

Tutorial - 7 Solution

① Asymmetric:-
 $\forall a \forall b (aRb \rightarrow (b,a) \notin R)$

To prove:-

$$(\forall a \forall b (aRb \rightarrow (b,a) \notin R)) \rightarrow (\forall a \forall b ((aRb \wedge bRa) \rightarrow a=b))$$

proof:-

1) Assume R is asymmetric

2) $\forall a \forall b ((a,b) \in R \vee (b,a) \in R)$ (step 1 and by defn)

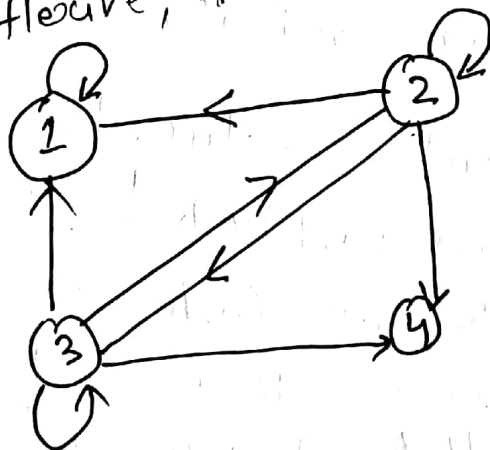
3) $\forall a \forall b ((aRb \wedge bRa) \rightarrow a=b)$ implication's premise is false.

4) Therefore, asymmetry implies antisymmetry.

② Let $x, y, z \in \mathbb{N}$ such that xRy and yRz . So there are integers m, n such that $y = mx$ and $z = ny$. Thus there $z = (mn)x$, so x divides z and xRz . Thus the relation is transitive.

③ (a) false
(b) false.

④ (b) Neither reflexive, nor irreflexive but transitive.



⑤ Let n be the no. of element in a set
maximum no. of relations = 2^{n^2}

⑥ Let $x \in \mathbb{Z}$. Then $x - x = 0$ and 0 is divisible by 6
Therefore, $x R x$ for all $x \in \mathbb{Z}$

Hence, R is reflexive.

Again $x R y \Rightarrow (x - y)$ is divisible by 6
 $\Rightarrow -(x - y)$ is divisible by 6
 $\Rightarrow (y - x)$ is divisible by 6
 $\Rightarrow y R x$.

Hence R is symmetric

$x R y$ and $x R z \Rightarrow (x - y)$ is divisible by 6
and $(y - z)$ is divisible by 6.

$\Rightarrow [(x - y) + (y - z)]$ is divisible by 6

$\Rightarrow (x - z)$ is divisible by 6.

$\Rightarrow x R z$

R is transitive.

Thus R is an equivalence relation.

⑦ Suppose R is antisymmetric. Let $(a, b) \in R \cap R^{-1}$
Then $(a, b) \in R$ and $(a, b) \in R^{-1}$. Again $(a, b) \in R^{-1}$
implies $(b, a) \in R$. Thus $(a, b) \in R$ and also $(b, a) \in R$
Hence, $b = a$ because R is antisymmetric. This
is true for all $(a, b) \in R \cap R^{-1}$. Hence every element

of $R \cap R^{-1}$ is of the form (a, a) where $a \in A$, therefore $R \cap R^{-1} \subseteq I_A$.

Conversely, suppose $R \cap R^{-1} \subseteq I_A$. Let $(a, b) \in A \times A$ such that $(a, b) \in R$ and $(b, a) \in R$, i.e. $(a, b) \in R$ and $(a, b) \in R^{-1}$. Then $(a, b) \in R \cap R^{-1}$. Since $R \cap R^{-1} \subseteq I_A$, it follows that $b = a$. Hence R is antisymmetric.

8)

$$M_R = \begin{matrix} & \begin{matrix} a & b & c \end{matrix} \\ \begin{matrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \\ 4 \end{matrix} & \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \end{matrix}$$

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

$$R^{-1} = \{(a, 1), (c, 1), (c, 2), (a, 3), (b, 4)\}$$

$$(i) \quad R \circ R^{-1} = \{(1, 1), (2, 2), (1, 3), (1, 2), (3, 3), (3, 1), (2, 2), (4, 4)\}$$

it is symmetric.

$$(ii) \quad R^{-1} \circ R = \{(a, a), (a, c), (c, a), (c, c), (b, b)\}$$

it is symmetric.

$$(iii) \quad \text{Reflexive} = \{(a, a), (b, b), (c, c)\}$$

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

$$\text{transitive} = \{(1, 3), (1, 2), (2, 1), (1, 3), (1, 1)\}$$

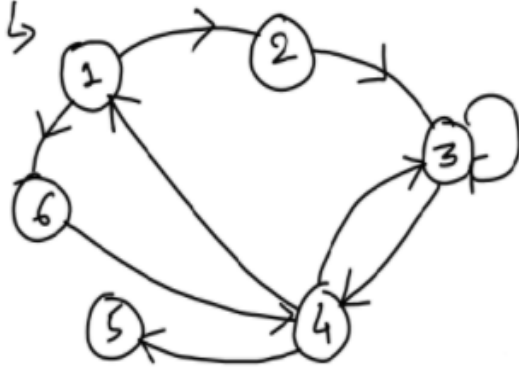
$$\{(a, c), (c, c)\}$$

\therefore it is equivalence relations.

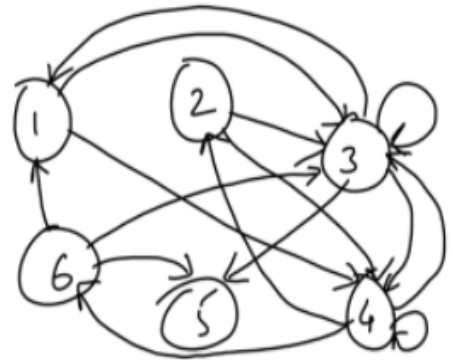
9) $A = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6\}$ and $R = \{(1, 2), (1, 6), (2, 3), (3, 3), (3, 4), (4, 1), (4, 3), (4, 5), (6, 4)\}$

$R^2 = \{(1, 3), (1, 4), (2, 3), (2, 4), (3, 4), (3, 1), (3, 3), (3, 5), (4, 2), (4, 6), (4, 3), (4, 4), (6, 1), (6, 3), (6, 5)\}$

Graph of R



Graph of R^2



$M_R^2 =$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 & 5 & 6 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 2 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 3 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 4 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 5 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 6 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

10) $R^{(r)} = \{(a, a), (b, b), (c, c), (d, d), (a, b), (b, c), (d, c), (d, a), (a, d)\}$
 $R^{(s)} = \{(a, b), (b, a), (b, c), (c, b), (d, c), (c, d), (d, a), (a, d), (d, d)\}$
 $R^* = \{(a, a), (a, b), (a, c), (a, d), (b, c), (d, a), (d, b), (d, c), (d, d)\}$

11) $2^{n^2 - n}$

- 12) A. Reflexive-No, Symmetric-No, Anti-symmetric-Yes, Transitive-Yes
 B. Reflexive-No, Symmetric-No, Anti-symmetric-No, Transitive-No

- 13) Reflexive-No, Symmetric-No, Anti-symmetric-No, Transitive-Yes, Equivalence Relation-No, Partial ordering Relation-No

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$$\begin{array}{c}
 1 \\
 2 \\
 \vdots \\
 n
 \end{array}
 \begin{bmatrix}
 1 & & & & \\
 & 1 & & & \\
 & & 1 & & \\
 & & & 1 & \\
 & & & & 1
 \end{bmatrix}_{n \times n}$$

$n^2 - n$ positions to fill
each can be filled
in 2 ways

$\therefore 2^{n^2 - n}$ ways

$[2 \times 2 \times \dots \times 2 \text{ } (n^2 - n \text{ times})]$