

Complements Lattice:

A Lattice in which every element has a complement is known as complemented Lattice.



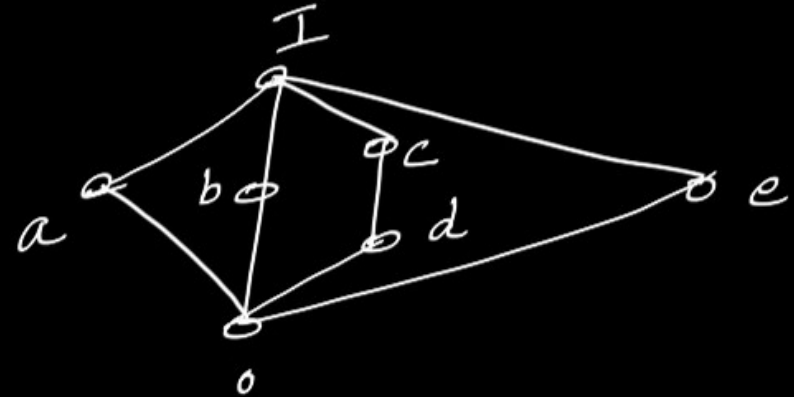
Complement of 'a'

Element	Complement
<u>a</u>	<u>b, c, d, e</u>
<u>b</u>	<u>a, c, d, e</u>
c	a, b, e
d	a, b, e
e	a, b, c, d
I	0
0	I

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} a \vee b = I \\ a \wedge b = 0 \end{array} \right\}$$

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} a \vee c = I \\ a \wedge c = 0 \end{array} \right\}$$

Complemented Lattice



Distributive Lattice:

A Lattice which follows distributive law is known as Distributive Lattice.

Distributive Law: For any three elements a, b, c

$$i) a \vee (b \wedge c) = (a \vee b) \wedge (a \vee c) \text{ and } \forall a, b, c$$

$$ii) a \wedge (b \vee c) = (a \wedge b) \vee (a \wedge c)$$

5 elements

$${}^5P_3 = \frac{5 \times 4 \times 3}{3 \times 2 \times 1} = 10$$

Q. Construct

i) $[D_8 : |]$ ✓

ii) $[D_{16} : |]$ ✓

iii) $[D_{32} : |]$ ✓

$$D_8 = \{1, 2, 4, 8\}$$



$$D_{16} = \{1, 2, 4, 8, 16, 32\}$$



Distributive

$$\begin{array}{l|l} 2 \vee (4 \wedge 8) & (2 \vee 4) \wedge (2 \vee 8) \\ 2 \vee 4 & 4 \wedge 8 \\ 4 & 4 \end{array}$$

Can you show complements?

$$D_{32} = \{1, 2, 4, 8, 16, 32\}$$



Any pair of elements related

8, 4

$$\frac{(8, 4) \in R}{8 R_4} \quad \text{or} \quad \frac{(4, 8) \in R}{4 R_8}$$

Total Order:

A partial-order relation in which every pair of elements are COMPARABLE, is known as Totally-ordered relation (or) Linearly-ordered (or) chain

** Every chain is distributive*

COMPARABLE: In a relation 'R',

Two elements x, y are comparable $\Leftrightarrow \underline{x R y}$ (or) $\underline{y R x}$
 $(x, y) \in R$ (or) $(y, x) \in R$

Boolean Algebra Structure:

A Lattice which is both distributive and complemented, is known as Boolean Algebra structure

Ex: Construct $[P(A) : \subseteq]$ *relation*

Where $A = \{a, b, c\}$ and $P(A)$ is a powerset of 'A'

$$A = \{a, b, c\}$$

power set $A = P(A)$

$$= \{ \cancel{\phi}, \cancel{\{a\}}, \cancel{\{b\}}, \cancel{\{c\}}, \cancel{\{a, b\}}, \cancel{\{a, c\}}, \cancel{\{b, c\}}, \{a, b, c\} \}$$

$$[P(A) : \subseteq]$$

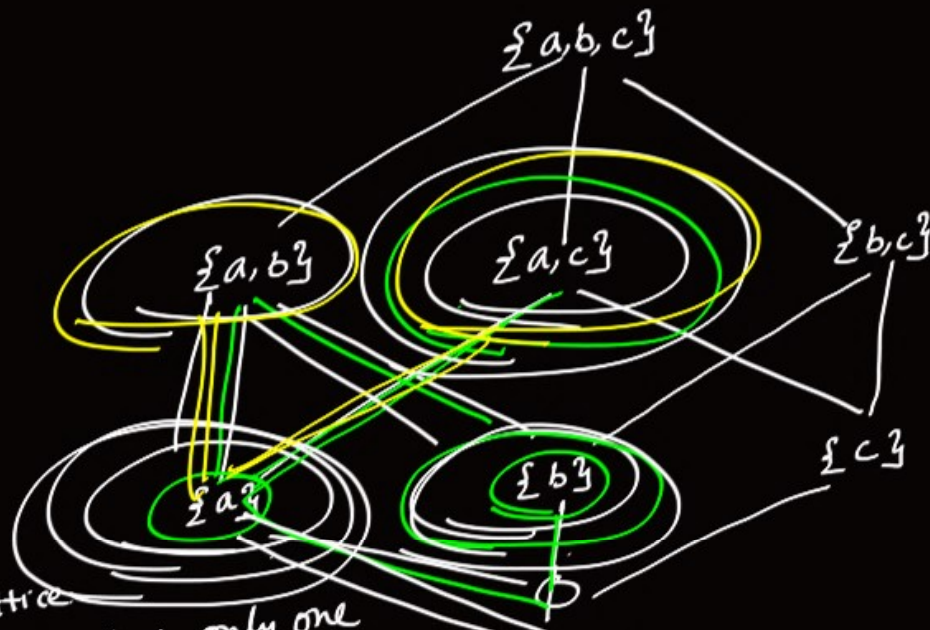
Element	complement
$\{a\}$	$\{b, c\}, \cancel{\{b\}}$
$\{b\}$	$\{a, c\}$
$\{c\}$	$\{a, b\}$
ϕ	$\{a, b, c\}$

Every element has complement

So It is complemented Lattice

every element has only one complement

\therefore Distributive



Take

$\{a\}, \{b\}, \{a, c\}$

$$\text{LHS} = \{a\} \vee [\{b\} \wedge \{a, c\}]$$

$$= \{a\} \vee \phi$$

$$= \{a\}$$

$$\text{RHS} = [\{a\} \vee \{b\}] \wedge [\{a\} \vee \{a, c\}]$$

$$= [\{a, b\}] \wedge [\{a, c\}]$$

$$= \{a\}$$

Given structure

Distributive

$\therefore [P(A) : \subseteq]$ is

Distributive & Complemented

$\therefore [P(A) : \subseteq]$ is

Boolean algebra structure.



Transitive Closure:

If 'R' is any relation on a set 'A' then transitive closure of 'R' denoted by R^* is the smallest transitive relation on A which contains R.

Ex: Let $A = \{a, b, c\}$ and

$$R = \{(a, b), (b, c)\} \quad \text{Here } R \text{ is NOT Transitive}$$

$$R^* = \underbrace{\{(a, b), (b, c)\}}_R, \underbrace{(a, c)}$$

$$\underbrace{R}_{\text{NOT Trans}} \cup \text{Something} = \underbrace{R^*}_{\text{Transitive}}$$

Reflexive Closure:

If 'R' is any relation on a set A then reflexive closure of R denoted by $R^\#$ is the smallest reflexive relation on A which contains R

$$R^\# = R \cup \Delta_A$$

Ex: If $A = \{a, b, c\}$ ✓

$$R = \{(a, b), (b, c)\}$$

$$R^\# = \underbrace{\{(a, b), (b, c)\}}_R, \underbrace{(a, a), (b, b), (c, c)}_{\Delta_A}$$

$R \cup \text{Some} = R^\#$
 NOT ref Reflexive

Symmetric Closure:

If 'R' is any relation on a set 'A' then symmetric closure of R denoted by R^+ is

R^+ = The smallest symmetric relation on A which contains R = $R \cup R^{-1}$

Ex: Let $A = \{a, b, c\}$ and
 $R = \{(a, b), (b, c)\}$ then
 $R^+ = \{(a, b), (b, c), (b, a), (c, b)\}$
 R

$R \cup \text{Something} = \text{Symmetric}$
 $= R^+$
 R NOT symmetric



Q. The Transitive closure of the relation
 $\{(1, 2), (2, 3), (3, 4), (5, 4)\}$ on the set $A = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5\}$ is _____

$$R = \{ \underline{\underline{(1, 2)}}, \underline{\underline{(2, 3)}}, \underline{\underline{(3, 4)}}, \underline{\underline{(5, 4)}} \}$$

$$1 \rightarrow 2 \rightarrow 3 = (1, 3) \notin R$$

$$2 \rightarrow 3 \rightarrow 4 = (2, 4) \notin R$$

$$3 \rightarrow 4$$

$$5 \rightarrow 4$$

$$\left. \begin{matrix} (1, 1) \\ (2, 2) \\ (3, 3) \\ (4, 4) \end{matrix} \right\} \text{Don't transitive}$$

$$R' = \{ (1, 2), (2, 3), (3, 4), (5, 4) \} \cup \{ (1, 3), (2, 4) \}$$

$$= \{ (1, 2), \underline{(1, 3)}, (2, 3), \underline{(2, 4)}, \underline{(3, 4)}, \underline{(5, 4)} \}$$

$$1 \rightarrow 3 \rightarrow 4 = (1, 4) \notin R$$

$$R^* = \{ (1, 2), (1, 3), (1, 4), (2, 3), (2, 4), (3, 4), (5, 4) \}$$

$$\rightarrow 5 \rightarrow 4 \rightarrow$$

Formula:

If A is a set with n elements then

- i) Number of reflexive relations on A = $2^{n(n-1)}$ ✓
- ii) Number of Irreflexive relations on A = $2^{n(n-1)}$

iii) Number of symmetric relations on A = $2^{\frac{n(n+1)}{2}}$

iv) Number of anti-symmetric relations on A = $2^n \cdot 3^{\frac{n(n-1)}{2}}$

v) Number of asymmetric relations on A = $3^{\frac{n(n-1)}{2}}$

Q. Find the possible number of reflexive relations on 5-elements set?

$$n=5$$

$$\text{No of Reflexive relations} = 2^{n(n-1)}$$

$$= 2^{5 \times 4}$$

$$= 2^{20}$$

$$= (2^{10})^2$$

$$= \underline{\underline{10,48,576}}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 1024 \\ \times 1024 \\ \hline 10,48,576 \end{array}$$

Q. Let A be a finite set of size n . the number of elements in the power set of $A \times A$ is (GATE-93)

a) 2^{2^n}

b) 2^{n^2} ✓

c) 2^n

d) n^2

$$n(A) = |A| = n$$

$$|A \times A| = n \times n = n^2$$

$$|P(A \times A)| = 2^{n^2}$$



Q. Let $X = \{2, 3, 6, 12, 24\}$. Let \leq be the partial order defined by $x \leq y$ if x divides y . the number of edges in the Hasse diagram of (X, \leq) is (GATE-96)

a) 3

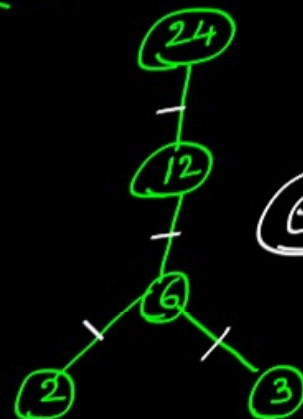
b) 4 ✓

c) 9

d) None of these

$x \leq y$ if x divides y

$x R y \iff x \text{ divides } y$



$e = 4$

Join-semi lattice

Q. Suppose A is finite set with n elements. The number of elements in the largest equivalence relation of A is RST $A = \{a, b, c\}$ (GATE-98)

a) n

b) n^2 ✓

c) 1

d) $n+1$

$$|A| = n = 3$$

$$\text{No. of relations} = 2^{n^2} = 2^9 = 512$$

$$R_1 = \{(a, a), (b, b), (c, c)\} \longrightarrow \text{Min} = 3 = n.$$

$$R_2 = \underbrace{A \times A}_{\downarrow} = \left\{ \begin{array}{l} (a, a), (a, b), (a, c) \\ (b, a), (b, b), (b, c) \\ (c, a), (c, b), (c, c) \end{array} \right\} \quad RST = Eq$$

$$\text{Max. } n \times n = n^2$$

Q. Let R_1 & R_2 be two equivalence relations on a set. Consider the following assertions: (GATE-98)

- i) $R_1 \cup R_2$ is an equivalence relation
- ii) $R_1 \cap R_2$ is an equivalence relation

Which of the following is correct?

- a) Both assertions are true
- b) Assertion (i) is true but assertion (ii) is not true
- ☒ c) Assertion (ii) is true but assertion (i) is not true
- d) Neither (i) nor (ii) is true

$$A = \{a, b, c, d\}$$

$$R_1 = \{(a, a), (b, b), (c, c), (d, d), \underline{(a, b)}, (b, a)\}$$

$$R_2 = \{(a, a), (b, b), (c, c), (d, d), \underline{(b, c)}, (c, b)\}$$

$$R_1 \cap R_2 = eq \quad (a, c)$$

$$R_1 \cup R_2 = \text{NOT Trans} \\ \Rightarrow \text{NOT equivalence}$$

Q. The number of binary relations on a set with n elements is: **(GATE-99)**



a) n^2

b) 2^n

c) 2^{n^2} ✓

d) None of these

Q. A relation R is defined on ordered pairs of integers as follows: (GATE-06)

$(x, y) R (u, v)$ if $x < u$ & $y > v$. then R is

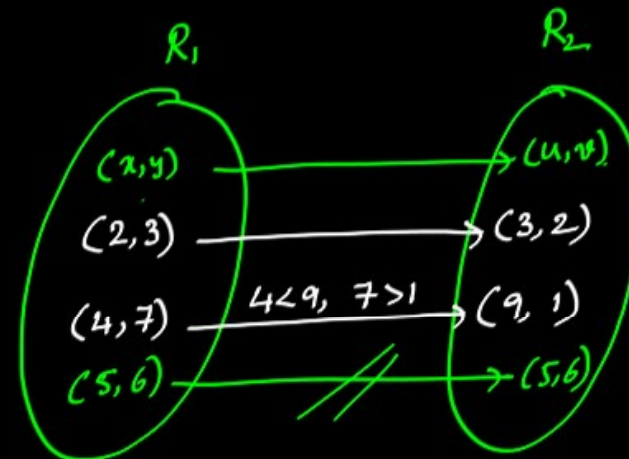
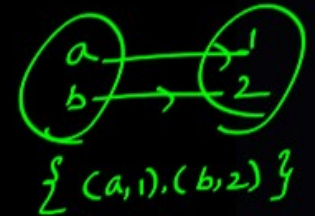
- a) ~~neither a partial order nor an equivalence relation~~
- b) ~~A partial order but not a total order~~
- c) ~~a total order~~
- d) ~~An equivalence relation~~

NOT reflexive.
 \Rightarrow NOT equivalence

R is defined on sets

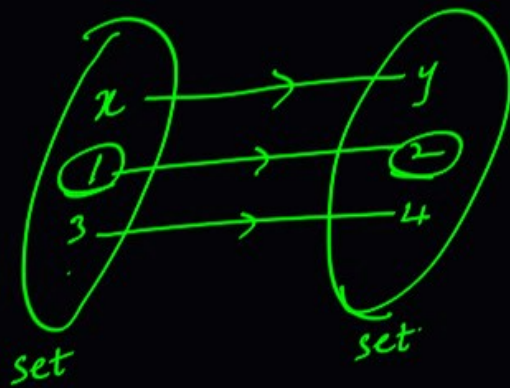
$$R: A \rightarrow A$$

$$R: R_1 \rightarrow R_2$$

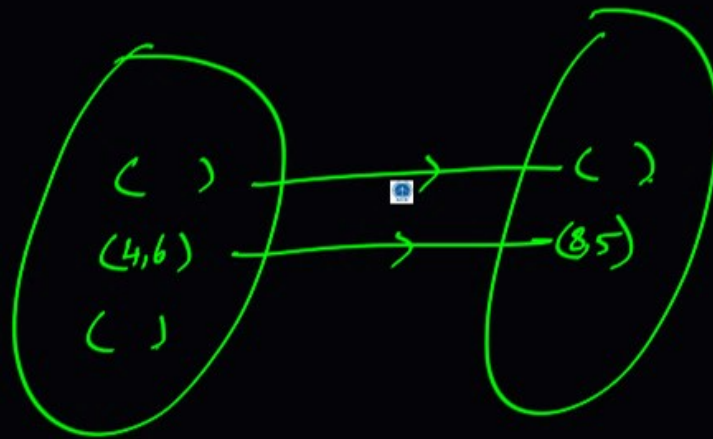


$$\{(x, y), (u, v)\}$$

$x R y$



$$R = \{ (1, 2), (3, 4) \}$$



$$\{ ((4, 6), (8, 5)) \}$$

Q. Let S be a set of n elements. The number of ordered pairs in the largest and the smallest equivalence relations on S are **(GATE-07)**



a) n and n

* b) n^2 and n ✓

c) n^2 and 0

d) n and 1

Q. Consider the binary relation $R = \{(x, y), (x, z), (z, x), (z, y)\}$ on the set $\{x, y, z\}$. which one of the following is TRUE? **(GATE-09)**

- a) R is symmetric but NOT anti-symmetric
- b) R is NOT symmetric but anti-symmetric
- c) R is both symmetric and anti-symmetric
- d) R is neither symmetric nor anti-symmetric

NOT Symmetric. $(x, y) \in R$ But $(y, x) \notin R$

NOT anti-Symm $(x, z), (z, x) \in R$ But $x \neq z$

Q. What is the possible number of reflexive relations on a set 5 elements?
(GATE-10)

a) 2^{10}

b) 2^{15}

c) 2^{20} ✓

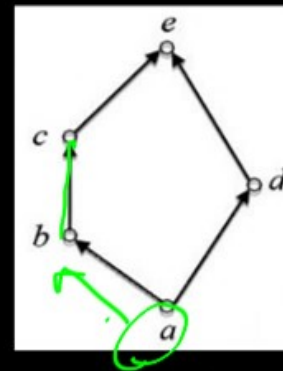
d) 2^{25}

$$\begin{aligned} & 2^{n(n-1)} \\ &= 2^{5 \times 4} \\ &= 2^{20} \end{aligned}$$

Q. Consider the set $X = \{a, b, c, d, e\}$ under the partial ordering

$R = \{(a, a), (a, b), (a, c), (a, d), (a, e), (b, b), (b, c), (b, e), (c, c), (c, e), (d, d), (d, e), (e, e)\}$. (GATE-17-Set2)

The Hasse diagram of the partial order (X, R) is shown below.



for every pair
there is a $\text{Join}(v)$ and $\text{Meet}(v)$

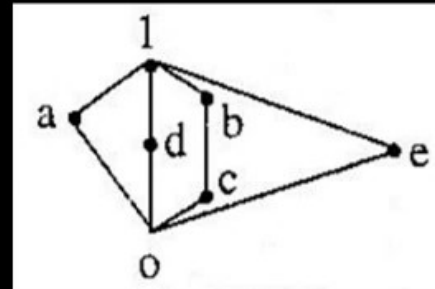
$\left. \begin{matrix} bvc = c \\ bnc = b \end{matrix} \right\}$

$\left\{ \begin{matrix} bvd = e \\ bnd = a \end{matrix} \right.$

The minimum number of ordered pairs that need to be added to R to make (X, R) a lattice is 0.

Q. The complement(s) of the element 'a' in the lattice shown in Fig. is (are).....

Complements (a) = d, b, c, e



(GATE-88)

Q. The transitive closure of the relation $\{(1, 2), (2, 3), (3, 4), (5, 4)\}$

On the set $A = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5\}$ is _____

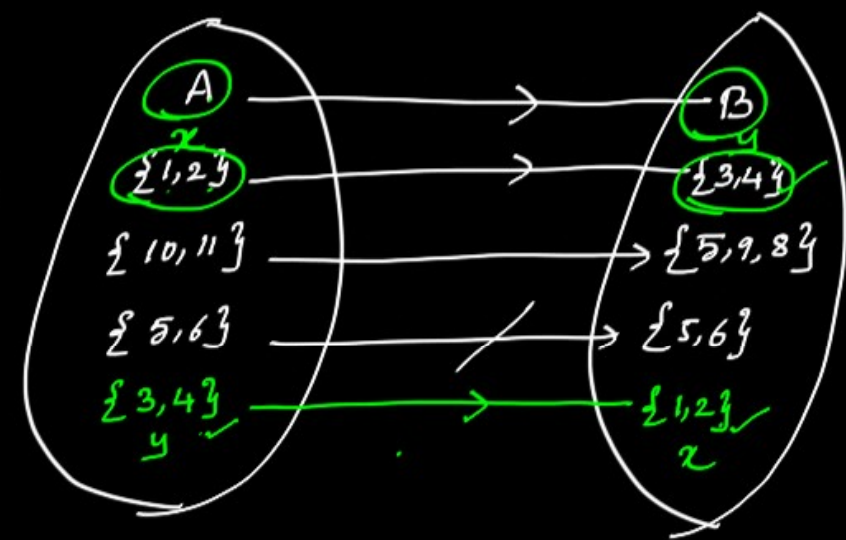
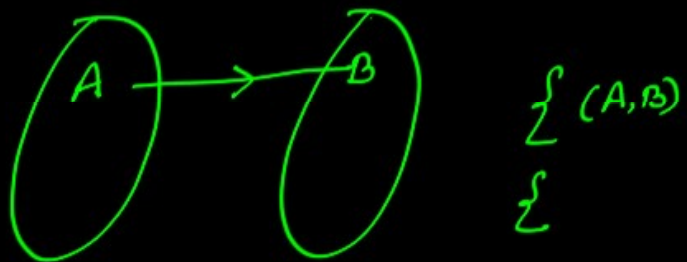
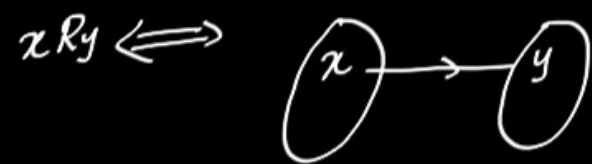
(GATE-89)

$$\{(1, 3), (2, 4), (1, 4)\} \checkmark$$

$$R^* = \underbrace{\{(1, 2), (2, 3), (3, 4), (5, 4)\}}_R \cup \{(1, 3), (2, 4), (1, 4)\}$$

Q. Let R be a non-empty relation on a collection of sets defined by $A^R B$ if and only if $A \cap B = \phi$. Then, (pick the true statement) (GATE-96)

- a) R is reflexive and transitive
- b) R is symmetric and not transitive
- c) R is an equivalence relation
- d) R is not reflexive and not symmetric



$$A R B \iff A \cap B = \phi \quad \checkmark$$

Ref: $A R A \iff A \cap A = \phi$ (False)
 But $A \cap A = A$
 $A \not R A$

NOT Reflexive.

Symmetric: If $a R b$ then $b R a \quad \forall a, b$

Hence $A R B$ then $B R A$

$$A R B \implies A \cap B = \phi$$

$$\implies B \cap A = \phi$$

$$\implies B R A \quad \text{Symmetric}$$

Transitive:

If $a R b, b R c$ then $a R c, \forall a, b, c$
 If $A \cap B = \phi, B \cap C = \phi$ then $A \cap C = \phi$

$$A = \{1, 2\} \quad B = \{3, 4\} \quad C = \{1, 5\}$$

$$A \cap B = \phi, \quad B \cap C = \phi, \quad \text{But} \quad A \cap C \neq \phi$$

NOT Transitive.

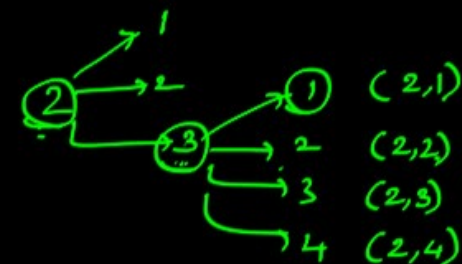
Q. The binary relation $R = \{(1, 1), (2, 1), (2, 2), (2, 3), (2, 4), (3, 1), (3, 2), (3, 3), (3, 4)\}$ on the set $A = \{1, 2, 3, 4\}$ is (GATE-98)

a) Reflexive, symmetric and transitive.

b) Neither reflexive nor irreflexive but transitive

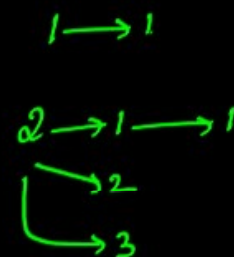
c) Irreflexive, symmetric and transitive

d) irreflexive and antisymmetric



$(4, 4) \notin R$
NOT reflexive

$(1, 1) \in R$
NOT irreflexive



Q. a) Mr. X claims the following: (GATE-99)

If a relation R is both symmetric and transitive, then R is reflexive. For this, Mr. X offers the following proof.

“from xRy , using symmetry we get yRx . Now because R is transitive, xRy and yRx together imply xRx . Therefore, R is reflexive”

Briefly point out the flaw in Mr. X's proof.

\emptyset

b) Give an example of a relation R which is symmetric and transitive but not reflexive.

$$A = \{1, 2, 3, 4\}$$

$$R = \left\{ \underbrace{(1, 2), (2, 1)}_{a \ b \ b \ c}, (1, 1) \right\}$$

R is symmetric
 R is transitive

Trans: aRb, bRc then aRc
 xRy, yRx then xRx
Empty = \emptyset = Sym, trans, = not reflex
 $a=c$

Q. A relation R is defined on the set of integers as xRy iff $(x + y)$ is even. Which of the following statements is true? **(GATE-00)**

a) R is not an equivalence relation

b) R is an equivalence relation having 1 equivalence class

☒ c) R is an equivalence relation having 2 equivalence classes

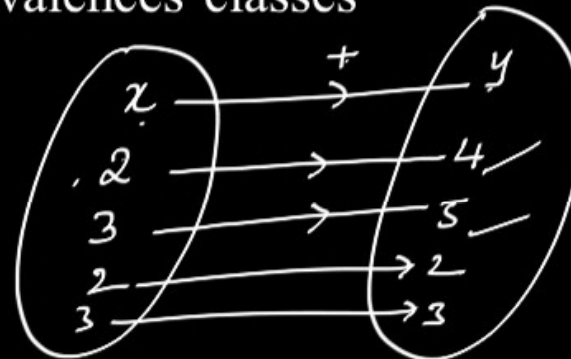
d) R is an equivalence relation having 3 equivalence classes

xRy iff $(x+y)$ even

$$2+4 = 6 \rightarrow \text{even}$$

$$3+5 = 8 \rightarrow \text{even}$$

$$7+8 = 15 \rightarrow \text{odd}$$



$\{2, 4, 6, 8, \dots\}$
 $\{1, 3, 5, 7, \dots\}$