

# Chapter one

## Functions

## الدوال

### Definition:

Let A and B be non-empty sets. The relation f from A into B is called function, if each element of A is f- related to one and only one element of B.

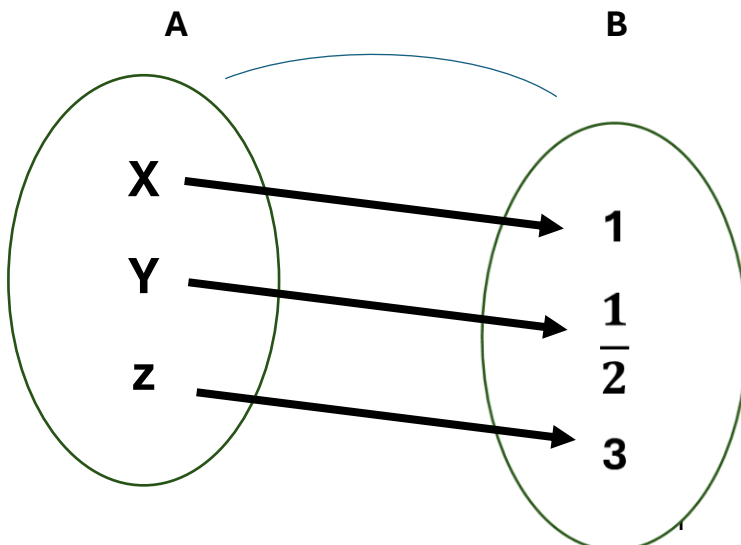
i.e

$$\forall x \in A \exists! y \in B \quad s.t. \quad f(x) = y$$

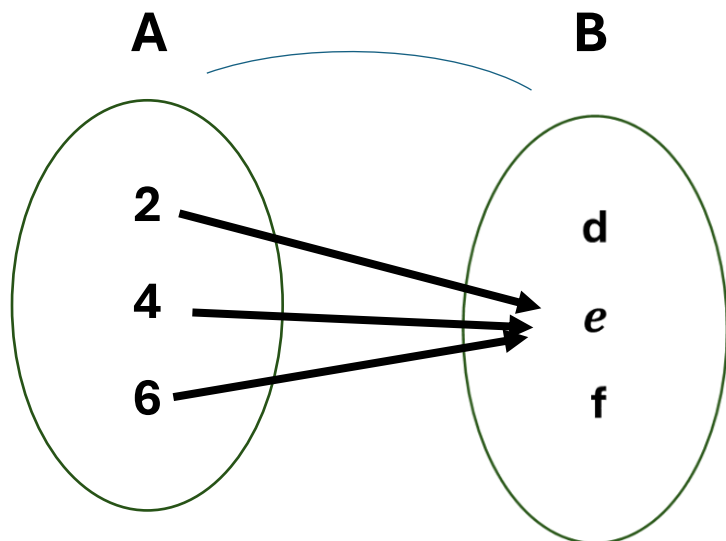
هي علاقة تقرر كل عنصر ينتمي الى مجالها  
بعنصر واحد وواحد فقط في مجالها المقابل  
تكون الدالة  $f$  وتكتب

$$f(x) = y$$

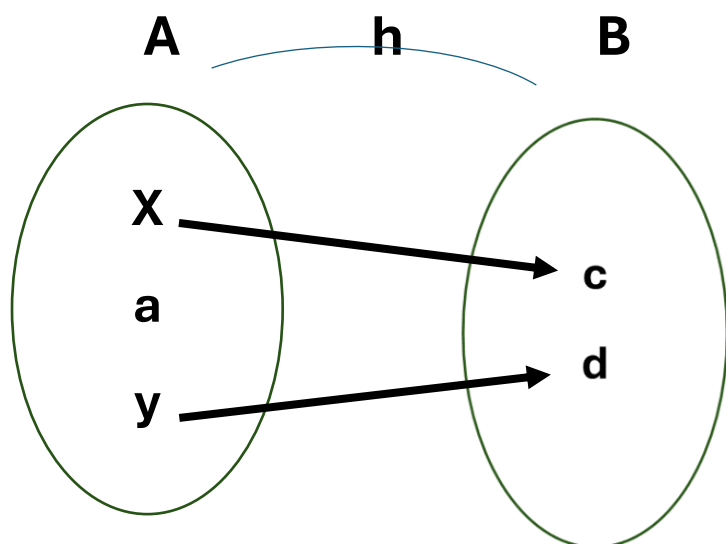
For Examples



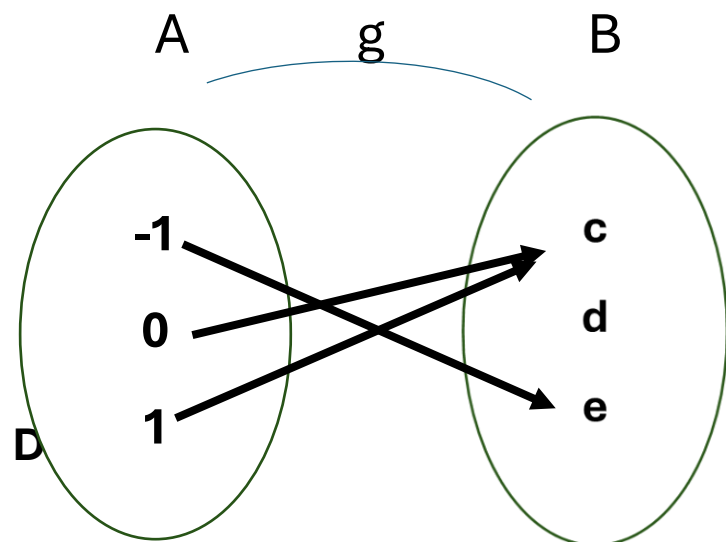
**Is a function.**



**Is a function.**



**Is not a function.**



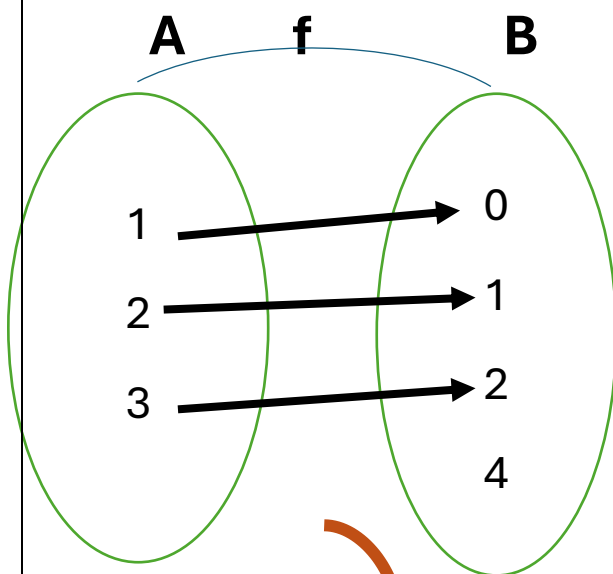
**Is a function.**

## Definition:

A function  $f: A \rightarrow B$  is called onto (surjective) if and only if

$$\forall b \in B \quad \exists a \in A \quad s.t$$

$$f(a) = b$$



الدالة  $f: A \rightarrow B$  تسمى دالة متعددة  
إذا كان كل عنصر في B هو صورة  
لأحد عناصر A

الدالة  $f$  ليست onto لأن 4 ليس لها صورة

**Example:**

$$f(x) = 2x + 1 \quad \dots (1)$$

Let  $y \in f$

$$\diamond \quad y = 2x + 1$$

$$y - 1 = 2x$$

$$\rightarrow \quad x = \frac{y-1}{2} \quad \dots (2)$$

Sub in eq (1)

$$f(x) = 2 \left( \frac{y-1}{2} \right) + 1$$

$$f(x) = y$$

الدالة متعددة

**Definition:**

$f: A \rightarrow B$  is called one to one (injective) iff

$$f(x_1) = f(x_2) \Rightarrow x_1 = x_2$$

$$\forall x_1, x_2 \in A$$

**Example:**

$$f(x) = \frac{x-2}{x+1}$$

$$\text{Let } f(x_1) = \frac{x_1-2}{x_1+1}, \quad f(x_2) = \frac{x_2-2}{x_2+1}$$

Now to prove  $f$  is one to one

$$\text{Let } f(x_1) = f(x_2)$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{x_1-2}{x_1+1} = \frac{x_2-2}{x_2+1}$$

$$(x_1 + 1)(x_2 - 2) = (x_1 - 2)(x_2 + 1)$$

$$x_1x_2 - 2 - 2x_1 + x_2 = x_1x_2 + x_1 - 2x_2 - 2$$

$$x_1 - 2x_2 = x_2 + 2x_2$$

$$3x_1 = 3x_2$$

$$\Rightarrow x_1 = x_2$$

**Definition:**

A function  $f: A \rightarrow B$  is called bijective iff  $f$  is both one to one (1-1) and onto.

### Example:

$$f: A \rightarrow B \quad \text{s.t} \quad f(x) = x$$

To prove  $f$  is bijective we must prove  $f$  is one to one and onto

$$1- \quad \forall x \in B \quad \exists x \in A \quad \text{s.t}$$

$$f(x) = x$$

$f$  is onto.

$$2- \quad \text{If} \quad x_1 = x_2$$

$$\ast \quad f(x_1) = f(x_2)$$

Thus,  $f$  is one to one

Therefore, by (1) and (2) we get  $f$  is bijective.

### H.W

Is  $f$  is one to one or onto or bijective in the following

$$1- \quad f(x) = x - 5$$

$$2- \quad f(n) = 2n$$

$$3- \quad f(x) = 5x - 2$$