

Definition of A Function

A function from set A to a set B is a subset of $A \times B$ so that for every $x \in A$, there exists exactly one $y \in B$ so that $(x, y) \in f$

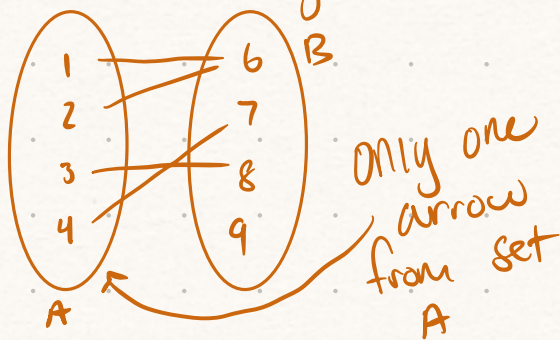
Each x in the domain has exactly one image under f .

$\lfloor \cdot \rfloor: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}$ defined by
 $\lfloor x \rfloor =$ an integer n needs that $n \leq x < n+1$

$\sqrt{\cdot}: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ defined by $\sqrt{x} = a$ where $a^2 = x$, and $a \geq 0$

$f = g \iff f$ and g have the same domain and for every x in the domain, $f(x) = g(x)$

arrow diagram:



One to One Functions:

Contrapositive definition:

$f: A \rightarrow B$ is one-to-one



$\forall x, y \in A, \text{ if } f(x) = f(y) \text{ then } x = y$

$|A| \leq |B| \iff \exists f: A \rightarrow B$ so that f is 1-1

On-to function

Everything in the co-domain gets hit.

$f: A \rightarrow B$ is onto $\iff \forall y \in B, \exists x \in A, f(x) = y$.
↖ there exists

$|A| \geq |B| \iff \exists f: A \rightarrow B$ so that f is onto

Let $A = \{1, 2, 3, 4\}$, $B = \{1, 2, 4, 5\}$,

$f = \{(1, 1)(2, 2)(3, 3)(4, 4)\}$ is a 1 to 1 function
 $A \rightarrow B$.

$f = \{(1, 2)(2, 3)(3, 4)(4, 5)\}$

How many functions are there from $A \rightarrow B$?

$$5 \times 4 \times 3 \times 2$$