## elements of that subset (those elements $a \in A$ such that $a \succeq_{\mathbf{P}} b$ for all $b \in A$ ). In formulas:

**Definition** (Max)

 $\mathbf{A} \mapsto \{c \in \mathbf{A} : (d \in \mathbf{A}) \land (d \succeq_{\mathbf{P}} c) \Rightarrow (c = d)\}.$ 

 $\text{Max}: \mathscr{P}\mathbf{P} \to \mathscr{A}\mathbf{P}$ 

Max:  $\mathcal{P}P \to \mathcal{A}P$  is the map that sends a subset A of a poset to the maximal

Note that Max(A) could be empty.