

## 01. PROOFS

### sets of numbers

$\mathbb{N}$  : natural numbers ( $\mathbb{Z}_{\geq 0}$ )

$\mathbb{Z}$  : integers

$\mathbb{Q}$  : rational numbers

$\mathbb{R}$  : real numbers

$\mathbb{C}$  : complex numbers

### basic properties of integers

closure (under addition and multiplication)

$$x + y \in \mathbb{Z} \wedge xy \in \mathbb{Z}$$

commutativity

$$a + b = b + a \wedge ab = ba$$

associativity

$$a + b + c = a + (b + c) = (a + b) + c$$

$$abc = a(bc) = (ab)c$$

distributivity

$$a(b + c) = ab + ac$$

trichotomy

$$(a < b) \vee (a > b) \vee (a = b)$$

transitive law

$$(a < b) \wedge (b < c) \implies (a < c)$$

### definitions

even/odd

$$n \text{ is even} \leftrightarrow \exists k \in \mathbb{Z} \mid n = 2k$$

$$n \text{ is odd} \leftrightarrow \exists k \in \mathbb{Z} \mid n = 2k + 1$$

prime/composite

$$n \text{ is prime} \leftrightarrow n > 1 \text{ and } \forall r, s \in \mathbb{Z}^+, n = rs \rightarrow (r = n) \vee (s = n)$$

$$n \text{ is composite} \leftrightarrow n > 1 \text{ and } \exists r, s \in \mathbb{Z}^+ \text{ s.t. } n = rs \text{ and } 1 < r < n \text{ and } 1 < s < n$$

divisibility ( $d$  divides  $n$ )

$$d \mid n \leftrightarrow \exists k \in \mathbb{Z} \mid n = kd$$

rationality

$$r \text{ is rational} \leftrightarrow \exists a, b \in \mathbb{Z} \mid r = \frac{a}{b} \text{ and } b \neq 0$$

floor/ceiling

$$\lfloor x \rfloor : \text{largest integer } y \text{ such that } y \leq x$$

$$\lceil x \rceil : \text{smallest integer } y \text{ such that } y \geq x$$

### rules of inference

generalisation

$$p, \therefore p \vee q$$

specialisation

$$p \wedge q, \therefore p$$

elimination

$$p \vee q; \sim q, \therefore p$$

transitivity

$$p \rightarrow q; q \rightarrow r; \therefore p \rightarrow r$$

## 04. METHODS OF PROOF

### Proof by Exhaustion/Cases

- list out possible cases
  - Case 1:  $n$  is odd OR If  $n = 9$ , ...
  - Case 2:  $n$  is even OR If  $n = 16$ , ...
- therefore ...

### Proof by Contradiction

- Suppose that ...
  - proof  $\zeta$
  - ...but this contradicts ...
- Therefore the assumption that ... is false.  
Hence ....

### Proof by Contraposition

- Contrapositive statement:  $\sim q \rightarrow \sim p$
- let  $\sim q$ 
  - proof  $\zeta$
  - hence  $\sim p$
- $\therefore p \rightarrow q$

### Proof by Construction

- Let  $x = 3, y = 4, z = 5$ .
- Then  $x, y, z \in \mathbb{Z}_{\geq 1}$  and  $x^2 + y^2 = 3^2 + 4^2 = 9 + 16 = 25 = 5^2$ .
- Thus  $\exists x, y, z \in \mathbb{Z}_{\geq 1}$  such that  $x^2 + y^2 = z^2$ .

### Proof by Induction

- For each  $n \in \mathbb{Z}_{\geq 1}$ , let  $P(n)$  be the proposition "..."
- (base step)  $P(1)$  is true because manual method  $\zeta$
- (induction step)
  - let  $k \in \mathbb{Z}_{\geq 1}$  s.t.  $P(k)$  is true
  - Then ...
  - proof that  $P(k + 1)$  is true - e.g.  
 $P(k + 1) = P(k) + \text{term}_{k+1}$
  - So  $P(k + 1)$  is true.
- Hence  $\forall n \in \mathbb{Z}_{\geq 1} P(n)$  is true by MI.

### Proofs for Sets

#### Equality of Sets (A=B)

- ( $\Rightarrow$ )
  - Take any  $z \in A$ .
  - ...
  - $\therefore z \in B$ .
- ( $\Leftarrow$ )
  - Take any  $z \in B$ .
  - ...
  - $\therefore z \in A$ .

#### Element Method

- $A \cap (B \setminus C) = \{x : x \in A \wedge x \in (B \setminus C)\}$  (by def. of  $\cap$ )
- $= \{x : x \in A \wedge (x \in B \wedge x \notin C)\}$  (by def. of  $\setminus$ )
- ...
- $= (A \cap B) \setminus C$  (by def. of  $\setminus$ )

### Other Proofs

iff ( $A \leftrightarrow B$ )

- ( $\Rightarrow$ ) Suppose  $A$ .
  - ... proof  $\zeta$  ...
  - Hence  $A \rightarrow B$
- ( $\Leftarrow$ ) Suppose  $B$ .
  - ... proof  $\zeta$  ...
  - Hence  $B \rightarrow A$

## 02. COMPOUND STATEMENTS

### operations

- $\sim$  : negation (not)
- $\wedge$  : conjunction (and)
- $\vee$  : disjunction (or) - coequal to  $\wedge$

$3 \rightarrow$  : if-then

### logical equivalence

- identical truth values in truth table
- definitions
- to show non-equivalence:
  - truth table method (only needs 1 row)
  - counter-example method

### conditional statements

hypothesis  $\rightarrow$  conclusion

antecedent  $\rightarrow$  consequent

- vacuously true** : hypothesis is false

- implication law** :  $p \rightarrow q \equiv \sim p \vee q$

- common if/then statements:

- if p then q:  $p \rightarrow q$
- p if q:  $q \rightarrow p$
- p only if q:  $p \rightarrow q$
- p iff q:  $p \leftrightarrow q$

- contrapositive** :  $\sim q \rightarrow \sim p$

- inverse** :  $\sim p \rightarrow \sim q$

- converse** :  $q \rightarrow p$

converse  $\equiv$  inverse

statement  $\equiv$  contrapositive

- r is a **necessary** condition for s:  $\sim r \rightarrow \sim s$  and  $s \rightarrow r$
- r is a **sufficient** condition for s:  $r \rightarrow s$
- necessary & sufficient** :  $\leftrightarrow$

### valid arguments

- determining validity: construct truth table
  - valid  $\leftrightarrow$  conclusion is true when premises are true
- sylogism** : (argument form) 2 premises, 1 conclusion
- modus ponens** :  $p \rightarrow q; p; \therefore q$
- modus tollens** :  $p \rightarrow q; \sim q; \therefore \sim p$
- sound argument** : is valid & all premises are true

### fallacies

converse error

$$p \rightarrow q$$

$$q$$

$$\therefore p$$

inverse error

$$p \rightarrow q$$

$$\sim p$$

$$\therefore \sim q$$

## 03. QUANTIFIED STATEMENTS

- truth set** of  $P(x) = \{x \in D \mid P(x)\}$
- $P(x) \Rightarrow Q(x) : \forall x(P(x) \rightarrow Q(x))$
- $P(x) \Leftrightarrow Q(x) : \forall x(P(x) \leftrightarrow Q(x))$

relation between  $\forall, \exists, \wedge, \vee$

- $\forall x \in D, Q(x) \equiv Q(x_1) \wedge Q(x_2) \wedge \dots \wedge Q(x_n)$
- $\exists x \in D \mid Q(x) \equiv Q(x_1) \vee Q(x_2) \vee \dots \vee Q(x_n)$

## 05. SETS

### notation

- set roster notation [1]:  $\{x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n\}$
- set roster notation [2]:  $\{x_1, x_2, x_3, \dots\}$
- set-builder notation:  $\{x \in \mathbb{U} : P(x)\}$

### definitions

- equal sets** :  $A = B \leftrightarrow \forall x(x \in A \leftrightarrow x \in B)$ 
  - $A = B \leftrightarrow (A \subseteq B) \wedge (A \supseteq B)$
- empty set**,  $\emptyset$  :  $\emptyset \subseteq$  all sets
- subset** :  $A \subseteq B \leftrightarrow \forall x(x \in A \rightarrow x \in B)$

- proper subset** :  $A \subsetneq B \leftrightarrow (A \subseteq B) \wedge (A \neq B)$
- power set** of A :  $\mathcal{P}(A) = \{X \mid X \subseteq A\}$ 
  - $|\mathcal{P}(A)| = 2^{|A|}$ , given that A is a finite set
- cardinality** of a set,  $|A|$  : number of distinct elements
- singleton** : sets of size 1
- disjoint** :  $A \cap B = \emptyset$

### methods of proof for sets

- direct proof
- element method
- truth table

### boolean operations

- union**:  $A \cup B = \{x : x \in A \vee x \in B\}$
- intersection**:  $A \cap B = \{x : x \in A \wedge x \in B\}$
- complement** (of B in A):  $A \setminus B = \{x : x \in A \wedge x \notin B\}$
- complement** (of B):  $\bar{B}$  or  $B^c = U \setminus B$ 
  - set difference law:  $A \setminus B = A \cap \bar{B}$

### ordered pairs and cartesian products

- ordered pair** :  $(x, y)$ 
  - $(x, y) = (x', y') \leftrightarrow x = x' \text{ and } y = y'$
- Cartesian product** :  
 $A \times B = \{(x, y) : x \in A \text{ and } y \in B\}$ 
  - $|A \times B| = |A| \times |B|$
- ordered tuples** : expression of the form  $(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n)$

## 06. FUNCTIONS

### definitions

- function/map** from A to B : assignment of each element of A to exactly one element of B.
  - $f : A \rightarrow B$  : " $f$  is a function from A to B"
  - $f : x \rightarrow y$  : " $f$  maps  $x$  to  $y$ "
  - domain** of  $f = A$
  - codomain** of  $f = B$
  - range/image** of  $f = \{f(x) : x \in A\} = \{y \in B \mid y = f(x) \text{ for some } x \in A\}$
- identity function** on A,  $\text{id}_A : A \rightarrow A$ 
  - $\text{id}_A : x \rightarrow x$
  - range = domain = codomain = A
  - (E6.1.24)  $f \circ \text{id}_A = f$  and  $\text{id}_B \circ f = f$
- well-defined function** : every element in the domain is assigned to exactly one element in the codomain

### equality of functions

- same codomain and domain
- for all  $x \in$  codomain, same output

### function composition

- $(g \circ f)(x) = g(f(x))$
- for  $(g \circ f)$  to be well defined, codomain of  $f$  must be equal to the domain of  $g$
- $\times$  commutative
- $\checkmark$  **associative** - (T6.1.26)  $f \circ (g \circ h) = (f \circ g) \circ h$

### image & pre-image

for  $f : A \rightarrow B$

- if  $X \subseteq A$ , **image** of X,  
 $f(X) = \{y \in B : y = f(x) \text{ for some } x \in X\}$
- if  $Y \subseteq B$ , **pre-image** of Y,  
 $f^{-1}(Y) = \{x \in A : y = f(x) \text{ for some } y \in Y\}$

injection & surjection

- **surjective** (onto) : codomain = range
  - $\forall y \in B, \exists x \in A (y = f(x))$
  - surjective test:  $\forall Y \subseteq B, Y \subseteq f(f^{-1}(Y))$
- **injective** : one-to-one
  - $\forall x, x' \in A (f(x) = f(x') \Rightarrow x = x')$
  - injective test:  $\forall X \subseteq A, X \subseteq f^{-1}(f(X))$
- **bijective** : both surjective & injective
  - bijective  $\Leftrightarrow$  has an inverse (T6.2.28)

inverse

- $\forall x \in A, \forall y \in B (f(x) = y \Leftrightarrow g(y) = x)$
- **uniqueness** of inverses (P2.6.16)
  - if  $g, g'$  are inverses of  $f : A \rightarrow B$ , then  $g = g'$

07. INDUCTION

mathematical induction

- to prove that  $\forall n \in \mathbb{Z}_{\geq m} (P(n))$  is true,
- base step: show that  $P(m)$  is true
  - induction step: show that  $\forall k \in \mathbb{Z}_{\geq m} (P(k) \Rightarrow P(k + 1))$  is true.
    - induction hypothesis: assumption that  $P(k)$  is true

strong MI

- to prove that  $\forall n \in \mathbb{Z}_{\geq 0} (P(n))$  is true,
- base step: show that  $P(0), P(1)$  are true
  - induction step: show that  $\forall k \in \mathbb{Z}_{\geq 0} (P(0) \cdots \wedge P(k + 1) \Rightarrow P(k + 2))$  is true.  
justification:
    - $P(0) \wedge P(1)$  by base case
    - $P(0) \wedge P(1) \rightarrow P(2)$  by induction with  $k = 0$
    - $P(0) \wedge P(1) \wedge P(2) \rightarrow P(3)$  by induction with  $k = 1$
    - ...
  - we deduce that  $P(0), P(1), \dots$  are all true by a series of **modus ponens**

well-ordering principle

- every nonempty subset of  $\mathbb{Z}_{\geq 0}$  has a smallest element.
- application: recursion has a base case

RECURSION

a sequence is **recursively defined** if the definition of  $a_n$  involves  $a_0, a_1, \dots, a_{n-1}$  for all but finitely many  $n \in \mathbb{Z}_{\geq 0}$ .

recursive definitions

- e.g. recursive definition for  $\mathbb{Z}$
1. **(base clause)**  $0 \in \mathbb{Z}_{\geq 0}$
  2. **(recursion clause)** If  $x \in \mathbb{Z}_{\geq 0}$ , then  $x + 1 \in \mathbb{Z}_{\geq 0}$
  3. **(minimality clause)** Membership for  $\mathbb{Z}_{\geq 0}$  can be demonstrated by (finitely many) successive applications of the clauses above

recursion vs induction

- **recursion** - to define the set
- **induction** - to show things about the set

well-formed formulas (WFF)

in propositional logic

- define the set of WFF( $\Sigma$ ) as follows
1. (base clause) every element  $\rho$  of  $\Sigma$  is in WFF( $\Sigma$ )
  2. (recursion clause) if  $x, y$  are in WFF( $\Sigma$ ), then  $\sim x$  and  $(x \wedge y)$  and  $(x \vee y)$  are in WFF( $\Sigma$ )
  3. (minimality clause) Membership for WFF( $\Sigma$ ) can be demonstrated by (finitely many) successive applications of the clauses above

08. NUMBER THEORY

divisibility

- transitivity of divisibility
  - If  $a \mid b$  and  $b \mid c$ , then  $a \mid c$ .
- closure lemma (non-standard name)
  - Let  $a, b, d, m, n \in \mathbb{Z}$ . If  $d \mid m$  and  $d \mid n$ , then  $d \mid am + bn$ .
- division theorem
  - $\forall n \in \mathbb{Z}$  and  $d \in \mathbb{Z}^+, \exists !q, r \in \mathbb{Z}$  s.t.  
 $n = dq + r$  and  $0 \leq r < d$   
 $q = n \operatorname{div} d = \lfloor n/d \rfloor$   
 $r = n \operatorname{mod} d = n - dq$

base-b representation

- of positive integer  $n$  is  $(a_\ell a_{\ell-1} \dots a_0)_b$   
where  $\ell \in \mathbb{Z}_{\geq 0}$  and  $a_0, a_1, \dots, a_\ell \in \{0, 1, \dots, b - 1\}$   
s.t.  $n = a_\ell b^\ell + a_{\ell-1} b^{\ell-1} + \dots + a_0 b^0$  and  $a_\ell \neq 0$

greatest common divisor

- if  $m \neq 0$  and  $n \neq 0$ , then  $\operatorname{gcd}(m, n)$  exists and is positive.
  - gcd: *Euclidean Algorithm*
  - integer linear combination: *Extended Euclidean Algorithm*

- Bezout's Lemma:  
For all  $m, n \in \mathbb{Z}$  with  $n \neq 0$ , there exist  $s, t \in \mathbb{Z}$  such that  $\operatorname{gcd}(m, n) = ms + nt$ .  
Euclid's Lemma:  
Let  $m, n \in \mathbb{Z}^+$ . If  $p$  is prime and  $p \mid mn$ , then  $p \mid m$  or  $p \mid n$ .

- (E8.4.3)  $m \operatorname{mod} n = 0 \Leftrightarrow \operatorname{gcd}(m, n) = n$
- (L8.4.11)  $\forall x, y, r \in \mathbb{Z}$ ,  
 $x \operatorname{mod} y = r \Rightarrow \operatorname{gcd}(x, y) = \operatorname{gcd}(y, r)$

prime factorization thoerem

- **(aka Fundamental Theorem of Arithmetic)**: Every integer  $n \geq 2$  has a unique prime factorization in which the prime factors are arranged in nondecreasing order.

modular arithmetic

- $n \operatorname{mod} d$  is always non-negative.
- Let  $a, b, c \in \mathbb{Z}$  and  $n \in \mathbb{Z}^+$ .  
congruence  
 $a \equiv b \pmod n \Leftrightarrow a \operatorname{mod} n = b \operatorname{mod} n$   
Then  $\exists k \in \mathbb{Z} (a = nk + b \text{ and } n \mid (a - b))$   
reflexivity  
 $a \equiv a \pmod n$

- symmetry  
 $a \equiv b \pmod n \rightarrow b \equiv a \pmod n$
- transitivity  
 $a \equiv b \pmod n \wedge b \equiv c \pmod n \rightarrow a \equiv c \pmod n$

addition & multiplication

- If  $a \equiv b \pmod n$  and  $c \equiv d \pmod n$ ,
- (P8.6.6)  $a + c \equiv (b + d) \pmod n$
  - (P8.6.13)  $ac \equiv bd \pmod n$

additive inverse

- $b$  is an *additive inverse* of  $a \operatorname{mod} n \Leftrightarrow a + b \equiv 0 \pmod n$ .  
 $b$  is an *additive inverse* of  $a \operatorname{mod} n \Leftrightarrow b \equiv -a \pmod n$ .

multiplicative inverse

- $b$  is a multiplicative inverse of  $a \operatorname{mod} n \Leftrightarrow ab \equiv 1 \pmod n$ .
- If  $b, b'$  are multiplicative inverses of  $a$ , then  $b \equiv b' \pmod n$ .
  - exists  $\Leftrightarrow \operatorname{gcd}(a, n) = 1$ .
    - $a, n$  are coprime
  - to find multiplicative inverse: **Euclidean Algorithm**

09. EQUIVALENCE RELATIONS

relations

- Let  $R$  be a relation from  $A$  to  $B$  and  $(x, y) \in A \times B$ . Then:  
 $xRy$  for  $(x, y) \in R$  and  $\cancel{xRy}$  for  $(x, y) \notin R$

- a relation from  $A$  to  $B$  is a subset of  $A \times B$ .
- a **(binary) relation** on set A is a relation from A to A.
  - subset of  $A^2$
- **inverse relation**:  $xR^{-1}y \Leftrightarrow yRx$

reflexivity, symmetry, transitivity

- Let  $A$  be a set and  $R$  be a relation on  $A$ .
- reflexive  
 $\forall x \in A (xRx)$
  - symmetric  
 $\forall x, y \in A (xRy \Rightarrow yRx)$
  - transitive  
 $\forall x, y, z \in A (xRy \wedge yRz \Rightarrow xRz)$

- **equivalence relation**: a relation that is reflexive, symmetric and transitive
- **equivalence class**: the set of all things equivalent to  $x$

equivalence classes

- Let  $A$  be a set and  $R$  be an equivalence relation on  $A$ .
- $[x]_R$  : **equivalence class** of  $x$  with respect to  $R$   
 $\forall x \in A, [x]_R = \{y \in A : xRy\}$
  - $A/R$  : The set of all equivalent classes  
 $A/R = \{[x]_R : x \in A\}$   
 $xRy \Rightarrow [x] = [y] \Rightarrow [x] \cap [y] \neq \emptyset$

partitions

- a **partition** of a set  $A$  is a set  $\mathcal{C}$  of *non-empty subsets* of  $A$  such that  
 $(\geq 1) \forall x \in A, \exists S \in \mathcal{C} (x \in S)$   
 $(\leq 1) \forall x \in A, \forall S, S' \in \mathcal{C} (x \in S \wedge x \in S' \Rightarrow S = S')$
- **components** : elements of a partition
- every partition comes from an equivalence relation

partial orders

- Let  $A$  be a set and  $R$  be a relation on  $A$ .
- $R$  is **antisymmetric** if  $\forall x, y \in A (xRy \wedge yRx \rightarrow x = y)$ 
    - includes vacuously true cases (e.g.  $xRy \Leftrightarrow x < y$ )
  - $x$  and  $y$  are **comparable** if  $\forall x, y \in A (xRy \vee yRx)$
  - $R$  is a **(non-strict) partial order** if  $R$  is reflexive, antisymmetric and transitive.
    - $\preceq$  - partial order
    - $x \prec y \Leftrightarrow x \preceq y \wedge x \neq y$  (NOT a partial order)
    - Hasse diagram
  - $R$  is a **(non-strict) total order** if  $R$  is a partial order and  $x$  and  $y$  are comparable

min and max

- Let  $\preceq$  be a partial order on a set  $A$ , and  $c \in A$ .
- $c$  is a **minimal element** if  $\forall x \in A (x \preceq c \Rightarrow c = x)$ 
    - nothing is strictly below it
  - $c$  is a **maximal element** if  $\forall x \in A (c \preceq x \Rightarrow c = x)$ 
    - nothing is strictly above it
  - $c$  is the **smallest element** or **minimum element** if  $\forall x \in A (c \preceq x)$ .
  - $c$  is the **largest element** or **maximum element** if  $\forall x \in A (x \preceq c)$ .

linearization

- Let  $A$  be a set and  $\preceq$  be a partial order on  $A$ .  
Then there exists a total order  $\preceq^*$  on  $A$  such that  
 $\forall x, y \in A (x \preceq y \Rightarrow x \preceq^* y)$

10A. COUNTING

permutations

- $P(n, r) = \frac{n!}{(n-r)!}$  (also  ${}_n P_r, P_r^n$ )
- **multiplication/product rule**: An operation of  $k$  steps can be performed in  $n_1 \times n_2 \times \dots \times n_k$  ways.
  - **addition/sum rule**: Suppose a finite set  $A$  equals the union of  $k$  distinct mutually disjoint subsets  $A_1, A_2, \dots, A_k$ . Then  
 $|A| = |A_1| + |A_2| + \dots + |A_k|$
  - **difference rule**: if  $A$  is a finite set and  $B \subseteq A$ , then  
 $|A \setminus B| = |A| - |B|$
  - **complement**:  $P(A) = 1 - P(A)$
  - **inclusion/exclusion rule**:  $|A \cup B \cup C| = |A| + |B| + |C| - |A \cap B| - |B \cap C| - |C \cap A| + |A \cap B \cap C|$

permutations with indistinguishable objects

- For  $n$  objects with  $n_k$  of type  $k$  indistinguishable from each other, the total number of distinguishable permutations  
 $= \frac{n!}{n_1!n_2! \dots n_k!}$

pigeonhole principle

- For any function  $f$  from a finite set  $X$  with  $n$  elements to a finite set  $Y$  with  $m$  elements and for any positive integer  $k$ , if  $k < \frac{n}{m}$ , then there is some  $y \in Y$  such that  $y$  is the image of at least  $k + 1$  distinct elements of  $X$ .
- A function from a finite set to a smaller finite set cannot be injective.
  - **presentation**:
    - There are  $m$  object  $M_i$  (pigeons) and  $n$  object  $N_j$
    - Thus, by Pigeonhole Principle, ...

combinations

$\binom{n}{r} = \frac{n!}{r!(n-r)!}$  (also  $C(n, r)$ ,  $nC_r$ ,  $C_{n,r}$ ,  ${}^nC_r$ )  
 $r$ -combinations from  $n$  elements with **repetition**  
 $= \binom{r+n-1}{r}$

pascal's formula

Suppose  $n, r \in \mathbb{Z}^+$  with  $r \leq n$ . Then  
 $\binom{n+1}{r} = \binom{n}{r-1} + \binom{n}{r}$

binomial theorem

$(a + b)^n = \sum_{k=0}^n \binom{n}{k} a^{n-k} b^k$   
binomial coefficient:  $\binom{n}{k}$

10B. PROBABILITY

probability

Let  $S$  be a sample space. For all events  $A$  and  $B$  in  $S$ , a *probability function*  $P$  satisfies the following axioms:

- $0 \leq P(A) \leq 1$
- $P(\emptyset) = 0$  and  $P(S) = 1$
- $(A \cap B = \emptyset) \Rightarrow [P(A \cup B) = P(A) + P(B)]$
- $P(\bar{A}) = 1 - P(A)$
- $P(A \cup B) = P(A) + P(B) - P(A \cap B)$

expected value

For possible outcomes  $a_1, a_2, \dots, a_n$  which occur with probabilities  $p_1, p_2, \dots, p_n$ , the **expected value** is  
 $\sum_{k=1}^n a_k p_k$

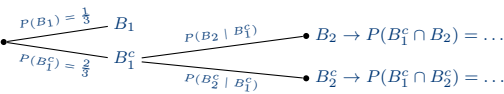
• **linearity** of expectation

- $E[X + Y] = E[X] + E[Y]$
- $E\left[\sum_{i=1}^n c_i \cdot X_i\right] = \sum_{i=1}^n (c_i \cdot E[X_i])$

conditional probability

The conditional probability of  $A$  given  $B$ ,  
 $P(A \mid B) = \frac{P(A \cap B)}{P(B)}$

probability tree:



Bayes' theorem

Suppose a sample space  $S$  is a union of mutually disjoint events  $B_1, B_2, \dots, B_n$  and  $A$  is an event in  $S$ .  
For  $k \in \mathbb{Z}$  and  $1 \leq k \leq n$ ,

$P(B_k \mid A) = \frac{P(A \mid B_k) \cdot P(B_k)}{\sum_{i=1}^n (P(A \mid B_i) \cdot P(B_i))}$

application of Bayes' theorem

$P(B_1 \mid A) = \frac{P(A \mid B_1) \cdot P(B_1)}{P(A \mid B_1) \cdot P(B_1) + P(A \mid B_2) \cdot P(B_2)}$

Let  $A$  be the event that the person test positive for a disease.  
 $B_1$ : the person actually has the disease.  
 $B_2$ : the person does not have the disease.

true positives: $P(B_1 \mid A)$	false negatives: $P(\bar{A} \mid B_1)$
false positives: $P(A \mid B_2)$	true negatives: $P(\bar{A} \mid B_2)$

independent events

$A$  and  $B$  are **independent** iff  
 $P(A \cap B) = P(A) \cdot P(B)$

$A, B$  and  $C$  are **pairwise independent** iff

- $P(A \cap B) = P(A) \cdot P(B)$
- $P(B \cap C) = P(B) \cdot P(C)$
- $P(A \cap C) = P(A) \cdot P(C)$

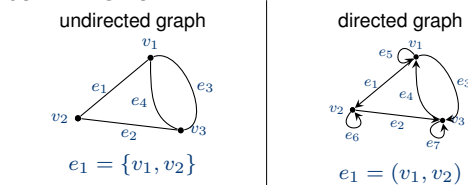
$A, B$  and  $C$  are **mutually independent** iff

- $A, B$  and  $C$  are pairwise independent
- $P(A \cap B \cap C) = P(A) \cdot P(B) \cdot P(C)$

11. GRAPHS

• mathematical structures used to model pairwise relations between objects

types of graphs



undirected graph

- denoted by  $G = (V, E)$ , comprising
  - nonempty set of *vertices/nodes*,  $V = \{v_1, v_2, \dots, v_n\}$
  - a set of *edges*,  $E = \{e_1, e_2, \dots, e_k\}$
- $e = \{v, w\}$  for an undirected edge  $E$  incident on vertices  $v$  and  $w$

directed graph

- denoted by  $G = (V, E)$ , comprising
  - nonempty set  $V$  of *vertices*
  - a set  $E$  of *directed edges* (ordered pair of vertices)
- $e = (v, w)$  for an directed edge  $E$  from vertex  $v$  to vertex  $w$

simple graph

- **undirected graph** with no loops or parallel edges

complete graph

- a complete graph on  $n$  vertices,  $n > 0$ , denoted  $K_n$ , is a simple graph with  $n$  vertices and exactly one edge connecting each pair of distinct vertices

bipartite graph

- a simple graph whose vertices can be divided into two disjoint sets  $U$  and  $V$  such that every edge connects a vertex in  $U$  to one in  $V$
- **complete bipartite graph**:  $K_{m,n}$ 
  - bipartite graph on two disjoint sets  $U$  and  $V$  such that every vertex in  $U$  connects to every vertex in  $V$
  - denoted  $K_{m,n}$  where  $|U| = m, |V| = n$

subgraph of a graph

$H$  is a subgraph of  $G \Leftrightarrow$

- every vertex in  $H$  is also a vertex in  $G$
- every edge in  $H$  is also an edge in  $G$
- every edge in  $H$  has the same endpoints as it has in  $G$

degree

- **degree** of  $v$ ,  $deg(v)$  = number of edges incident on  $v$
- **total degree** of  $G$  = sum of the degrees of all vertices of  $G$   
total degree of  $G = 2 \times$  (number of edges of  $G$ )
- (C10.1.2) the total degree of a graph is even
- (P10.1.3) in any graph there are an even number of vertices of odd degree

trails, paths and circuits

- Let  $G$  be a graph; let  $v$  and  $w$  be vertices of  $G$ .
- **walk** (from  $v$  to  $w$ ): a finite alternating sequence of adjacent vertices and edges of  $G$ .
    - e.g.  $v_0 e_1 v_1 e_2 \dots v_{n-1} e_n v_n$
    - **length** of walk: the number of edges,  $n$
  - a **trivial walk** from  $v$  to  $v$  consists of the single vertex  $v$
  - **trail** (from  $v$  to  $w$ ): a walk from  $v$  to  $w$  that does not contain a repeated edge
  - **path** (from  $v$  to  $w$ ): a trail that does not contain a repeated vertex
  - **closed walk**: walk that starts and ends at the same vertex
  - **circuit/cycle**: an undirected graph  $G(V, E)$  where
    - $V = \{x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n\}$
    - $E = \{\{x_1, x_2\}, \{x_2, x_3\}, \dots, \{x_{n-1}, x_n\}, \{x_n, x_1\}\}$
    - $n \in \mathbb{Z}_{\geq 3}$
    - aka a closed walk that does not contain a repeated edge
  - **simple circuit/cycle**: does not have any other repeated vertex except the first and last
  - (an undirected graph is) **cyclic** if it contains a loop/cycle

connectedness

- vertices  $v$  and  $w$  are connected  $\Leftrightarrow \exists$  a walk from  $v$  to  $w$
- graph  $G$  is connected  $\Leftrightarrow \forall$  vertices  $v, w \in V, \exists$  a walk from  $v$  to  $w$

connected component

- a connected subgraph of the largest possible size
- graph  $H$  is a connected component of graph  $G \Leftrightarrow$ 
  1.  $H$  is a subgraph of  $G$
  2.  $H$  is connected
  3. no connected subgraph of  $G$  has  $H$  as a subgraph and contains vertices or edges that are not in  $H$

Euler circuit

- **Euler circuit**: a circuit that contains every vertex and traverses every edge of  $G$  exactly once
- **Eulerian graph**: graph that contains an Euler circuit

**T10.2.3**  
Euler circuit  $\Leftrightarrow$  connected and every vertex has positive even degree

**T10.2.4**  
Eulerian graph  $\Leftrightarrow$  every vertex has positive even degree

- **Euler trail** (from  $v$  to  $w$ ): a sequence of adjacent edges and vertices that starts at  $v$ , ends at  $w$ , and passes through every vertex of  $G$  at least once, and traverses every edge of  $G$  exactly once.

**C10.2.5**  
 $\exists$  Euler trail  $\Leftrightarrow G$  is connected;  $v, w$  have odd degree; all other vertices of  $G$  have positive even degree

Hamiltonian circuit

- **Hamiltonian circuit** (for  $G$ ): a *simple circuit* that includes every vertex of  $G$ .
  - does not need to include all the edges of  $G$  (unlike Euler circuit)
- **Hamilton(ian) graph**: contains a Hamiltonian circuit
- If  $G$  is a Hamiltonian circuit, then  $G$  has subgraph  $H$  where:
  1.  $H$  contains every vertex of  $G$
  2.  $H$  is connected
  3.  $H$  has the same number of edges as vertices
  4. every vertex of  $H$  has degree 2

matrix representations of graphs

- **equal matrices**  $\Leftrightarrow$  A and B are the same size and  $a_{ij} = b_{ij}$  for all  $i = 1, 2, \dots, m$  and  $j = 1, 2, \dots, n$
- **square matrix**: equal number of rows and columns
- **main diagonal**: all entries  $a_{11}, a_{22}, \dots, a_{nn}$
- **symmetric matrix**  $\Leftrightarrow \forall i, j \in \mathbb{Z}_{\leq n}^+ (a_{ij} = a_{ji})$

adjacency matrix

The adjacency matrix of a **directed graph**  $G$  is the  $n \times n$  matrix  $A = (a_{ij})$  over the set of non-negative integers such that  
 $a_{ij}$  = number of **arrows** from  $v_i$  to  $v_j \forall i, j = 1, 2, \dots, n$

$A = \begin{matrix} & \begin{matrix} v_1 & v_2 & v_3 \end{matrix} \\ \begin{matrix} v_1 \\ v_2 \\ v_3 \end{matrix} & \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 2 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \end{matrix}$

The adjacency matrix of an **undirected graph**  $G$  is the  $n \times n$  matrix  $A = (a_{ij})$  over the set of non-negative integers such that  
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identity matrix

The  $n \times n$  identity matrix,  
 $I_n = (\delta_{ij}) = \begin{cases} 1, & \text{if } i = j \\ 0, & \text{if } i \neq j \end{cases}$  for all  $i, j = 1, 2, \dots, n$

matrix multiplication

scalar product

$[a_{i1} \ a_{i2} \ \dots \ a_{in}] \begin{bmatrix} b_{1j} \\ b_{2j} \\ \vdots \\ b_{nj} \end{bmatrix} = a_{i1}b_{1j} + a_{i2}b_{2j} + \dots + a_{in}b_{nj}$

matrix product

Let  $A = (a_{ij})$  be an  $m \times k$  matrix and  $B = (b_{ij})$  be a  $k \times n$  matrix with real entries.  
 $AB = (c_{ij}) = \sum_{r=1}^k a_{ir}b_{rj}$

× commutative    ✓ associative

nth power of a matrix

For any  $n \times n$  matrix  $A$ , the powers of  $A$  are defined as follows:  
 $A^0 = I$  where  $I$  is the  $n \times n$  identity matrix  
 $A^n = AA^{n-1} \quad \forall n \in \mathbb{Z}_{\geq 1}$

counting walks of length  $n$

number of walks of length  $n$  from  $v_i$  to  $v_j$   
= the  $ij$ -th entry of  $A^n$

isomorphism

• graph isomorphism ( $\cong$ ) is an equivalence relation.

Let  $G = (V_G, E_G)$  and  $G' = (V_{G'}, E_{G'})$  be two graphs.  
 $G \cong G' \Leftrightarrow$  there exist bijections  $g : V_G \rightarrow V_{G'}$  and  $h : E_G \rightarrow E_{G'}$  that preserve the edge-edgepoint functions of  $G$  and  $G'$  in the sense that  $\forall v \in V_G$  and  $e \in E_G$ ,  
 $v$  is an endpoint of  $e \Leftrightarrow g(v)$  is an endpoint of  $h(e)$ .

planar graph

• a graph that can be drawn on a two-dimensional plane without edges crossing.

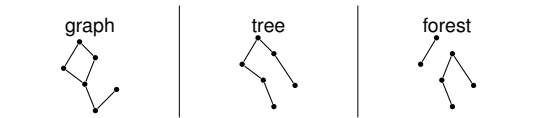
- divides a plane into *regions/faces* (includes 'outside' the graph)

**Euler's formula:**  
For a connected planar simple graph  $G = (V, E)$  with  $e = |E|$  and  $v = |V|$  and  $f$  faces,  
 $f = e - v + 2$

**Kuratowski's Theorem**  
A finite graph is planar  $\Leftrightarrow$  does not contain a subgraph that is a subdivision of the complete graph  $K_5$  or the complete bipartite graph  $K_3$

trees

- tree**  $\Leftrightarrow$  graph that is circuit-free and connected
  - (L10.5.4) If  $G$  is a connected graph with  $n$  vertices and  $n - 1$  edges, then  $G$  is a tree.
- trivial tree:** graph that comprises a single vertex
- forest**  $\Leftrightarrow$  graph is circuit-free and not connected
  - a group of trees
- terminal vertex:** a vertex of degree 1
- internal vertex:** a vertex of degree greater than 1



rooted trees

- rooted tree:** a tree in which there is one vertex that is distinguished from the others and is called the root.
- level** (of a vertex): the number of edges along the unique path between it and the root
- height** (of a rooted tree): the maximum level of any vertex of the tree
- children, parent, siblings, ancestor, decendant

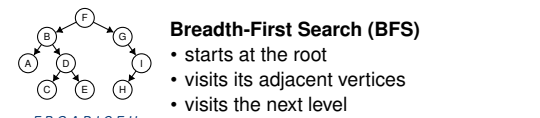
binary tree

- binary tree:** a rooted tree in which every parent has at most 2 children

- at most one left child and at most one right child
- full binary tree:** a binary tree in which every parent has exactly 2 children
- (left/right) **subtree:** Given any parent  $v$  in a binary tree  $T$ , the binary tree whose root is the (left/right) child of  $v$ , whose vertices consist of the left child of  $v$  and all its descendants, and whose edges consist of all those edges of  $T$  that connect the vertices of the left subtree.

**T10.6.1:** Full Binary Tree Theorem  
If  $T$  is a full binary tree with  $k$  internal vertices, then  $T$  has a total of  $2k + 1$  vertices and has  $k + 1$  terminal vertices.

binary tree traversal

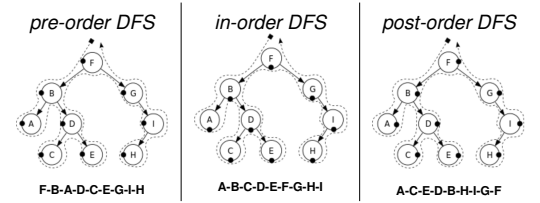


Breadth-First Search (BFS)

- starts at the root
- visits its adjacent vertices
- visits the next level

Depth-First Search (DFS)

- pre-order**
  - current vertex  $\rightarrow$  left subtree  $\rightarrow$  right subtree
- in-order**
  - left subtree  $\rightarrow$  current vertex  $\rightarrow$  right subtree
- post-order**
  - left subtree  $\rightarrow$  right subtree  $\rightarrow$  current vertex



spanning trees

- spanning tree** (for a graph  $G$ ): a subgraph of  $G$  that contains every vertex of  $G$  and is a tree.
  - $w(e)$  - weight of edge  $e$
  - $w(G)$  - total weight of  $G$
- weighted graph:** each edge has an associated positive real number weight
  - total weight:** sum of the weights of all edges
- minimum spanning tree:** least possible total weight compared to all other spanning trees

Kruskal's algorithm

For a connected weighted graph  $G$  with  $n$  vertices:

- initialise  $T$  to have all the vertices of  $G$  and no edges.
- let  $E$  be the set of all edges in  $G$ ; let  $m = 0$
- while ( $m < n - 1$ )
  - find and remove the edge  $e$  in  $E$  of least weight
  - if adding  $e$  to the edge set of  $T$  does not produce a circuit:
    - add  $e$  to the edge set of  $T$
    - set  $m = m + 1$

Prim's algorithm

For a connected weighted graph  $G$  with  $n$  vertices:

- pick any vertex  $v$  of  $G$  and let  $T$  be the graph with this vertex only
- let  $V$  be the set of all vertices of  $G$  except  $v$
- for ( $i = 0$  to  $n - 1$ )
  - find the edge  $e$  in  $G$  with the least weight of all the edges connected to  $T$ . let  $w$  be the endpoint of  $e$ .
  - add  $e$  and  $w$  to the edge and vertex sets of  $T$
  - delete  $w$  from  $v$



LOGICAL EQUIVALENCES			SET IDENTITIES		
commutative laws	$p \wedge q \equiv q \wedge p$	$p \vee q \equiv q \vee p$	commutative laws	$A \cap B = B \cap A$	$A \cup B = B \cup A$
associative laws	$(p \wedge q) \wedge r \equiv p \wedge (q \wedge r)$	$(p \vee q) \vee r \equiv p \vee (q \vee r)$	associative laws	$(A \cap B) \cap C = A \cap (B \cap C)$	$(A \cup B) \cup C = A \cup (B \cup C)$
distributive laws	$p \wedge (q \vee r) \equiv (p \wedge q) \vee (p \wedge r)$	$p \vee (q \wedge r) \equiv (p \vee q) \wedge (p \vee r)$	distributive laws	$A \cap (B \cup C) = (A \cap B) \cup (A \cap C)$	$A \cup (B \cap C) = (A \cup B) \cap (A \cup C)$
identity laws	$p \wedge \text{true} \equiv p$	$p \vee \text{false} \equiv p$	identity laws	$A \cap U = A$	$A \cup \emptyset = A$
idempotent laws	$p \wedge p \equiv p$	$p \vee p \equiv p$	idempotent laws	$A \cap A = A$	$A \cup A = A$
universal bound laws	$p \vee \text{true} \equiv \text{true}$	$p \wedge \text{false} \equiv \text{false}$	universal bound laws	$A \cap \emptyset = \emptyset$	$A \cup U = U$
negation laws	$p \vee \sim p \equiv \text{true}$	$p \wedge \sim p \equiv \text{false}$	complement laws	$A \cap \overline{A} = \emptyset$	$A \cup \overline{A} = U$
double negation law	$\sim(\sim p) \equiv p$	—	double <b>complement</b> law	$\overline{(\overline{A})} = A$	—
absorption laws	$p \vee (p \wedge q) \equiv p$	$p \wedge (p \vee q) \equiv p$	absorption laws	$A \cup (A \cap B) = A$	$A \cap (A \cup B) = A$
De Morgan's Laws	$\sim(p \vee q) \equiv \sim p \wedge \sim q$	$\sim(p \wedge q) \equiv \sim p \vee \sim q$	De Morgan's Laws	$\overline{A \cup B} = \overline{A} \cap \overline{B}$	$\overline{A \cap B} = \overline{A} \cup \overline{B}$

proven:

number theory

- E1.1 - the product of 2 consecutive odd numbers is always odd.
- E1.5 - the difference between 2 consecutive squares is always odd
- E1.4 - the sum of any 2 even integers is even
- T4.6.1 - there is no greatest integer
- T8.2.8 - there are infinitely many prime numbers
- T4.3.1 - for all positive integers  $a$  and  $b$ , if  $a|b$ , then  $a \leq b$ .
- P4.6.4 - for all integers  $n$ , if  $n^2$  is even then  $n$  is even
- T4.2.1 - all integers are rational numbers
- T4.2.2 - the sum of any 2 rational numbers is rational
- E1.7 - there exist irrational numbers  $p$  and  $q$  such that  $p^q$  is rational
- T4.7.1 -  $\sqrt{2}$  is irrational.
- T4.3.2 - the only divisors of 1 are 1 and  $-1$ .

divisibility

- L8.1.5 - Let  $d, n \in \mathbb{Z}$  with  $d \neq 0$ . Then  $d \mid n \Leftrightarrow n/d \in \mathbb{Z}$
- L8.1.9 - Let  $d, n \in \mathbb{Z}$ . If  $d \mid n$ , then  $-d \mid n$  and  $d \mid -n$  and  $-d \mid -n$
- L8.1.10 - Let  $d, n \in \mathbb{Z}$ . If  $d \mid n$  and  $d \neq 0$ , then  $|d| \leq |n|$
- L8.2.5 - **Prime Divisor Lemma** (non-standard name):
  - Let  $n \in \mathbb{Z}_{\geq 2}$ . Then  $n$  has a prime divisor.
- P8.2.6 - **sizes of prime divisors**:
  - Let  $n$  be a composite positive integer. Then  $n$  has a prime divisor  $p \leq \sqrt{n}$ .

base-b representation

- T8.3.13 -  $\forall n \in \mathbb{Z}^+, \exists ! \ell \in \mathbb{Z}_{\geq 0}$  and  $a_0, a_1, \dots, a_\ell \in \{0, 1, \dots, b-1\}$  such that the definition of base-b representation <sub>$b$</sub>  holds.

logic

- T3.2.1 - negation of a universal statement:

- $\sim(\forall x \in D, P(x)) \equiv \exists x \in D \mid \sim P(x)$
- T3.2.2 - negation of an existential statement:
  - $\sim(\exists x \in D \mid P(x)) \equiv \forall x \in D, \sim P(x)$

sets

- T5.1.14 - there exists a unique set with no element. It is denoted by  $\emptyset$ .
- E5.3.7 - for all  $A, B$ :  $(A \cap B) \cup (A \setminus B) = A$
- T5.3.11(1) - let  $A, B$  be disjoint finite sets. Then  $|A \cup B| = |A| + |B|$
- T5.3.11(2) - let  $A_1, A_2, \dots, A_n$  be pairwise disjoint finite sets. Then  $|A_1 \cup A_2 \cup \dots \cup A_n| = |A_1| + |A_2| + \dots + |A_n|$
- T5.3.12 - **Inclusion-Exclusion Principle**:
  - for all finite sets  $A$  and  $B$ ,  $|A \cup B| = |A| + |B| - |A \cap B|$

induction

- L7.3.19 - If  $x \in \text{WFF}^+(\Sigma)$ , then assigning false to all elements of  $\Sigma$  makes  $x$  evaluate to false.
- T7.3.20 -  $\sim(\forall x \in \text{WFF}(\Sigma), \exists y \in \text{WFF}^+(\Sigma) \ y \equiv x) \equiv \exists x \in \text{WFF}(\Sigma) \ \forall y \in \text{WFF}^+(\Sigma) \ y \not\equiv x$  aka  $\sim$  (not) must be included in the definition of WFF.

relations

- E9.2.11 - The equality relation  $R$  on a set  $A$  has equivalence classes of the form  $[x] = \{y \in A : x = y\} = \{x\}$  where  $x \in A$
- T9.3.4 - Let  $R$  be an equivalence relation on a set  $A$ . Then  $A/R$  is a partition of  $A$ .
- T9.3.5 - If  $\mathcal{C}$  is a partition of  $A$ , then there is an equivalence relation of  $R$  on  $A$  such that  $A/R = \mathcal{C}$ .
- L9.5.5 - Consider a partial order  $\preceq$  on set  $A$ .
  - A smallest element is minimal.

- There is at most one smallest element.

graphs

- L10.2.1 - Let  $G$  be a graph.
  - L10.2.1a - If  $G$  is connected, then any two distinct vertices of  $G$  can be connected by a path
  - L10.2.1b - If vertices  $v$  and  $w$  are part of a circuit in  $G$  and one edge is removed from the circuit, then there still exists a trail from  $v$  to  $w$  in  $G$ .
  - L10.2.1c - If  $G$  is connected and  $G$  contains a circuit, then an edge of the circuit can be removed without disconnecting  $G$ .
- L10.5.1 - Any non-trivial tree has at least one vertex of degree 1.
- T10.5.2 - Any tree with  $n$  vertices ( $n > 0$ ) has  $n - 1$  edges.
- L10.5.3 - If  $G$  is any connected graph,  $C$  is any circuit in  $G$ , and one of the edges of  $C$  is removed from  $G$ , then the graph that remains is still connected.
- L10.5.4 - If  $G$  is a connected graph with  $n$  vertices and  $n - 1$  edges, then  $G$  is a tree.
- T10.6.1 - If  $T$  is a full binary tree with  $k$  internal vertices, then  $T$  has a total of  $2k + 1$  vertices and has  $k + 1$  terminal vertices.
- T10.6.2 - For non-negative integers  $h$ , if  $T$  is any binary tree with height  $h$  and  $t$  terminal vertices, then  $t \leq 2^h$ .
- P10.7.1 -
  - Every connected graph has a spanning tree.
  - Any two spanning trees for a graph have the same number of edges

abbreviations

- L - lemma
- E - example
- P - proposition
- T - theorem