

1. Show that the set of letters needed to spell "CATARACT" and set of letters needed to spell "TRACT" are equal.

$$\Rightarrow A = \{\text{letters of CATARACT}\} = \{c, a, r, t\}$$

$$B = \{\text{letters of TRACT}\} = \{t, r, a, c\}$$

From this two  $A = B$ .

2. The following sets are equal.

Soln (i)  $A = \{1, 2, 3\}$   $B = \{x : x \in \mathbb{R} \text{ and } x(x^2 - 2x + 1) = 0\}$

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

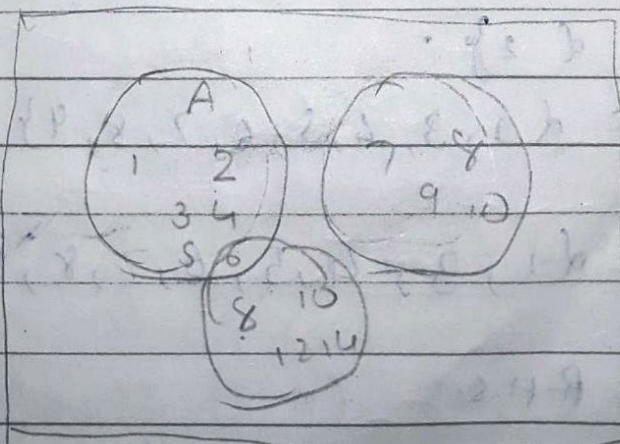
$$B = \{1\}$$

$$A \neq B$$

Show that

3.  $A = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6\}$ ,  $B = \{7, 8, 9, 10\}$  and  $C = \{6, 8, 10, 12, 14\}$  then A and B are disjoint sets, while A and C are intersecting sets.

Sol:- Here  $A \cap B = \emptyset$  so it is disjoint set.



$A \cap B \neq \emptyset$  null set  
 $A \cap C = \{6\}$   
 $A \cap C = \{6\}$  singleton set.



4. Let  $U = \{1, 2, 3, 4, \dots, 9\}$   $A = \{2, 4, 6, 8\}$

$B = \{2, 3, 5, 7\}$ , verify that:

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L.H.S. =  $(A \cup B)'$

$A \cup B = \{2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8\}$

$(A \cup B)' = \{1, 9\} \rightarrow \text{L.H.S.}$

R.H.S. =  $A' \cap B'$

$A' = \{1, 3, 5, 7, 9\}$

$B' = \{1, 4, 6, 8, 9\}$

$A' \cap B' = \{1, 9\} \rightarrow \text{R.H.S.}$

L.H.S. = R.H.S. Hence Proved.

(ii)  $(A \cap B)' = A' \cup B'$

L.H.S. =  $(A \cap B)'$

$A \cap B = \{2\}$

$(A \cap B)' = \{1, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9\} \rightarrow \text{L.H.S.}$

$A' \cup B' = \{1, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9\} \rightarrow \text{R.H.S.}$

L.H.S. = R.H.S.

Hence Proved.



5. If A and B are two sets such that  $n(A \cup B) = 50$   
 $n(A) = 28$ ,  $n(B) = 32$  find  $n(A \cap B)$ .

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$$n(A \cap B) = n(A \cup B) - n(A) - n(B)$$

$$n(A \cup B) = n(A) + n(B) - n(A \cap B)$$

$$50 = 28 + 32 - n(A \cap B)$$

$$50 = 60 - n(A \cap B)$$

$$\therefore n(A \cap B) = 10$$

6. If  $A = \{1, 2, 3\}$ ,  $B = \{3, 4\}$  and  $C = \{1, 3, 5\}$   
 find

(i)  $A \times (B \cup C)$  (ii)  $A \times (B \cap C)$  (iii)  $(A \times B) \cap (A \times C)$

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

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

(ii)  $A \times (B \cap C) =$

$$B \cap C = \{3\}$$

$$A \times (B \cap C) = \{(1, 3), (2, 3), (3, 3)\}$$

(iii)  $(A \times B) \cap (A \times C) =$

$$A \times B = \{(1, 3), (2, 3), (3, 3), (1, 4), (2, 4), (3, 4)\}$$

$$A \times C = \{(1, 1), (1, 3), (1, 5), (2, 1), (2, 3), (2, 5), (3, 1), (3, 3), (3, 5)\}$$

$$(A \times B) \cap (A \times C) = \{(1, 3), (2, 3), (3, 3)\}$$