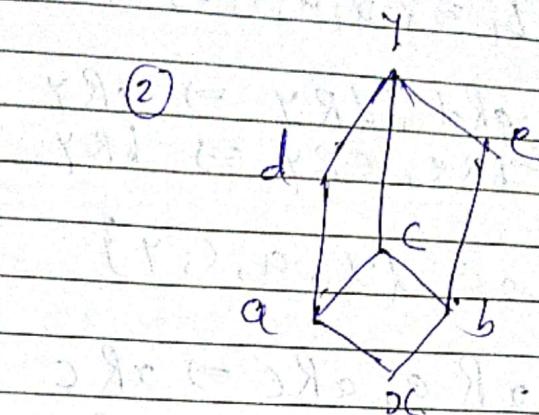
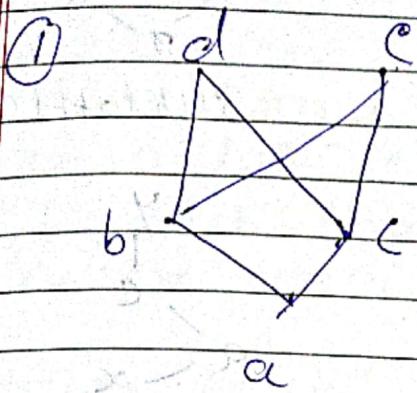


\Rightarrow Sub-lattice:



\Rightarrow Solⁿ: ① Lattice \Rightarrow Join & Meet.

a) Is it Lattice?

$1 \rightarrow GLB$ & LUB single bottom.
no single bottom. d & e \rightarrow Join not exist

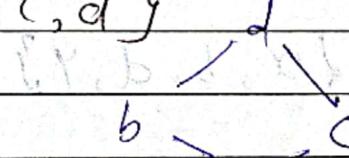
Not a Lattice

b) Subset, $m = \{a, b, c, d\}$

$$GLB = a$$

$$LUB = d$$

$$\Rightarrow L$$



c) $\{b, c, d, e\}$

$$\begin{matrix} d \\ \diagup \\ b \\ \diagup \\ c \end{matrix} \Rightarrow \text{Not lattice.}$$

d) $\{a, b, c, e\}$

$$\begin{matrix} e \\ \diagup \\ b \\ \diagup \\ c \\ \diagup \\ a \end{matrix} \rightarrow \text{Lattice.}$$

② Solⁿ ②

$$LUB = \{y\} \Rightarrow \text{lattice}$$

$$GLB = \{x\}$$

$$1) L_1 = \{x, a, y, b\}$$

~~transitivity~~ $aRd, dRy \Rightarrow aRy$
 $bRc, cRy \Rightarrow bRy$

$$2) L_2 = \{x, a, c, y\}$$

$aRa, aRc \Rightarrow aRc$
 $aRd, dRy \Rightarrow aRy$

$$3) L_3 = \{x, c, d, y\}$$

$cRd \Rightarrow$ but it's ~~AS & min~~

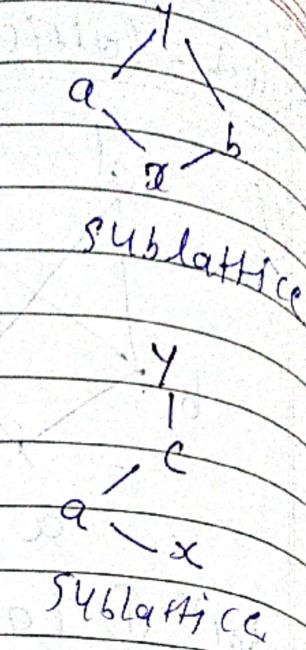
sublattice

(*) $xRa, aRd \Rightarrow xRd$
 $xRa, aRc \Rightarrow xRc$

$$4) L_4 = \{x, b, d, y\}$$

$xRa, aRd \Rightarrow dRy$

$bRc, cRy \Rightarrow bRy$



some edges are not in parent diagram
 but it can draw due to transitivity.

\Rightarrow Sublattices (definition)

A sublattice of a lattice L is a non-empty subset of L that is lattice with the same meet and join operations as L .

$$\begin{matrix} \alpha \vee \beta = \beta \\ \alpha \wedge \beta = \alpha \end{matrix}$$

Ans: Is sublattice is lattice in itself ?

\Rightarrow Upper Bound (Maximum - I) of a lattice.

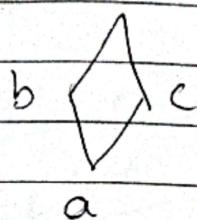
- In a lattice 'L', if there exists an element 'I', such that $\forall a \in L \quad (a \leq I)$, then 'I' is called upper bound of the lattice.

\Rightarrow Lower Bound (Minimum - O) of a lattice :

- In a lattice 'L', if there exists an element 'O', such that $\forall a \in L \quad (O \leq a)$, then 'O' is called lower bound of the lattice.

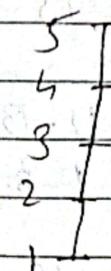
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d.



$$\begin{matrix} UB = d \\ LB = a \end{matrix}$$

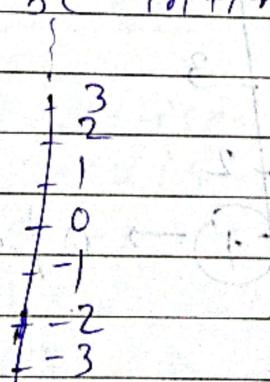
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$$\begin{matrix} UB = 5 \\ LB = 1 \end{matrix}$$

\Rightarrow Is lattice is always finite ?

Ans: No, it can be infinite.



It's infinite.

$\begin{matrix} -4 \\ -5 \end{matrix} \cup \{0\}$ If have Join & Meet but NO

Lower bound & Upper bound

\Rightarrow It is Lattice

If Lattice \rightarrow finite = bounded
UB & LB exists.

\Rightarrow we compare it with set theory:

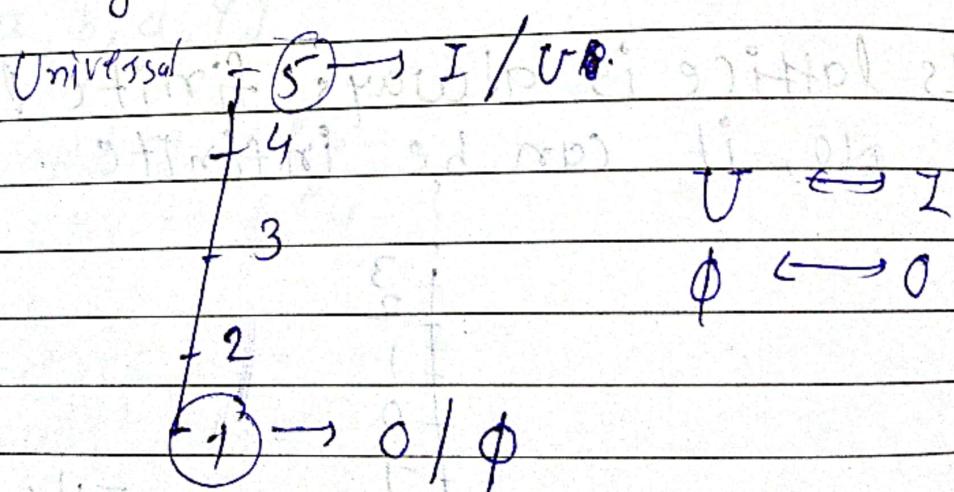
U.B. of set theory = Universal set
L.B. " " " " = \emptyset , Null set

$$A \cup U = U, A \cap U = A$$
$$A \cup \emptyset = A, A \cap \emptyset = \emptyset$$

\rightarrow Lattice is also an Universe in itself.

U.B. = Universal set
L.B. = empty set.

according to set theory,



$$2 \& 4, + U.B. = 6$$

$$LUB = 4$$

$$2 \& 4, L.B. = ?$$

$$GLB = 2$$

Now,

Join with U.B. \Rightarrow U.B. $a \vee j = j$, $a \wedge j = a$
Meet with L.B. \Rightarrow L.B. $a \vee 0 = a$, $a \wedge 0 = 0$

all lattice are bounded (finite).
some unbounded lattice are also there

\Rightarrow complement:

If set = A

compl. = A^c

Compl.-law $\Rightarrow A \cup A^c = U$

$A \cap A^c = \emptyset$

join in lattice
 \Rightarrow Meet in lattice.

e.g. complement of 2 = ?

~~Meet & join~~
 $a \vee a^c = j$
 $a \wedge a^c = 0$

\Rightarrow complement of an element in a lattice:

- In a bounded lattice L, for any element $a \in L$, if there exist an element $b \in L$, such that $a \vee b = j$, $a \wedge b = 0$, that b is called complement of 'a', we can say a & b are complement of each other.

NOW,

As we know

$$A \cup A^c = U$$

$$A \cap A^c = \emptyset$$

$$\forall V \setminus A^c = Z$$

$$A \cap A^c = \emptyset$$

b cases

$$V^c = \emptyset \Rightarrow I^c = 0$$

$$V^c = U \Rightarrow O^c = I$$

for $a^c d$

(1)

$$a^c = d \text{ & } d^c = a \Rightarrow \text{check condition}$$

$$AVd = d \quad \text{we have to show}$$

$$A \cap d = a$$

$$UB = d, LUB = d$$

$$LB = a, GLB = a$$

$$\Rightarrow a^c = d \text{ & } d^c = a$$

commutative

a and d are pair

for b & c

(2)

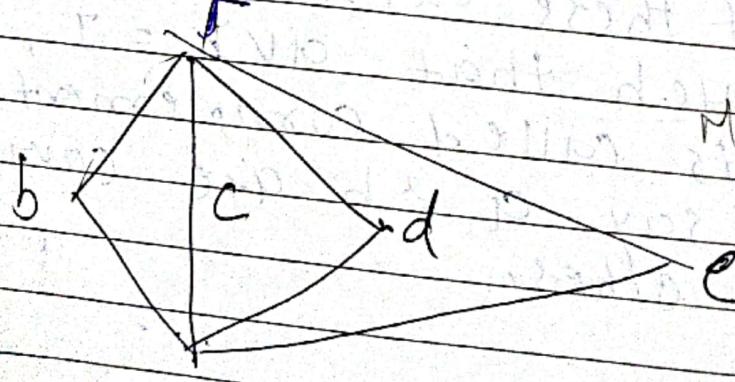
$$b^c = c \text{ & } c^c = b$$

$$b \vee c = d \Rightarrow \text{Int. } d \text{ UB}$$

$$b \wedge c = a \Rightarrow \text{Int. } a \text{ LB}$$

$$b^c = c \text{ & } c^c = b$$

Eg.



NOW here,

More than one
(coincident)

In set theory, these are complements for all sets.
Has set to itself complement lattice.

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$$a^c = f \text{ & } f^c = a$$

$$a \vee f = f$$

$$a \wedge f = a$$

$$\text{for } b \text{ & } c \Rightarrow L.B = a$$

$$b \vee c = a \oplus a$$

$$U.B = f$$

$$b \vee c = b \oplus f$$

$$b^c = c \text{ (&) } c^c = b$$

$$\text{for } b \text{ & } d \Rightarrow L.B = a \quad b \vee d = f$$

$$U.B = f$$

$$b \wedge d = a$$

$$b^c = d \text{ & } d^c = b$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{b^c = c, d, d^c = b, c^c = b}.$$

$$\text{for } a \text{ & } b \Rightarrow L.B = a \quad a \vee b = f$$

$$U.B = f$$

$$a \wedge b = a$$

$$e^c = b \text{ & } b^c = e$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{\begin{array}{l} a^c = y \\ b^c = c, d, e \\ c^c = b, d, e \\ d^c = b, c, e \\ e^c = b, c, d \end{array}}$$

These exist +
More than 1 complement for
all element.

More than 1 complement
exists. \Rightarrow Distributive law fails

\Rightarrow Probability arise

more than 1 complete
distributive law fails

for that only

No complement
complementation law fails

Complemented & distributive lattice

PROPERTIES OF LATTICES

Property 1

If $\{L, \leq\}$ is a lattice, then for any $a, b, c \in L$,

- | | | |
|---|---|-----------------|
| $\checkmark L_1: a \vee a = a$ | $(L_1)': a \wedge a = a$ | (Idempotency) |
| $\checkmark L_2: a \vee b = b \vee a$ | $(L_2)': a \wedge b = b \wedge a$ | (Commutativity) |
| $\checkmark L_3: a \vee (b \vee c) = (a \vee b) \vee c$ | $(L_3)': a \wedge (b \wedge c) = (a \wedge b) \wedge c$ | (Associativity) |
| $\checkmark L_4: a \vee (a \wedge b) = a$ | $(L_4)': a \wedge (a \vee b) = a$ | (Absorption) |

Proof

- (i) $a \vee a = \text{LUB } \{a, a\} = \text{LUB } \{a\} = a$. Hence L_1 follows.
- (ii) $a \vee b = \text{LUB } \{a, b\} = \text{LUB } \{b, a\} = b \vee a$ $\{\because \text{LUB } \{a, b\} \text{ is unique.}\}$
Hence L_2 follows.
- (iii) Since $(a \vee b) \vee c$ is the LUB $\{(a \vee b), c\}$, we have

$$a \vee b \leq (a \vee b) \vee c \quad (1)$$

$$\text{and } c \leq (a \vee b) \vee c \quad (2)$$

Since $a \vee b$ is the LUB $\{a, b\}$, we have

$$a \leq a \vee b \quad (3)$$

$$\text{and } b \leq a \vee b \quad (4)$$

$$\text{From (1) and (3), } a \leq (a \vee b) \vee c \quad \text{by transitivity} \quad (5)$$

$$\text{From (1) and (4), } b \leq (a \vee b) \vee c \quad \text{by transitivity} \quad (6)$$

$$\text{From (2) and (6), } b \vee c \leq (a \vee b) \vee c \quad \text{by definition of join} \quad (7)$$

$$\text{From (5) and (7), } a \vee (b \vee c) \leq (a \vee b) \vee c \quad \text{by definition of join} \quad (8)$$

$$\text{Similarly, } a \leq a \vee (b \vee c) \quad (9)$$

$$b \leq b \vee c \leq a \vee (b \vee c) \quad (10)$$

$$\text{and } c \leq b \vee c \leq a \vee (b \vee c) \quad (11)$$

$$\text{From (9) & (10), } a \vee b \leq a \vee (b \vee c) \quad (12)$$

From (8) and (13), by antisymmetry of \leq , we get
 $a \vee (b \vee c) = (a \vee b) \vee c$.

Hence L_3 follows.

(iv) Since $a \wedge b$ is the GLB $\{a, b\}$, we have

$$\begin{aligned} a \wedge b &\leq a \\ \text{Also } &a \leq a \end{aligned} \tag{1}$$

$$\text{From (1) and (2), } a \vee (a \wedge b) \leq a \tag{2}$$

$$\text{Also } a \leq a \vee (a \wedge b) \tag{3}$$

$$\text{by definition of LUB} \tag{4}$$

\therefore From (3) and (4), by antisymmetry, we get $a \vee (a \wedge b) = a$.
Hence L_4 follows.

Now the identities $(L_1)'$ to $(L_4)'$ follow from the principle of duality.

Property 2

If $\{L, \leq\}$ is a lattice in which \vee and \wedge denote the operations of join and meet respectively, then for $a, b \in L$,

$$a \leq b \Leftrightarrow a \vee b = b \Leftrightarrow a \wedge b = a.$$

In other words,

- (i) $a \vee b = b$, if and only if $a \leq b$. ✓
- (ii) $a \wedge b = a$, if and only if $a \leq b$.
- (iii) $a \wedge b = a$, if and only if $a \vee b = b$.

Proof

(i) Let $a \leq b$.

Now $b \leq b$ (by reflexivity).

$$\therefore a \vee b \leq b \tag{1}$$

Since $a \vee b$ is the LUB (a, b) ,

$$b \leq a \vee b \tag{2}$$

From (1) and (2), we get $a \vee b = b$ (3)

Let $a \vee b = b$.

Since $a \vee b$ is the LUB (a, b) ,

$$a \leq a \vee b \tag{4}$$

i.e., $a \leq b$, by the data

From (3) and (4), result (i) follows. Result (ii) can be proved in a way similar to the proof (i).

From (i) and (ii), result (iii) follows.

Note Property (2) gives a connection between the partial ordering relation \leq and the two binary operations \vee and \wedge in a lattice $\{L, \leq\}$.

Property 3 (Isotonic Property)

If $\{L, \leq\}$ is a lattice, then for any $a, b, c \in L$, the following properties hold good:

If $b \leq c$, then (i) $a \vee b \leq a \vee c$ and (ii) $a \wedge b \leq a \wedge c$.

Proof

Since $b \leq c$, $b \vee c = c$, by property 2(i). Also $a \vee a = a$, by idempotent property

Now $a \vee c = (a \vee a) \vee (b \vee c)$, by the above steps

$$\begin{aligned} &= a \vee (a \vee b) \vee c, \text{ by associativity} \\ &= a \vee (b \vee a) \vee c, \text{ by commutativity} \\ &= (a \vee b) \vee (a \vee c), \text{ by associativity} \end{aligned}$$

This is of the form $x \vee y = y$, i.e., $x \leq y$, by property 2(i).

i.e., $a \vee b \leq a \vee c$, which is the required result (i).

Similarly, result (ii) can be proved.

Property 4 (Distributive Inequalities)

If $\{L, \leq\}$ is a lattice, then for any $a, b, c \in L$,

- (i) $a \wedge (b \vee c) \geq (a \wedge b) \vee (a \wedge c)$
- (ii) $a \vee (b \wedge c) \leq (a \vee b) \wedge (a \vee c)$.

Proof

Since $a \wedge b$ is the GLB(a, b), $a \wedge b \leq a$ (1)

Also $a \wedge b \leq b \leq b \vee c$ (2)

since $b \vee c$ is the LUB of b and c .

From (1) and (2), we have $a \wedge b$ is a lower bound of $\{a, b \vee c\}$

$\therefore a \wedge b \leq a \wedge (b \vee c)$ (3)

Similarly

$$a \wedge c \leq a$$

and

$$a \wedge c \leq c \leq b \vee c$$

$\therefore a \wedge c \leq a \wedge (b \vee c)$ (4)

From (3) and (4), we get

$$(a \wedge b) \vee (a \wedge c) \leq a \wedge (b \vee c)$$

i.e., $a \wedge (b \vee c) \geq (a \wedge b) \vee (a \wedge c)$, which is result (i).

Result (ii) follows by the principle of duality.

Property 5 (Modular Inequality)

If $\{L, \leq\}$ is a lattice, then for any $a, b, c \in L$, $a \leq c \Leftrightarrow a \vee (b \wedge c) \leq (a \vee b) \wedge c$. (1)

Proof

Since $a \leq c$, $a \vee c = c$ (1), by property 2(i)

$a \vee (b \wedge c) \leq (a \vee b) \wedge (a \vee c)$ (2), by property 4(ii)

i.e., $a \vee (b \wedge c) \leq (a \vee b) \wedge c$ (3), by (1)

Now $a \vee (b \wedge c) \leq (a \vee b) \wedge c$

$\therefore a \leq a \vee (b \wedge c) \leq (a \vee b) \wedge c \leq c$, by the definitions of LUB and GLB (4)

i.e., $a \leq c$

From (3) and (4), we get

$$a \leq c \Leftrightarrow a \vee (b \wedge c) \leq (a \vee b) \wedge c.$$

LATTICE AS ALGEBRAIC SYSTEM

A set together with certain operations (rules) for combining the elements of the set to form other elements of the set is usually referred to as an algebraic system. Lattice L was introduced by

LATTICE HOMOMORPHISM

Ordered Set in which for every pair of elements $a, b \in L$, $\text{LUB}(a, b) = a \vee b$ and $\text{GLB}(a, b) = a \wedge b$ exist in the set. That is, in a Lattice $\{L, \leq\}$, for every pair of elements a, b of L , the two elements $a \vee b$ and $a \wedge b$ of L are obtained by means of the operations \vee and \wedge . Due to this, the operations \vee and \wedge are considered as binary operations on L . Moreover we have seen that \vee and \wedge satisfy certain properties such as commutativity, associativity and absorption. The formal definition of a lattice as an algebraic system is given as follows:

Definition

A lattice is an algebraic system (L, \vee, \wedge) with two binary operations \vee and \wedge on L which satisfy the commutative, associative and absorption laws.

Note We have not explicitly included the idempotent law in the definition, since

the absorption law implies the idempotent law as follows:
 $a \vee a = a \vee [a \wedge (a \vee a)]$, by using $a \vee a$ for $a \vee b$ in (L_4) of property 1
 $= a$, by using $a \vee a$ for b in L_4 of property 1.

$a \wedge a = a$ follows by duality.

Though the above definition does not assume the existence of any partial ordering on L , it is implied by the properties of the operations \vee and \wedge as explained below:

Let us assume that there exists a relation R on L such that for $a, b \in L$,

$$aRb \text{ if and only if } a \vee b = b$$

For any $a \in L$, $a \vee a = a$, by idempotency

$\therefore aRa$ or R is reflexive.

Now for any $a, b \in L$, let us assume that aRb and bRa .

$\therefore a \vee b = b$ and $b \vee a = a$

Since $a \vee b = b \vee a$ by commutativity, we have $a = b$ and so R is antisymmetric.

Finally let us assume that aRb and bRc

$\therefore a \vee b = b$ and $b \vee c = c$.

Now $a \vee c = a \vee (b \vee c) = (a \vee b) \vee c = b \vee c = c$

viz. aRc and so R is transitive.

Hence R is a partial ordering.

Thus the two definitions given for a lattice are equivalent.

SUBLATTICES

Definition

A non-empty subset M of a lattice $\{L, \vee, \wedge\}$ is called a *sublattice* of L , iff M is closed under both the operations \vee and \wedge . viz. if $a, b \in M$, then $a \vee b$ and $a \wedge b$ also $\in M$.

From the definition, it is obvious that the sublattice itself is a lattice with respect to \vee and \wedge .

For example if aRb whenever a divides b , where $a, b \in \mathbb{Z}^+$ (the set of all positive integers) then $\{\mathbb{Z}^+, R\}$ is a lattice in which $a \vee b = \text{LCM}(a, b)$ and $a \wedge b = \text{GCD}(a, b)$.

If $\{S_n, R\}$ is the lattice of divisors of any positive integer n , then $\{S_n, R\}$ is a sublattice of $\{\mathbb{Z}^+, R\}$.