

Tutorial 10

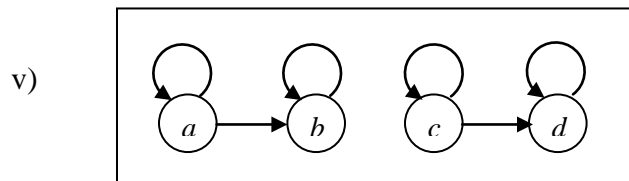
1. Determine whether the relation R is a partial order on the set A .

i) $A = \mathbb{Z}$, and $a R b$ if and only if $a = 2b$.

ii) $A = \mathbb{R}$, and $a R b$ if and only if $a \leq b$.

iii) $\mathbf{M}_R = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$

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2. Find the lexicographic ordering of the following strings of lowercase English letters:

i) quack, quick, quicksilver, quicksand, quacking

ii) zoo, zero, zoom, zoology, zoological

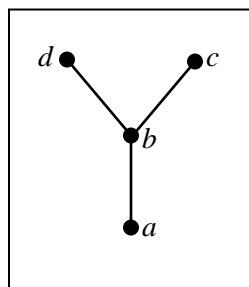
3. Find the lexicographic ordering of the bit strings 0, 01, 11, 001, 010, 011, 0001, and 0101 based on the ordering $0 < 1$.

4. Write the dual of the following posets.

i) $(\{0, 1, 2\}, \leq)$

ii) $(\mathbb{Z}^+, |)$

5. List all ordered pairs in the partial order whose Hasse diagram is shown as below.

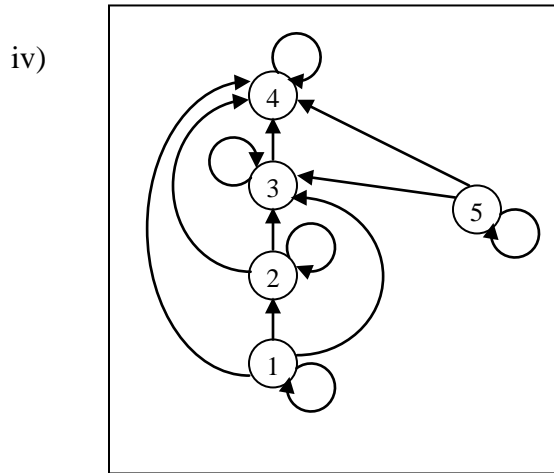


6. Draw the Hasse diagram for each of the following posets.

i) a is a divisor of b on the set $\{1, 2, 3, 5, 7, 11, 13\}$.

ii) X is a subset of Y on the set of all subsets of $\{1, 2, 3\}$.

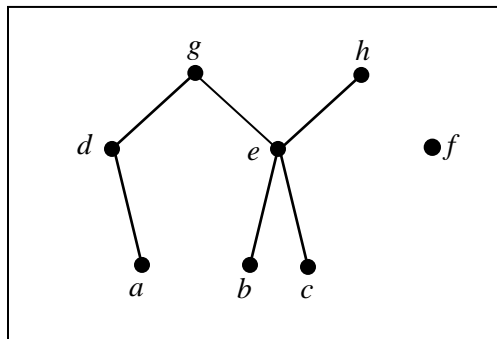
iii) $A = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5\}$,
$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$



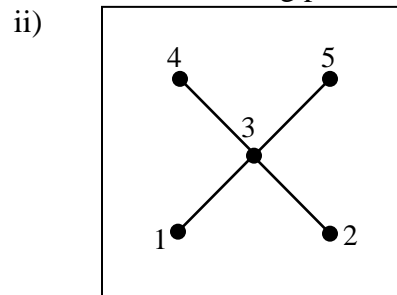
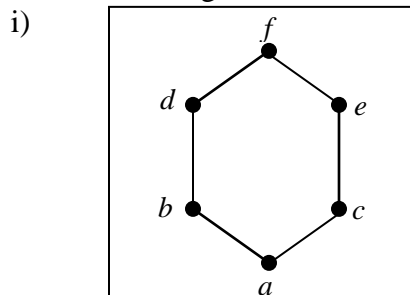
7. Consider the partial order of divisibility on the set A . Draw the Hasse diagram of the poset and determine which posets are linearly ordered.

- i) $A = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 10, 15, 30\}$
 ii) $A = \{3, 6, 12, 36, 72\}$

8. Given the Hasse diagram of a partial order R on $A = \{a, b, c, d, e, f, g, h\}$. List the elements of R and write down the maximal and minimal elements of A .



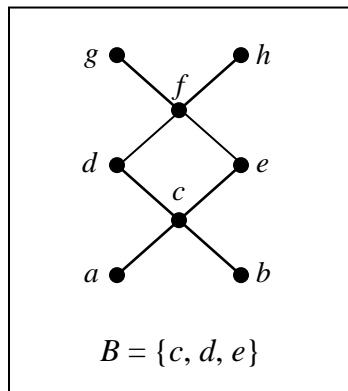
9. Determine the greatest and least elements, if exist, of the following posets.



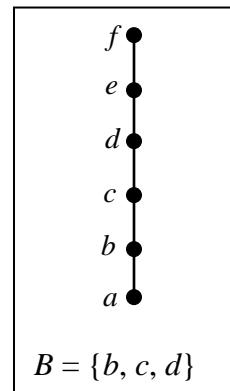
10. Consider the following posets whose Hasse diagrams are shown. Find, if they exist,

- i) maximal and minimal elements;
- ii) all upper bounds of B ;
- iii) all lower bounds of B ;
- iv) the least upper bound of B ;
- v) the greatest lower bound of B .

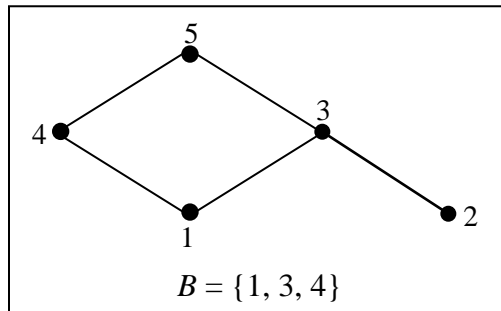
a)



b)



c)



11. Answer the following questions concerning the poset $(\{3, 5, 9, 15, 24, 45\}, |)$.

- i) Find the maximal and minimal elements.
- ii) Determine the greatest element and least element, if exist.
- iii) Find all upper bounds and least upper bounds of $\{3, 5\}$, if exist.
- iv) Find all lower bounds of $\{15, 45\}$. Hence determine the greatest lower bound of $\{15, 45\}$, if exist.

12. Let $A = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6\}$ and consider the partial order R on A as

$$R = \{(6, 6), (6, 5), (6, 4), (6, 3), (6, 2), (6, 1), (5, 5), (5, 3), (5, 2), (5, 1), (4, 4), (4, 3), (4, 2), (4, 1), (3, 3), (3, 2), (3, 1), (2, 2), (1, 1)\}.$$

- i) Draw a Hasse diagram of the poset $[A, R]$.
- ii) Find the minimal and maximal elements of the poset $[A, R]$.
- iii) Find the least upper bound of $\{2, 5\}$, if it exists.
- iv) Find the greatest lower bound of $\{5, 4\}$, if exists.