



RELATIONS

(1) Types of Relations

1. Empty Relation

A relation in which no element of A is related to any other element of A, i.e.,
 $R = \emptyset \subset A \times A$.

2. Universal Relation

A relation in which each element of A is related to every element of A, i.e.,
 $R = A \times A$.

3. Identity Relation

A relation in which each element is related to itself only. $I = \{(a, a) : a \in A\}$

4. Reflexive Relation:

$(a, a) \in R$, for every $a \in A$.

5. Symmetric Relation:

$(a_1, a_2) \in R$ implies that $(a_2, a_1) \in R$, for all $a_1, a_2 \in A$.

6. Transitive Relation:

$(a_1, a_2) \in R \& (a_2, a_3) \in R$ implies that $(a_1, a_3) \in R$, for all $a_1, a_2, a_3 \in A$.

7. Equivalence Relation :

A relation R in a set A is said to be an equivalence relation if R is reflexive, symmetric & transitive.

8. Inverse Relation

Inverse relation of R from A to B, denoted by R^{-1} , is a relation from B to A is defined by
 $R^{-1} = \{(b, a) : (a, b) \in R\}$.

9. Asymmetric Relation

$(x, y) \in R \Rightarrow (y, x) \notin R$

10. Antisymmetric:

- For all $x, y \in X[(x, y) \in R \& (y, x) \in R] \Rightarrow x = y$
- For all $x, y \in X[(x, y) \in R \& x \neq y] \Rightarrow (y, x) \notin R$

11. Irreflexive

R is irreflexive iff
 $\forall a \in A, ((a, a) \notin R)$

12. Partial order relation

R is a partial order, if R is Reflexive, Antisymmetric and Transitive.

2. EXAMPLE:

$A = \{1, 2, 3, 4\}$. Identify the properties of relations.

$$R_1 = \{(1,1), (2,2), (3,3), (2,1), (4,3), (4,1), (3,2)\}$$

$$R_2 = A \times A, R_3 = \emptyset, R_4 = \{(1,1), (2,2), (3,3), (4,4)\}$$

$$R_5 = \{(1,1), (2,2), (3,3), (4,4), (1,2), (2,1), (4,3), (3,4)\}$$

Relation	Reflexive	Symmetric	Asymmetric	Antisymmetric	Irreflexive	Transitive
R_1	✗	✗	✗	✓	✗	✗
R_2	✓	✓	✗	✗	✗	✓
R_3	✗	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
R_4	✓	✓	✗	✓	✗	✓
R_5	✓	✓	✗	✗	✗	✓

NOTE

If $A = \{1, 2\}$, a relation $R = \{(1, 2)\}$ on A is a transitive relation.
using the similar argument a relation $R = \{(x, y) : x \text{ is wife of } y\}$ is transitive, where as $R = \{(x, y) : x \text{ is father of } y\}$ is not transitive.

3. PROPERTIES

1.

R is not reflexive does not imply R is irreflexive.
Counter example:
 $A = \{1, 2, 3\}, R = \{(1, 1)\}$

2. R is asymmetric implies that R is irreflexive. By definition, for all $a, b \in A, (a, b) \in R$ and $(b, a) \notin R$. This implies that for all $(a, b) \in R, a \neq b$. Thus, for all $a \in A, (a, a) \notin R$. Therefore, R is irreflexive.

3. R is not symmetric does not imply R is antisymmetric. Counter example:
 $A = \{1, 2, 3\}, R = \{(1, 2), (2, 3), (3, 2)\}$

4. R is not symmetric does not imply R is asymmetric. Counter example:
 $A = \{1, 2, 3\}, R = \{(1, 2), (2, 3)\}$

5. R is not antisymmetric does not imply R is symmetric. Counter example:
 $A = \{1, 2, 3\}, R = \{(1, 2), (2, 3), (3, 2)\}$

6. R is reflexive implies that R is not asymmetric. By definition, for all $a \in A, (a, a) \in R$. This implies that, both (a, b) and (b, a) are in R when $a = b$. Thus, R is not asymmetric.

(4) COUNTING OF RELATION

Number of relations from set A to B = 2^{mn} , where
 $|A| = m, |B| = n$

Number of Identity relation on a set with 'n' elements = 1

Number of reflexive relation set on a set with 'n' elements = $2^{n(n-1)}$

Number of Symmetric relation set on a set with 'n' elements = $2^{n(n+1)/2}$

The number of antisymmetric binary relations possible on A is $2^n \cdot 3^{(n^2-n)/2}$

The number of binary relation on A which are both symmetric and antisymmetric is 2^n .

The number of binary relation on A which are both symmetric and asymmetric is 1.

The number of binary relation which are both reflexive and antisymmetric on the set A is $3^{(n^2-n)/2}$

The number of asymmetric binary relation possible on the set A is $3^{(n^2-n)/2}$

There are at least 2^n transitive relations (lower bound) and at most $2^{n^2} - 2^{n-2} + 1$ (upper bound)



5. OPERATION ON RELATIONS:

$$1. R_1 - R_2 = \{(a, b) | (a, b) \in R_1 \text{ and } (a, b) \notin R_2\}$$

$$2. R_2 - R_1 = \{(a, b) | (a, b) \in R_2 \text{ and } (a, b) \notin R_1\}$$

$$3. R_1 \cup R_2 = \{(a, b) | (a, b) \in R_1 \text{ or } (a, b) \in R_2\}$$

$$4. R_1 \cap R_2 = \{(a, b) | (a, b) \in R_1 \text{ and } (a, b) \in R_2\}$$

PROPERTIES

1) If R_1 and R_2 are reflexive, and symmetric, then $R_1 \cup R_2$ is reflexive, and symmetric.

2) If R_1 is transitive and R_2 is transitive, then $R_1 \cup R_2$ need not be transitive.

counter example: Let $A = \{1, 2\}$ such that $R_1 = \{(1, 2)\}$ and

$R_2 = \{(2, 1)\}$. $R_1 \cup R_2 = \{(1, 2), (2, 1)\}$ and $(1, 1) \notin R_1 \cup R_2$ implies that

$R_1 \cup R_2$ is not transitive.

3) If R_1 and R_2 are equivalence relations, then $R_1 \cap R_2$ is an equivalence relation.

4) If R_1 and R_2 are equivalence relations on A ,

- $R_1 - R_2$ is not an equivalence relation (reflexivity fails).
- $R_1 - R_2$ is not a partial order (since $R_1 - R_2$ is not reflexive).
- $R_1 \oplus R_2 = R_1 \cup R_2 - (R_1 \cap R_2)$ is neither equivalence relation nor partial order (reflexivity fails)

5) The union of two equivalence relation on a set is not necessarily an equivalence reation on the set.

6) The inverse of a equivalence relation R is an equivalence relation.

6. COMPOSITON OF RELATIONS

Let $R_1 \subseteq A \times B$ and $R_2 \subseteq B \times C$, Composition of R_2 on

R_1 , denoted as $R_1 \circ R_2$ or simply $R_1 R_2$ is

$R_1 \circ R_2 = \{(a, c) | a \in A, c \in C \wedge \exists b \in B \text{ such that}$

$$((a, b) \in R_1, (b, c) \in R_2)\}$$

NOTE

$$R_1 (R_2 \cap R_3) \subset R_1 R_2 \cap R_1 R_3$$

$$R_1 (R_2 \cup R_3) = R_1 R_2 \cup R_1 R_3$$

$$R_1 \subseteq A \times B, R_2 \subseteq B \times C, R_3 \subseteq C \times D. (R_1 R_2) R_3 = R_1 (R_2 R_3)$$

$$(R_1 \circ R_2)^{-1} = R_2^{-1} \circ R_1^{-1}$$

7. EQUIVALENCE CLASS

Equivalence class of $a \in A$ is defined as $[a] = \{x | (x, a) \in R\}$, that is all the elements related to a under the relation R .

Example

E=Even integers, O=odd integers.

- (i) All elements of E are related to each other and all elements of O are related to each other.
- (ii) No element of E is related to any element of O and vice-versa.
- (iii) E and O are disjoint and $Z = E \cup O$

The subset E is called the equivalence class containing zero and is denoted by $[0]$.

Properties: consider an equivalence relation R defiend on a set A.

$$1. \bigcup_{\forall a \in A} [a] = A$$

2. For every $a, b \in A$ such that $a \in [b], a \neq b$ it follows that $[a] = [b]$

$$3. \sum_{\forall x \in A} |[x]| = |R|$$

4. For any two equivalence class $[a]$ and $[b]$, either $[a] = [b]$ or $[a] \cap [b] = \emptyset$

5. For all $a, b \in A$, if $a \in [b]$ then $b \in [a]$

6. For all $a, b, c \in A$, if $a \in [b]$ and $b \in [c]$, then $a \in [c]$

7. For all $a \in A$, $[a] \neq \emptyset$

Congruence modulo n given by $a \equiv b \pmod{n}$ if and only if n divides $(a - b)$.

8. BINARY OPERATIONS

Let S be a non-empty set. A function $f : S \times S \rightarrow S$ is called a binary opertion on set S.

Note

Number of binary operations on a set containing n elements is n^{n^2}

**"IN MATHEMATICS
THE ART OF PROPOSING A QUESTION
MUST BE HELD OF HIGHER VALUE THAN SOLVING IT."**

- Georg Cantor

FUNCTION

1 Classification of function

01. Constant function

$$f(x) = k, k \text{ is a constant.}$$

02. Identity function

The function $y = f(x) = x, \forall x \in R$
Here domain & Range both R

03. Polynomial function

$y = f(x) = a_0 x^n + a_1 x^{n-1} + \dots + a_n$ n is non negative integer, a_i are real constants. Given $a_0 \neq 0$, n is the degree of polynomial function

There are two polynomial functions, $f(x) = 1 + x^n$ & $f(x) = 1 - x^n$ satisfying the relation: $f(x) \cdot f\left(\frac{1}{x}\right) = f(x) + f\left(\frac{1}{x}\right)$ where 'n' is a positive integer.

4. Rational functions

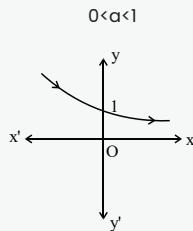
It is defined as the ratio of two polynomials.

$$f(x) = \frac{P(x)}{Q(x)} \text{ provided } Q(x) \neq 0$$

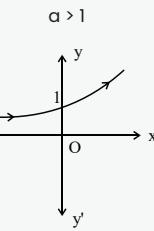
Dom $\{f(x)\}$ is all real numbers except when denominator is zero [i.e., $Q(x) \neq 0$]

2 Exponential function

$$f(x) = a^x, a > 0, a \neq 1.$$

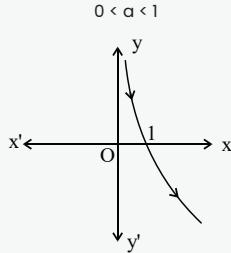


Domain = R , Range = $(0, \infty)$

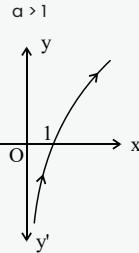


3 Logarithmic function

$$f(x) = \log_a x [a > 0, a \neq 1]$$



Domain = $(0, \infty)$, Range = R



Properties of Log. Functions

1. $\log_a(xy) = \log_a|x| + \log_a|y|$, where $a > 0, a \neq 1$ and $xy > 0$

2. $\log_a x = \frac{1}{\log_x a}$ for $a > 0, a \neq 1$ and $x > 0, x \neq 1$

3. $\log_a\left(\frac{x}{y}\right) = \log_a|x| - \log_a|y|$, where $a > 0, a \neq 1$ and $\frac{x}{y} > 0$

4. $\log_a(x^n) = n \log_a|x|$, where $a > 0, a \neq 1$ and $x^n > 0$

5. $\log_a x^m = \frac{m}{n} \log_{|a|}|x|$, where $a > 0, a \neq 1$ and $x > 0$

6. $x^{\log_a y} = y^{\log_a x}$ where $x > 0, y > 0, a > 0, a \neq 1$

If $a > 1$, then the values of $f(x) = \log_a x$ increase with the increase in x.
i.e. $x < y \Leftrightarrow \log_a x < \log_a y$

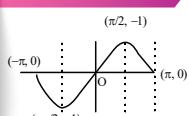
If $0 < a < 1$, then the values of $f(x) = \log_a x$ decrease with the increase in x.
i.e. $x < y \Leftrightarrow \log_a x > \log_a y$

7. $\log_a x = \begin{cases} < 0 & \text{for } 0 < x < 1 \\ = 0 & \text{for } x = 1 \\ > 0 & \text{for } x > 1. \end{cases}$
Also, $\log_a x = \begin{cases} > 0 & \text{for } 0 < x < 1 \\ = 0 & \text{for } x = 1 \\ < 0 & \text{for } x > 1. \end{cases}$

8. $\log_a x = \begin{cases} > 0 & \text{for } 0 < x < 1 \\ = 0 & \text{for } x = 1 \\ < 0 & \text{for } x > 1. \end{cases}$

4 Trigonometric Functions

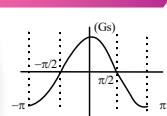
Sine function



$$f(x) = \sin x.$$

Dom $(f) = R$
Ran $(f) = [-1, 1]$

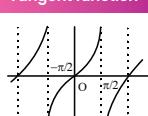
Cosine function



$$f(x) = \cos x$$

Dom $(f) = R$
Ran $(f) = [-1, 1]$

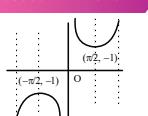
Tangent function



$$f(x) = \tan x$$

Dom $(f) = R - \left\{ \frac{(2n+1)\pi}{2}, n \in Z \right\}$
Ran $(f) = R$

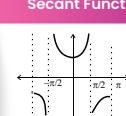
Cosecant Function



$$f(x) = \csc x$$

Dom $(f) = R - \{n\pi | n \in Z\}$
Ran $(f) = R - \{-1, 1\}$

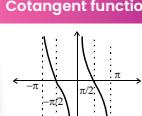
Secant Function



$$f(x) = \sec x$$

Dom $(f) = R - \{(2n+1)\frac{\pi}{2} | n \in Z\}$
Ran $(f) = R - \{-1, 1\}$

Cotangent function

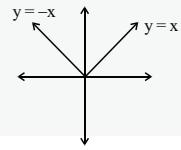


$$f(x) = \cot x$$

Dom $(f) = R - \{n\pi | n \in Z\}$
Ran $(f) = R$

5 Absolute Value Function

$$y = f(x) = |x| = \begin{cases} x, & x \geq 0 \\ -x, & x < 0 \end{cases}$$



1. $|x|^2 = x^2$

2. $\sqrt{x^2} = |x|$

3. $|x| = \max\{-x, x\}$

4. $-|x| = \min\{-x, x\}$

5. $\max(a, b) = \frac{a+b}{2} + \left| \frac{a-b}{2} \right|$

6. $\min(a, b) = \frac{a+b}{2} - \left| \frac{a-b}{2} \right|$

7. $|x+y| \leq |x| + |y|$

8. $|x+y| = |x| + |y| \text{ if } xy > 0$

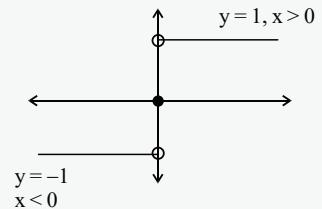
9. $|x-y| = |x| + |y| \text{ if } xy \leq 0$

10. $|x| \geq a \text{ (is - ve) } x \in \mathbb{R}$

11. $a \leq |x| \leq b \Rightarrow b \leq x \leq -a \text{ or } a \leq x \leq b. x \in [-b, -a] \cup [a, b].$

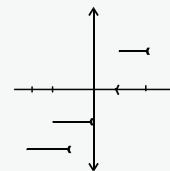
6 Signum Function

$$y = \text{sgn}(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{|x|}{x} & \text{if } x \neq 0 \\ 0 & \text{if } x = 0 \end{cases}$$



7 Greatest Integer Function

$f(x) = [x]$ the integral part of x , which is nearest & smaller integer



1. $[x] \leq x < [x] + 1$

2. $x - 1 < [x] < x$

3. $I \leq x < I + 1 \Rightarrow [x] = I$

4. $[x] - [-x] = \begin{cases} 2x & , x \in I \\ 2x + 1 & , x \notin I \end{cases}$

5. $[x] + [-x] = \begin{cases} 0, & x \in I \\ -1, & x \in I, 2x, & x \in I \\ 2x + 1, & , x \notin I \end{cases}$

6. $[x] \leq n \Leftrightarrow x < n + 1, n \in I$

7. $[x] < n \Leftrightarrow x < n$

8. $[x] = \left[\frac{x}{2} \right] + \left[\frac{x+1}{2} \right]$

9. $\left[\frac{n+1}{2} \right] + \left[\frac{n+2}{4} \right] + \left[\frac{n+4}{8} \right] + \dots = n$

10. $[x] + [y] \leq [x+y] \leq [x] + [y] + 1$

11. $[x] + \left[x + \frac{1}{n} \right] + \left[x + \frac{2}{n} \right] + \dots + \left[x + \frac{n-1}{n} \right] = [nx]$

8 Fractional Part Function

: $y = \{x\}$ fractional part of x .
 $y = \{x\} = x - [x]$

1. $\{x\} = x, 0 \leq x < 1.$

2. $\{x\} = 0, x \in I$

3. $\{-x\} = 1 - \{x\}, x \notin I$

4. $\{x \pm \text{integer}\} = \{x\}$

9 Odd and Even Function

1. If $f(-x) = -f(x) \forall x \in \mathbb{R}$ then f is an odd function, odd functions are symmetrical about the origin.

2. If $f(-x) = f(x)$, then f is even. It is symmetric about the y-axis.

Properties

1. Product of two odd or two even function is an even function.
 3. Every function can be expressed as the sum of an even and odd function, i.e,
 $f(x) = \frac{f(x)+f(-x)}{2} + \frac{f(x)-f(-x)}{2}$
2. Product of odd & even function is an odd function.
 4. Derivative of an odd function is an even function and of an even is odd.

10 Periodic function

$f(x)$ is periodic if $f(x+T) = f(x) \forall x \in \mathbb{R}, T = \text{period}$

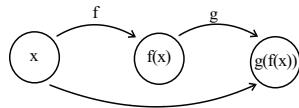
Functions	Period
$\sin^n x, \cos^n x, \sec^n x, \csc^n x$	$\pi(n \text{ is even}), 2\pi(n \text{ odd/fraction})$
$\tan^n x, \cot^n x$	π
$ \text{trig function} $	π
$x - [x]$	1
$f(x) = \text{constant}$	Periodic with no fundamental period.

Properties of Periodic functions

If $f(x)$ is periodic with period T , then

1. $c \cdot f(x)$ is periodic with period T
2. $f(x+c)$ is periodic with period T .
3. $f(x) \pm c$ is periodic with period T .
4. $kf(cx+d)$ has period $\frac{T}{|c|}$ period is only affected by coefficient of x .

11 Composition of Function



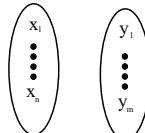
- $h(x) = g(f(x)) = (g \circ f)(x)$.
- $g \circ f \neq f \circ g$.
- Composition of two bijection is a bijection.

f	g	fog
even	even	even
odd	odd	odd
even	odd	ever
odd	even	even

12 Kinds of Mapping

1. **One-one/Injective/Homomorphic:** $f(x) = f(y) \Rightarrow x=y$, then one-one. Graphically, if no line parallel to x-axis meets the graph of function at more than one point.
2. **Onto/Surjective:** If range = co-domain. Method to show subjectivity: Finding the range of $y = f(x)$ & Showing range of $f = c \sigma\text{-domain of } f$
3. **Many-one mapping:** If two or more element in domain have same image in co-domain.
4. **Into Function:** There's an element in B not having a pre image in A under f . $[f : A \rightarrow B]$.

$$f : A \longrightarrow B$$



Total no of functions = m^n

$$\text{Number of One to one functions} = \begin{cases} {}^m P_n, & m \geq n \\ 0, & m < n \end{cases}$$

$$\text{No. of many one functions} = \begin{cases} m^n - {}^m P_n, & m \geq n \\ m^n, & m < n \end{cases}$$

No. of constant function = m

$$\text{No. of onto function} = \begin{cases} \sum_{r=0}^n (-1)^r {}^m C_r (m-r)^n, & n \geq m \\ m^n, & n < m \end{cases}$$

No. of one-to-one onto functions = $n!$, if $m = n$

14 Inverse of a function

$$g : B \rightarrow A, f(x) = y \Leftrightarrow g(y) = x \quad \forall x \in A \text{ and } y \in B.$$

Then g is inverse of f

1. Inverse of a bijection is unique.

2. If $f : A \rightarrow B$ is a bijection $g : B \rightarrow A$ is the inverse of f , then $g \circ f = I_A$ & $f \circ g = I_B$, where I_A & I_B are identity function

3. The inverse of a bijection is also a bijection $(g \circ f)^{-1} = f^{-1} \circ g^{-1}$.

15 Hyperbolic functions

$$\sinh x = \frac{e^x - e^{-x}}{2}$$

$$\cosh x = \frac{e^x + e^{-x}}{2}$$

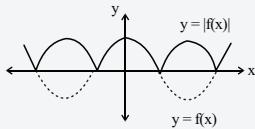
$$\tanh x = \frac{e^x - e^{-x}}{e^x + e^{-x}}$$

$$\coth x = \frac{e^x + e^{-x}}{e^x - e^{-x}}$$

16 Elementary transformation of graphs

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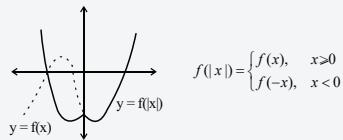
Drawing the graph of $y = |f(x)|$ from the



$$|f(x)| = \begin{cases} f(x) & \text{if } f(x) \geq 0 \\ -f(x) & \text{if } f(x) < 0. \end{cases}$$

02

Drawing graph of $y=f(|x|)$ from the known graph of $y=f(x)$.

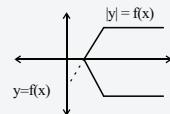


$f(|x|) = \begin{cases} f(x), & x \geq 0 \\ f(-x), & x < 0 \end{cases}$

Neglect the curve for $x < 0$ & take the images of curve for $x \geq 0$ about y axis.

03

Drawing graph of $|y|=f(x)$ from the known graph of $y=f(x)$.



Remove portion that lies below x axis.
Plot the remaining portion of the graph & also its mirror image in x-axis.

17 Things to remember

$$\text{Range of } a\cos x + b\sin x \text{ is } [-\sqrt{a^2+b^2}, \sqrt{a^2+b^2}] \quad \mid \quad \text{Range of } f(x) = \sqrt{a-x} + \sqrt{x-b} \text{ if } a > b > 0 \text{ is } \sqrt{a-b} + \sqrt{2(a-b)}$$

$$\text{Range of } \left(x + \frac{1}{x}\right) + \frac{1}{\left(x + \frac{1}{x}\right)} \text{ is } (-\infty, -2.5] \cup [2.5, \infty) \quad \mid \quad -\sin 1 < \sin(\cos x) < \sin 1 \quad \mid \quad \cos 1 < \cos(\sin x) < 1$$

18 Functional Equation

- 1) $f(x+y) = f(x)f(y)$, then $f(x) = a^x$
- 2) $f(xy) = f(x)+f(y)$, then $f(x) = \log_a x$
- 3) $f\left(\frac{x+y}{2}\right) = \frac{f(x)+f(y)}{2}$, then $f(x) = mx + c$
- 4) $f(x)f\left(\frac{1}{x}\right) = 1$, then $f(x) = \pm x^n$