

In Exercises 1 through 4, give the set corresponding to the sequence.

1. 2, 1, 2, 1, 2, 1, 2, 1

2. 0, 2, 4, 6, 8, 10, ...

3. aabbccdde...zz

4. abbccddddd

1. $\{1, 2\}$

2. $\{x \mid x \in \mathbb{N} \wedge (x=0 \text{ or } x \text{ is even})\}$

3. $\{x \mid x \text{ is a symbol from english alphabet}\}$

4. $\{a, b, c, d\}$

5. Give three different sequences that have $\{x, y, z\}$ as a corresponding set.

x, y, z ; x, z, y ; y, x, z ;

6. Give three different sequences that have $\{1, 2, 3, \dots\}$ as a corresponding set.

1. $S: S_n = n, 1 \leq n < \infty$

2. $S: S_1 = 2, S_2 = 1, S_n = S_{n-2} + 2, 3 \leq n < \infty$

3. $S: 1, 1, 2, 2, 3, 3, 4, 4, 5, 5, \dots \Leftrightarrow$
 $S_n = \lfloor n/2 \rfloor + (n \% 2)$

In Exercises 7 through 10, write out the first four terms (begin with $n = 1$) of the sequence whose general term is given.

7. $a_n = 5^n$

8. $b_n = 3n^2 + 2n - 6$

9. $c_1 = 2.5, c_n = c_{n-1} + 1.5$

10. $d_1 = -3, d_n = -2d_{n-1} + 1$

7. A. 5, 25, 125, 625

8. B. -1, 10, 27, 50, 79, 114

9. C. 2.5, 4, 5.5, 7

10. D. -3, 7, -13, 27

In Exercises 11 through 16, write a formula for the n th term of the sequence. Identify your formula as recursive or explicit.

11. $1, 3, 5, 7, \dots$

12. $0, 3, 8, 15, 24, 35, \dots$

13. $1, -1, 1, -1, 1, -1, \dots$

14. $0, 2, 0, 2, 0, 2, \dots$

15. $1, 4, 7, 10, 13, 16$

16. $1, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{4}, \frac{1}{8}, \frac{1}{16}, \dots$

11. $s_n = 1 + 2(n-1)$ - explicit, $1 \leq n \leq \infty$

12. $s_1 = 0, s_n = s_{n-1} + (1 + 2(n-1)), 2 \leq n \leq \infty$ - recursive

13. $s_n = (-1)^{n \% 2 + 1}, 1 \leq n \leq \infty$ - explicit

14. $s_n = (1 - n \% 2) \cdot 2, 1 \leq n \leq \infty$ - explicit

15. $s_n = 1 + 3(n-1)$ - explicit, $1 \leq n \leq \infty$

16. $s_n = 2^{1-n}, 1 \leq n \leq \infty$ - explicit

17. Write an explicit formula for the sequence 2, 5, 8, 11, 14, 17,

$$S_n = 2 + 3(n-1), \quad 1 \leq n < \infty$$

18. Write a recursive formula for the sequence 2, 5, 7, 12, 19, 31,

$$S_1 = 2, S_2 = 5, S_n = S_{n-1} + S_{n-2}, \quad 3 \leq n < \infty$$

19. Let $A = \{x \mid x \text{ is a real number and } 0 < x < 1\}$,
 $B = \{x \mid x \text{ is a real number and } x^2 + 1 = 0\}$,
 $C = \{x \mid x = 4m, m \in \mathbb{Z}\}$, $D = \{(x, 3) \mid x \text{ is an English word whose length is 3}\}$, and $E = \{x \mid x \in \mathbb{Z} \text{ and } x^2 \leq 100\}$. Identify each set as finite, countable, or uncountable.

A - uncountable

B - finite

C - countable

D - finite

E - finite

20. Let $A = \{ab, bc, ba\}$. In each part, tell whether the string belongs to A^* .

- (a) $ababab$ ✓ (b) abc ✗ (c) $abba$ ✓
 (d) $abbcbaba$ ✓ (e) $bcabbab$ ✗ (f) $abbbcbba$ ✗

21. Let $U = \{\text{FORTRAN, PASCAL, ADA, COBOL, LISP, BASIC, C}^{++}, \text{FORTH}\}$,
 $B = \{\text{C}^{++}, \text{BASIC, ADA}\}$, $C = \{\text{PASCAL, ADA, LISP, C}^{++}\}$, $D = \{\text{FORTRAN, PASCAL, ADA, BASIC, FORTH}\}$, and $E = \{\text{PASCAL, ADA, COBOL, LISP, C}^{++}\}$. In each of the following, represent the given set by an array of zeros and ones.

- (a) $B \cup C$ (b) $C \cap D$ (c) $B \cap (D \cap E)$
 (d) $\overline{B} \cup E$ (e) $\overline{C} \cap (B \cup E)$

(a)
 $B \cup C = \{\text{C}^{++}, \text{BASIC, ADA, PASCAL, LISP}\}$

$B \cup C$: 0, 1, 1, 0, 1, 1, 1, 0

(b) $C \cap D = \{\text{PASCAL, ADA}\}$

$C \cap D$: 0, 1, 1, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0

(c) $B \cap (D \cap E) = B \cap D \cap E = \{\text{ADA}\}$

$B \cap (D \cap E) = 0, 0, 1, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0$

(d) $\overline{B} \cup E = \{\text{PASCAL, ADA, COBOL, LISP, C}^{++}, \text{FORTRAN, FORTH}\}$

$\overline{B} \cup E$: 1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 0, 1, 1

(e) $\overline{C} \cap (B \cup E) = \{\text{BASIC, COBOL}\}$

$\overline{C} \cap (B \cup E)$: 0, 0, 0, 1, 0, 1, 0, 0

22. Let $U = \{b, d, e, g, h, k, m, n\}$, $B = \{b\}$, $C = \{d, g, m, n\}$, and $D = \{d, k, n\}$.

- (a) What is $f_B(b)$? (b) What is $f_C(e)$?
 (c) Find the sequences of length 8 that correspond to f_B , f_C , and f_D .
 (d) Represent $B \cup C$, $C \cup D$, and $C \cap D$ by arrays of zeros and ones.

(a) 1, (b) 0.

(c) f_B : 1, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0

f_C : 0, 1, 0, 1, 0, 0, 1, 1

f_D : 0, 1, 0, 0, 0, 1, 0, 1

(d) $B \cup C$: 1, 1, 0, 1, 0, 0, 1, 1

$C \cup D$: 0, 1, 0, 1, 0, 1, 1, 1

$C \cap D$: 0, 1, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 1

23. Prove Theorem 1(c).

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24. Using characteristic functions, prove that
 $(A \oplus B) \oplus C = A \oplus (B \oplus C)$.

$$\begin{aligned}
 f_{(A \oplus B) \oplus C} &= f_{A \oplus B} + f_C - 2 f_{A \oplus B} f_C \\
 &= f_A + f_B - 2 f_A f_B + f_C - 2 (f_A + f_B - 2 f_A f_B) f_C \\
 &= f_A + f_B + f_C - 2 f_A f_B - 2 f_A f_C - 2 f_B f_C + 4 f_A f_B f_C \\
 f_{A \oplus (B \oplus C)} &= f_A + f_{B \oplus C} - 2 f_A f_{B \oplus C} = \\
 &= f_A + f_B + f_C - 2 f_B f_C - 2 f_A (f_B + f_C - 2 f_B f_C) = \\
 &= f_A + f_B + f_C - 2 f_B f_C - 2 f_A f_B - 2 f_A f_C + 4 f_A f_B f_C \\
 &= f_{(A \oplus B) \oplus C} \Rightarrow (A \oplus B) \oplus C = A \oplus (B \oplus C) \quad \square
 \end{aligned}$$

25. Let $A = \{+, \times, a, b\}$. Show that the following expressions are regular over A .

(a) $a + b(ab)^*(a \times b \vee a)$

(b) $a + b \times (a^* \vee b)$

(c) $((a^*b \vee +)^* \vee \times ab^*)$

(a):

$a, +, b$ are RE2, $a+b$ are RE3

a, b are RE2, ab are RE3

$(ab)^*$ is RE5

$a+b(ab)^*$ are RE3

a, \times, b are RE2, $a \times b$ are RE3

a is RE2

$(a \times b \vee a)$ is RE4

$a + b(ab)^*(a \times b \vee a)$ is RE3

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(b):

$a, +, b, \times$ with $RE2 \Rightarrow$ regular

$a + b \times$ with $RE3 \Rightarrow$ regular

a^* with $RE3 \Rightarrow$ regular

$a^* \vee b$ with $RE4 \Rightarrow$ regular

$a + b \times (a^* \vee b)$ with $RE3 \Rightarrow$ regular

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(c):

$$a, b, +, \times \stackrel{RE2}{\Rightarrow} \text{regular}$$

$$a^* \stackrel{RE5}{\Rightarrow} \text{regular}$$

$$a^*b \stackrel{RE3}{\Rightarrow} \text{regular}$$

$$(a^*b \vee +) \stackrel{RE4}{\Rightarrow} \text{regular}$$

$$(a^*b \vee +)^* \stackrel{RE5}{\Rightarrow} \text{regular}$$

$$\times a \stackrel{RE3}{\Rightarrow} \text{regular}$$

$$b^* \stackrel{5}{\Rightarrow} \text{regular}$$

$$\times a b^* \stackrel{3}{\Rightarrow} \text{regular}$$

$$((a^*b \vee +)^* \vee \times a b^*) \stackrel{RE4}{\Rightarrow} \text{regular} \quad \square$$

26. Let $A = \{a, b, c\}$. In each part we list a string in A^* and a regular expression over A . In each case, tell whether or not the string on the left belongs to the regular set corresponding to the regular expression on the right.

- (a) ac a^*b^*c ✓
 (b) $abcc$ $(abc \vee c)^*$ ✓
 (c) $aaabc$ $((a \vee b) \vee c)^*$ ✓
 (d) ac $(a^*b \vee c)$ ✗
 (e) $abab$ $(ab)^*c$ ✗

27. We define T -numbers recursively as follows:

1. 0 is a T -number.
2. If X is a T -number, $X + 3$ is a T -number.

Write a description of the set of T -numbers.

$$T = \{x \mid x = 3 \cdot i, i \in \mathbb{N}\}$$

28. Define an S -number by:

1. 8 is an S -number.
2. If X is an S -number and Y is a multiple of X , then Y is an S -number.
3. If X is an S -number and X is a multiple of Y , then Y is an S -number.

Describe the set of S -numbers.

2. $\dots, 8 \cdot (-2), 8 \cdot (-1), 8 \cdot 0, 8 \cdot 1, 8 \cdot 2, \dots$ are S numbers

3. $\dots 8 \cdot (-2), \dots$ are S numbers

$\Rightarrow \dots -2, -1, 0, 1, 2, \dots$ are S numbers

$\Rightarrow S = \mathbb{Z}$

- 29.** Let F be a function defined for all nonnegative integers by the following recursive definition:

$$F(0) = 0, \quad F(1) = 1, \\ F(N + 2) = 2F(N) + F(N + 1), \quad N \geq 0$$

Write the first six values of F ; that is, write the values of $F(N)$ for $N = 0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5$.

$$0, 1, 1, 3, 5, 11, 21, 43, 85, 171,$$

- 30.** Let G be a function defined for all nonnegative integers by the following recursive definition:

$$G(0) = 1, \quad G(1) = 2, \\ G(N + 2) = G(N)^2 + G(N + 1), \quad N \geq 0$$

Write the first five values of G .

$$1, 2, 3, 7, 16$$

