

Homework 10: 9.3: 4a, 6, 8, 9.4: 4, 16, 18, 9.5: 2, 16, 42, 44

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### 9.3:

4a. List the ordered pairs in the relation on  $\{1, 2, 3, 4\}$  corresponding to the matrix.

$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$

$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$

$\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$

$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$

$\{(1, 1), (1, 2), (1, 4), (2, 1), (2, 3), (3, 2), (3, 3), (3, 4), (4, 1), (4, 3), (4, 4)\}$

6. How can the matrix representing a relation  $R$  on a set  $A$  be used to determine whether the relation is asymmetric?

- Center diagonal is all 0's
- Every value must be different from its transposed position.

8. Determine whether the relations represented by the matrices in exercise 4 are reflexive, irreflexive, symmetric, antisymmetric, and/or transitive.

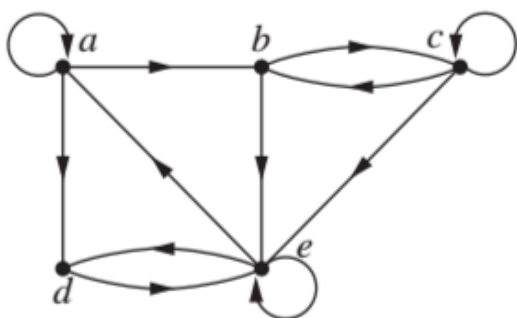
- 4a: symmetric, transitive
- 4b: reflexive, antisymmetric
- 4c: irreflexive, symmetric, transitive

### 9.4:

4. How can the directed graph representing the reflexive closure of a relation on a finite set be constructed from the directed graph of the relation?

The reflexive closure of a relation is just the relation unioned with any reflexive pairs not already in the relation. The directed graph would just have the self-loops added to the relation's original directed graph.

16. Determine if these sequences are paths in the directed graph.



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|------------------------------|-------|
| a) a, b, c, e                | TRUE  |
| b) b, e, c, b, e             | FALSE |
| c) a, a, b, e, d, e          | TRUE  |
| d) b, c, e, d, a, a, b       | FALSE |
| e) b, c, e, b, e, d, e, d    | FALSE |
| f) a, a, b, b, c, c, b, e, d | FALSE |

18. Determine whether there is a path that starts at the first vertex, and ends at the second vertex.

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|---------|---------------|---------|------------------|
| a) a, b | True: a, b    | f) c, d | True: c, e, d    |
| b) b, a | True: b, e, a | g) d, d | True: d, e, d    |
| c) b, b | True: b, c, b | h) e, a | True: e, a       |
| d) a, e | True: a, b, e | i) e, c | True: e, a, b, c |
| e) b, d | True: b, e, d |         |                  |

### 9.5:

**2. Which of these relations on the set of all people are equivalence relations? What properties do the others lack?**

- a)  $\{(a, b) \mid a \text{ and } b \text{ are the same age.}\}$   
True
- b)  $\{(a, b) \mid a \text{ and } b \text{ have the same parents.}\}$   
True
- c)  $\{(a, b) \mid a \text{ and } b \text{ share a common parent.}\}$   
False—not transitive
- d)  $\{(a, b) \mid a \text{ and } b \text{ have met.}\}$   
False—not transitive
- e)  $\{(a, b) \mid a \text{ and } b \text{ speak a common language.}\}$   
False—not transitive

**16. Let  $R$  be the relation on the set of ordered pairs of positive integers such that  $((a, b), (c, d)) \in R$  if and only if  $ad = bc$ . Show that  $R$  is an equivalence relation.**

- $R$  is reflexive:  
 $((a, b), (a, b)) \in R \rightarrow ab = ab$
- $R$  is symmetric:  
 $((a, b), (c, d)) \in R \rightarrow ad = bc$   
 $cb = da \rightarrow ((c, d), (a, b)) \in R$
- $R$  is transitive:  
 $((a, b), (c, d)) \in R \ \& \ ((c, d), (e, f)) \in R \rightarrow ad = bc \ \& \ cf = de$   
 $af = \frac{adcf}{dc} = \frac{bcde}{dc} = be \rightarrow ((a, b), (e, f)) \in R$

**42. Which of these collections of subsets are partitions of  $\{-3, -2, -1, 0, 1, 2, 3\}$ ?**

- a)  $\{-3, -1, 1, 3\}, \{-2, 0, 2\}$  True
- b)  $\{-3, -2, -1, 0\}, \{0, 1, 2, 3\}$  False
- c)  $\{-3, 3\}, \{-2, 2\}, \{-1, 1\}, \{0\}$  True
- d)  $\{-3, -2, 2, 3\}, \{-1, 1\}$  False

**44. Which of these collections of subsets are partitions of the set of integers?**

- a) Set of even integers & the set of odd integers  
True
- b) Set of positive integers & the set of even integers  
False (no 0)
- c) Set of integers divisible by 3, the set of integers with a remainder of 1 after being divided by 3, and the set of integers with a remainder of 2 after being divided by 3.  
True
- d) Set of integers less than -100, set of integers with an absolute value not exceeding 100, and integers greater than 100.  
True
- e) Set of integers not divisible by 3, the set of even integers, and the set of integers leaving a remainder of 3 when divided by 6.  
False (2 is in the first 2 sets)