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**ASSIGNMENT 1**

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# ASSIGNMENT 1

CHAP 1 :

$$1. U = \{n | n \in \text{whole numbers}, 10 \leq n \leq 30\}$$

$$G = \{g | g \in \text{even numbers}\}$$

$$F = \{f | f \in \text{natural numbers}, f > 10 \text{ and } f < 30\}$$

$$G \subseteq F$$

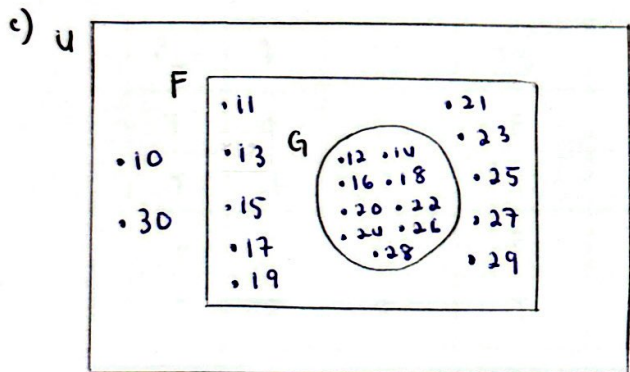
$$F \subseteq U$$

$$a) F = \{11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29\}$$

$$|F| = 19$$

$$b) G = \{12, 14, 16, 18, 20, 22, 24, 26, 28\}$$

$$|G| = 9$$



$$U = \{10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30\}$$

$$d) G \oplus F = (G \cup F) - (G \cap F)$$

$$= (G - F) \cup (F - G)$$

$$= \{\} \cup \{11, 13, 15, 17, 19, 21, 23, 25, 27, 29\}$$

$$= \{11, 13, 15, 17, 19, 21, 23, 25, 27, 29\}$$

$$|G \oplus F| = 10$$

$$2. A = \{s, u, b\}$$

$$B = \{s, e, t\}$$

$$C = \{n, e, t\}$$

$$a) |A| = 3$$

$$|P(A)| = 2^3$$

$$= 8$$

$$b) A \cap B \cup C$$

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

$$A \cap B \cup C = \{e, n, s, t\}$$

$$c) A - B = \{b, u\}$$

$$d) B \times C = \{s, e, t\} \times \{n, e, t\}$$

$$= \{(s, n), (s, e), (s, t), \\ (e, n), (e, e), (e, t), \\ (t, n), (t, e), (t, t)\}$$

$$3. a) \text{ True}$$

$$b) \text{ True}$$

$$c) \text{ True}$$

$$d) \text{ False}$$

$$e) \text{ True}$$

a)  $(p \rightarrow q) \wedge (\neg p \leftrightarrow \neg q)$

| p | q | $\neg p$ | $\neg q$ | $p \rightarrow q$ | $\neg p \leftrightarrow \neg q$ | $(p \rightarrow q) \wedge (\neg p \leftrightarrow \neg q)$ |
|---|---|----------|----------|-------------------|---------------------------------|--|
| T | T | F        | F        | T                 | T                               | T  |
| T | F | F        | T        | F                 | F                               | F  |
| F | T | T        | F        | T                 | F                               | F  |
| F | F | T        | T        | T                 | T                               | T  |

b)  $(p \leftrightarrow q) \vee (\neg p \rightarrow \neg q)$

| p | q | $\neg p$ | $\neg q$ | $p \leftrightarrow q$ | $\neg p \rightarrow \neg q$ | $(p \leftrightarrow q) \vee (\neg p \rightarrow \neg q)$ |
|---|---|----------|----------|-----------------------|-----------------------------|--|
| T | T | F        | F        | T                     | T                           | T  |
| T | F | F        | T        | F                     | T                           | T  |
| F | T | T        | F        | F                     | F                           | F  |
| F | F | T        | T        | T                     | T                           | T  |

5.  $A = \neg p \wedge (\neg q \vee \neg r)$

$B = p \vee (q \wedge r)$

| p | q | r | $\neg p$ | $\neg q$ | $\neg r$ | $\neg q \vee \neg r$ | $\neg p \wedge (\neg q \vee \neg r)$ |
|---|---|---|----------|----------|----------|----------------------|--------------------------------------|
| T | T | T | F        | F        | F        | F                    | F                                    |
| T | T | F | F        | F        | T        | T                    | F                                    |
| T | F | T | F        | T        | F        | T                    | F                                    |
| T | F | F | F        | T        | T        | T                    | F                                    |
| F | T | T | T        | F        | F        | F                    | F                                    |
| F | T | F | T        | F        | T        | T                    | T                                    |
| F | F | T | T        | T        | F        | T                    | T                                    |
| F | F | F | T        | T        | T        | T                    | T                                    |

| p | q | r | $q \wedge r$ | $p \vee (q \wedge r)$ |
|---|---|---|--------------|-----------------------|
| T | T | T | T            | T                     |
| T | T | F | F            | T                     |
| T | F | T | F            | T                     |
| T | F | F | F            | T                     |
| F | T | T | T            | T                     |
| F | T | F | F            | F                     |
| F | F | T | F            | F                     |
| F | F | F | F            | F                     |

$\therefore \neg p \wedge (\neg q \vee \neg r) \not\equiv p \vee (q \wedge r)$

$A \not\equiv B$

6.  $A = p \wedge (p \vee q)$

$B = p \vee (p \wedge q)$

| p | q | $p \vee q$ | $p \wedge (p \vee q)$ |
|---|---|------------|-----------------------|
| T | T | T          | T                     |
| T | F | T          | T                     |
| F | T | T          | F                     |
| F | F | F          | F                     |

| p | q | $p \wedge q$ | $p \vee (p \wedge q)$ |
|---|---|--------------|-----------------------|
| T | T | T            | T                     |
| T | F | F            | T                     |
| F | T | F            | F                     |
| F | F | F            | F                     |

$\therefore p \wedge (p \vee q) \equiv p \vee (p \wedge q)$

$A \equiv B$



7.  $P(x) = x$  is a student  
 $Q(x) = x$  is smart  
 $R(x) = x$  is shy

a)  $\exists x (P(x) \wedge R(x))$

b)  $\forall x (Q(x) \rightarrow \neg R(x))$

8.  $x < 0 \rightarrow x$  is negative number

$$(-x)(-x) = (-1)(-1)(x)(x) \\ = +x^2$$

$\therefore$  Hence, it proves that a square of any negative number is positive.

9.  $C \cap (D \cap C') = \{\}$

Assume  $C \cap (D \cap C') \neq \{\}$

let  $x \in C \cap (D \cap C')$

therefore,  $x \in C$  and  $x \in (D \cap C')$

$$C \cap (D \cap C') = (C \cap C') \cap D \\ = \emptyset \cap D \\ = \emptyset$$

$$\emptyset = \{\}$$

$\therefore$  Hence, the assumption is wrong

So,  $C \cap (D \cap C') = \{\}$  is true

## CHAP 2

- reflexive
- symmetric
- irreflexive
- antisymmetric
- symmetric
- transitive

10.  $a R b$  if and only if  $|a-b|=2$

$Z$  = set of integer number

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

$$a=1, b=1 \quad |1-1|=0$$

$$a=2, b=1 \quad |2-1|=1$$

$$a=3, b=1 \quad |3-1|=2$$

$$a=4, b=1 \quad |4-1|=3$$

$$a=1, b=2 \quad |1-2|=1$$

$$a=2, b=2 \quad |2-2|=0$$

$$a=3, b=2 \quad |3-2|=1$$

$$a=4, b=2 \quad |4-2|=2$$

$$a=1, b=3 \quad |1-3|=2$$

$$a=2, b=3 \quad |2-3|=1$$

$$a=3, b=3 \quad |3-3|=0$$

$$a=4, b=3 \quad |4-3|=1$$

$$a=1, b=4 \quad |1-4|=3$$

$$a=2, b=4 \quad |2-4|=2$$

$$a=3, b=4 \quad |3-4|=1$$

$$a=4, b=4 \quad |4-4|=0$$

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

$M_R =$

$$M_R = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$M_R \otimes M_R =$

$$M_R \otimes M_R = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \otimes \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

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$R$  is irreflexive because  $(1,1), (2,2), (3,3), (4,4) \notin R$

$R$  is symmetric because  $(2,4) \in R$  then  $(4,2) \in R$ .

$R$  is not transitive because  $M_R \otimes M_R \neq M_R$ .

$R$  is not reflexive because  $(a,a) \in R, |a-a| \neq 2$

$R$  is not asymmetric because if  $(a,b) \in R$ , then  $(b,a) \in R$ .

$R$  is not antisymmetric because if  $(a,b) \in R$  and  $(b,a) \in R$ , then  $a=b$  but  $a \neq b$ .

$$M_R \otimes M_R \neq M_R$$

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

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

$M_R =$

$$M_R = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$M_R \otimes M_R =$

$$M_R \otimes M_R = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \otimes \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

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$R$  is reflexive relations.

$R$  is antisymmetric because  $(a,b) \in R$  but  $(b,a) \notin R$

$R$  is not transitive because  $M_R \otimes M_R \neq M_R$ .

$$M_R \otimes M_R \neq M_R$$

$\therefore R$  is not an equivalence relation

12.  $f(x, y) = (2x - y, x - 2y)$ ;  $(x, y) \in \mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R}$ ,  
 $\mathbb{R}$  = real numbers

$$f(x) = 2x - y$$

$$f(y) = x - 2y$$

$$a) \quad 2x_1 - y_1 = 2x_2 - y_2 \quad - (1)$$

$$x_1 - 2y_1 = x_2 - 2y_2 \quad - (2)$$

$$(1) \div 2 \quad x_1 - \frac{y_1}{2} = x_2 - \frac{y_2}{2} \quad - (3)$$

$$(3) - (2) \quad -\frac{3}{2}y_1 = -\frac{3}{2}y_2$$

$$y_1 = y_2$$

$$x_1 - 2y_1 = x_2 - 2y_2$$

$$x_1 - 2y_1 + 2y_1 = x_2$$

$$x_1 = x_2$$

$\therefore$  This shows that  $f$  is one to one.

$$b) \quad f^{-1} \quad f(x, y) = (2x - y, x - 2y)$$

$$p = 2x - y \quad - (1)$$

$$q = x - 2y \quad - (2)$$

$$y = 2x - p \quad - (3)$$

$$(3) \text{ in } (2)$$

$$q = x - 2(2x - p)$$

$$q = x - (4x - 2p)$$

$$q = x - 4x + 2p$$

$$q = -3x + 2p$$

$$3x = 2p - q$$

$$x = \frac{2p - q}{3} \quad - (4)$$

$$(4) \text{ in } (3)$$

$$y = 2\left(\frac{2p - q}{3}\right) - p$$

$$y = \frac{4p - 2q}{3} - p$$

$$y = \frac{4p - 2q - 3p}{3}$$

$$y = \frac{p - 2q}{3}$$

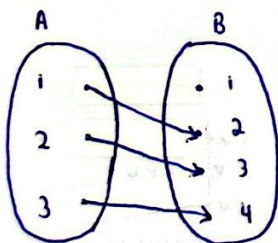
$$\therefore f^{-1}(x, y) = \left( \frac{2x - y}{3}, \frac{x - 2y}{3} \right)$$

$$13. \quad A = \{1, 2, 3\}$$

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

$$C = \{1, 2\}$$

a)

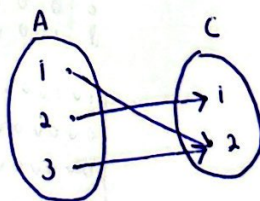


$$f = \{(1, 2), (2, 3), (3, 4)\}$$

is a one-to-one function because each element in  $B$  has at most one arrow but not onto  $B = \{1, 2, 3, 4\}$  because no arrow pointing at 1.

b)

$$g: A \rightarrow C$$



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

is not a one-to-one function because has two arrows pointing at 2 and is onto  $C = \{1, 2\}$  because each element in  $C$  has at least one arrow.



14.  $f(x) = x^3$ ,  $g(x) = x - 1$

i)  $g \circ f = g(f(x))$      $f \circ g = f(g(x))$

$$= x^3 - 1$$

$$= (x-1)^3$$

$$= (x-1)(x-1)(x-1)$$

$$= (x^2 - 2x + 1)(x-1)$$

$$= x^3 - x^2 - 2x^2 + 2x + x - 1$$

$$= x^3 - 3x^2 + 3x - 1$$

ii)  $g \circ f = x^3 - 1$

$$f \circ g = (x-1)^3$$

$$= x^3 - 3x^2 + 3x - 1$$

$$g \circ f \neq f \circ g$$

15.  $a_n$  = number of strings that do not contain 01.

case 1: number of strings that all numbers are zero - 1 way

case 2: number of strings that have all one before zero -  $(n-1)$  ways

case 3: number of strings that end with 1 - 1 way.

$$a_n = (n-1) + 1 + 1 = n+1 \text{ ways}$$

$$a_n = n+1$$

$$a_{n-1} = n-1+1$$

$$= n$$

$$a_n = a_{n-1} + 1, n \geq 2, a_1 = 2$$

16. input:  $n$

output:  $C(n)$

$C_n$

{ if  $(n=1)$

return 0

else if  $(n=2 \text{ or } n=3)$

return 1

else

return  $C(n-1) + C(n-2)$

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