

# SECI1013: DISCRETE STRUCTURE

## ASSIGNMENT 1 (PART 1): CHAPTER 1

### (SECPH - 02)

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### Question 1

$$U = \{x \in \mathbb{Z}, 0 \leq x \leq 20\}$$

$$A = \{2, 3, 5, 7, 11, 13, 17, 19\}$$

$$B = \{10, 12, 14, 16, 18, 20\}$$

$$C = \{1, 3, 5, 7, 9\}$$

$$1. (a) A \cap C \cup B = \{3, 5, 7, 10, 12, 14, 16, 18, 20\}$$

$$1. (b) A \cap B \cup C = \{1, 3, 5, 7, 9\}$$

$$\begin{aligned} P(A \cap B \cup C) = & \{ \emptyset, \{1\}, \{3\}, \{5\}, \{7\}, \{9\}, \{1, 3\}, \{1, 5\}, \\ & \{1, 7\}, \{1, 9\}, \{3, 5\}, \{3, 7\}, \{3, 9\}, \{5, 7\}, \\ & \{5, 9\}, \{7, 9\}, \{1, 3, 5\}, \{1, 3, 7\}, \{1, 3, 9\}, \\ & \{1, 5, 7\}, \{1, 5, 9\}, \{1, 7, 9\}, \{1, 3, 5, 7\}, \{1, 3, 5, 9\}, \\ & \{3, 5, 7, 9\}, \{5, 7, 9\}, \{3, 7, 9\}, \{3, 5, 7\}, \{3, 5, 9\}, \\ & \{1, 3, 5, 7, 9\}, \{1, 3, 7, 9\}, \{1, 5, 7, 9\} \} \end{aligned}$$

$$1. (c) A - C = \{2, 11, 13, 17, 19\}$$

$$1. (d) |A| = 8, \quad |B| = 6, \quad |C| = 5$$

$$1. (e) A \cap C = \{3, 5, 7\}$$

$$P(A \cap C) = \{ \emptyset, \{3\}, \{5\}, \{7\}, \{3, 5\}, \{3, 7\}, \{5, 7\}, \{3, 5, 7\} \}$$

$$|P(A \cap C)| = 8$$

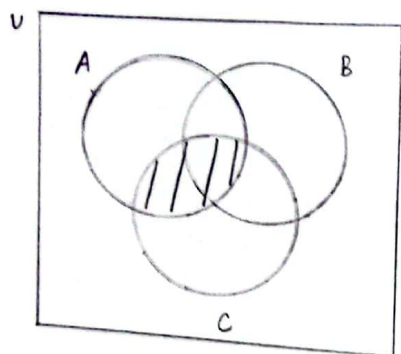
$$1. (f) B \subset C'$$

= True

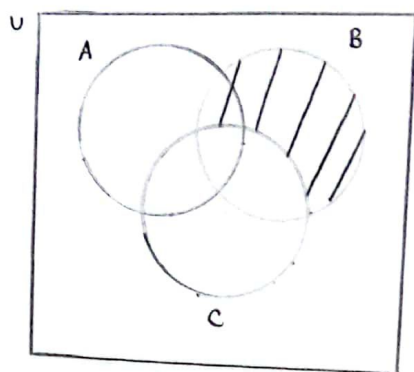
$$1. (g) (A \cup B \cup C) \subseteq U$$

= True

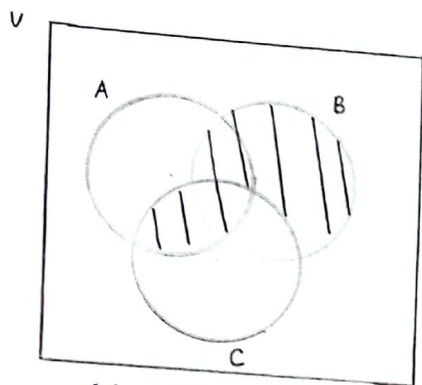
$$2(a) (A - C') \cup (B - C) = A \cup B$$



$(A - C')$

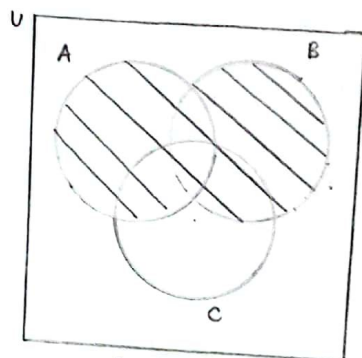


$(B - C)$



$(A - C') \cup (B - C)$

$\neq$



$A \cup B$

$$\therefore (A - C') \cup (B - C) \neq A \cup B$$

$$(b) (A \cap B) \cup (A - B) = A$$

$$\begin{aligned} (A \cap B) \cup (A - B) &= (A \cap B) \cup (A \cap B') \\ &= A \cap (B \cup B') \\ &= A \cap U \\ &= A \end{aligned}$$

(set difference law)  
(distributive law)  
(complement law)  
(properties of universal)

$$3(a) S = \{a, b, c, d, e, f, g\}$$

$$T = \{h, j, k, l, m, n, p, q\}$$

$$E = \{p, q, r, s, t, v, w, y, z\}$$

$$(u) T \cap E = \{p, q\}$$

$$S \times (T \cap E) = \{(a, p), (a, q), (b, p), (b, q), (c, p), (c, q), (d, p), (d, q), (e, p), (e, q), (f, p), (f, q), (g, p), (g, q)\}$$

#### Question 4

(a)  $\{a\} \in A$

TRUE

(b)  $\{a, b\} \in A$

TRUE

#### Question 5

(a)  $Q = (p \wedge r) \vee (q \vee \neg r)$ ,  $R = (p \vee q) \vee \neg r$

p	q	r	$\neg r$	$(p \wedge r)$	$(q \vee \neg r)$	$(p \wedge r) \vee (q \vee \neg r)$	$(p \vee q)$	$(p \vee q) \vee \neg r$
T	T	T	F	T	T	T	T	T
T	T	F	T	F	T	T	T	T
T	F	T	F	T	F	T	T	T
T	F	F	T	F	T	T	T	T
F	T	T	F	F	T	T	T	T
F	T	F	T	F	T	T	T	T
F	F	T	F	F	F	F	F	F
F	F	F	T	F	T	T	F	T

$\therefore Q \equiv R$

(b)  $Q = (p \wedge r) \vee \neg(p \wedge \neg q)$ ,  $R = (p \wedge r) \rightarrow (q \vee r)$

p	q	r	$\neg q$	$(p \wedge r)$	$(p \wedge \neg q)$	$\neg(p \wedge \neg q)$	$(p \wedge r) \vee \neg(p \wedge \neg q)$	$(q \vee r)$	$(p \wedge r) \rightarrow (q \vee r)$
T	T	T	F	T	F	T	T	T	T
T	T	F	F	F	F	T	T	T	T
T	F	T	T	T	T	F	T	T	T
T	F	F	T	F	T	F	F	F	T
F	T	T	F	F	F	T	T	T	T
F	T	F	F	F	F	T	T	T	T
F	F	T	T	F	F	T	T	T	T
F	F	F	T	F	F	T	T	F	T

$\therefore Q \neq R$



### Question 6

6. (a) The above statements is not true.  
The counterexample is 1.

6. (b) The above statements is not true.  
The counterexample is 8.

### Question 7

$$7. \exists x (P(x) \wedge Q(x))$$

### Question 8

$$a = 2n + 1$$

$$\begin{aligned} a^2 - 3a &= (2n+1)^2 - 3(2n+1) \\ &= 4n^2 + 4n + 1 - 6n - 3 \\ &= 4n^2 - 2n - 2 \\ &= 2(2n^2 - n - 1) \\ &= 2m, \text{ where } m = 2n^2 - n - 1 \end{aligned}$$

$a^2 - 3a$  is even

$\therefore$  for all integers of  $a$ , if  $a$  is odd, then  $a^2 - 3a$  is even

### Question 9

• Suppose  $n^2$  is odd, and  $n$  is even which is not odd.

• Let,  $n = 2m$  (even)

$$n^2 = (2m)^2$$

$$n^2 = 4m^2 \text{ (even)}$$

• Contradiction.

• Thus, we conclude that the statement is true.