

- I(i) Assume  $P$ , then  $P$  holds, so  $P$  implies  $P$ .
- (ii) Assume  $P$  and  $Q$ . Then  $P$  holds, so  $P$  or  $Q$  holds, so ' $(P \text{ and } Q)$  implies  $(P \text{ or } Q)$ '
- (iii) Assume 'for every  $x \in A$ , we have  $P(x)$ ', then  
 'not (there exists  $x \in A$ , such that not  $P(x)$ )'  
 Then, assume 'there exists  $x \in A$ , such that not  $P(x)$ '.  
 Let  $a \in A$ , such that not  $P(a)$  holds.  
 Contradiction with initial assumption.  
 Reject 2nd assumption and conclude 'not (there exists  $x \in A$ , such that not  $P(x)$ )'.

(iv) Assume ' $P$  implies  $Q$ '

By cases...

1) Assume  $P$ , then  $Q$  holds by assumption.

then '(not  $P$ ) or  $Q$ ' holds

2) Assume not  $P$ , then '(not  $P$ ) or  $Q$ ' holds

Both cases lead to '(not  $P$ ) or  $Q$ ', so ' $(P \text{ implies } Q)$  implies

'(not  $P$ ) or  $Q$ '

2) 1.  $\{\{x\}\} \subseteq \{\{x\}\}$

'for all  $a \in \{\{x\}\}$ ,  $a \in \{\{x\}\}$ ' holds, so true.

2.  $\{\{x\}\} \in \{\{x\}\}$

false, as  $\{\{x\}\}$  is not an element in  $\{\{x\}\}$

3.  $\{\{x\}\} \in \{\{x\}, \{\{x\}\}\}$

true, as  $\{\{x\}\}$  is an element of  $\{\{x\}, \{\{x\}\}\}$ .

4.  $\{\{x\}\} \subseteq \{\{x\}, \{\{x\}\}\}$

true, as for  $a \in \{\{x\}\}$ ,  $a \in \{\{x\}, \{\{x\}\}\}$

5.  $\emptyset \in \emptyset$

false, as an empty set contains no elements.

6.  $\emptyset \subseteq \emptyset$

true, as there are no elements in  $\emptyset$

7.  $\emptyset \subseteq \{\emptyset\}$

true, as there are no elements in  $\emptyset$

3)  $A \cap B = \{\{\{a\}\}\}$

$A \cup B = \{\{\{a\}\}, \{\{b\}\}, a, b\}$

$P B = \{\{\{a\}\}, \{\{b\}\}, \{\{\{a\}\}\}, \emptyset, \{\{a, b\}\}, \{\{a\}, \{a\}\}, \{\{b\}, \{a\}\}, \{\{a, b\}, \{a\}\}\}$

$A \cap P B = \{\{\{a\}\}, \{\{b\}\}\}$

$A \times B = \{\langle \{\{a\}\}, a \rangle, \langle \{\{a\}\}, b \rangle, \langle \{\{a\}\}, \{a\} \rangle, \langle \{\{b\}\}, a \rangle, \langle \{\{b\}\}, b \rangle, \langle \{\{b\}\}, \{a\} \rangle\}$

$(A \times B) \cap (B \times A) = \{\langle \{\{a\}\}, \{a\} \rangle\}$

$A \Delta B = \{a, b, \{\{b\}\}\}$

$$4)(i) A \cup (B \cap C) = (A \cap B) \cup C$$

False.  $A = \{0, 1\}$   $B = \{1, 2\}$   $C = \{2, 3\}$

$$(ii) A \cap (B \cup C) = (A \cap B) \cup (A \cap C)$$

$\Leftarrow$  take  $x \in A \cap (B \cup C)$ , then  $x \in A$  and  $x \in B \cup C$ .  
then  $x \in B$  or  $x \in C$ .

By cases.

1.  $x \in B$ , so  $x \in A \cap B$

2.  $x \in C$ , so  $x \in A \cap C$

so,  $x \in (A \cap B) \cup (A \cap C)$

$$2) \text{ take } x \in (A \cap B) \cup (A \cap C)$$

then  $x \in A \cap B$  or  $x \in A \cap C$

by cases.

1.  $x \in A \cap B$ , then ' $x \in A$  and  $x \in B$ '  
so ' $x \in B$  or  $x \in C$  and  $x \in A$ '

2.  $x \in A \cap C$ , then ' $x \in A$  and  $x \in C$ '  
so ' $x \in B$  or  $x \in C$  and  $x \in A$ '

so, we conclude  $x \in A \cap (B \cup C)$ .

$$(iii) A \cup (B \cap C) = (A \cap B) \cup (A \cap C)$$

False.  $A = \{0\}$   $B = \{1\}$   $C = \{2\}$

$$(iv) A \setminus (B \cup C) = (A \setminus B) \cap (A \setminus C)$$

$\Leftarrow$  take  $x \in A \setminus (B \cup C)$ , then  $x \in A$  and

$x \notin B \cup C$

then  $x \in A$  and  $x \notin B$  and  $x \notin C$ .

then  $x \in A$  and  $x \notin B$ , so  $x \in A \setminus B$ .

then  $x \in A$  and  $x \notin C$ , so  $x \in A \setminus C$ .

so  $x \in A \setminus B$  and  $x \in A \setminus C$ .

$\Rightarrow$  take  $x \in (A \setminus B) \cap (A \setminus C)$ , then

$x \in A \setminus B$  and  $x \in A \setminus C$

then  $x \in A$  and  $x \notin B$  and  $x \in A$  and  $x \notin C$

so  $x \in A$  and  $x \notin B$  and  $x \notin C$

so  $x \in A$  and  $x \notin B \cup C$

so  $x \in A \setminus (B \cup C)$ .

$$(v) A \setminus (B \cup C) = (A \setminus B) \cup (A \setminus C)$$

False.  $A = \{0, 1\}$ ,  $B = \{1, 2\}$ ,  $C = \{2, 3\}$

$$(vi) A \cap (B \setminus C) = (A \cap B) \setminus (A \cap C)$$

$\subseteq$ ) take  $x \in A \cap (B \setminus C)$ , then  $x \in A$  and  $x \in B \setminus C$ .  
 then  $x \in A$  and  $x \in B$  and  $x \notin C$   
 so,  $x \in A \cap B$   
 if  $x \notin C$ , then  $x \notin C$  or  $x \notin A$   
 so  $x \notin A \cap C$ .

$$\text{so } x \in (A \cap B) \setminus (A \cap C)$$

$\supseteq$ ) take  $x \in (A \cap B) \setminus (A \cap C)$ , then  $x \in A \cap B$  and  $x \notin A \cap C$ :  
 then ' $x \in A$  and  $x \in B$  and  $(x \notin A \text{ or } x \notin C)$ '.

by cases ...

$$1. x \notin A \Rightarrow x \in B$$

$$2. x \notin C, \text{ so } x \in A \text{ and } x \in B \text{ and } x \notin C.$$

$$\text{so, } x \in A \cap (B \setminus C)$$

$$(vii) A \Delta (B \cap C) = (A \Delta B) \cap (A \Delta C)$$

False.  $A = \{0, 1\}$   $B = \{1, 2\}$   $C = \{2, 3\}$

$$(viii) A \cap (B \Delta C) = (A \cap B) \Delta (A \cap C)$$

$\subseteq$ ) take  $x \in A \cap (B \Delta C)$ , then  $x \in A$  and  $x \in B \Delta C$   
 then  $x \in A$  and  $x \in (B \setminus C) \cup (C \setminus B)$   
 then  $x \in A$  and  $x \in B \setminus C$  or  $x \in C \setminus B$   
 by cases...

$$1. x \in B \setminus C \text{ then } x \in B \text{ and } x \notin C$$

$$\text{so } x \in A \cap B \text{ and } x \notin A \cap C$$

$$\text{so } x \in (A \cap B) \setminus (A \cap C)$$

$$2. x \in C \setminus B \text{ then } x \in C \text{ and } x \notin B$$

$$\text{then } x \in A \cap C \text{ and } x \notin A \cap B$$

$$\text{so } x \in (A \cap C) \setminus (A \cap B)$$

$$\text{since } x \in (A \cap B) \setminus (A \cap C) \cup (A \cap C) \setminus (A \cap B)$$

$$\text{then } x \in (A \cap B) \Delta (A \cap C)$$

2) take  $x \in (A \cap B) \Delta (A \cap C)$

then  $x \in (A \cap B) \setminus (A \cap C) \cup (A \cap C) \setminus (A \cap B)$

then  $x \in A \cap B$  and  $x \notin A \cap C$  or  $x \in A \cap C$  and  $x \notin A \cap B$   
by cases,

1.  $x \in A \cap B$  and  $x \notin A \cap C$ , then  $x \in A$  and  $x \in B$  and  
 $x \notin A$  or  $x \notin C$ .

If  $x \in A$ , ↴

If  $x \notin C$ ,  $x \in A$  and  $x \in B$  and  $x \notin C$

so  $x \in A$  and  $x \in B \setminus C$

2.  $x \in A \cap C$  and  $x \notin A \cap B$ , then  $x \in A$  and  $x \in C$   
and  $x \notin A$  or  $x \notin B$ .

If  $x \in A$ , ↴

If  $x \notin B$ ,  $x \in A$  and  $x \notin B$  and  $x \in C$

so,  $x \in A$  and  $x \in C \setminus B$

so  $x \in A$  and  $x \in C \setminus B$  or  $x \in B \setminus C$

so  $x \in A$  and  $x \in B \Delta C$

so  $x \in A \cap (B \Delta C)$