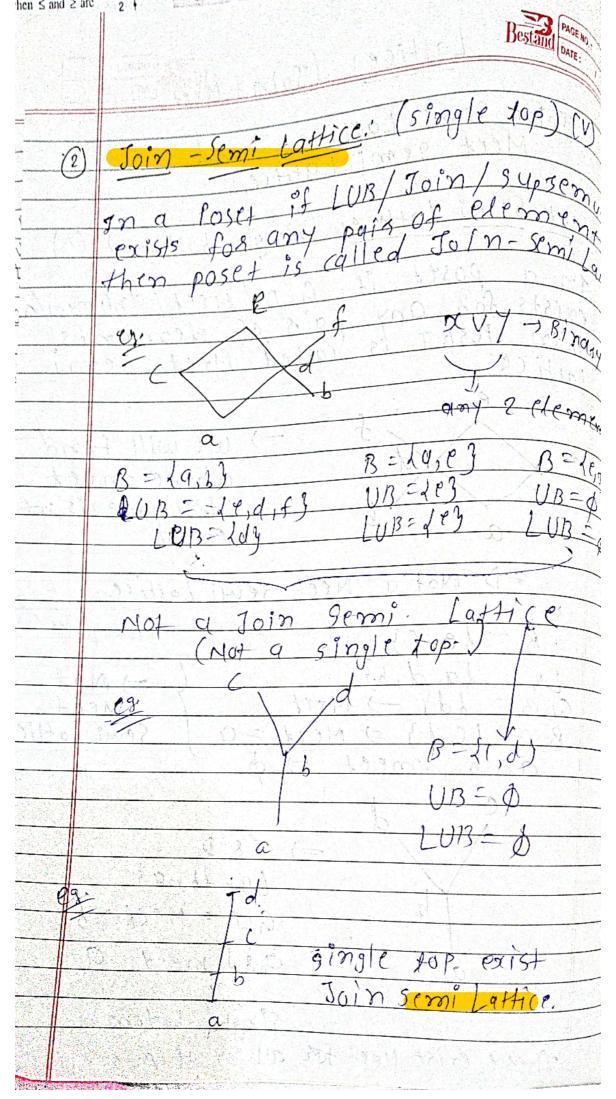
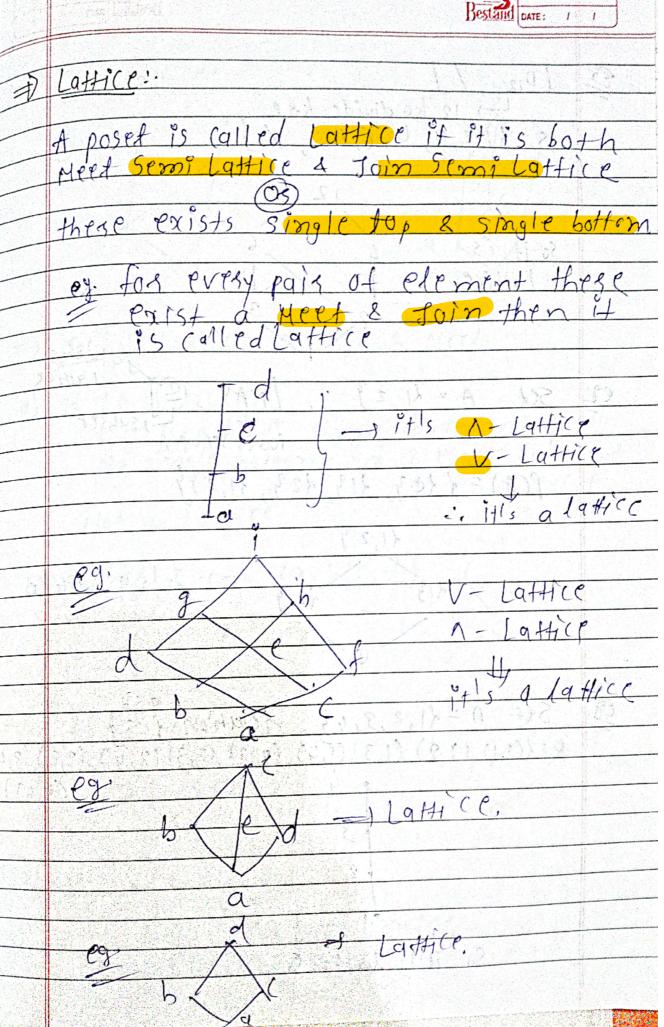
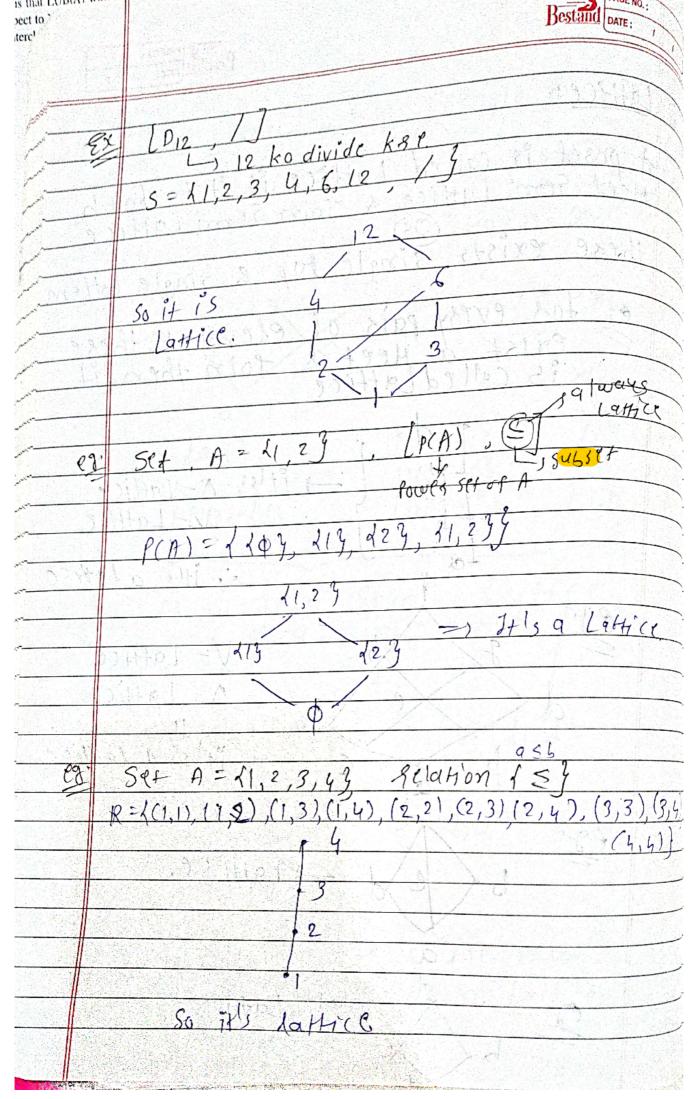
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A partially ordered set $\{L, \leq\}$ in which every pair of elements has a least upper bound and a greatest lower bound is called a lattice.

The LUB (supremum) of a subset $\{a, b\} \subseteq L$ is denoted by $a \lor b$ [or $a \oplus b$

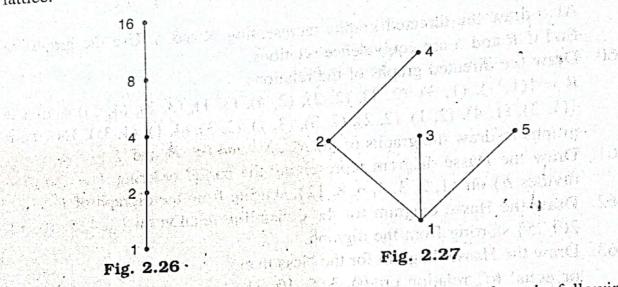
or a + b or $a \cup b$] and is called the *join* or sum of a and b. The GLB (infemum) of a subset $\{a, b\} \subseteq L$ is denoted by $a \wedge b$ [or a * b or

 $a \circ b$ or $a \cap b$] is called the *meet* or *product* of a and b. Since the LUB and GLB of any subset of a poset are unique, both ^ and V

Note

For example, let us consider the poset ({1, 2, 4, 8, 16}), where I means 'divisor of'. The Hasse diagram of this poset is given in Fig. 2.26.

The LUB of any two elements of this poset is obviously the larger of them and the GLB of any two elements is the smaller of them. Hence this poset is a lattice.



relation on (6, 3, 5, 10, 10 All partially ordered sets are not lattices, as can be seen from the following Note.

Let us consider the poset ({1, 2, 3, 4, 5}, l) whose Hasse diagram is given in

The LUB's of the pairs (2, 3) and (3, 5) do not exist and hence they do not have Fig. 2.27. LUB. Hence this poset is not a Lattice. area and to be in the footing

PRINCIPLE OF DUALITY

When \leq is a partial ordering relation on a set S, the converse \geq is also a partial ordering relation on S. For example if \leq denotes 'divisor of', \geq denotes 'multiple

The Hasse diagram of (S, \ge) can be obtained from that of (S, \le) by simply of'. turning it upside down. For example the Hasse diagram of the poset ({1, 2, 4, 4, 16}) ming it upside down. To chaine d from 2: 26 only bear of the 2:28. In Fig. 28. From this example, it is obvious that LUB(A) with respect to \leq is the same as GLB(A) with respect to \geq and vice versa, where $A \subseteq S$. viz. LUB and GLB are interchanged, when \leq and \geq are interchanged.

In the case of lattices, if $\{L, \leq\}$ is a lattice, so also is $\{L, \geq\}$. Also the operations of join and meet on $\{L, \leq\}$ become the operations of meet and join respectively on $\{L, \geq\}$.

From the above observations, the following statement, known as the principle of duality follows:

Any statement in respect of lattices involving the operations \vee and \wedge and the relations \leq and \geq remains true, if \vee is replaced by \wedge and \wedge is replaced by \vee , \leq by \geq and \geq by \leq .

The lattices $\{L, \leq\}$ and $\{L, \geq\}$ are called the *duals* of each other. Similarly the operations \vee and \wedge are duals of each other and the relations \leq and \geq are duals of each other.

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