MAT 200: HOMEWORK 10

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- 1. For each of the following relations on \mathbb{R} , determine whether it is an equivalence relation. If it is, describe the equivalence class containing 0.5.
 - (a) $x \sim y$ if $x y \in \mathbb{Z}$
 - (b) $x \sim y$ if $x + y \in \mathbb{Z}$
 - (c) $x \sim y$ if $\sin(\pi x) = \sin(\pi y)$
 - (d) $x \sim y$ if $x^2 + y^2 = 1$
- **2.** Consider the relation on \mathbb{Z} given by

 $m \sim n$ if m - n is a multiple of 8.

Prove that it is an equivalence relation, and that the set of equivalence classes \mathbb{Z}/\sim is finite. List all elements of A/\sim .

- **3.** Consider an equivalence relation on \mathbb{R}^2 given by
 - $(x_1, y_1) \sim (x_2, y_2)$ if $x_1 + y_1 = x_2 + y_2$.
 - (a) Describe the equivalence class containing pair (1, 1).
 - (b) Construct a bijection between the set of equivalence classes \mathbb{R}^2/\sim and the set \mathbb{R} or real numbers.
- **4.** Let $A = \{(m,n) \mid m \in \mathbb{Z}, n \in \mathbb{Z}, n \neq 0\}$. Consider the relation on A given by $(m,n) \sim (k,l)$ if ml = kn.
 - (a) Show that it is an equivalence relation. In your proof, use only properties of integer numbers.
 - (b) Describe the equivalence class containing pair (2,3).
 - (c) Construct a bijection between the set of equivalence classes A/\sim and the set of rational numbers \mathbb{Q} .