**Directions:** You may work to solve these problems in groups, but all written work must be your own. **Show your work**; See "Guidelines and advice" on the course webpage for more information.

- 1. Let A and B be finite sets. Either prove or give a counterexample to each of the following statements below.
  - (a) If  $A \in B$ , then  $|A| \leq |B|$ .
  - (b) If  $A \subseteq B$ , then  $|A| \leq |B|$ .
- 2. Recall that when n is a nonnegative integer,  $[n] = \{1, 2, 3, ..., n\}$ . Write out the elements of  $\{a, b\} \times [3]$ . How many are there?
- 3. What is  $\emptyset \times \mathbb{Z}$ ?
- 4. Let U be a universe of elements, and let A and B be subsets of U. Prove that  $\overline{A \cup B} = \overline{A} \cap \overline{B}$ .
- 5. A characterization of a set equation.
  - (a) Give an example of nonempty sets A, B, and C such that  $(A \cap B) \cup C = A \cap (B \cup C)$ .
  - (b) Give an example of sets A, B, and C such that  $(A \cap B) \cup C = A \cap (B \cup C)$  does not hold.
  - (c) Find and prove a characterization for when  $(A \cap B) \cup C = A \cap (B \cup C)$  holds.

6. Let 
$$P = \{x \in \mathbb{N} : 1 \le x \le 10 \text{ and } x \text{ is prime}\}$$
. Compute  $\sum_{x \in P} (x+1)$  and  $\prod_{x \in P} (x-1)$ 

7. For every  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ , let  $S_n = \{x \in \mathbb{R} : -\frac{1}{n} < x < \frac{1}{n}\}$ . Prove that  $\bigcap_{n \in \mathbb{N}} S_n = \{0\}$ .