



→ $A = \{a, b, c\}$ $B = \{a, r\}$ $C = \{1, 2\}$

$A \times B \times C = \{(a, a, 1), (a, a, 2), (a, r, 1), (a, r, 2), \dots\}$

$|A \times B \times C| = ?$ $|A| \times |B| \times |C| = 3 \times 2 \times 2 = 12$

ordered pair
ordered triple

$A \times A = ?$ $\{(a, a), (a, b), (b, a), \dots\}$

A^2

$|A \times A| = 3 \cdot 3 = 9$

→ $\underbrace{A \times A \times \dots \times A}_n = A^n \rightarrow \text{Cartesian Power}$

$A^n = \{(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n) : x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n \in A\}$

n-tuple

2^2

k-tuple

ordered pair

→ (x, y)

ordered triple

→ (x, y, z)

4-tuple

→ (x, y, z, n)

k → number of items

✓ $\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R} = \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \text{coordinate plane}$

2. $\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R} = \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \text{3-D Space}$

2. $\mathbb{Z} \times \mathbb{Z} = \mathbb{Z}^2 \rightarrow \text{grid of points}$

1. 2. $\mathbb{Z} \times \mathbb{Z} \times \mathbb{Z} = \mathbb{Z}^3 \rightarrow \text{grid of points in 3D-space}$