

## Set theory - Winter semester 2014

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Problems

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In the first three exercises, work in the system  $\text{ZF}^-$ .

**Problem 1** (9 points). Prove the following statements.

- (1)  $\forall x(x \neq \emptyset \rightarrow \bigcap x \in V)$ .
- (2)  $\{\{x\} \mid x \in V\} \notin V$ .
- (3) A set  $z$  is *transitive* if  $x \in z$  holds for all  $y \in z$  and all  $x \in y$ . Prove that  $\emptyset \in x$  holds for every transitive set  $x \neq \emptyset$ .

**Problem 2** (6 points).

- (1) Show that  $\langle x, y \rangle := \{\{x, \emptyset\}, \{y, \{\{\emptyset\}\}\}\}$  satisfies the fundamental property of ordered pairs.
- (2) Does  $\langle x, y \rangle := \{x, \{y, \emptyset\}\}$  satisfy the fundamental property of ordered pairs?

**Problem 3** (6 points). Suppose that  $F, G$  are functions.

- (1) Show that  $F = G$  if and only if  $\text{dom}(F) = \text{dom}(G)$  and  $F(x) = G(x)$  for all  $x \in \text{dom}(F) = \text{dom}(G)$ ,
- (2) Show that  $F$  is injective if and only if there is a function  $H$  with  $\text{dom}(H) = \text{ran}(F)$  and  $H(F(x)) = x$  for all  $x \in \text{dom}(F)$ .

**Problem 4** (3 points). The *Collection Scheme* states that for every relation  $R$  and every set  $x$ , there is a set  $y$  such that for every  $u \in x$ , if there is some  $v$  with  $uRv$ , then there is some  $v \in y$  with  $uRv$ . Prove that the axioms and schemes of  $\text{ZF}^-$  without the Replacement Scheme with the Collection Scheme imply the Replacement Scheme.

Due Wednesday, October 15, before the lecture, in the mailboxes 6 and 7 for your tutorial, on the ground floor of the math department, Endenicher Allee 60.