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## Exercise 6

- [5] Use the alternative principle of induction to show that if  $u_n$  is defined recursively by the rules  $u_1 = 1$ ,  $u_2 = 5$  and for all  $n > 1$ ,  $u_{n+1} = 5u_n - 6u_{n-1}$ , then  $u_n = 3^n - 2^n$  for all  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ .
- [6] a) Guess a formula for  $\sum_{i=1}^n bi + c$ , where  $b, c$  are given numbers, and prove it using the principle of induction.
- b) Use  $6 \sum_{i=1}^n i^2 = n(n+1)(2n+1)$  and the result of step a) to write down a formula for  $\sum_{i=1}^n ai^2 + bi + c$ , where  $a, b, c$  are given numbers.

## Section 5.1

- [9] Complete the proof of Theorem 1

**Theorem 0.1.** For any sets  $A, B, C \subseteq \mathcal{U}$ :

- a)  $A \times (B \cap C) = (A \times B) \cap (A \times C)$
- b)  $A \times (B \cup C) = (A \times B) \cup (A \times C)$
- c)  $(A \cap B) \times C = (A \times C) \cap (B \times C)$
- d)  $(A \cup B) \times C = (A \times C) \cup (B \times C)$

- [11] For  $A, B, C \subset \mathcal{U}$ , prove that

$$A \times (B - C) = (A \times B) - (A \times C)$$

## Section 7.2

- [6] For sets  $A, B$  and  $C$ , consider relations  $\mathcal{R}_1 \subseteq A \times B$ ,  $\mathcal{R}_2 \subseteq B \times C$ , and  $\mathcal{R}_3 \subseteq B \times C$ . Prove that:
- a)  $\mathcal{R}_1 \circ (\mathcal{R}_2 \cup \mathcal{R}_3) = (\mathcal{R}_1 \circ \mathcal{R}_2) \cup (\mathcal{R}_1 \circ \mathcal{R}_3)$ ,

**b)**  $\mathcal{R}_1 \circ (\mathcal{R}_2 \cap \mathcal{R}_3) \subseteq (\mathcal{R}_1 \circ \mathcal{R}_2) \cap (\mathcal{R}_1 \circ \mathcal{R}_3).$

- 15** **a)** Draw the digraph  $G_1 = (V_1, E_1)$  where  $V_1 = \{a, b, c, d, e, f\}$  and  $E_1 = \{(a, b), (a, d), (b, c), (b, e), (d, b), (d, e), (e, c), (e, f), (f, d)\}.$

- b)** Draw the undirected graph  $G_1 = (V_2, E_2)$  where  $V_2 = \{s, t, u, v, w, x, y, z\}$  and

$$E_2 = \{\{s, t\}, \{s, u\}, \{s, x\}, \{t, u\}, \{t, w\}, \{u, w\}, \\ \{u, x\}, \{v, w\}, \{v, x\}, \{v, y\}, \{w, z\}, \{x, y\}\}$$

- 18** For  $A = \{v, w, x, y, z\}$ , each of the following is the  $(0, 1)$ -matrix for a relation  $\mathcal{R}$  on  $A$ . Here the rows and the columns are indexed in the order  $v, w, x, y, z$ . Determine the relation  $\mathcal{R} \subset A \times A$  in each case, and draw the undirected graph  $G$  associated with  $\mathcal{R}$

**a)**  $M(\mathcal{R}) = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$

**b)**  $M(\mathcal{R}) = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$