MATH 113: DISCRETE STRUCTURES HOMEWORK DUE FRIDAY WEEK 2

Problem 1. Let $f : A \to B$ be a function. Show that a function $g : B \to A$ such that $f \circ g = id_B$ exists if and only if f is surjective.

Problem 2. Suppose that f and g are composable functions.

(a) If g ∘ f is surjective, does g have to be surjective? Does f have to be surjective?
(b) If g ∘ f is injective, does g have to be injective? Does f have to be injective?

(b) If $g \circ f$ is injective, does g have to be injective? Does f have to be injective? (Explain all of your reasoning.)