

Math 214 – Foundations of Mathematics  
Homework 11

**Due noon Dec 4, 2012**

Each problem worths 4 points unless specified otherwise.

1. Let  $\emptyset \neq I \subseteq \mathbb{N}$ . For each  $i \in I$ ,  $A_i$  is denumerable. Show that  $\cup_{i \in I} A_i$  is denumerable.
2. Let  $A = \{(\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \alpha_3, \dots) : \alpha_i \in \{0, 1\}, i \in \mathbb{N}\}$ , i.e.,  $A$  is the infinite cartesian product of the set  $\{0, 1\}$ . Show that  $A$  is uncountable.
3. Prove that the intervals  $[0, \infty)$  and  $(-1, 4)$  have the same cardinality.
4. (6 points) Determine the cardinality of the following sets (finite, denumerable, or uncountable), and justify your answers:
  - (a) the set of all open intervals with rational midpoints.
  - (b) the set of all open intervals with rational endpoints.
5. Show that  $|A| < |\mathbb{N}|$  for every finite set  $A$ .
6. Use Schröder-Bernstein Theorem to prove that  $|(2, 5)| = |(0, 1]|$ .