

## Exercises

3.258 [04R] Prerequisites: [04P], [03H], [22F]. Difficulty:\*. (Solved on 2022-10-13 in parte)

Let  $A$  infinite. Show that  $|D \times A| = |A|$  for every non-empty countable set  $D$ .<sup>a</sup>

(A possible solution uses [04P])

**Solution 1.** [04S]

(Another possible solution uses Zermelo's theorem, [22F] and [03H]; in this case [04P] becomes a corollary of this result.)

**Solution 2.** [04T]

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<sup>a</sup>Equivalently, show that there is a partition  $U$  of  $A$  such that each part  $B \in U$  has cardinality  $|B| = |A|$ , and the family  $U$  of the parts has cardinality  $|U| = |D|$ .