

Set a collection of distinct objects without order.

no one many
unique no duplicate
anything

$$F = \{ \text{Mary, Susan, Dana, Jane} \} \quad M = \{ \text{Bob, Joe, Max, Dana} \}$$



Set Equality Inclusion

$$A = A \\ F \neq M$$

$$\text{Jane} \in F \\ \text{Max} \notin F$$

Subsets

$$\{ \text{Jane, Mary} \} \subset F$$

↑
all elements

" \subset " is "proper subset"
if $A \subset B \rightarrow A \neq B$
" \subseteq " means subset

$$A \subseteq B \Leftrightarrow A \subset B \text{ or } A = B$$

$$\{ \text{Jane} \} \in F \quad \{ \text{Jane} \} \subset F$$

$$\text{Jane} \subset F$$

^ set of what?

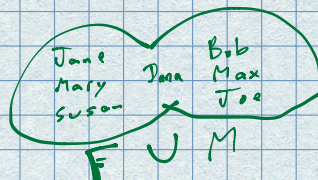
Union

$$\{ \text{Jane} \} \cup \{ \text{Mary, Susan, Dana} \} = F$$

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$$\mathbb{N} := \{ 1, 2, 3, \dots \} \quad \mathbb{N}_0 := \mathbb{N} \cup \{ 0 \}$$

natural #'s



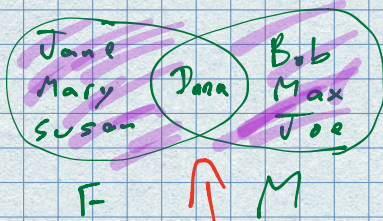
$$\mathbb{Z} = \{ -2, -1, 0, 1, 2, \dots \}$$

integers

$$\mathbb{Q} = \{ p/q : p \in \mathbb{Z}, q \in \mathbb{N} \}$$

Intersection
common elements

$$F \cap M = \{Dana\} \text{ "And"}$$



$$F \cap \{Bob, Joe\} = \emptyset$$

empty set
null set
 $\emptyset := \{\}$

$$A \cap B = \emptyset$$

disjoint

if A is even B is odd
or both null.

$\emptyset \subset F$ vacuously true "all aliens love green pizza" TRUE B/C Aliens don't exist

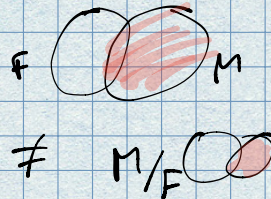
$\emptyset \in F$ False

Traction

$F \setminus M$ is F less all M elements

$$\Leftrightarrow A \cap B = \emptyset$$

disjoint



Powerset: is a set function

$$P(A) := 2^A := \{B : B \subseteq A\}$$

$$1 \notin A$$

$$\{1\} \subset A$$

$$A = \{1, 2, 3\}$$

$$2^A = \{\emptyset, \{1\}, \{2\}, \{3\}, \{1, 2\}, \{1, 3\}, \{2, 3\}, A\}$$

Set Size or cardinality

$$|A| = 3 \text{ count \# of elements \& give \#}$$

$$|F \cup M| = 7 \neq |F| + |M| = 8$$

$$= |F| + |M| - |F \cap M|$$

$$|2^A| = 8$$

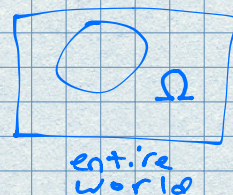
$$|2^F| =$$

$$\text{Prove } |2^A| = 2^{|A|}$$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} 2 & 2 & 2 \\ N/Y & N/Y & N/Y \\ 1 & 2 & 3 \end{array}$$

Special Set
called the "universe"
"sample space" or "source of discourse"

Ω (capture Omega)



$$\begin{aligned}\Omega &:= F \cup M \\ F &\subseteq \Omega \\ M &\subseteq \Omega \\ \text{Joe} &\in \Omega\end{aligned}$$

Draw a name at random what's the probability of it being female?

$$\frac{4}{7} \begin{array}{l} \leftarrow \text{female elements} \\ \leftarrow \text{all elements} \end{array}$$

$$\frac{|F|}{|\Omega|}$$

Elements of Ω are called ω (lowercase) $\omega \in \Omega$

Coin Flip

$$\Omega = \{H, T\}$$

$$P(\{H\}) = \frac{|\{H\}|}{|\Omega|}$$