

## Homework #2

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**Problem 1: Sets**

(2+2+2+2+2=10 points)

Which of the following sets are equal? Show your work step by step.

- (a)  $\{t : t \text{ is a root of } x^2 - 6x + 8 = 0\}$
- (b)  $\{y : y \text{ is a real number in the closed interval } [2, 3]\}$
- (c)  $\{4, 2, 5, 4\}$
- (d)  $\{4, 5, 7, 2\} - \{5, 7\}$
- (e)  $\{q : q \text{ is either the number of sides of a rectangle or the number of digits in any integer between 11 and 99}\}$

**(Solution)**

- a) Let this set name "A"

$$x^2 - 6x + 8 = 0$$

$$(x-2)(x-4) = 0$$

$$(x = 2) \vee (x = 4)$$

$$A = \{2, 4\}$$

- b) Let this set name "B"

$$B = \{y \in \mathbb{R} \mid 2 \leq y \leq 3\}$$

- c) Let this set name "C"

$$C = \{2, 4, 5\}$$

Note that: Sets cannot contain duplicate elements

- d) Let this set name "D"

$$D = \{4, 2\}$$

- e) Let this set name "E"

4 is number of sides of a rectangle and 2 is number of digits

$$E = \{4, 2\}$$

**So set A, D and E are equal**

**Problem 2: Cartesian Product of Sets**

(15 points)

Explain why  $(A \times B) \times (C \times D)$  and  $A \times (B \times C) \times D$  are not the same.

**(Solution)**

*In the sets the order of elements are immaterial; for example;  $\{x,y\}=\{y,x\}$ . In some circumstances, however, order is significant. For instance, in coordinate system  $(1,2)$  and  $(2,1)$  respectively are distinct.*

**Definition:**

The Cartesian product,  $X \times Y$ , of two sets  $X$  and  $Y$  is the set of all ordered pairs  $(x,y)$  where  $x$  belongs to  $X$  and  $y$  belongs to  $Y$ :

$$X \times Y = \{(x,y) : x \in X \text{ and } y \in Y\}.$$

- The cartesian product is not associative :  $(A \times B) \times C \neq A \times (B \times C)$

**So due to the importance of the processing order of elements;  
 $(A \times B) \times (C \times D)$  and  $A \times (B \times C) \times D$  are not the same.**

**Problem 3: Cartesian Product of Sets in Algorithms**

(25 points)

Let  $A$ ,  $B$  and  $C$  be sets which have different cardinalities. Let  $(p, q, r)$  be each triple of  $A \times B \times C$  where  $p \in A$ ,  $q \in B$  and  $r \in C$ . Design an algorithm which finds all the triples that are satisfying the criteria:  $p \leq q$  and  $q \geq r$ . Write the pseudo code of the algorithm in your solution.

For example: Let the set  $A$ ,  $B$  and  $C$  be as  $A = \{ 3, 5, 7 \}$ ,  $B = \{ 3, 6 \}$  and  $C = \{ 4, 6, 9 \}$ . Then the output should be :  $\{ (3, 6, 4), (3, 6, 6), (5, 6, 4), (5, 6, 6) \}$ .

(Note: Assume that you have sets of  $A$ ,  $B$ ,  $C$  as an input argument.)

**(Solution)**

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**Algorithm 1:** Pseudo Code of Your Algorithm

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Input: The sets of  $A$ ,  $B$ ,  $C$ 
Get  $A$ ,  $B$ ,  $C$ 
Set  $s(A) = a$ ,  $s(B) = b$ ,  $s(C) = c$ 
Set Cartesian product array = CarPro()
Element of CP = 'element' and initial value is=0
for ( $i = 0$  ;  $i < a$  ;  $++i$ ) do
    for ( $j = 0$  ;  $j < b$  ;  $++j$ ) do
        for ( $k = 0$  ;  $k < c$  ;  $++k$ ) do
            if ( $A(i) \leq B(j)$ ) then
                Statements
                if ( $B(j) \geq C(k)$ ) then
                    Set CarPro(element)
                    ++element
                else
                    | continue
                end
            else
                | continue
            end
        end
    end
end
print CarPro() on the screen

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**Problem 4: Relations**

(3+3+3+3+3+3+3=21 points)

Determine whether the relation  $R$  on the set of all integers is reflexive, symmetric, antisymmetric, and/or transitive, where  $(x, y) \in R$  if and only if

(a)  $x \neq y$ .

**(Solution)**

- The relation is not reflexive because we cannot have  $(0,0), (1,1)$ .
- The relation is symmetric because  $x \neq y$  and  $y \neq x$ , if we have  $(1,2)$  then we can have  $(2,1)$  too.
- The relation is not antisymmetric because we have  $x \neq y$  and  $y \neq x$
- The relation is not transitive because we can have  $(1,2)$  and  $(2,1)$  but not  $(1,1)$

(b)  $xy \geq 1$ .

**(Solution)**

- The relation is not reflexive because we cant have  $(0,0)$
- The relation is symmetric because we have  $xy = yx$  such that  $(1,1), (1/2, 2), (2, 1/2)$ .
- The relation is not antisymmetric because we have  $(1,2), (2,1)$
- The relation is transitive because if we have  $(a, b) \in R$  and  $(b, c) \in R$ , then we can have  $(a, c) \in R$

(c)  $x = y + 1$  or  $x = y - 1$ .

**(Solution)**

- The relation is not reflexive because we cannot have  $(1,1)$
- The relation is symmetric because we have  $x = y + 1$  and  $y = x - 1$  and they are equivalent
- The relation is not antisymmetric because we have  $(1,2)$  and  $(2,1)$
- The relation is not transitive because if we have  $(1,2)$  and  $(2,1)$  then we cannot have  $(1,1)$

(d)  $x$  is a multiple of  $y$ .

**(Solution)**

- The relation is reflexive because we can have  $(1,1), (2,2)$ .
- The relation is not symmetric because we have  $(2,1)$  but we cannot have  $(1,2)$
- The relation is not antisymmetric because we have  $(-1, 1)$  and  $(1, -1)$
- The relation is transitive if  $x$  is multiple of  $y$  and if  $y$  is multiple of  $z$  then  $x$  is also multiple of  $z$ ;  $(x,y), (y,z), (x,z)$

(e)  $x$  and  $y$  are both negative or both nonnegative.

**(Solution)**

- The relation is reflexive because  $x$  always has same sign  $(1,1), (-1,-1)$ .
- The relation is symmetric because  $x$  and  $y$  both negative or both nonnegative and also again same thing with  $y$  and  $x$   $(1,2), (2,1), (-1,-2), (-2,-1)$
- The relation is not antisymmetric because  $(1,2), (2,1)$
- The relation is transitive because if  $x$  and  $y$  both negative or both nonnegative and also if  $y$  and  $z$  both negative or both nonnegative then  $x$  and  $z$  also both negative or both nonnegative  $(x,y), (y,z), (x,z)$

(f)  $x \geq y^2$ .

**(Solution)**

- The relation is not reflexive because we cannot have  $(2,2)$
- The relation is not symmetric because we can have  $(4,2)$  but cannot have  $(2,4)$
- The relation is antisymmetric because except  $(0,0)$  and  $(1,1)$  each integer goes to another integer but not in reverse
- The relation is transitive because if  $x \geq y^2$  and  $y \geq z^2$ , then  $x \geq z^2$

(g)  $x = y^2$ .

**(Solution)**

- The relation is not reflexive because we cannot have  $(2,2)$
- The relation is not symmetric because we can have  $(2,4)$  but cannot have  $(4,2)$
- The relation is antisymmetric because except  $(0,0)$  and  $(1,1)$  each integer goes to another integer but not in reverse
- The relation is not transitive because we have  $(16,4)$  and  $(4,2)$  but we cannot have  $(16,2)$

**Problem 5: Functions**

(15 points)

If  $f$  and  $f \circ g$  are one-to-one, does it follow that  $g$  is one-to-one? Justify your answer.

**(Solution)**

*I prove that by direct proof.*

*Let  $g : A \rightarrow B$  and let  $f : B \rightarrow C$*

*Lets assume that  $g(a) = g(b)$*

*Take the function  $f$  both sides of the equation  $f(g(a)) = f(g(b))$*

*This equation equals to  $(f \circ g)(a) = (f \circ g)(b)$*

*Since  $f \circ g$  is one-to-one then  $a=b$*

*So  $g(a) = g(b)$ , that means that  $g$  is one-to-one.*

**Problem 6: Inverse of Functions**

(7+7=14 points)

Let  $f$  be the function from  $\mathbb{R}$  to  $\mathbb{R}$  defined by  $f(x) = x^2$ . Find

(a)  $f^{-1}(\{x \mid 0 < x < 1\})$

**(Solution)**

$$y = x^2$$

$$x = \sqrt{y}$$

*Inverse of function is ;  $f^{-1}(x) = \sqrt{x}$*

$$0 < f(x) < 1$$

$$0 < x^2 < 1$$

$$-1 < x < 1 \text{ and } x \neq 0$$

$$f^{-1}(\{x \mid 0 < x < 1\}) = \{x \mid -1 < x < 1\} \wedge (x \neq 0)$$

(b)  $f^{-1}(\{x \mid x > 4\})$

**(Solution)**

$$f(x) > 4$$

$$x^2 > 4$$

$$(x < -2) \vee (x > 2)$$

$$f^{-1}(\{x \mid x > 4\}) = \{x \mid (x < -2) \vee (x > 2)\}$$