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Tutorial sheet - 1

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Q.	Questions	Answer Keys
No 1	Simplify the following using set theoretical laws:	
1	(A \cup B \cup C) \cap (A \cap B' \cap C') \cap C'	$B \cap C'$
2	Write the dual of $(A \cup \phi) \cup (\mathbb{U} \cap A') = \mathbb{U}$	
3	Let A = $\{1, 2, 3\}$ and B = $\{a, b\}$ then prove that $A \times B \neq B \times A$.	
4.	Let A, B, C are sets and U is the universal set then prove that	
	$A - B = \emptyset$ if and only if $A \subseteq B$	
5.	Use the set builder notation to establish the identities	
	$(A-C)\cap(C-B)=\emptyset$	
6.	Let A, B, C are sets and U is the universal set then prove that	
	$A - B = A$ if and only if $A \cap B = \emptyset$	
7.	Simplify the following sets using set identities	
	i. $\bar{A} \cup \bar{B} \cup (A \cap B \cap \bar{C})$	
	ii. $(A \cap B) \cup [B \cap [(C \cap D) \cup (C \cap \overline{D})]]$	
8.	If A and B are any two sets, prove analytically or using set	
	identities,	
	$A \cap (B - C) = (A \cap B) - (A \cap C).$	
	Also show that $A \cup (B - C) \neq (A \cup B) - (A \cup C)$. Is the principle	
	of duality failed here? Explain.	
9.	Find the Dual of the following	$\mathbf{i.}\ A\cap A'=\emptyset$
	-	$\mathbf{ii.}(A \cap B)' = A' \cup B'$
	i. $A \cup A' = U$	$\mathbf{iii.}(A \cup B')' \cap B =$
	ii. $(A \cup B)' = A' \cap B'$	$A' \cap B$
	iii. $(A \cap B')' \cup B = A' \cup B$	
10.	If A and B are sets prove that $A \subseteq B$ if and only if $B' \subseteq A'$.	