∃ x ∈ X ∧ x ∉ Y f(x) = z, so that z = f(x) ∈ f(X). If z ∈ f(Y), then z = f(y) for some y ∈ Y and so f(x) = f(y) = z. Since f is one-to-one, it follows that x = y and x ∈ Y, which is impossible. Thus z ∉ f(Y) and hence z ∈ f(X) \ f(Y).
Conversely, suppose f(X) \ f(Y) = f(X \ Y) for all X, Y ∈ P(A). Suppose, for a contradiction that f is not one to one. Then f(x) = f(x) =

diction that f is not one-to-one. Then f(a) = f(a') = b for some distinct $a, a' \in A$. Set $X = \{a\}$ and $Y = \{a'\}$. Then $f(X) = f(Y) = \{b\}$ and $f(X) \setminus f(Y) = \emptyset$. But $X \setminus Y = X$ and $f(X \setminus Y) = f(X) = \{b\}$. A contradiction.

3. Define $f: A \to \mathbb{Z} \setminus \{0\}$ by $f(\frac{1}{2n}) = -n$. Then f is a function. f is onto. For any $b \in \mathbb{Z} \setminus \{0\}$, set $a = \frac{1}{-2b}$. Then $a \in A$ and f(a) = -(-b) = b. f is order preserving. Let $a = \frac{1}{2n}$ and $a' = \frac{1}{2n'}$ be two elements of A.

$$a \le a' \quad \Longleftrightarrow \quad \frac{1}{2n} \le \frac{1}{2n'}$$
$$\Leftrightarrow \quad 2n' \le 2n$$
$$\Leftrightarrow \quad n' \le n$$
$$\Leftrightarrow \quad -n \le -n'$$
$$\Leftrightarrow \quad f(a) \le f(a').$$

Thus f is an order isomorphism and so $A \simeq \mathbb{Z} \setminus \{0\}$.