

## Definition: $n$ -Tuple

*An  $n$ -tuple is an ordered list of  $n$  elements written as:*

$$(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_{n-1}, x_n) \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \{\{x_1\}, \{x_1, x_2\}, \{x_1, x_2, x_3\}, \dots, \{x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n\}\}$$

*We say that two  $n$ -tuples,  $a, b$  are equal when we have  $\forall i \in [n]$  that  $a_i = b_i$  (And say that  $a_i$  is the  $i$ -th coordinate of  $a$ )*