

RESULTS

- ☐ At most the size of the set sizes 78%
- ☐ Could be smaller, same, or larger than the sum of the set sizes. 13%
- ☒ At least the sum of the set sizes 8%

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at most the sum of the sizes as some elements may be in both sets, and adding the sizes counts these elements twice.

1

0 points possible (ungraded)

Which of the following are finite for every finite set A and an infinite set B ?

☒ $A \cap B$ ✓

☐ $A \cup B$
☒ $A - B$ ✓

☐ $B - A$
☐ $A \Delta B$


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2

1/1 point (graded)

Which of the following pairs A and B satisfy $|A \cup B| = |A| + |B|$?☒ $\{1, 2\}$ and $\{0, 5\}$ ✓☐ $\{1, 2\}$ and $\{2, 3\}$ ☐ $\{i \in \mathbb{Z} : |i| \leq 3\}$ and $\{i \in \mathbb{Z} : 2 \leq |i| \leq 5\}$ ☐ $\{\text{English words starting with the letter 'a'}\}$ and $\{\text{English words ending with the letter 'a'}\}$ **Explanation** $|A \cup B| = |A| + |B|$ holds when A and B are disjoint.

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3

2.0/2.0 points (graded)

 $|A \cup B \cup C| = |A| + |B| + |C|$ whenever: A and B are disjoint and B and C are disjoint,☐ True☒ False ✓**Explanation**False. Let $A = C = \{1\}$ and $B = \{2\}$. Then A and B are disjoint, B and C are disjoint. But $|A \cup B \cup C| = 2$ while $|A| + |B| + |C| = 3$ A and B are disjoint, B and C are disjoint, and A and C are disjoint.

☒ True ✓☐ False**Explanation**

True. Since A and C are disjoint, and B and C are disjoint, we must have that $A \cup B$ and C are disjoint. Hence $|A \cup B \cup C| = |A \cup B| + |C|$.
Since A and B are disjoint, we have $|A \cup B| = |A| + |B|$.
Hence $|A \cup B \cup C| = |A| + |B| + |C|$.

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4. Non perfect-squares

0 points possible (ungraded)

Recall that a square of an integer, for example, 1, 4 and 9, is called a *perfect square*. How many integers between 1, and 100, inclusive, are *not* perfect squares?

90

✓ Answer: 90

90

Explanation

The perfect squares between 1 and 100 are $1^2, 2^2, \dots, 10^2$. Hence there are 10. By the complement rule, $100 - 10 = 90$ integers between 1 and 100 are not perfect squares.

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