

MTH 309

Additional Problems for Sec. 2.3

1. Let $g : A \rightarrow B$ and $f : B \rightarrow C$ be functions. Justify your answer on each of the following.
 - (a) If $f \circ g$ is one to one, does it follow that g is one to one?
 - (b) If $f \circ g$ is one to one, does it follow that f is one to one?
 - (c) If $f \circ g$ is onto, does it follow that g is onto?
 - (d) If $f \circ g$ is onto, does it follow that f is onto?
2. Let $S = \{1, 2, \dots, n\}$.
 - (a) Find a bijection from the set of subsets of S of even cardinality to the set of subsets of S of odd cardinality. (Describe the domain and codomain with set builder notation and give the rule.)
 - (b) Can you conclude from (a) that the number of subsets of S of even cardinality equals the number of subsets of S of odd cardinality?
 - (c) Find a formula for the number of subsets of S that have an even number of elements.