

CMPE 16 Homework # 2

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1. Give the set represented by each of the expressions below where $A_1 = \{\square, 2, 8, a, g\}$, $A_2 = \{\triangle, -2, 8, a\}$, $A_3 = \{\square, 12, 7, a, g\}$, and $A_4 = \{\square, \triangle, 2, 7, a, b, g\}$. List each element in the set only once (i.e. $\{1, 2\}$ instead of $\{1, 2, 2\}$).

(a) $A_1 \cup A_2$

Answer : $A_1 \cup A_2 = \{\square, 2, 8, a, g, -2, \triangle\}$

(b) $A_3 \cap A_4$

Answer : $A_3 \cap A_4 = \{\square, a, 7, g\}$

(c) $A_4 - A_1$

Answer : $A_4 - A_1 = \{\triangle, 7, b\}$

(d) $A_1 - A_4$

Answer : $A_1 - A_4 = \{8\}$

(e) $\bigcup_{i=1}^4 A_i$

Answer : $\bigcup_{i=1}^4 A_i = \{\square, 2, 8, a, g, \triangle, -2, 12, b\}$

(f) $\bigcap_{i=1}^4 A_i$

Answer : $\bigcap_{i=1}^4 A_i = \{a\}$

2. For each of the sets below fill in the corresponding regions of a general Venn diagram for 3 sets. (The Venn diagram should have 3 sets in each case.) **Answers on last page.**

(a) $A \cup \overline{B} \cup C$

(b) $C - (A \cap B)$

(c) $\overline{(B - C) \cup A}$

3. Write $\bigcup_{i \in \mathbb{Z}} (i, i+1)$ as the difference of two well known sets. Here $(i, i+1)$ is the open interval of the real line with endpoints i and $i+1$. (That is, $(i, i+1) = \{x \in \mathbb{R} : i < x < i+1\}$).

Answer : The set $Y = \bigcup_{i \in \mathbb{Z}} (i, i+1)$ can be written as the difference of \mathbb{R} and \mathbb{N} ; $Y = \mathbb{R} - \mathbb{N}$. This is because Y includes all numbers in \mathbb{R} up-to but not including the actual integer values in \mathbb{Z}

4. Using only the symbols \mathbb{Z} , \mathbb{S} , \mathbb{P} , \mathbb{W} , \emptyset , \subseteq , \in , \cup , \cap , $-$, $=$, $\{$, $\}$, $)$, $($, and \neq , express the following statements

(a) 4 is pale and shy

Answer : $4 \in (\mathbb{P} \cap \mathbb{S})$

(b) All worried integers are pale.

Answer : $\mathbb{W} \subseteq \mathbb{P}$

(c) Every integer is shy, worried, or pale.

Answer : $\mathbb{Z} \subseteq (\mathbb{P} \cup \mathbb{S} \cup \mathbb{W})$

- (d) There are worried integers that are not shy.
Answer : $(W - S) \neq \emptyset$
5. Let P and Q be the statements
 P I eat garlic.
 Q I go to the dentist.
 Rewrite each of the statements below using P and Q and logical connectives ($\neg, \wedge, \vee, \implies$).
- (a) I don't eat Garlic
Answer : $\neg P$
- (b) I don't go to the Dentist, but I eat garlic.
Answer : $\neg Q \wedge P$
- (c) I eat garlic or I don't go to the dentist.
Answer : $P \vee \neg Q$
- (d) Whenever I go to the dentist, I don't eat garlic.
Answer : $Q \implies \neg P$
6. Let P, Q and R be the statements
 P I use plastic bags.
 Q I use paper bags.
 R I help the environment.
- (a) $\neg P$
- (b) $P \wedge Q$
- (c) $Q \implies \neg R$
- (d) $\neg(P \implies R)$
7. Use a truth table to determine the values of each of the logical expressions below. Both of your truth tables should have at least 3 intermediate columns.
- (a) $\neg(P \vee Q) \wedge \neg Q$
- (b) $(P \vee Q) \wedge (Q \vee R) \wedge \neg(P \wedge R)$
8. Convert each of the following statements into the form If P then Q without changing their meanings. (Some of these statements might not be True and thats okay.)
- (a)
9. As discussed in class, given a finite set S of size n and an ordering s_1, s_2, \dots, s_n of the n elements in S, we can represent the subsets of S using bit vectors of length n $(0, 1 \dots n)$. For a subset $A \subseteq S$, the corresponding bit vector $b(A) = (b_1, b_2, \dots, b_n)$ where $b_i = 1$ if $s_i \in A$ and $b_i = 0$ if $s_i \notin A$. Let S be the elements from the four sets in Problem 1 ordered as 1, 4, 2, 2, 7, 8, 12, a, b, g.
- (a)
10. Given the bit vectors $b(B) = (b_1, b_2, \dots, b_n)$ and $b(D) = (d_1, d_2, \dots, d_n)$ representing two subsets B and D. In each case below explain how you would calculate the required bit vector (in general), and then apply your method to obtain the result for $B = A_1$ and $D = A_4$ from Problem 1.
- (a)

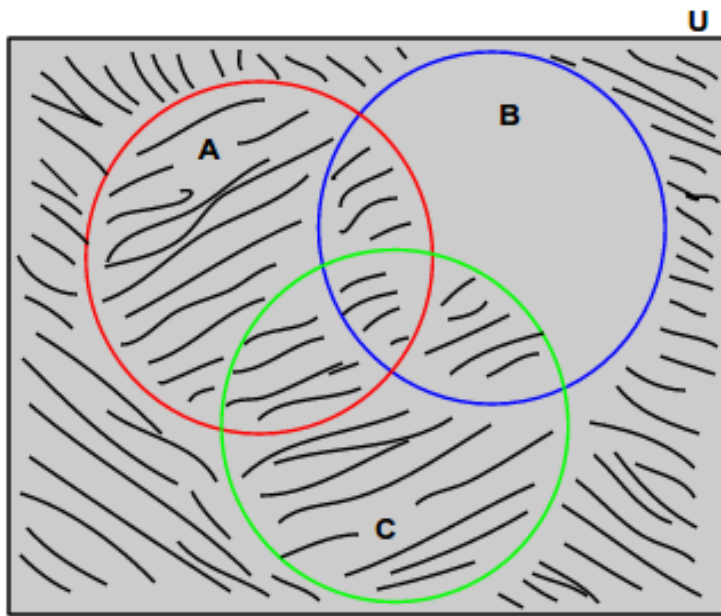


Figure 1: Venn Diagram for Problem 2a

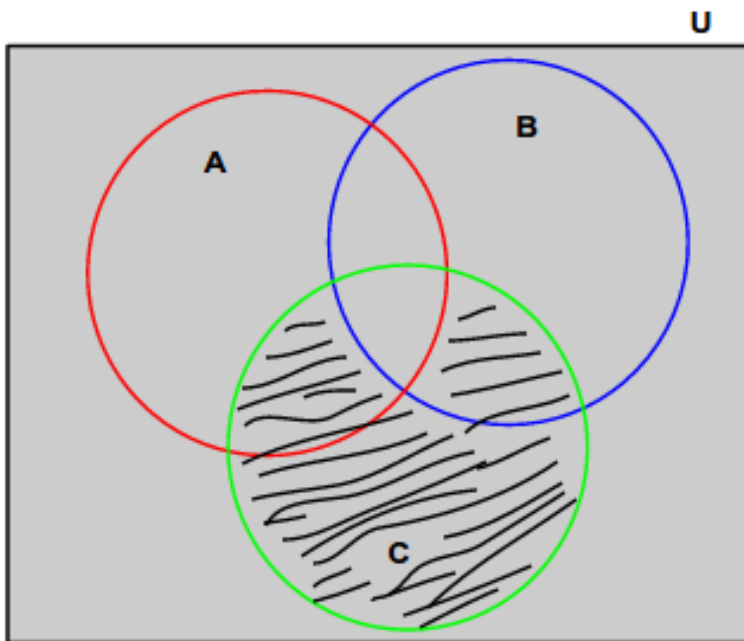


Figure 2: Venn Diagram for Problem 2b

Figure 3: Venn Diagram for Problem 2c