

**Math A4400: Mathematical Logic**

**4th problem set, due at 2pm on wednesday, october 9th.**

Bring your solutions class, or slide them under the door of my office NAC 6278.

1. Let  $S$  be a signature with one unary relation symbol  $+$ , a binary function symbol  $1$ , and a 17-ary relation symbol  $<$ .
  - (a) Give an example of an  $S$ -structure with infinite universe.
  - (b) Give an example of an  $S$ -structure with finite universe.
2. Let  $S_{ring}$  be the signature of rings: two binary function symbols  $+$  and  $\times$ , a unary function symbol  $-$ , and two constant symbols  $0$  and  $1$ . How many  $S_{ring}$ -structures with universe  $\{1, 2, \clubsuit\}$  are there?
3. For each of the following, prove the statement if it is true, and find a counterexample if it is not.
  - (a) If  $\mathcal{A}$ ,  $\mathcal{B}$ , and  $\mathcal{C}$  are all  $S$ -structures for some signature  $S$ , and  $\phi : \mathcal{A} \rightarrow \mathcal{B}$  and  $\psi : \mathcal{B} \rightarrow \mathcal{C}$  are  $S$ -homomorphisms, then  $\psi \circ \phi$  is also an  $S$ -homomorphism.
  - (b) If  $\mathcal{A}$  and  $\mathcal{B}$  are  $S$ -structures for some signature  $S$ , and  $\phi : \mathcal{A} \rightarrow \mathcal{B}$  is an  $S$ -homomorphism and a bijection, then  $\phi^{-1}$  is also an  $S$ -homomorphism.
4. Ask an interesting question about this week's material and try to answer it. This question is as serious as the rest of them!