

Sets and combinatorics

- Rule of sum (addition principle)
- Mathematical induction
 - Base case (basis)
 - Induction step (step case)
- Inclusion-Exclusion principle
- Characteristic function
- Functions. A function is a process that associates to each element of a set X at most one element of a set Y .
- Domain: notation $f : X \rightarrow Y$ stands that X is the domain of f . We say f maps X to Y if $f : X \rightarrow Y$.
- “a function from X to Y ” stands that the domain of f is a subset of X .
- Injection, surjection and bijection (injective, surjective and bijective functions)
- An injection maps X into Y
- A surjection maps X onto Y
- A bijection is one-to-one correspondence