

## MODULE-4: RELATIONS

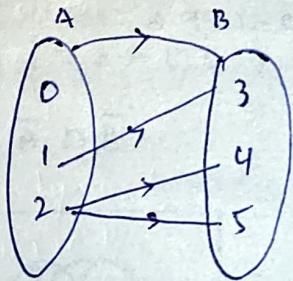
- Let  $A$  and  $B$  be any two sets then a subset of  $A \times B$  is called a binary relation or just a relation from  $A$  to  $B$ . Thus  $R$  is a relation from  $A$  to  $B$  then  $R$  is a set of ordered pairs  $(a, b)$  where  $a \in A$  and  $b \in B$  then  $R$  is a relation from  $A$  to  $B$ . Also if  $(a, b) \in R$  then we say that "a is related to b" or  $aRb$ .

Ex:  $A = \{0, 1, 2\}$      $B = \{3, 4, 5\}$

Let  $R = \{(1, 3), (2, 4), (2, 5)\}$

$R \subseteq A \times B \Rightarrow R$  is a relation from  $A$  to  $B$

This can be represented using arrow diagram



NOTE:

If  $A$  is a set with  $m$  elements and  $B$  is a set with  $n$  elements then  $A \times B$  will have  $mn$  elements.

∴ The power set or set of all subsets of  $A \times B$  will have  $2^{mn}$  elements. Hence there are  $2^{mn}$  relations from  $A$  and  $B$ .

Ex: If  $|A| = 3$  &  $|B| = 2$  then  $|A \times B| = (3)(2) = 6$   
then there exists  $2^6$  relations from  $A$  to  $B$ .

Zero matrix:

Consider the sets  $A = \{a_1, a_2, \dots, a_m\}$  and  $B = \{b_1, b_2, \dots, b_n\}$ . Let  $R$  be a relation from  $A$  to  $B$  so that  $R \subseteq A \times B$ . Then let us put  $m_{ij} = (a_i, b_j)$  where  $a_i \in A$ ,  $b_j \in B$  and  $1 \leq i \leq m$ ,  $1 \leq j \leq n$  and assign the values 1 or 0 according to the following rule

$$m_{ij} = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } (a_i, b_j) \in R \\ 0 & \text{if } (a_i, b_j) \notin R \end{cases}$$

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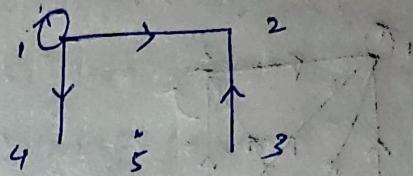
The  $m \times n$  matrix formed by these  $m_{ij}$ 's is called Relation matrix for  $R$  or zero-one matrix denoted by  $M_R$  or  $M(R)$

⇒ Digraph of a relation:

Let  $R$  be a relation on a finite set. Then  $R$  can be represented by pictorially using bullets and arrows as given below.

Ex:  $A = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5\}$  and  $R = \{(1, 1), (1, 2), (1, 4), (3, 2)\}$

The digraph is as shown below -



(Q) Let  $A = \{1, 2\}$ ,  $B = \{p, q, r, s\}$  and let  $R$  from  $A$  to  $B$  be defined by  $R = \{(1, q), (1, r), (2, p), (2, s)\}$ . Write the matrix of  $R$ .

$$\text{Sol} \quad M_R \text{ in } M(R) = \begin{matrix} & p & q & r & s \\ \begin{matrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{matrix} & \left[ \begin{matrix} 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{matrix} \right] \end{matrix}$$

(Q) Let  $A = \{1, 2, 3, 4\}$  and  $R$  be the relation on  $A$  defined by  $xRy$

if and only if  $x$  divides  $y$

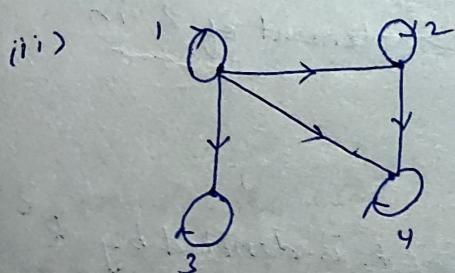
(i) Write  $R$  as a set of ordered pairs

(ii) Draw the digraph of  $R$

(iii) Write the matrix  $R$

(iv) Determine indegree and outdegrees of the vertices in the digraph

$$\text{Sol} \quad \text{(i)} \quad R = \{(1, 1), (1, 2), (1, 3), (1, 4), (2, 2), (2, 4), (3, 3), (4, 4)\}$$



$$\text{(ii)} \quad M_R = \begin{matrix} & 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 \\ \begin{matrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \\ 4 \end{matrix} & \left[ \begin{matrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{matrix} \right] \end{matrix}$$

$$\text{(iii)} \quad id(1) = 1 \quad od(1) = 4$$

$$id(2) = 2 \quad od(2) = 2$$

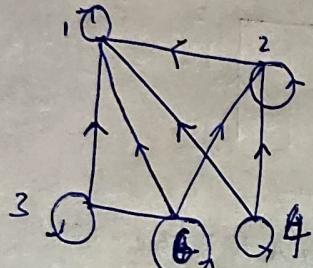
$$id(3) = 2 \quad od(3) = 1$$

$$id(4) = 3 \quad od(4) = 1$$

(Q) Let  $A = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 6\}$  and  $R$  is a relation on  $A$  defined by  $aRb$  if and only  $a$  is a multiple of  $b$ . Represent the relation  $R$  as a matrix and draw its digraph.

Sol

$$R = \{(1, 1), (2, 1), (3, 1), (4, 1), (6, 1), (2, 2), (4, 2), (6, 2), (3, 3), (6, 3), (4, 4), (6, 6)\}$$



### (Q) Operations on Relations:

- Given  $R$ , Union:

Let  $R_1$  and  $R_2$  be 2 relations from set  $A$  to  $B$ . The union of  $R_1$  and  $R_2$  denoted by  $R_1 \cup R_2$  is defined as a relation from  $A$  to  $B$  with property that  $(a, b) \in R_1 \cup R_2$  if and only if  $(a, b) \in R_1$  or  $(a, b) \in R_2$ .

- Intersection of relation:

The intersection  $R_1$  and  $R_2$  denoted by  $R_1 \cap R_2$  is defined as a relation from  $A$  to  $B$  with property that  $(a, b) \in R_1 \cap R_2$  if and only if  $(a, b) \in R_1$  and  $(a, b) \in R_2$ .

- Complement of Relation:

Given a relation  $R$  from  $A$  to  $B$  the complement of  $R$  denoted by  $\bar{R}$  is defined as a relation from  $A$  to  $B$  with the property that  $(a, b) \in \bar{R}$  if  $(a, b) \notin R$  or  $\bar{R}$  is the complement of  $R$  in the universal set  $A \times B$ .

- Converse of a Relation

Given a relation  $R$  from  $A$  to  $B$  the converse of  $R$  is denoted by  $R^c$  is defined as a relation from  $B$  to  $A$  with the property that  $(a, b) \in R^c$  if and only if  $(b, a) \in R$ .

(Q) Determine the relation  $R$  from a set  $A$  to  $B$  as described by the following matrix.

$$M_R = \begin{bmatrix} p & q & r \\ a & 1 & 0 & 1 \\ b & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ c & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ d & 1 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

Sol

$$\text{Let } A = \{a, b, c, d\} \quad B = \{p, q, r\}$$

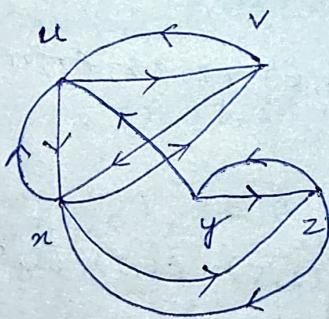
$$R = \{(a, p), (a, r), (b, p), (b, q), (c, r), (d, p)\}$$

(Q) Let  $A = \{u, v, x, y, z\}$  and  $R$  to be a relation on  $R$  where matrix is as given below. Determine  $R$  and the digraph of the matrix.

$$u \quad v \quad x \quad y \quad z \\ u \quad \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{Sol} \quad R = \{(u, v), (u, x), (v, u), (v, x), (x, u), (x, v), (x, z), (y, u), (y, z), (z, x), (z, y)\}$$

Digraph:



(Q) Consider the sets  $A = \{a, b, c\}$  and  $B = \{1, 2, 3\}$  and  $R = \{(a, 1), (b, 1), (c, 2), (c, 3)\}$  and  $S = \{(a, 1), (a, 2), (b, 1), (b, 2)\}$  from  $A$  to  $B$ . Determine  $\bar{R}$ ,  $\bar{S}$ ,  $R \cup S$ ,  $R \cap S$ ,  $R^c$ ,  $S^c$ . Write their corresponding matrix representation

$$A \times B = \{(a, 1), (a, 2), (a, 3), (b, 1), (b, 2), (b, 3), (c, 1), (c, 2), (c, 3)\}$$

$$\bar{R} = (A \times B) - R = \{(a, 2), (a, 3), (b, 2), (b, 3), (c, 1)\}$$

$$\bar{S} = (A \times B) - S = \{(a, 3), (b, 3), (c, 1), (c, 2), (c, 3)\}$$

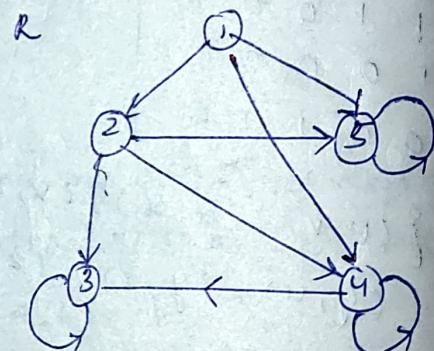
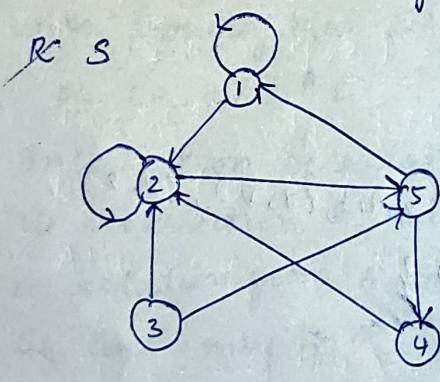
$$R \cup S = \{(a, 1), (b, 1), (c, 2), (c, 3), (a, 2), (b, 2)\}$$

$$R \cap S = \{(a, 1), (b, 1)\}$$

$$R^c = \{(1, a), (1, b), (2, c), (3, c)\}$$

$$S^c = \{(1, a), (2, a), (1, b), (2, b)\}$$

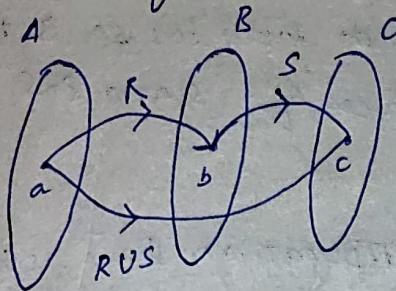
(Q) Let  $A = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5\}$  and  $R$  and  $S$  be relations on  $A$  whose corresponding digraphs are given below. Find  $\bar{R}$ ,  $R^c$ ,  $R \cup S$ ,  $R \cap S$ . Hence write the corresponding matrices.



Sol :  $R = \{(1, 2), (1, 5), (1, 4), (2, 5), (2, 3), (2, 4), (3, 3), (4, 3), (4, 4), (5, 5)\}$

$$S = \{(1, 1), (1, 2), (2, 2), (2, 5), (3, 2), (3, 5), (4, 2), (5, 4), (5, 1)\}$$

$\Rightarrow$  Composition of relations:



$R \circ S = \{(a, c) \mid a \in A, c \in C \text{ and there exists } b \in B \text{ with } (a, b) \in R, (b, c) \in S\}$

Let  $R$  be a relation from set  $A$  to  $B$  and  $S$  be the relation from  $B$  to  $C$  then the product or the composition of  $R$  and  $S$  from set  $A$  to set  $C$  is denoted by  $R \circ S$  and is defined as

$R \circ S = \{(a, c) \mid a \in A, c \in C \text{ and there exists } b \in B \text{ with } (a, b) \in R, (b, c) \in S\}$

(Q) Let  $A = \{a, b, c\}$  and  $R, S$  be relations on  $A$  whose matrices are given below. Find the composite relations  $R \circ S$ ,  $S \circ R$ ,  $R \circ R$ ,  $S \circ S$  and write their digraphs

$$M(R) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$M(S) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Sol :  $R = \{(a, a), (a, c), (b, a), (b, b), (b, c), (c, b)\}$

$$S = \{(a, a), (b, b), (b, c), (c, a), (c, c)\}$$

$$ROS = \{(a, a), (a, c), (b, a), (b, b), (b, c), (b, b), (c, b), (c, c)\}$$

$$SOR = \{(a, a), (a, c), (b, a), (b, b), (b, c), (c, a), (c, c), (c, b)\}$$

$$ROR = \{\underline{(a, a)}, (a, c), (a, b), (b, a), (b, c), (b, b), (c, a), (c, b), (c, c)\}$$

for  $ROR$ ,  
SOS  $\rightarrow$  pair with  
the same  
elements

$$SOS = \{(b, c), (b, a), (b, c), (c, a)\}$$

Theorem: Let  $R$  be a relation from a set  $A = \{a_1, a_2, \dots, a_m\}$  to a set  $B = \{b_1, b_2, \dots, b_n\}$  and  $S$  be a relation from the set  $B$  to a set  $C = \{c_1, c_2, \dots, c_p\}$ . Then the matrices of  $R$ ,  $S$  and  $R \circ S$  satisfy the identity  $M(R) \times M(S) = M(R \circ S)$ .

(Here the symbol  $\times$  denotes matrix multiplication. Since relation matrices contain 0 and 1 only; while multiplying two relations, the rule of matrix multiplication is employed with the stipulation that  $1+1=1$ )

Corollary: If  $R$  is a relation on a set  $A = \{a_1, a_2, \dots, a_m\}$  then  $M(R^2) = (M(R))^2$

Theorem:  $R \circ (S \circ T) = (R \circ S) \circ T$

(Q) For the relations  $R_1$  and  $R_2$  defined on the sets  $A = \{1, 2, 3, 4\}$ ,  $B = \{w, x, y, z\}$ ,  $C = \{5, 6, 7\}$

(i)  $R_1$  and  $R_2$   $R_1 = \{(1, w), (2, x), (3, y), (4, z)\}$

$R_2 = \{(w, 5), (x, 6), (y, 7)\}$ . Find  $M(R_1)$ ,  $M(R_2)$  and  $M(R_1 \circ R_2)$

Also verify that  $M(R_1 \circ R_2) = M(R_1) \cdot M(R_2)$

Sol:  $R_1 \circ R_2 = \{(1, 6), (2, 6)\}$

$$M(R_1) = \begin{bmatrix} w & x & y & z \\ 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 2 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 3 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 4 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$M(R_2) = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 6 & 7 \\ w & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ x & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ y & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ z & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$M(R_1 \circ R_2) = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 6 & 7 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 2 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 3 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 4 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

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To verify  $M(R_1 \circ R_2) = M(R_1) \cdot M(R_2)$

$$M(R_1) \cdot M(R_2) = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = M(R_1 \circ R_2)$$

- (Q) If  $A = \{1, 2, 3, 4\}$  and  $R, S$  are relations on  $A$  defined by  
 $R = \{(1, 2), (1, 3), (2, 4), (4, 4)\}$   
 $S = \{(1, 1), (1, 2), (1, 3), (1, 4), (2, 3), (2, 4)\}$   
Find  $R \circ S$ ,  $S \circ R$ ,  $R^2$ ,  $S^2$  write their matrices.  
( $R^2 = R \circ R$  and  $S^2 = S \circ S$ )

- (Q) Let  $A = \{a, b, c\}$  and  $R, S$  be the relations on  $A$  whose matrices are given as  $M_R = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$   $M_S = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ .

Find  $R \circ S$ ,  $S \circ R$ ,  $S \circ S$  and their matrices.

Sol:  $R = \{(a, a), (a, c), (b, a), (b, b), (b, c), (c, b)\}$   
 $S = \{(a, a), (b, b), (b, c), (c, a), (c, c)\}$

### ⇒ Properties of Relations:

1. A relation  $R$  on  $A$  is said to be reflexive if  $(a, a) \in R$  for all  $a \in A$ .
2. A relation  $R$  on  $A$  is said to be irreflexive relation if  $(a, a) \notin R$  for any  $a \in A$ .
3. A relation  $R$  on  $A$  is said to be symmetric if  $(b, a) \in R$  whenever  $(a, b) \in R$  for all  $(a, b) \in R$ .
4. Asymmetric or Not symmetric:  $R$  is not symmetric if there exists  $a, b \in A$  such that  $(a, b) \in R$  but  $(b, a) \notin R$ .
5. Antisymmetric relation: A relation  $R$  on set  $A$  is said to be antisymmetric if whenever  $(a, b) \in R$  and  $(b, a) \in R$  then  $a = b$ .

Ex: The relation ' $\leq$ ' or ' $\geq$ ' are antisymmetric because  
 $a \leq b$  and  $b \leq a \Rightarrow a = b$   
 $a \geq b$  and  $b \geq a \Rightarrow a = b$

### 6. Transitive relation:

A relation  $R$  on set  $A$  is said to be transitive relation if whenever  $(a, b) \in R$  and  $(b, c) \in R$  then  $(a, c) \in R$  for all  $a, b, c \in A$ .

NOTE: 1. Equivalence Relation  $\rightarrow$  If a relation satisfies  
 i) reflexive ii) symmetric iii) transitive.

2. Asymmetric (Not symmetric) and anti-symmetric relations are not one and the same.

3. A relation can be both symmetric and anti-symmetric

4. A relation can be neither symmetric nor anti-symmetric

5. In the digraph of an asymmetric relation for two different vertices  $A$  &  $B$  there cannot be a bidirectional edge between  $A$  &  $B$

(Q) For a fixed integer  $n \geq 1$  Prove that a relation "congruent modulo  $n$ " is an equivalence relation on the set of all integers  $\mathbb{Z}$

Sol For  $a, b \in \mathbb{Z}$  we say that " $a$  is congruent to  $b$  modulo  $n$ ", i.e.,  $a \equiv b \pmod{n}$  if  $a-b$  is a multiple of  $n$  or  $a-b=kn$  for some  $k \in \mathbb{Z}$  or  $n | a-b$  ( $n$  divides  $a-b$ )

(i) To prove congruent modulo  $n$  is reflexive

consider  $a \equiv a \pmod{n}$  then  $a-a=0$  can be multiple of  $n$  or  $a-b=0n$  or  $n | a-b$  or  $n | 0 \left[ \frac{0}{n} \right]$

$\therefore R$  is reflexive

(ii) To prove  $R$  symmetric

Consider  $aRb \Rightarrow a \equiv b \pmod{n} \Rightarrow n | a-b \Rightarrow n | b-a \Rightarrow b \equiv a \pmod{n}$

$\therefore R$  is symmetric

(3) To prove R transitive

Let  $aRb$  and  $bRc$  then  $a \equiv b \pmod{n}$  and  $b \equiv c \pmod{n}$

$$\Rightarrow n | a-b \text{ and } n | b-c$$

$$\Rightarrow n | (a-b)+(b-c)$$

$$\Rightarrow n | ac \Rightarrow a \equiv c \pmod{n}$$

$\therefore aRc \Rightarrow R$  is transitive

Hence R is an Equivalence relation

(Q) On the set of all integers  $\mathbb{Z}$  defined by the relation R by  $aRb$  if  $ab > 0$ . Show that R is an equivalence relation.

Sol] .  $\forall a \in \mathbb{Z}$ ,  $aRa$  because  $\forall a > 0$  then  $a \cdot a > 0$  and if  $a < 0$  then  $a \cdot a > 0$  . R is reflexive

.  $\forall a, b \in \mathbb{Z}$ , if  $aRb$  then  $ab > 0 \Rightarrow ba > 0 \Rightarrow bRa$ .

$\therefore R$  is symmetric

.  $\forall a, b, c \in \mathbb{Z}$  if  $aRb$ ,  $bRc$  then  $ab > 0$  and  $bc > 0$

$$\Rightarrow a, b, c > 0 \text{ or } a, b, c < 0$$

$$\Rightarrow ac > 0 \text{ or } ac > 0$$

$\Rightarrow aRc \Rightarrow R$  is transitive

Therefore R is an equivalence relation.

(Q) Let  $A = \{1, 2, 3, 4\}$  and  $R = \{(1,1), (1,2), (2,1), (2,2), (3,4), (4,3), (3,3), (4,4)\}$  be a relation on A. Verify that R is an equivalence relation.

Sol] Clearly R is reflexive because  $aRa \quad \forall a \in A$  and R is symmetric because  $(1,2), (3,4) \in R$  then  $(2,1), (4,3) \in R$

(Q) Let  $A = \{1, 2, 3\}$ . Determine the nature of the following relations on  $A$ .

(i)  $R_1 = \{(1, 2), (2, 1), (1, 3), (3, 1)\}$

Sol R is symmetric and irreflexive but neither reflexive nor transitive.

(ii)  $R_2 = \{(1, 1), (2, 2), (3, 3), (2, 3)\}$

R is reflexive and transitive but not symmetric

(iii)  $R_3 = \{(1, 1), (2, 2), (3, 3)\}$

R is reflexive and symmetric

(iv)  $R_4 = \{(1, 1), (2, 2), (3, 3), (2, 3), (3, 2)\}$

R is reflexive and symmetric

### ⇒ Partial orders

A relation  $R$  on a set  $A$  is said to be partial ordering relation or order a partial on  $A$  then

(i)  $R$  is reflexive

(ii)  $R$  is antisymmetric

(iii)  $R$  is transitive on  $A$

⇒ Posets: A set  $A$  with the partial order  $R$  defined on it is called a partially ordered set or ordered set or Poset denoted by a pair  $(A, R)$ .

Eg: " $\leq$ ", " $\geq$ ", divisibility relation on  $\mathbb{Z}^+$  are partial order relation

Property: The diagram of partially order has no cycle of length greater than 1

⇒ Hasse Diagram: Since a partially order is reflexive at every vertex in the digraph there would be a cycle of length 1.

• While drawing digraph we need to exhibit such cycles explicitly. They will be automatically understood.

• If in the digraph of a partial order there is an edge from vertex  $a$  to  $b$  and there is an edge from vertex  $b$  to  $c$  then there should be an edge from vertex  $a$  to  $c$  (because it is transitive)

As such we need not exhibit an edge from  $a$  to  $c$  implying  
be understood.

- To simplify the format of digraph of partial order we represent the vertices by dots and draw the digraph in such a way that all edges point upward. With this convention we need not put arrows in the edges.
- The digraph of a partial order drawn by adopting the conventions indicated in the above paragraph is called a poset diagram or Hasse Diagram for the partial order.

(Q) Draw the Hasse diagram of the positive divisors of 36.

Sol)  $D_{36} = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 9, 12, 18, 36\}$   
The relation  $R$  of divisibility i.e.  $a R b$  "if  $a$  divides  $b$ " ( $a/b$ )  
is a partial order on this set. The Hasse diagram for this partial order is required.

1 is related to 1, 2, 3, 4, ..., 36

2 " 2, 4, 6, 12, 18, 36

3 " 3, 6, 9, 12, 18, 36

4 " 4, 12, 18, 36

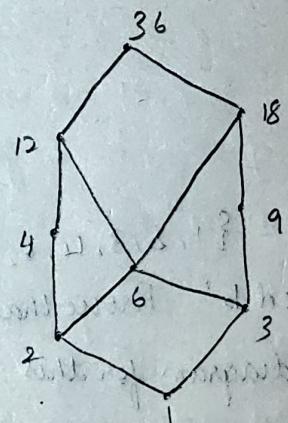
6 " 6, 12, 18, 36

9 " 9, 18, 36

12 " 12, 36

18 " 18, 36

36 " 36.



Hasse diagram of  $D_{36}$

(Q) If  $R$  is a relation on the set  $A = \{1, 2, 3, 4\}$  defined by  $x R y$  if  $x | y$   
Prove that  $(A, R)$  is a poset and draw Hasse diagram.

Sol)  $R = \{(1, 1), (1, 2), (3, 3), (1, 4), (2, 2), (2, 4), (3, 3), (4, 4)\}$

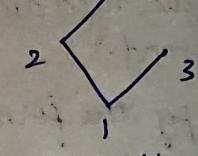
To show that  $R$  is a partial order on  $A$

(i) It is reflexive (i.e.  $x R x$  i.e.  $x|x$ )

(ii) It is anti-symmetric ( $x R y$  but  $y$  is not related to  $x \Rightarrow x \nmid y$  but  $y$  does not divide  $x$ )

(Q1) It is transitive ( $x \mid y$  and  $y \mid z \Rightarrow x \mid z$ )

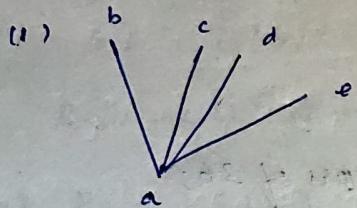
From the relation,  $(A, R)$  is a poset.



$$3 - \text{soln} \quad R = \{(1, 1), (1, 2), (1, 3)\}$$

Hasse diagram

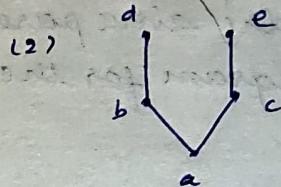
(Q2) find the matrix of the partial order relation where Hasse diagram is given



$$R = \{(a, b), (a, c), (a, d), (a, e), (a, a)\}$$

$$i.e. = \{(a, a), (a, b), (a, c), (a, d), (a, e), (b, b),$$

$$(c, c), (d, d), (e, e)\}$$



$$R = \{(a, a), (a, b), (a, c), (a, d), (a, e), (b, b), (b, d), (c, c), (c, e), (d, d), (e, e)\}$$

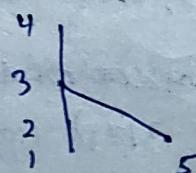
$$3 - \text{soln} \quad R = \{(1, 1), (1, 2), (1, 3), (2, 2), (2, 3), (3, 3)\}$$

(Q3) Let  $A = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 12\}$ . Define relation  $R$  by  $a R b$  iff 'a divides b'. Prove that  $R$  is partial order on  $A$ . Draw the Hasse diagram for this.

(Q4) Draw the Hasse diagram of the relation  $R$  on  $A = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5\}$

⑤ where matrix is  $M(R) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$

⑥ (a) Determine the matrix of the partial order whose Hasse diagram is given below.



(Q5) Find  $\alpha$  and

$$(i) (2x, x)$$

$$(ii) (4 - 2,$$

$$(iii) (2x -$$

$$(iv) (x + 2,$$

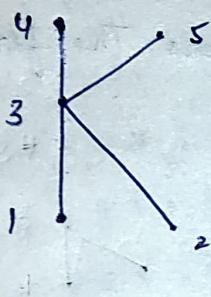
$$(v) (x, y)$$

$$(vi) (x, y)$$

$$R = \{(1,1), (2,2), (3,3), (4,4), (5,5), (1,2), (1,3), (1,4), (2,3), (2,4), (3,4), (5,3), (5,4)\}$$

$$M(R) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 & 5 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 2 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 3 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 4 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 5 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{③- Soln } R = \{(1,1), (1,3), (1,4), (1,5), (2,2), (2,3), (2,4), (2,5), (3,3), (3,4), (3,5), (4,4), (5,5)\}$$



(a) Find  $x$  and  $y$  in each of the following

$$(i) (2x, xy) = (6, 1)$$

$$(ii) (y-z, 2x+1) = (x-1, 4+2)$$

$$(iii) (2x-3, 3y+1) = (5, 7)$$

$$(iv) (x+2, 4) = (5, 2x+4)$$

$$(v) (x, y) = (x^2, y^2)$$

$$(vi) (x, y) = (y^2, x^2)$$

## MODULE 1: NUMBER THEORY

1. Establish the validity of the number pattern.

$$(i) 1 \cdot 9 + 2 = 11$$

$$12 \cdot 9 + 3 = 111$$

$$123 \cdot 9 + 4 = 1111$$

$$1234 \cdot 9 + 5 = 11111$$

$$12345 \cdot 9 + 6 = 111111$$

$$123456 \cdot 9 + 7 = 1111111$$

Sol Now let us study the pattern.

The LHS of each eqn is a sum of two numbers. The first number is a product of the no.  $123 \cdot n$  and 9.

The value of  $n$  in the first eqn is 1

"	second	2
"	third	3

Now let us look at the second addends on the LHS: 2, 3, 4, 5... It is an increasing sequence beginning with 2, so that second addends in the next eqn  $n^{\text{th}}$  eqn is  $n+1$  ones

Thus a pattern emerges and we are ready to state it explicitly: The first no in the  $n^{\text{th}}$  line is  $123 \dots n$  the second no is always 9. The second addend is  $n+1$  and the RHS is  $n+1$  ones

So the next two lines are

$$1234567 \cdot 9 + 8 = 1111111$$

$$12345678 \cdot 9 + 9 = 11111111$$

Now the validity of the no pattern we would like to prove that

$$123 \dots n \cdot 9 + (n+1) = 111 \dots 1 \quad (n+1 \text{ ones})$$

$$\text{LHS} \Rightarrow 123 \dots n \times 9 + (n+1)$$

$$= 9 [1 \times (10)^{n-1} + 2(10^{n-2}) + 3(10^{n-3}) + \dots + n(10^0)] + (n+1)$$

$$= (10-1) [1 \times (10)^{n-1} + 2(10^{n-2}) + 3(10^{n-3}) + \dots + n(10^0)] + (n+1)$$

$$= 1(10^n) + 2(10^{n-1}) + \dots + n(10^1) - [1(10)^{n-1} + 2(10^{n-2}) + \dots + n(10^0)] + (n+1)$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= 1(10^n) + 10^{n-1} + 10^{n-2} + \dots + 10 + n + 1 \\
 &= 10^n + 10^{n-1} + \dots + 10 + 1 \\
 &= \underbrace{1111\dots1}_{n+1 \text{ terms}} \\
 &= \text{RHS}
 \end{aligned}$$

(Q) Add two more rows in the following pattern conjecture a formula for the  $n^{\text{th}}$  row and prove it.

$$9 \cdot 9 + 7 = 88$$

$$98 \cdot 9 + 6 = 888$$

$$987 \cdot 9 + 5 = 8888$$

$$9876 \cdot 9 + 4 = 88888$$

$$98765 \cdot 9 + 3 = 888888$$

80) The next two lines/rows

$$987654 \cdot 9 + 2 = 888888$$

$$9876543 \cdot 9 + 1 = 8888888$$

The general pattern is like

$$987\dots(10 \cdot n) \cdot 9 + (8-n) = \underbrace{888\dots8}_{(n+1) \text{ eights}} \quad 1 \leq n \leq 8$$

$$\text{LHS: } 987\dots(10 \cdot n) \cdot 9 + (8-n)$$

$$= 9 [987\dots(10 \cdot n)] + (8-n)$$

$$= (10-1) [9(10^{n-1}) + 8(10^{n-2}) + \dots + (11-n)(10^0) + (10-n)(10^0)]$$

$$- [9(10^{n-1}) + 8(10^{n-2}) + \dots + (11-n)(10^0) + (10-n)(10^0)]$$

$$= [9(10^n) + 8(10^{n-1}) + \dots + (11-n)(10^2) + (10-n)(10^1)] -$$

$$[9(10^{n-1}) + 8(10^{n-2}) + \dots + (11-n)(10^1) + (10-n)(10^0)] + (8-n)$$

$$= 9(10^n) - [10^{n-1} + 10^{n-2} + \dots + 10] - (10-n) + (8-n)$$

$$= 9(10^n) - [10^{n-1} + 10^{n-2} + \dots + 10] - 1 - 1$$

$$= 9(10^n) - [10^{n-1} + 10^{n-2} + \dots + 10 + 1] - 1$$

$$= (10-1)10^n - [10^{n-1} + 10^{n-2} + \dots + 10 + 1] - 1$$

$$= 10 \cdot 10^n - [10^n + 10^{n-1} + 10^{n-2} + \dots + 10 + 1] - 1$$

(Since  $\sum_{i>0} r^i = \frac{r^{k+1}-1}{r-1}$  ( $r \neq 1$ ) Here  $r=10$ )

$$\text{LHS} = 10^{n+1} - \left[ \frac{10^{n+1}-1}{9} \right] - 1 = \frac{9 \cdot 10^{n+1} - 10^{n+1} + 1 - 9}{9}$$

$$= \frac{8 \cdot 10^{n+1}}{9} - 8 = \frac{8 \cdot (10^{n+1}-1)}{9}$$

But  $10^{n+1}-1 = 999\dots 9$  ( $n+1$  9's)

$$\text{LHS} = \frac{8(99\dots 9)}{9} = 8(111\dots 1)$$

$$= 888\dots 8$$
 ( $n+1$  8's)
$$\Rightarrow \text{RHS}$$

### ⇒ PRIME AND COMPOSITE NO'S:

- ⇒ 1 is neither prime nor composite.
- ⇒ A positive integer  $> 1$  is a prime if its only +ve factors are 1 and itself.
- ⇒ A positive integer  $> 1$  that is not a prime is composite.

### Theorem:

Every integer  $n \geq 2$  has a prime factor.

Proof: By induction

The given statement is true when  $n=2$ , now assume that the result is true for every +ve integer  $n \leq k$ , where  $k \geq 2$ . Consider the integer  $k+1$ .

Case 1: If  $k+1$  is a prime, then  $k+1$  is a prime factor of itself.

Case 2: If  $k+1$  is not a prime,  $k+1$  must be composite. So it must have a factor  $d \leq k$ . Then by induction hypothesis,  $d$  has a prime factor  $p$ .

Then  $\Rightarrow d|k+1$  and  $p|d$  or  
 $p|d$  and  $d|k+1$

By transitivity property for divisibility. [ $a/b, b/c \Rightarrow a/c$ ]

$p|k+1 \Rightarrow k+1$  has a prime factor  $p$ .

$\therefore$  Every integer  $\geq 2$  has a prime factor.

(Q) Determine whether 1601 is a prime no.

Sol First list all prime  $\leq \sqrt{1601}$

$$\sqrt{1601} = 40$$

2, 3, 5, 7, 11, 13, 17, 19, 23, 29, 31, 37

Since none of them is a factor of 1601. (means)

1601 is the only prime factor

$\therefore 1601$  is prime no.

NOTE :

Let  $p_1, p_2, \dots, p_k$  be the primes  $\leq \sqrt{n}$  then

$$\pi(n) = n - 1 + \pi(\sqrt{n}) - \sum_i \left\lfloor \frac{n}{p_i} \right\rfloor + \sum_{i < j} \left\lfloor \frac{n}{p_{ij}} \right\rfloor -$$

$$\sum_{i < j < k} \left[ \frac{n}{p_i p_j p_k} \right] + \dots + (-1)^k \left[ \frac{n}{p_1 p_2 \dots p_k} \right]$$

(Q) Find the no. of primes  $\leq 100$  by using the above result.

Sol Here  $n = 100$   $\pi(\sqrt{n}) = \pi(\sqrt{100}) = \pi(10) = \text{no. of primes} \leq 10 = 4$   
which are 2, 3, 5, 7. We call  $p_1 = 2, p_2 = 3, p_3 = 5, p_4 = 7$   
 $\therefore \pi(100) = 100 - 1 + 4 - \left[ \left\lfloor \frac{100}{2} \right\rfloor + \left\lfloor \frac{100}{3} \right\rfloor + \left\lfloor \frac{100}{5} \right\rfloor + \left\lfloor \frac{100}{7} \right\rfloor \right] + \left[ \left\lfloor \frac{100}{2 \cdot 3} \right\rfloor + \left\lfloor \frac{100}{2 \cdot 5} \right\rfloor + \left\lfloor \frac{100}{3 \cdot 5} \right\rfloor + \left\lfloor \frac{100}{2 \cdot 7} \right\rfloor + \left\lfloor \frac{100}{3 \cdot 7} \right\rfloor + \left\lfloor \frac{100}{5 \cdot 7} \right\rfloor \right] - \left[ \left\lfloor \frac{100}{2 \cdot 3 \cdot 5} \right\rfloor + \left\lfloor \frac{100}{2 \cdot 3 \cdot 7} \right\rfloor + \left\lfloor \frac{100}{3 \cdot 5 \cdot 7} \right\rfloor \right]$

$$= 103 - [50 + 33 + 20 + 14] + [16 + 10 + 7 + 6 + 4 + 2] - [3 + 2 + 1 + 0] + 0 \\ = 25.$$

NOTE: For every +ve integer  $n$  there are  $n$  consecutive integers that are composite no.

$$(n+1)! + 2, (n+1)! + 3, \dots, (n+1)! + (n+1)$$

(Q) Find 6 consecutive integers that are composite.

Sol  $n=6$  (For every +ve integer  $n$ , there are  $n$  consecutive integers)

$$(6+1)! = 5040$$

$\therefore 5042, 5043, 5044, 5045, 5046, 5047$  are 6 consecutive integers.

(Q) Find the no. of +ve integers less than or equal to 2076 which are divisible by neither 4 nor 5.

Sol  $A = \{x \in N \mid x \leq 2076 \text{ and divisible by } 4\}$   
 $B = \{x \in N \mid x \leq 2076 \text{ and divisible by } 5\}$

No. of +ve integers  $\leq 2076$  divisible by 4 or 5

$$= |A \cup B| = |A| + |B| - |A \cap B|$$

$$= \left\lfloor \frac{2076}{4} \right\rfloor + \left\lfloor \frac{2076}{5} \right\rfloor - \left\lfloor \frac{2076}{4 \cdot 5} \right\rfloor$$

$$= 519 + 415 - 103$$

$$= 831$$

Among 2076 +ve integers, there are  $2076 - 831 = 1245$  integers are not divisible by 4 or 5.

(Q) Find the no. of +ve integers  $\leq 3000$  which are divisible by  
3, 5 or 7

$$\text{Sol} \quad |A \cup B \cup C| = |A| + |B| + |C| - |A \cap B| - |B \cap C| - |C \cap A| + |A \cap B \cap C|$$
$$= \left\lfloor \frac{3000}{3} \right\rfloor + \left\lfloor \frac{3000}{5} \right\rfloor + \left\lfloor \frac{3000}{7} \right\rfloor - \left\lfloor \frac{3000}{3 \cdot 5} \right\rfloor - \left\lfloor \frac{3000}{3 \cdot 7} \right\rfloor + \left\lfloor \frac{3000}{5 \cdot 7} \right\rfloor$$
$$= 1629$$

(Q) Express  $10110_{\text{two}}$  in base Two Ten.

$$\text{Sol} \quad 10110_2 = (1 \times 2^4) + (0 \times 2^3) + (1 \times 2^2) + (1 \times 2^1) + (0 \times 2^0)$$
$$= 16 + 4 + 2 = 22$$

NOTE: A, B, C ---- to represent the digits ten, eleven, twelve....  
resp.

Ex. Base-16

0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 A B C D E F

(Q) Express  $(3ABC)_{16}$  in base ten

$$\text{Sol} \quad (3ABC)_{16} = 3 \times 16^3 + 10 \times 16^2 + 11 \times 16^1 + 12 \times 16^0$$
$$= 15036$$

(Q) Express 3014 in base eight

$\text{Sol}$  The largest power of 8 that is contained in 3014 is  $8^3 = 512$   
Apply division algorithm with 3014 as dividend and 512  
as divisor.

$$3014 = 5 \cdot 512 + 454$$

Now look at 454. it lies b/w 64 and 512

The largest power of 8 within 454 is  $8^2$ .

$$\therefore 454 = 7 \times 64 + 6$$

$$6 = 6 \times 8^0 + 0 \times 8^1$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 304 &= 5(572) + 7(64) + 6 \\
 &\geq 5(8^3) + 7(8^2) + 0 \times 8^1 + 6 \times 8^0 \\
 &= (5706)_8
 \end{aligned}$$

Note: Base 16 is called Hexa Decimal system

(Q) Represent 15036 in the hexa decimal system that is in base 16  
Sol By division algorithm

$$15036 = 939 \cdot 16 + \underline{12}$$

$$939 = 58 \cdot 16 + 11$$

$$58 = 3 \cdot 16 + \underline{10}$$

$$3 = 0 \cdot 16 + 3$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \therefore 3(10)(11)(12) &= 3ABC = 3 \times 16^3 + 10 \times 16^2 + 11 \times 16^1 + 12 \times 16^0 \\
 &= 12288 + 2560 + 176 + 12 \\
 &= (15036)_{10}
 \end{aligned}$$

(Q) Find the primes such that the digits in their decimal values alternate b/w 0s and 1s begining and ending with 1.

Sol Ex: 1010101

Suppose  $N$  is a prime of the desired form and it contains  $n$  ones.

$$\text{Then } N = 10^{n-2} + 10^{2n-4} + \dots + 10^2 + 1$$

Since,

$$\sum_{i=0}^{n-1} r^i = \frac{r^n - 1}{r - 1}, r \neq 1$$

$$\text{Here } r = 10^2$$

$$\text{then } N = \frac{10^{2n} - 1}{10^2 - 1} = \frac{(10^n - 1)(10^n + 1)}{99}$$

$$\text{Ex } n = 4$$

$$N = 1010101$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= 1 \times 10^6 + 0 \times 10^5 + 1 \times 10^4 + 0 \times 10^3 + 1 \times 10^2 + 0 \times 10^1 + 1 \times 10^0 \\
 &= 10^6 + 0 + 10^4 + 0 + 10^2 + 1
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{If } n = 2 \text{ then } N = \frac{(10^2 - 1)(10^2 + 1)}{99}$$

$$= \frac{99(101)}{99} = 101 \text{ is a prime no.}$$

$n > 2$ , then  $10^{n-1} \equiv 9 \pmod{9}$  and  $10^{n+1} \equiv 9 \pmod{9}$ , then  $N$  has non-trivial factors, so  $N$  is composite. Thus  $n = 1$  is the only prime with the desired properties.