

EXERCISE

Define a binary relation **E** on the set of the integers **Z**, as follows:

$$m, n \in \mathbb{Z}, m \mathbf{E} n \Leftrightarrow m - n \text{ is even.}$$

ELEMENTS RELATED UNDER RELATION E

Two elements are related under **E** if their difference is an **Even Number**.

$2 \text{ E } 4$ because $2-4 = -2$ (**Even Number**)

Even Numbers are related with **Even Numbers**
Odd Numbers are related with **Odd Numbers**

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a. Is $0E0$?

Is $5E2$?

Does $(6,6) \in E$?

Does $(-1,7) \in E$?

b. Prove that for any even integer n , $nE0$.

SOLUTION

b. For any **even integer**, n , we have

$$n - 0 = n, \quad \text{an **even integer**}$$

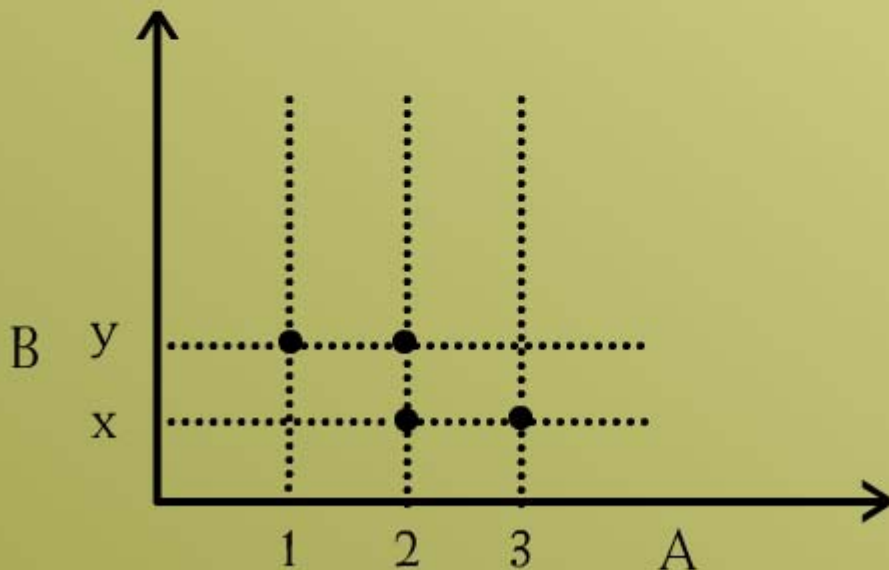
$$\text{so } (n, 0) \in E$$

$$\text{or equivalently } n \in 0$$

DIAGRAM OF A RELATION

Let $A = \{1, 2, 3\}$ and $B = \{x, y\}$

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

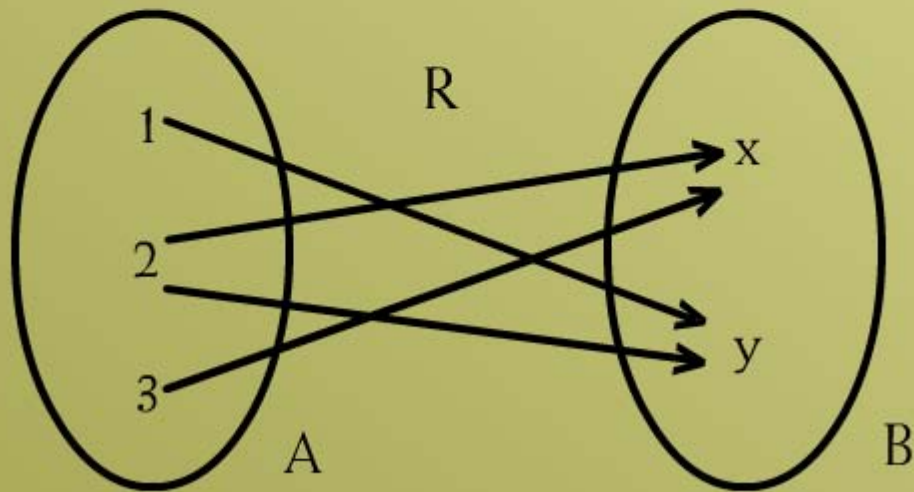


ARROW DIAGRAM OF A RELATION

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

$B = \{x, y\}$

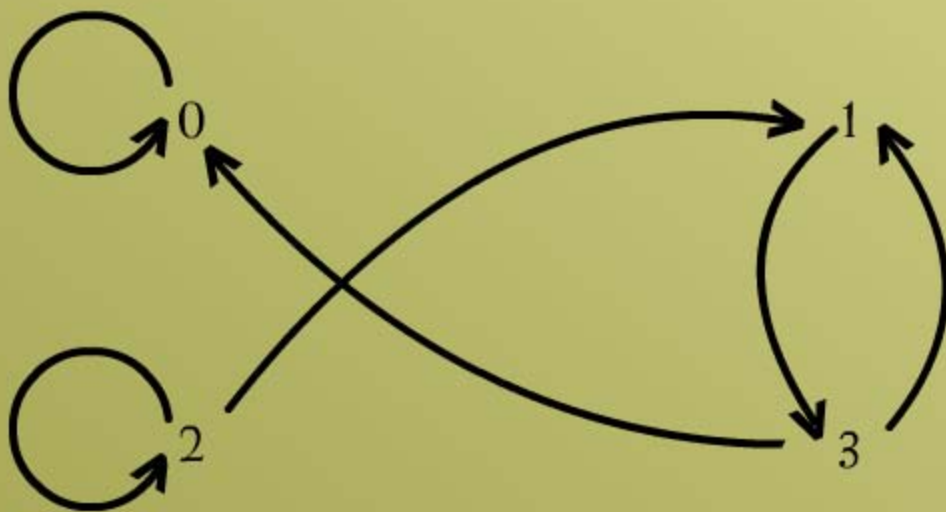
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DIRECTED GRAPH OF A RELATION

Let $A = \{0, 1, 2, 3\}$

$R = \{(0,0), (1,3), (2,1), (2,2), (3,0), (3,1)\}$



MATRIX REPRESENTATION OF A RELATION

Let $A = \{a_1, a_2, \dots, a_n\}$

$B = \{b_1, b_2, \dots, b_m\}$

Let R be a relation from A to B .

Define the matrix M of order $n \times m$ by

$$m_{(i,j)} = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } (a_i, b_j) \in R \\ 0 & \text{if } (a_i, b_j) \notin R \end{cases}$$

for $i=1,2,\dots,n$ and $j=1,2,\dots,m$

EXAMPLE

Let $A = \{1, 2, 3\}$ and $B = \{x, y\}$

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

Order of matrix = 3×2

$$M = \begin{matrix} & \begin{matrix} x & y \end{matrix} \\ \begin{matrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \end{matrix} & \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \end{matrix} \quad 3 \times 2$$

EXAMPLE

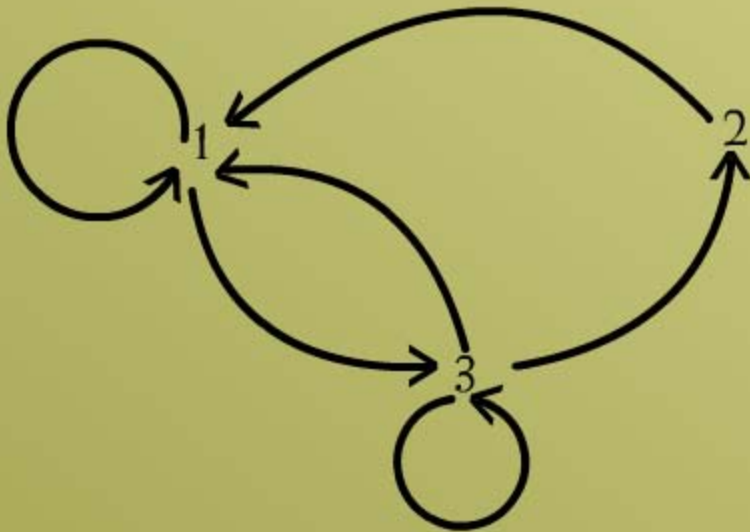
For the **relation matrix**,

$$\mathbf{M} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

1. List the set of **ordered pairs** represented by **M**.
2. Draw the **directed graph** of the relation.

Solution contd...

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



EXERCISE

Let $A = \{2, 4\}$ and $B = \{6, 8, 10\}$
and define relations **R** and **S** from **A** to
B as follows:

$$R = \{(x, y) \in A \times B / ,x R y \Leftrightarrow x \mid y\}$$

$$S = \{(x, y) \in A \times B / ,x S y \Leftrightarrow y - 4 = x\}$$

State explicitly which ordered pairs are in
 $A \times B$, **R**, **S**, **$R \cup S$** and **$R \cap S$**

SOLUTION

$$A \times B$$

$$= \{(2,6), (2,8), (2,10), (4,6), (4,8), (4,10)\}$$

$$R = \{(2,6), (2,8), (2,10), (4,8)\}$$

$$S = \{(2,6), (4,8)\}$$

$$S \subseteq R$$

$$R \cup S = \{(2,6), (2,8), (2,10), (4,8)\} = R$$

$$R \cap S = \{(2,6), (4,8)\} = S$$