Question 1. Let  $\mathcal{F}$  be the set of parital functions  $\{f \in N \rightsquigarrow N | \forall x \in \mathbb{N}. f(2x) = x\}$ 

- Define two distinct partial functions  $f_1, f_2$  which belong to  $\mathcal{F}$ 

i) Let  $f_1 \in \mathcal{F}$  be such that  $\forall n \in \mathbb{N}$ ,

$$f_1(n) = \begin{cases} n/2 & \text{,if } n \text{ is even} \\ n & \text{,otherwise} \end{cases}$$

ii) Let  $f_2 \in \mathcal{F}$  be such that  $\forall n \in \mathbb{N}$ ,

$$f_2(n) = \begin{cases} n/2 & \text{,if } n \text{ is even} \\ \text{undefined} & \text{,otherwise} \end{cases}$$

- Define two distinct partial functions  $g_1, g_2$  that do not belong to Fi)  $g_1$  is the empty function  $\emptyset$ , which is a subset of  $\mathbb{N} \times \mathbb{N}$ , for which for any  $n \in \mathbb{N}, g(n)$  is undefined

ii) Let  $g_2$  be such that  $\forall n \in \mathbb{N}$ ,

$$g_2(n) = \begin{cases} n & \text{,if } n = 0\\ \text{undefined} & \text{,otherwise} \end{cases}$$

- Define a partial function  $f \in \mathcal{F}$ , and consider the set of its finite restrictions  $\mathcal{G} = \{g \in \mathbb{N} \rightsquigarrow \mathbb{N} | g \subseteq f \land dom(g) \ finite\}$ Let  $f \in \mathcal{F}$  be such that  $\forall n \in \mathbb{N}$ ,

$$f(n) = \begin{cases} n/2 & \text{,if } n \text{ is even} \\ \text{undefined} & \text{,otherwise} \end{cases}$$

Define two partial functions h<sub>1</sub>, h<sub>2</sub> that belongs to G
i) Let h<sub>1</sub>: {0} → N be defined such that ∀n ∈ N,

$$h_1(n) = \begin{cases} n/2 & \text{,if } n = 0\\ \text{undefined} & \text{,otherwise} \end{cases}$$

ii) Let  $h_2: \{2\} \to \mathbb{N}$  be defined such that  $\forall n \in \mathbb{N}$ ,

$$h_2(n) = \begin{cases} n/2 & \text{,if } n = 2\\ \text{undefined} & \text{,otherwise} \end{cases}$$

• Prove whether  $\mathcal{F} \cap \mathcal{G} = \emptyset$ 

 $\mathcal{F} \cap \mathcal{G} = \emptyset$ , since by definition, for any  $f \in \mathcal{F}, dom(f) \supseteq \{0, 2, ..\}$ , i.e. dom(f) at least contains the set of even numbers which is a infinite set, where as by definition any  $g \in \mathcal{G}, dom(g)$  is finite. Since there exists no  $g \in \mathcal{G}$  such that dom(g) that contains the infinite set of even numbers,  $\mathcal{F} \cap \mathcal{G} = \emptyset$ 

**Definition 1.** Let  $\mathcal{R}$  be the set of inference rules over elements of a set A. Then R induces a function  $\hat{R} : \mathcal{P}(A) \to \mathcal{P}(A)$  given by

$$\hat{R}(X) = \{y | \exists \frac{x_1, \dots, x_n}{z} \in \mathcal{R} \land y = z \land \forall i \in \{1, \dots, n\}. x_i \in X\}$$

Question 2. Let m, n range over  $\mathbb{N}$ , consider the following set of inference rules  $\mathcal{R}$ 

$$\frac{n}{n.m}$$
  $\frac{n}{1}$   $\frac{n}{n.2}$ 

and the sets

$$E = \{2.n | n \in \mathbb{N}\} \qquad O = \{2.n + 1 | n \in \mathbb{N}\}\$$

Then answer the following questions:

- 1. State whether  $\hat{R}(O) \subseteq O$ No. because  $1 \in \hat{R}(O)$ , where as the least element in O is 2.
- 2. State whether  $O \subseteq \hat{R}(O)$ . Since  $O = \{2, 4, 6, ...\}$ , where as  $2 \notin \hat{R}(O)$ . The answer is NO
- 3. State whether  $\hat{R}(E) \subseteq E$ . Since  $E = \{0, 2, 4, ...\}$  and since  $1 \in \hat{R}(R)$ , where as  $1 \notin E$ , the answer is NO.
- 4. State whether  $E \subseteq \hat{R}(E)$ . Since E is the set of even numbers and since the application of inference rule  $\frac{n}{2,n}$  on E produces E it self. The answer is YES.
- 5. State whether  $\hat{R}(\mathbb{N}) \subseteq \mathbb{N}$ . Since  $\mathbb{N}$  is closed w.r.t the set of results in the consequence of each operator namely  $n.m, 1, n.2, \hat{R} \subseteq \mathbb{N}$ . The answer is YES.
- 6. State whether  $\mathbb{N} \subseteq \hat{R}(\mathbb{N})$ . Since the application of inference rule  $\frac{n-m}{n.m}$  on n = 1, for all  $m \in \mathbb{N}$  produces  $\mathbb{N}$  it self. The answer is YES.
- 7. State whether  $\hat{R}(E \cup \{1\}) \subseteq E \cup \{1\}$ . Since  $E \cup \{1\} = \{0, 1, 2, 4, 6, ...\}$ . Since the application rules  $\frac{m-n}{m.n}$  and  $\frac{n}{2.n}$  on the set  $E \cup \{1\}$  produces only the set E, where as  $\frac{1}{1}$  produces only  $\{1\}$ , hence  $\hat{R}(E) \cup \{1\} = E \cup \{1\}$
- 8. Characterize the minimum fix-point of  $\hat{R}$ , i.e  $\bigcap \{X | \hat{R}(X) = X\}$ . Since by previous answers it follows that, the minimum fix-point is  $E \cup \{1\}$
- 9. Characterize the maximum fix-point of  $\hat{R}$ , i.e  $\bigcup \{X | \hat{R}(X) = X\}$ . Since we already proved that  $\hat{R}(\mathbb{N}) \subseteq \mathbb{N}$ . The maximum fix-point is N