

### 1.2.1

(a) Show that  $A \times (B \cap C) = (A \times B) \cap (A \times C)$

$$\begin{aligned}
 (x, y) \in A \times (B \cap C) &\implies x \in A \wedge y \in (B \cap C) \\
 &\implies x \in A \wedge y \in B \wedge y \in C \\
 (x, y) \in (A \times B) \cap (A \times C) &\implies (x, y) \in (A \times B) \wedge (x, y) \in (A \times C) \\
 &\implies x \in A \wedge y \in B \wedge x \in A \wedge y \in C \\
 &\implies x \in A \wedge y \in B \wedge y \in C
 \end{aligned}$$

(b) Show that  $A \times (B \cup C) = (A \times B) \cup (A \times C)$

$$\begin{aligned}
 (x, y) \in A \times (B \cup C) &\implies x \in A \wedge y \in (B \cup C) \\
 &\implies x \in A \wedge (y \in B \vee y \in C) \\
 (x, y) \in (A \times B) \cup (A \times C) &\implies (x, y) \in (A \times B) \vee (x, y) \in (A \times C) \\
 &\implies (x \in A \wedge y \in B) \vee (x \in A \wedge y \in C) \\
 &\implies x \in A \wedge (y \in B \vee y \in C)
 \end{aligned}$$

### 1.2.2

(a) Consider the relations  $R = \{(1, 7), (3, 3), (13, 11)\}$  and  $S = \{(1, 1), (1, 7), (3, 11), (13, 12), (15, 1)\}$  over the positive integers. Identify  $\text{dom}(R \cap S)$ ,  $\text{range}(R \cap S)$ ,  $\text{dom}(R \cup S)$ ,  $\text{range}(R \cup S)$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{dom}(R \cap S) &= \{1\} \\
 \text{range}(R \cap S) &= \{7\} \\
 \text{dom}(R \cup S) &= \{1, 3, 13, 15\} \\
 \text{range}(R \cup S) &= \{7, 3, 11, 1, 12\}
 \end{aligned}$$

(b) In the same example, identify  $\text{join}(R, S)$ ,  $\text{join}(S, R)$ ,  $S \circ R$ ,  $R \circ S$ ,  $R \circ R$ ,  $S \circ S$ .

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{join}(R, S) &= \{(3, 3, 11)\} \\
 \text{join}(S, R) &= \{(1, 1, 7), (15, 1, 1)\} \\
 S \circ R &= \{(1, 7), (15, 1)\} \\
 R \circ S &= \{(3, 11)\} \\
 R \circ R &= \{(3, 3)\} \\
 S \circ S &= \{(1, 1), (1, 7), (15, 1), (15, 7)\}
 \end{aligned}$$

(c) In the same example, identify  $R(X)$  and  $S(X)$  for  $X = \{1, 3, 11\}$  and  $X = \emptyset$ .

$$\begin{array}{ll}
 X = \{1, 3, 11\} & X = \emptyset \\
 R(X) = \{(1, 7), (3, 3)\} & R(X) = \emptyset \\
 S(X) = \{(1, 1), (1, 7), (3, 11)\} & S(X) = \emptyset
 \end{array}$$

(d) Explain how to carry out composition by means of join and projection.

Composition is the result of first applying the *join* and then using the *projection* to eliminate the common item

### 1.2.3

(a) Show that  $R$  is reflexive over  $A$  iff  $I_A \subseteq R$ . Here  $I_A$  is the identity relation over  $A$ , defined in an exercise in Sect. 2.1.3.

$$\begin{aligned}
 R \text{ is reflexive in } A &= \forall x \in A : xRx \\
 I_A &= \{(a, a) : a \in A\} \\
 I_A &\subseteq R \\
 \forall a \in A &\implies \exists (a, a) \in I_A \\
 I_A \subseteq R &\implies \exists (a, a) \in R \\
 &\implies R \text{ is reflexive on } A
 \end{aligned}$$

(b) Show that the converse of a relation  $R$  that is reflexive over a set  $A$  is also reflexive over  $A$ .

$$\begin{aligned}
 R \text{ is reflexive over } A &= \forall x \in A : xRx \\
 R^{-1} &= \{(a, b) : (b, a) \in R\} \\
 R = \{(a, b) : a = b \wedge a, b \in A\} &\implies (a, b) = (b, a) \\
 &\implies R^{-1} = R \\
 &\implies R^{-1} \text{ is reflexive over } A
 \end{aligned}$$

(c) Show that  $R$  is transitive iff  $R \circ R \subseteq R$ .

$$\begin{aligned}
 R \text{ is transitive} &\iff R \circ R \subseteq R \\
 R \circ R &= \{(a, c) : aRb \wedge bRc\} \\
 R \circ R \subseteq R &\implies (a, c) \in R \\
 &\implies R(R(a, b), c) = R(a, R(b, c))
 \end{aligned}$$

## 1.2.4

(a) Show that the following three conditions are equivalent: (i)  $R$  is symmetric, (ii)  $R \subseteq R^{-1}$ , (iii)  $R = R^{-1}$ .

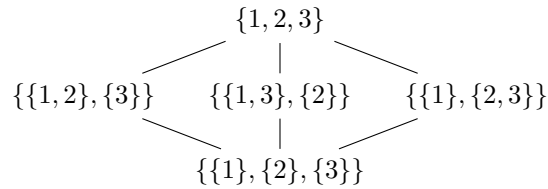
$$\begin{aligned}
 R \text{ is symmetric} &\equiv R \subseteq R^{-1} \equiv R = R^{-1} \\
 R \text{ is symmetric} &= \forall (a, b) \in R \exists (b, a) \in R \\
 R \subseteq R^{-1} &\implies \forall (a, b) \in R, \exists (a, b) \in R^{-1} \\
 &\implies (a, b) = (b, a) \\
 &\implies R = R^{-1} \\
 R = R^{-1} &\implies \forall (a, b) \in R, \exists (a, b) \in R^{-1} = \forall (a, b) \in R \exists (b, a) \in R \\
 \therefore R \text{ is symmetric} &\equiv R \subseteq R^{-1} \equiv R = R^{-1}
 \end{aligned}$$

(b) Show that if  $R$  is reflexive over  $A$  and also transitive, then the relation  $S$  defined by  $(a, b) \in S$  iff both  $(a, b) \in R$  and  $(b, a) \in R$  is an equivalence relation.

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{reflexive} &= (a, a) \in R \forall a \in A \\
 S &= \{(a, b) : (a, b) \in R \wedge (b, a) \in R\} \\
 (a, b) \in R \wedge (b, a) \in R &\implies a = b \\
 &\implies S \text{ is equivalent}
 \end{aligned}$$

(c) Enumerate all the partitions of  $A = \{1, 2, 3\}$  and draw a Hasse diagram for them under fineness.

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{Partition}(A) = &\{\{\{1\}, \{2\}, \{3\}\}, \\
 &\{\{1, 2\}, \{3\}\}, \\
 &\{\{1, 3\}, \{2\}\}, \\
 &\{\{2, 3\}, \{1\}\}, \\
 &\{\{1, 2, 3\}\}
 \end{aligned}$$



## 1.2.5

Let  $R$  be any transitive relation over a set  $A$ . Define  $S$  over  $A$  by putting  $(a, b) \in S$  iff either  $a = b$  or both  $(a, b) \in R$  and  $\neg(b, a) \in R$ . Show that  $S$  partially orders  $A$ .

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{Partial order} &= \text{reflexive, transitive and antisymmetric} \\
 \text{reflexive} &= (a, a) \in R \forall a \in A \\
 \text{antisymmetric} &= (a, b) \in R \wedge (b, a) \notin R \\
 S &= \{(a, b) : a = b \vee [(a, b) \in R \wedge (b, a) \notin R]\} \\
 \{(a, b) : a = b\} &\implies S \text{ is reflexive} \\
 \{(a, b) : (a, b) \in R \wedge (b, a) \notin R\} &\implies S \text{ is transitive} \\
 &\implies S \text{ is antisymmetric}
 \end{aligned}$$