

Ex. Let  $A$  be a set having 10 elements. How many diff. binary relation on  $A$  is possible?

How many of them are reflexive?

How many of them are symmetric?

Ex. Let  $R$  be a binary relation on set of all possible (fin) integers such that  $R = \{(a, b) \mid a - b$  is odd positive integer. Find the nature of the relation.

→ No Reflexive &

No Symmetric

No transitive  $[(10, 5) - (5, 2) = (10, 2)$  which is not odd]

Exam.

Ex. Prove that for any positive integer  $n \geq 1$

$$\frac{1}{\sqrt{1}} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} + \dots + \frac{1}{\sqrt{n}} > \sqrt{n}$$

→ Basis :  $n=2$

$$\text{L.H.S.} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1}} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} = 1 + 0.707 = 1.707$$

$$\text{R.H.S.} = \sqrt{2} = 1.41$$

Here,  $1.707 > 1.41$  hence state is true for  $n=2$

Hypothesis :  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{1}} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} + \dots + \frac{1}{\sqrt{k}} > \sqrt{k}$

Put  $= 0 + (\frac{1}{\sqrt{1}} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} + \dots + \frac{1}{\sqrt{k}}) < \sqrt{k}$ .

$$\rightarrow \frac{1}{\sqrt{1}} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} + \dots + \frac{1}{\sqrt{k}} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{k+1}} > \sqrt{k} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{k+1}} \quad (1)$$

Here,  $|x| > \sqrt{K}$  when  $x^2 > K$ . A set  $S$  is said to be bounded if  $\exists M > 0$  such that  $|x| < M$  for all  $x \in S$ .

$$\Rightarrow |x| > \sqrt{K}$$

Since  $x^2 < M^2$ ,  $\sqrt{x^2} < M$  or  $|x| < M$

From (1)  $\Rightarrow$  from (1)  $\Rightarrow$  from (1)

$$|x| > \frac{K}{M} \Rightarrow |x| < \frac{1}{\frac{K}{M}} = \frac{M}{K}$$

$\Rightarrow |x| < \sqrt{K}$  or  $|x| < \sqrt{K+1}$

$$P_{(K+1)} \geq \sqrt{K+1} > \sqrt{K+1} = M$$

Hence,  $|x| < \sqrt{K+1}$

Hence, proved.

### Equivalence Relation

$(x,y) \sim (z,w) \iff (x,z) \in R \text{ and } (y,w) \in R$

Properties  $\Rightarrow$  It is a binary relation that is Reflexive, symmetric & transitive.

Ex.  $A = \{a, b, c, d, e, f\}$

	a	b	c	d	e	f
a	✓	✓				
b	✓	✓				
c			✓			
d				✓	✓	✓
e				✓	✓	✓
f				✓	✓	✓

General  $\forall a, b \in A, R = \{(a, b) \mid a = b\}$

## Set Partitions

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

- set can be partitioned into non-empty subsets such that every element is included in exactly one subset.
- union of all subsets will be original set and intersection will be null ( $\emptyset$ ).

ex:  $S = \{1, 2, 3\}$  partitions.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{partitions: } & \Rightarrow \{\{1, 2\}, \{3\}\} \quad \{\overline{12}, \overline{3}\} \\ & \Rightarrow \{\{1\}, \{2, 3\}\} \quad \{\overline{1}, \overline{23}\} \\ & \Rightarrow \{\{2\}, \{1, 3\}\} \quad \{\overline{2}, \overline{13}\} \\ & \Rightarrow \{\{1\}, \{2\}, \{3\}\} \quad \{\overline{1}, \overline{2}, \overline{3}\} \end{aligned}$$

Notation for set partition

$$\text{ex: } \{1, 2\}, \{3\} \rightarrow \{\overline{12}, \overline{3}\}$$

From the equivalence relation <sup>on</sup> of set A, we can define the partition of A, so that every two elements in a block are related and every two elements in different blocks are not related. This partition is called partition induced by equivalence relation.

$$\text{ex. } S = \{1, 2, 3\}$$

$$\Rightarrow \{(1, 1), (2, 2), (3, 3), (1, 2), (2, 1)\}$$

$$\{\{1, 2\}, \{3\}\} \Rightarrow \{\overline{12}, \overline{3}\}$$

- 1 & 2 are related with each other and 3 is not related with either 1 or 2.

Similarly, from the partitions of the set we can define equivalence relation.

partition =  $\{\bar{1}, \bar{2}, \bar{3}\}$

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

ex. P is a partition induced by equivalence relation  $P = \{\{a,b,c\}, \{d\}, \{e\}\}$

List all pairs in equivalence relation R

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

### • Equivalence Class

An equivalence class of  $x$ , where  $x$  is an element, is defined as  $[x]$  such that

$$x \rightarrow [x] \leftarrow \{y \mid y \in A, (x,y) \in R\}$$

$$[x] = \{y \mid y \in A, (x,y) \in R\}$$

Equivalence class

ex.

let  $A = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5\}$

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

3 classes

$$[1] = \{1, 2\} \quad C_1 = \{1, 2\}$$

$$[2] = \{3\} \quad C_2 = \{3\}$$

$$[3] = \{4, 5\} \quad C_3 = \{4, 5\}$$

$$[4] = \{5, 4\}$$

$$[5] = \{5, 4\}$$

partition:  $\{ \{1, 2\}, \{3, 4\}, \{5\} \}$

partition:  $\{ \{1, 2, 3\}, \{4, 5\} \}$

clue: If set A contains n elements, how many minimum & maximum equivalence classes can be possible?

Ans: Maximum = n (at least one element in each class).  $n \in \mathbb{N}$

Minimum = 1

### Congruence Modulo Relation ( $\equiv$ )

Two integers  $a$  &  $b$  are congruent modulo m if (and only if) they have the same remainder when divided by some number m,

$$a \equiv b \pmod{m}$$

a is congruent to b modulo m.

ex:  $16 \equiv 13 \pmod{3}$

$$\frac{16}{3} \text{ modulo } = 1 \quad \frac{13}{3} \text{ modulo } = 1$$

this means that m divides  $(a-b)$

ex:  $29 \equiv 18 \pmod{7}$

→ Show that the relation 'congruence modulo m' over the set of positive numbers is an equivalence relation.

→ Proof for congruence. Modulo m is an equivalence relation.

(1) Reflexive relation

- since m divides zero we can say that  $a \equiv a \pmod{m}$ .

(2) Symmetric relation

- Assume  $a \equiv b \pmod{m}$ .

$$\text{So, } (a-b) = k \cdot m$$

$$\text{Subtracting } \Rightarrow (b-a) = -k \cdot m$$

This result means that  $(b-a)$  is also divisible by m. So,  $b \equiv a \pmod{m}$

(3) Transitivity relation

- Assume  $a \equiv b \pmod{m}$  &  $b \equiv c \pmod{m}$

$$a-b = k \cdot m$$

$$b-c = l \cdot m$$

$$(a-b) + (b-c) = k \cdot m + l \cdot m$$

$$\text{①} \quad \text{②}$$

Add (1) & (2)

$$a-c = km + lm$$

$$a-c = (k+l)m$$

This result means that  $(a-c)$  is divisible by m. So,  $a \equiv c \pmod{m}$

Ques A = {1, 2, 3} How many diff. eqt. relation are possible.

$$\textcircled{1} \quad \{(1,1), (2,2), (3,3)\}$$

$$\textcircled{2} \quad \{(1,1), (2,2), (3,3), (1,2), (2,1)\}$$

$$\textcircled{3} \quad \{(1,1), (2,2), (3,3), (1,3), (3,1)\}$$

$$\textcircled{4} \quad \{(1,1), (2,2), (3,3), (2,3), (3,2)\}$$

$$\textcircled{5} \quad \{(1,1), (2,2), (3,3), (1,2), (2,1), (1,3), (3,1), (2,3)\}$$

$$(3,2)\}$$

## Partial Order

- A relation is partial order if it is
  - (a) reflexive
  - (b) anti-symmetric
  - (c) transitive

eg.  $(x, y) \in R \mid x \geq y$

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

$$\text{Partial} = \{(1, 1), (2, 2), (3, 3), (3, 1), (2, 1), (3, 2)\}$$

eg.  $(a|b) \Rightarrow a \text{ divides } b$

let  $R$  be a relation

$R = \{(a, b) \mid a \in b\}$  it defines on power set

H-W.

$S = \{1, 2, 3\}$   $R$  is defined on power set of  $S$ .

## Partial order set (POSET)

- if  $R$  is a partial order relation defined on set  $S$ .

- set  $S$  along with relation  $R$  is called partially ordered set and denoted as  $(S, R)$  or  $(S, \leq)$

eg.

consider set  $S = \{1, 2, 3, 5, 6, 10, 15, 30\}$

construct a partial order set in  $(S, \leq)$ .  
relation

$$R = \{(1, 1), (2, 2), (3, 3), (5, 5), (6, 6), (10, 10), (15, 15), (30, 30)\}$$

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

$$\leftarrow \{(2, 6), (2, 10), (2, 30), (3, 6), (3, 15), (3, 30)\}$$

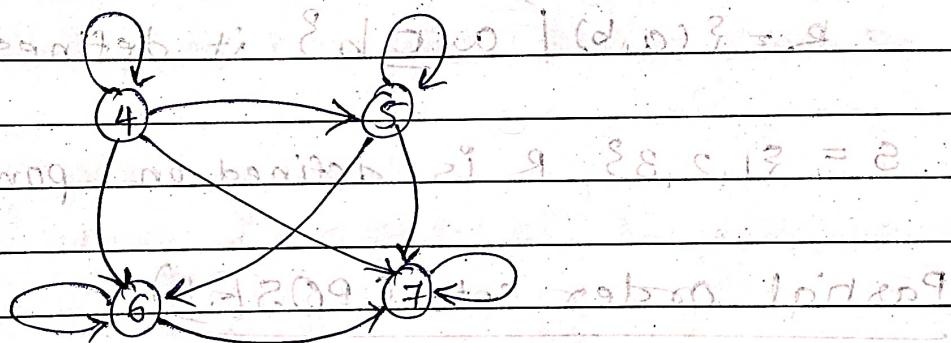
(got - method)

elements  $a$  &  $b$  are called comparable if  $(a, b) \in R$ , otherwise they are called non-comparable.

### Graphical representation of POSET

$$\text{eg } A = \{4, 5, 6, 7\} \quad \text{eg. } \{4, 5, 6, 7\} = A$$

$$R = \{(4, 4), (4, 5), (4, 6), (4, 7), (5, 5), (5, 6), (5, 7), (6, 6), (6, 7), (7, 7)\}$$



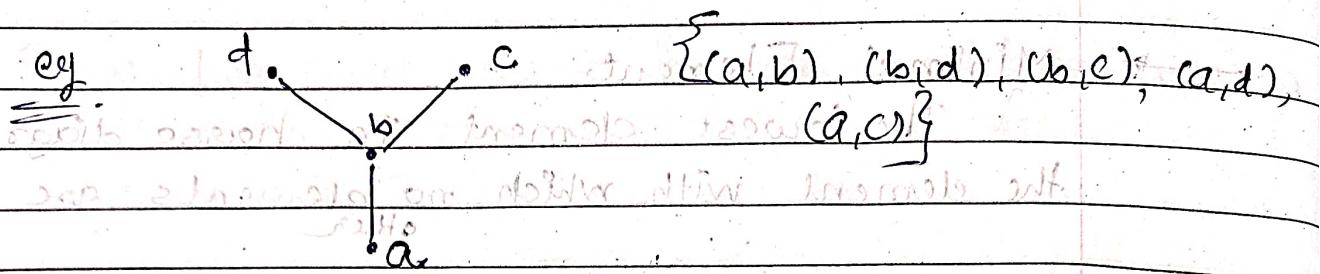
can be converted into Hasse Diagram

To convert the directed graph into hasse

- ① Remove all self-loops.
- ② Remove all transitive edges.
- ③ Remove directed edges & use undirected edges.
- ④ Instead of nodes use '•' to represent element

Hasse diagram  $\Rightarrow$

(bottom-top)



(1, x) height of division function p2

Ques Construct hasse diagram for given poset

$$R = \{(a,b) \mid a \text{ divides } b\}$$

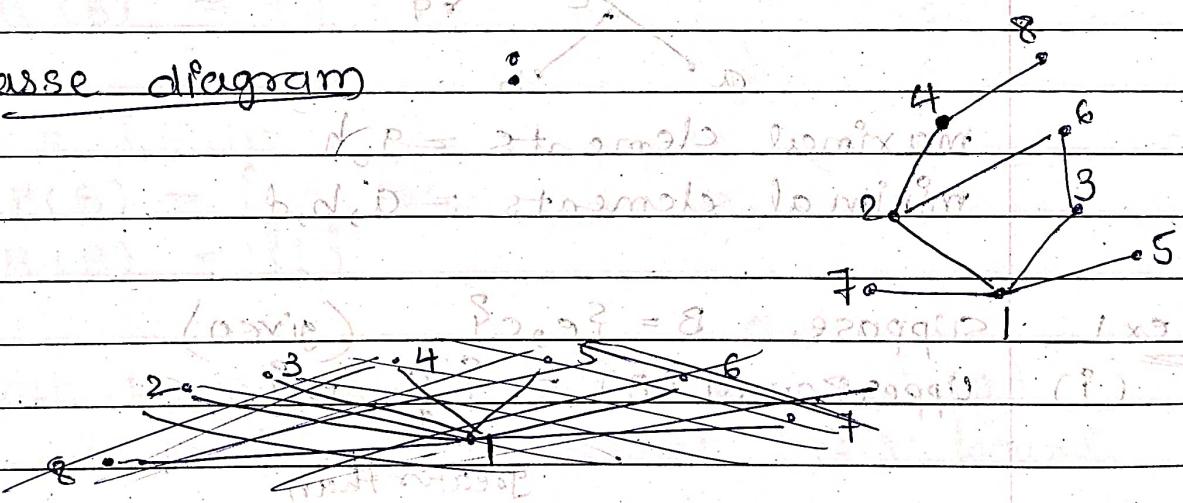
on set

$$\text{poset} = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8\}$$

→  $R = \{(1,2), (1,3), (1,4), (1,5), (1,6), (1,7), (1,8),$

poset  $\Rightarrow$   $(2,4), (2,6), (2,8), (3,6), (4,8),$   
self loops

hasse diagram



→ Maximal Element

It is an element of poset which is not related to any other element.

eg. In above example, 8, 6, 5, 7 are maximal elements

## → Minimal Elements:

The lowest element in hasse diagram or the element with which no elements are related.

eg No other element is there  $(x, 1)$ .

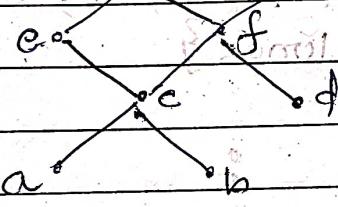
minis minimal element.

## → Upper bound:

Consider  $B$  as a subset of partial order set

A. An element  $x \in A$  is called upper bound of  $B$

eg.



maximal elements =  $g, h$

minimal elements =  $a, b, d$

ex 1 suppose,  $B = \{e, c\}$  (given)

(i)  $\text{UpperBound}(B) = \{g, e\}$ .

greater than  
c.e.

h is not related with e so it shouldn't add.

(ii)  $\text{LowerBound}(B) = \{a, b, c\}$

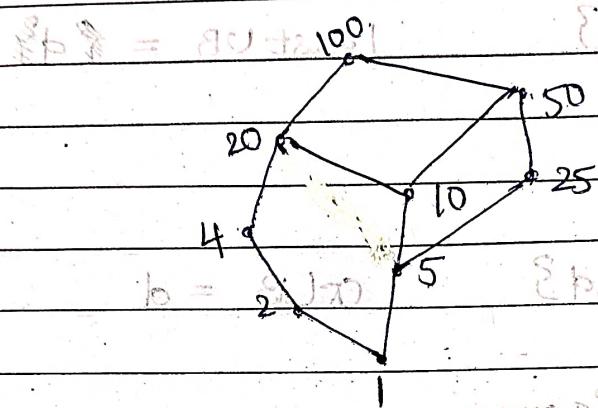
ex 2  $B = \{c, f, d\}$

(i)  $\text{UB}(B) = \{g, h, f\}$

$\text{LB}(B) = \{a, b, c, d\} \neq \emptyset$

Ex.

Draw hasse diagram for given partial relation  
 $R$  is divisor relation defined on set  $S$   
 $S = \{1, 2, 4, 5, 10, 20, 25, 50, 100\}$



(i)

$$B = \{5, 10\}$$

$$\text{UB}(B) = \{20, 50, 100, 10\}$$

$$\text{LB}(B) = \{1, 5\}$$

(ii)

$$B = \{5, 10, 2, 4\}$$

$$\text{UB}(B) = \{20, 100\}$$

$$\text{LB}(B) = \{1\}$$

Least upper bound / (Supreme, join)

It is the min. element upper bound

Greatest lower bound / (Grea infimum, meet)  
 It is the greatest ele. in the lower bound

eg:

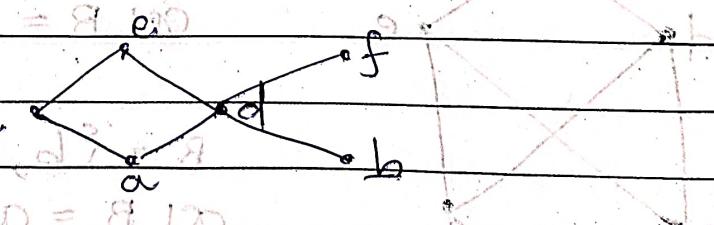
$$B = \{a, b, c, d\}$$

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

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

(i)

$$B = \{c, d\}$$



$$UB(B) = \{e\}$$

$$LB(B) = \{a\}$$

$$(ii) B = \{a, b\}$$

$$UB(B) = \{d, e, f\}$$

$$LB(B) = \emptyset$$

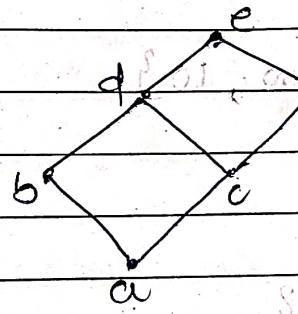
$$\text{Least } UB = \{d\}$$

$$(iii) B = \{e, f\}$$

$$LB(B) = \{a, b, d\}$$

$$CCLB = d$$

Ques Draw hasse diagram.



$$(i) B = \{a, e, f\}$$

$$LB(B) = \{a\}$$

$$LUB = a$$

$$UB(B) = \{e, f\}$$

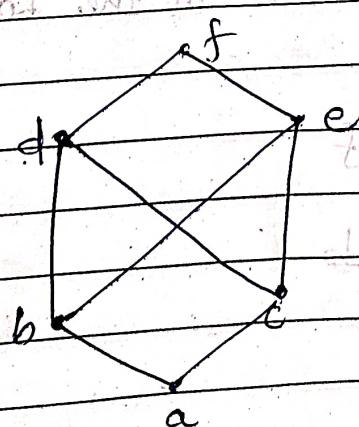
$$(ii) B = \{d, c\}$$

$$LB(B) = \{a, c\}$$

$$B = \{d, e\}$$

$$CCLB = b, c, LUB = d, e$$

Ques



$$B = \{b, c\}$$

$$CCLB = a, LUB = b, c$$