

MATHS 255FS Class Test: Overview of questions. Detach for reference

1. For any integer n , let $A(n)$ be the statement:

If n is even, then n^2 is even and $n + 1$ is odd.

- (a) (3 marks) Write down the negation of $A(n)$.
 - (b) (2 marks) Write down the contrapositive of $A(n)$.
 - (c) (2 marks) Write down the converse of $A(n)$.
 - (d) (3 marks) Determine with reason whether it is true that $\forall n \in \mathbb{N} A(n)$.
2. (a) (7 marks) Proof by induction that $4^{3n} - 1$ is divisible by 9, for any nonnegative integer n .
- (b) (3 marks) Use proof by contradiction to show that for any integers a, b if $a + b$ is odd, then a is odd or b is odd.
3. Let $S = \{-7, -6, -2, 0, 1, 4, 5, 7\}$ be a subset of \mathbb{Z} , and let \sim be a relation defined on S by $x \sim y$ if $3 \mid (x + 2y)$.
- (a) (6 marks) Show that \sim is an equivalence relation.
 - (b) (4 marks) Find all distinct equivalence classes.
4. (a) (6 marks) Let the function $f : \mathbb{Z} \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}$ be defined by $f(x) = 3x + 5$. Show that f is one-to-one but not onto.
- (b) (4 marks) Let g and h be bijective functions from \mathbb{Z} to \mathbb{Z} . Show that $(g \circ h)^{-1} = h^{-1} \circ g^{-1}$.