

## Sets

$A = \{x \mid P(x)\}$ , belongs to.

$A = B \stackrel{\text{def}}{\Rightarrow} \forall x (x \in A \leftrightarrow x \in B)$

$x \notin A \Leftrightarrow x \in A \Leftrightarrow \top (x \in A)$

$P(A) = \{B \mid B \subseteq A\}$  - power set of A

$B \subseteq A \stackrel{\text{def}}{\Rightarrow} \forall x (x \in B \rightarrow x \in A)$

$A \cap B = \{x \mid (x \in A) \wedge (x \in B)\}$

$A \cup B = \{x \mid (x \in A) \vee (x \in B)\}$

$A \setminus B = \{x \mid (x \in A) \wedge (x \notin B)\}$

$A \Delta B = (A \cup B) \setminus (A \cap B) =$   
 $= (A \setminus B) \cup (B \setminus A)$  - symmetric difference

$\emptyset = \{x \mid x \neq x\}$  - empty set

Exercises:

20) A, B, C sets from the universe U.

Show the following:

a)  $A \subseteq A \Leftrightarrow \forall x (x \in A \rightarrow x \in A) \Leftrightarrow$

$\Leftrightarrow \forall x ((x \in A) \vee (x \in A)) \Leftrightarrow$  this is true  
 (reflexivity)

b) if  $A \subseteq B$  and  $B \subseteq C \Rightarrow A \subseteq C$   
 (transitivity)

$$\text{Let } x \in A \cup B \quad \left\{ \begin{array}{l} A \subseteq B \\ \text{set} \end{array} \right. \Rightarrow x \in B \quad \left\{ \begin{array}{l} B \subseteq C \\ \text{set} \end{array} \right. \Rightarrow x \in C \Rightarrow A \subseteq C$$

$\{1, 2\} \subseteq \{1, 2, 3\}$   
 $\{1, 2, 3\} \subseteq \{1, 2, 3, 4\}$   
 $\{1, 2, 3, 4\} \subseteq \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5\}$   
 $\{1, 2, 3, 4, 5\} \subseteq \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6\}$

c)  $A \cup (A \cap B) = A$  (absorption) (exam!!)

I: Let  $x \in A \cup (A \cap B) \Leftrightarrow (x \in A) \vee (x \in (A \cap B))$

 $\Leftrightarrow (x \in A) \vee ((x \in A) \wedge (x \in B)) \stackrel{\text{abs}}{\Leftrightarrow} (x \in A)$ 
 $\Rightarrow A \cup (A \cap B) = A$

II.  $A \cup (A \cap B) = \{x \in u \mid x \in A \cup (A \cap B)\} = \{x \in u \mid (x \in A) \vee (x \in A \cap B)\}$   
 $= \{x \in u \mid (x \in A) \vee ((x \in A) \wedge (x \in B))\} =$   
 $\stackrel{\text{abs}}{=} \{x \in u \mid x \in A\} = A$

$C_A = A^C = u \setminus A = \{x \in u \mid x \notin A\}$   
*the complement of A*

21)

a)  $A \cap (B \cup C) = (A \cap B) \cup (A \cap C)$   
 Let  $x \in A \cap (B \cup C) \stackrel{\text{def}}{\Leftrightarrow} (x \in A) \wedge (x \in B \cup C)$   
 $\Leftrightarrow (x \in A) \wedge ((x \in B) \vee (x \in C)) \stackrel{\text{dist}}{\Leftrightarrow} ((x \in A) \wedge (x \in B)) \vee ((x \in A) \wedge (x \in C)) \Leftrightarrow$   
 $x \in ((A \cap B) \cup (A \cap C))$

b)  $A \setminus B = A \cap C_B$

Let  $x \in A \setminus B \Leftrightarrow (x \in A) \wedge (x \notin B) \Leftrightarrow (x \in A) \wedge (x \in C_B) \Leftrightarrow$   
 $x \in A \cap C_B$

g)  $C(A \cup B) = C(A \cap C_B)$   
 $C(A \cap B) = C(A \cup C_B)$  De Morgan

Let  $x \in C(A \cup B) \Leftrightarrow \overline{x \in A \cup B} \Leftrightarrow (\overline{x \in A}) \vee (\overline{x \in B})$   
 $\stackrel{\text{def. } K}{\Leftrightarrow} (\overline{x \in A}) \wedge (\overline{x \in B}) \Leftrightarrow (x \in CA) \wedge (x \in CB) \Leftrightarrow$   
 $x \in (CA \cap CB)$

22) c)  $(A \Delta B) \Delta C = A \Delta (B \Delta C)$   
 a)  $A \Delta B = (A \cap CB) \cup (B \cap CA)$   $A \Delta B \subseteq (A \cup B) \setminus (A \cap B)$

a)  $A \Delta B = (A \cup B) \setminus (A \cap B) \Leftrightarrow (A \cup B) \cap (A \cap B)^c$   
 $= (A \cup B) \cap (CA \cup CB) = (A \cap CA) \cup (A \cap CB) \cup (B \cap CA) \cup (B \cap CB)$   
 $= (A \cap C \cap B) \cup (B \cap C \cap A)$

c)  $(A \Delta B) \Delta C = ((A \Delta B) \cap CC) \cup (C \cap C((A \Delta B)) =$   
 $= (((A \cap CB) \cup (B \cap CA)) \cap CC) \cup (C \cap C((A \cap CB) \cup (B \cap CA)))$   
 $= ((A \cap CB \cap CC) \cup (B \cap CA \cap C)) \cup (C \cap (CA \cup CB)) =$   
 $= ((A \cap CB \cap CC) \cup (B \cap CA \cap C)) \cup (C \cap ((CA \cap CB) \cup (CA \cap A) \cup (B \cap CB)))$   
 $\Rightarrow ((A \cap CB \cap CC) \cup (B \cap CA \cap C)) \cup ((C \cap CA) \cap CB) \cup (C \cap (B \cap A))$   
 Tschachn  $\rightarrow = A \Delta (B \Delta C)$

23) If  $A \cap C = B \cap C$        $\left. \begin{array}{l} \\ A \cup C = B \cup C \end{array} \right\} \Rightarrow A = B$

$$\begin{aligned} A &= A \cup (A \cap C) = A \cup (B \cap C) \stackrel{\text{distrib.}}{=} (A \cup B) \cap (A \cup C) \\ &= (A \cup B) \cap (B \cup C) \stackrel{\text{common.}}{=} (B \cup A) \cap (B \cup C) \stackrel{\text{distrib.}}{=} B \cup (A \cap C) = B \cup (B \cap C) \\ &\stackrel{\text{abs.}}{=} B \end{aligned}$$

24) Determine  $X = ?$   $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} A \cap X = B \\ A \cup X = C \end{array} \right.$

$$\begin{aligned} X &= ((A \cup X) \setminus (A)) \cup (A \cap X) \\ &= (C \setminus A) \cup B \end{aligned}$$



