Introduction to Mathematical Reason	MATH 300 Test #2	April 10, 2012
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1. (14 points) Suppose A, B and C are sets, and  $C \neq \emptyset$ . Prove that  $A \times C \subseteq B \times C$  if and only if  $A \subseteq B$ .

2. Suppose A, B, C and D are sets.

(a) (10 points) Prove that  $(A \times B) \cup (C \times D) \subseteq (A \cup C) \times (B \cup D)$ .

(b) (10 points) Give a counterexample showing that it is not always true that  $(A \times B) \cup (C \times D) = (A \cup C) \times (B \cup D).$ 

3. (10 points) Draw diagrams for all the different relations on  $A = \{a, b, c\}$  that are both reflexive and symmetric, but **not** transitive.

4. (14 points) Prove that  $3^1 + 3^2 + 3^3 + \dots + 3^n = \frac{3^{n+1} - 3}{2}$  for every  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ .

5. (14 points) Recall that the Fibonacci Sequence is defined as  $F_1 = 1$ ,  $F_2 = 1$  and  $F_n = F_{n-1} + F_{n-2}$  for  $n \ge 3$ . Use induction to prove that  $\sum_{i=1}^{n} F_i^2 = F_n F_{n+1}$  for every  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ . 6. (14 points) Prove or disprove: If A and B are sets, then  $\mathscr{P}(A) - \mathscr{P}(B) \subseteq \mathscr{P}(A - B)$ .

7. (14 points) Prove or disprove: Suppose R and S are equivalence relations on a set A. Then  $R \cup S$  is also an equivalence relation on A.