

$R: \{\langle x, y \rangle \text{ for } \langle x, y \rangle \in A^2 \text{ if } xRy\}$

$T \cdot R: \{\langle a, c \rangle \mid \exists b \in B (\langle a, b \rangle \in T \wedge \langle b, c \rangle \in R)\}$

$R^2: aR^2c \leftrightarrow \{\langle a, c \rangle \mid \exists b \in A (\langle a, b \rangle \in R \wedge \langle b, c \rangle \in R)\}$

an ordered pair $\langle a, c \rangle \in R^2$ means there's a "middle" $b \in B$ that satisfies $\langle a, b \rangle \in R \wedge \langle b, c \rangle \in R$

Examples

- $(a = -b)^2 = I_{\mathbb{R}}$
- $\langle a, b \rangle \in R^2 \Leftrightarrow \langle a, c \rangle, \langle c, b \rangle \in R$

Empty \emptyset_A

$R := \text{rel}(A \times B) = \emptyset$

No pair $\in A \times B$ satisfies $\langle a, b \rangle \in R$

Properties

- $S \cdot \emptyset_A = \emptyset$
- anti-symmetric
- symmetric ?

Examples

- $\{\langle x, y \rangle \in \mathbb{N}^2 \mid x + y < x\}$

Identity I_A

Properties

- $R \cdot I_A = R$

Reflexivity

$R := \text{rel}(A)$ is reflexive if $\forall a \in A (\langle a, a \rangle \in R)$

R is reflexive if every $a \in A$ satisfies $\langle a, a \rangle \in R$. In other words:

$I_A \subseteq R$

$A = \{-1, 0, 1\}$. Is \cdot contained $\in R$?

$R = \text{lambda } a, b: a \odot b; \text{all}(R(x, x) \text{ for } x \in A)?$

Properties

- $\Leftrightarrow R^{-1}$ is reflexive
- $\rightarrow R \subseteq R^2$ (and R^2 is reflexive)

- $\rightarrow R \subseteq R^2$
- if $S \subseteq R$ then S is reflexive
- if S is reflexive then both $R \cup S$ and $R \cap S$ are reflexive

Examples

- $U_A: \forall a \in A (\langle a, a \rangle \in A \times A = U_A)$
- $I_A: \forall a \in A (\langle a, a \rangle \in \{\langle -1, -1 \rangle, \langle 0, 0 \rangle, \langle 1, 1 \rangle\})$
- \leq, \geq both contain \cdot

Counter Examples

- \neq (which is $U_A - I_A$)
- $<, >, \emptyset_A$
- $a = -b \therefore$

Anti-Reflexivity

$R := \text{rel}(A)$ is anti-reflexive iff $\neg \exists a \in A (\langle a, a \rangle \in R)$

R is reflexive if every $a \in A$ satisfies $\langle a, a \rangle \in R$. In other words:

$$I_A \cap R = \emptyset$$

just $I_A \not\subseteq R$ isn't enough; $I_A = \{\langle 1, 1 \rangle, \langle 2, 2 \rangle\} \not\subseteq R = \{\langle 1, 1 \rangle, \langle 1, 2 \rangle\}$ but $\langle 1, 1 \rangle \in R$ so isn't anti-reflexive

Examples

- $\neq, <, >, \emptyset_A$

Counter Examples

- $U_A, I_A, a = -b \therefore, \leq, \geq$

Symmetry

$R := \text{rel}(A)$ is symmetric iff $R = R^{-1}$

R is symmetric if every $\langle x, y \rangle \in R$ satisfies $\langle y, x \rangle \in R$
assuming both x and y exist $\in A$

$$\forall x \forall y (\langle x, y \rangle \in R \rightarrow \langle y, x \rangle \in R)$$

$R = \lambda a, b: a \odot b; \text{all}(\text{rel}(y, x) \text{ for } x, y \in R)?$

Properties

- if S is symmetric then both $R \cup S$ and $R \cap S$ are reflexive
- if S is symmetric then $R \setminus S$ is symmetric

Examples

- \emptyset_A can't point at $\langle x, y \rangle$ and say $\langle y, x \rangle$ is $\neg \in \emptyset^{-1}$

- $U_A, I_A, a=-b \therefore, \neq$

Counter Examples

- $\leq, \geq, <, >$

Anti-Symmetry

$R := \text{rel}(A)$ is anti-symmetric iff $R \cap R^{-1} = \emptyset$

R is anti-symmetric if every $\langle x, y \rangle \in R$ satisfies $\langle y, x \rangle \notin R$
 $\forall x \forall y (\langle x, y \rangle \in R \rightarrow \langle y, x \rangle \notin R)$

$R \cap R^{-1} = \emptyset$ means there can't be a $\langle x, x \rangle$

Properties

- $\rightarrow R$ is anti-reflexive
- $\rightarrow R^{-1}$ is anti-symmetric
- if $S \subseteq R$ then S is anti-symmetric
- if $S \cup T$ is anti-symmetric then both $S \cap T$ are anti-symmetric
- $\rightarrow R \cap S$ is anti-symmetric
- if R is antireflexive \wedge transitive then it's asymmetric \wedge anti-symmetric

Examples

- $<, >, \emptyset_A$
- $b > a^2$

Counter Examples

- $\neq, \leq, \geq, U_A, I_A, a=-b \therefore, \neq$
- $b < a^2$ $\langle 3, 4 \rangle \wedge \langle 4, 3 \rangle$ are symmetric

Weak Anti-Symmetry

$R \cap R^{-1} \subseteq I_A$

$\forall x \forall y (\langle x, y \rangle \in R \wedge \langle y, x \rangle \in R \rightarrow x=y)$

if both $\langle x, y \rangle \in R \wedge \langle y, x \rangle \in R$ it's only because they're equal

for $x, y \in A$: if $x \neq y \wedge \langle x, y \rangle \in R$ then must $\langle y, x \rangle \notin R$

A_S vs WA_S : A_S requires every pair's opposite to \neg be $\in R$,
 whereas WA_S requires the same only for pairs that $x=y$

Examples

- I_A

Transitivity

$$R^2 \subseteq R$$

$$\forall x \forall y \forall z ((R(x,y) \wedge R(y,z)) \rightarrow R(x,z))$$

Every $(x,y,z) \in A$ that satisfy $\langle x,y \rangle \in R \wedge \langle y,z \rangle \in R$ also satisfy $\langle x,z \rangle \in R$

If you see an x that leads to y that leads to z , then expect x to lead to z **this is why $R^2 \subseteq R$**

Properties

- if T is symmetric \wedge anti-symmetric then it's also transitive

Examples

- $A=\{1,2,3\}; R = \{\langle 1,2 \rangle, \langle 2,3 \rangle, \langle 1,3 \rangle\} \Rightarrow R^2 = \{\langle 1,3 \rangle\} \subseteq R$
- $A=\{1,2,3\}; T = \{\langle 1,2 \rangle\} \Rightarrow T^2 = \emptyset \subseteq T$
- $W = \{\langle 1,1 \rangle\} \Rightarrow W^2 = \{\langle 1,1 \rangle\} \subseteq W$
- I_A
- \emptyset_A
- U_A **if $\langle a,b \rangle \in A^2 \wedge \langle b,a \rangle \in A^2$ then $\langle a,c \rangle \in A^2$**
- if $|A| > 1$ then \neq is trans
- $<, \leq$

Counter Examples

- $P=\{\langle 1,2 \rangle, \langle 2,1 \rangle\} \Rightarrow P^2 = \{\langle 1,1 \rangle, \langle 2,2 \rangle\} \not\subseteq P$
how: 1 leads to 2 leads to 1, but $\langle 1,1 \rangle \notin P$
- $\exists x \exists y \exists z (R(x,y) \wedge R(y,z) \wedge \neg R(x,z))$

Equivalence

R over A is equivalence iff R is reflexive, symmetric \wedge transitive

Examples

- U_A, I_A , equality
- "Has the same absolute value" on the set of real numbers
- if $A=\emptyset$ then \emptyset_A is symmetric, transitive \wedge reflexive

Counter Examples

- \geq **reflexive \wedge transitive but \neg symmetric**
- if $A \neq \emptyset$ then \emptyset_A is symmetric \wedge transitive, but \neg reflexive

Connexivity

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R over A is connexive iff $\forall (x,y) \in A \ (x \neq y \rightarrow \langle x,y \rangle \in R \vee \langle y,x \rangle \in R)$

Order

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Partial Order

R over A (\leq) is a partial order iff it's [antireflexive](#) \wedge [transitive](#)

Properties

- [Antisymmetric](#) because antireflexive \wedge transitive

Examples

- \subset over $\mathcal{P}(A)$

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for all $a, b, \wedge c$:

- $a \leq a$ [reflex](#)
- if $a \leq b \wedge b \leq a$, then $a = b$ [antisymm](#)
- if $a \leq b \wedge b \leq c$, then $a \leq c$ [trans](#)

Examples

- equality
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Total Order

Partial order \wedge [connexive](#) (aka "linearly ordered")

$\forall (x,y) \in A \ (x \neq y \rightarrow \langle x,y \rangle \in R \vee \langle y,x \rangle \in R)$ [note the xor. verify](#)

Examples

- \subset over \mathbb{N} [also over \$\mathbb{R}\$?](#)

Counter Examples

- if $A \neq \emptyset$ then I_A isn't total order because for all $a \in A$:
 $a = a$

Partitions

Partition of A is a set of non-empty, non-overlapping subsets of A whose $\cup = A$

Properties

- every $a \in A$ is \in exactly one block
- no block contains \emptyset
- \cup of blocks = A
- \cap of any two blocks = \emptyset
- $\rightarrow A$ is finite \Rightarrow rank of P is $|X| - |P|$?

Examples

- $\{A\}$ is partition of A trivial
- \emptyset 's only partition is \emptyset
- $\{1,2,3\}$ has five partitions: $\{\{1\},\{2\},\{3\}\}$, $\{\{1, 2\}, \{3\}\}$, $\{\{1, 3\},\{2\}\}$, $\{\{1\},\{2, 3\}\}$, $\{\{1, 2, 3\}\}$

Counter Examples

- \neg partitions of $\{1,2,3\}$:
 - $\{\{\}, \{1,3\}, \{2\}\}$ contains \emptyset
 - $\{\{1, 2\}, \{2, 3\}\}$ 2 exists \in more than one block
 - $\{\{1\}, \{2\}\}$ no block contains 3

Equivalence Class: $\{x \in S \mid x \equiv a\}$ where $a \in S$

Given R is an equivalence relation on S , the equivalence class of an element $a \in S$ is the set $\{x \in S \mid (x,a) \in R\}$

$[a] = \{b \mid aRb\} = \{b \mid (a,b) \in R\}$ all elements $\in S$ that when paired with a , exist $\in R$

In other words: going over R , the elements $\in [a]$ are all the elements that a is paired with

Properties

- \cup of all equivalence classes = S ?
- $a \in [a]$ every element exists \in its equivalence class
- the items \in each equivalence class of S exist only \in their equivalence class ?
- every possible pair of eq. classes is zar ?

Examples

- X = all cars; relation \equiv_X = "has the same color as"; one particular equivalence class consists of all green cars
- Relation $\equiv_{\mathbb{Z}}$ is $(a,b) \in \equiv_{\mathbb{Z}} \Leftrightarrow (a - b) \% 2 == 0 \Rightarrow$ two equivalence classes: even numbers \wedge odd numbers

- $S = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5\}$
 - $\equiv_S = \{\langle 1, 1 \rangle, \langle 1, 2 \rangle, \langle 1, 3 \rangle, \langle 2, 2 \rangle, \langle 3, 3 \rangle, \langle 4, 4 \rangle, \langle 5, 5 \rangle, \langle 2, 1 \rangle, \langle 2, 3 \rangle, \langle 3, 2 \rangle, \langle 3, 1 \rangle\}$
 - $\llbracket 1 \rrbracket = \{1, 2, 3\}$ everything that 1 is related to
 - $\llbracket 2 \rrbracket = \{2, 1, 3\}$
 - $\llbracket 3 \rrbracket = \{3, 2, 1\}$ note that $\llbracket 1 \rrbracket \equiv \llbracket 2 \rrbracket \equiv \llbracket 3 \rrbracket$
 - $\llbracket 4 \rrbracket = \{4\}$
 - $\llbracket 5 \rrbracket = \{5\}$