

2.1.2 (a, b, c, e, h)

- a) False
- b) True
- c) True
- e) False
- h) True

2.1.5 (a, b)

- a)  $A = \{x \in \mathbb{Z} : -2 \leq x \leq 2\}$   
Cardinality:  $|A| = 5$
- b)  $B = \{x \in \mathbb{Z}^+ : x \text{ is a positive integer divisible by } 3\}$   
Set is Infinite

2.2.2 (b)

- b)  $P(B) = \{\emptyset, \{1\}, \{2\}, \{1, 2\}\}$

2.2.4 (b)

- b)  $X = \{2\}$  or  $X = \{1, 2\}$  or  $X = \{2, 3\}$  or  $X = \{1, 2, 3\}$

2.2.5 (a, c, d, e)

- a) **True.** Empty set is an element of any power set.
- c) **Not enough info.** We don't know if  $P(X)$  only contains  $\emptyset$ , or  $\emptyset$  with additional sets. We know  $\emptyset$  is a subset of any power set but in this case we don't yet know if it's a *proper* subset.
- d) **Not enough info.** We don't know if  $P(X)$  has an element  $\{\emptyset\}$  (a set with the empty set in it which is not the same as just  $\emptyset$ ).
- e) **False.** Even though we don't know the exact size of  $X$ , we know that the Cardinality of power sets must be a power of 2. 17 is *not* a power of 2.

2.3.1 (d, e, g)

d)  $\{-5, -3, 0, 1, 4, 17\}$

e)  $\{1\}$

g)  $\{-5, -3, 1, 17\}$

2.3.4

a)  $\{\emptyset, \{b\}\}$

b)  $\{\emptyset, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{c\}, \{a, b\}, \{a, c\}, \{b, c\}, \{a, b, c\}\}$

c)  $\{\emptyset, \{b\}\}$

d)  $\{\emptyset, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{c\}, \{a, b\}, \{b, c\}\}$

2.4.2 (a, b)

a)  $\{1, 5, 6, 7\}$

b)  $A \oplus B \oplus C$  contain elements which occur only once in any of the three sets and that occur in all three sets.

2.4.5

a) A

b)  $\emptyset$

c) Not enough information given.

d) A

e) Not enough information given.

2.5.2 (b, f)

b)  $(B \cup A) \cap (\overline{B} \cup A) = A$

Commutative Law (x2)

$(A \cup B) \cap (A \cup \overline{B})$

Distributive Law

$$A \cup (B \cap \overline{B})$$

Complement Law

$$A \cup \emptyset$$

Identity Law and **Final Answer**

$$A$$

$$f) A \cap (B \cap \overline{B}) = \emptyset$$

Complement Law

$$A \cap \emptyset$$

Domination Law and **Final Answer**

$$\emptyset$$

#### 2.5.4 (a)

$$a) A - (B \cap A) = A - B$$

Subtraction Law

$$A \cap (\overline{B \cap A})$$

De Morgan's Law

$$A \cap (\overline{B} \cup \overline{A})$$

Commutative Law

$$A \cap (\overline{A} \cup \overline{B})$$

Distributive Law

$$(A \cap \overline{A}) \cup (A \cap \overline{B})$$

Complement Law

$$\emptyset \cup (A \cap \overline{B})$$

Identity Law

$$(A \cap \overline{B})$$

Subtraction Law and **Final Answer**

$$A - B$$

#### 2.6.3 (a, c, e)

a) False

c) True

e) True

#### 2.6.4

a)  $\{++, --, +-, -+\}$

b)  $\{000, 001, 010, 100, 011, 101, 110, 111\}$

#### 2.6.5

a)  $2^7 = 128$

b)  $4^3 = 64$

#### 2.7.3

a) **No.** Sets A, B, and C do not form a partition of the set  $\mathbb{R}$  because they don't include -2 and 2, both of which are real numbers. Not covering the entire set of all real numbers disqualifies A, B, and C from being considered a partition of  $\mathbb{R}$ .

b) **Yes.**

c) **No.** Sets D and E intersect at element -2 which means these sets are *not* pairwise disjoint, disqualifying it from being a partition of  $\mathbb{R}$ .