

UNIT - 7

PARTIAL ORDERING

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* Partially Ordered Relation.

* Definitions:

⇒ Partially ordered relation: A relation R on a set A is called partial order if R is reflexive, anti-symmetric and transitive poset.

⇒ The set A together with the partial order R is called a partially ordered set or poset. It is denoted by (A, R) .

⇒ A relation R on a set A is called a partial order relation iff R is

i) Reflexive relation

$$aRa, \forall a \in A$$

i.e. $(a, a) \in R, \forall a \in A$

ii) Anti-symmetric relation

if aRb and bRa then $a=b$

i.e. $(a, b) \in R, (b, a) \in R \Rightarrow a=b$, where $a, b \in A$

iii) Transitive relation

aRb and bRc then aRc

i.e. $(a, b) \in R, (b, c) \in R \Rightarrow (a, c) \in R$, where $a, b, c \in A$

Ex1 N is a set of natural numbers. R is a relation defined on set N .

$$R = \{(a, b) ; a \text{ divides } b \text{ or } a | b\}.$$

$a R b$ iff $a | b$; a is related with b iff a divides b .

Solution:

(i) Reflexive Relation: $a Ra$, $\forall a \in R$

$$\therefore a Ra$$

$$\therefore a | a, \forall a \in N.$$

$$(a, a) \in R$$

$\therefore R$ is reflexive relation.

(ii) Anti-Symmetric Relation: $a R b$ and $b R a$ then $a = b$.

$a, b \in N$ and

if $a | b$ and $b | a$ then $a = b$.

$\therefore R$ is anti-symmetric relation

(iii) Transitive Relation: $a R b$ and $b R c$ then $a R c$

$a, b, c \in N$

if $a | b$ and $b | c$ then $a | c$

$$\text{i.e. } (a, b) \in R, (b, c) \in R \Rightarrow (a, c) \in R.$$

$\therefore R$ is transitive relation.

Hence, Being reflexive, anti-symmetric and transitive, then R is a partial order relation

Ex2 Show that the relation " \geq " is a partial ordering on the set of integers \mathbb{Z} or show that (\mathbb{Z}, \geq) is a poset

Solution (i) Reflexive Relation: $a Ra$; $\forall a \in R$.

$$\therefore a \geq a \quad \forall \text{ integer } a$$

$\therefore \geq$ is a reflexive.

(ii) Anti-Symmetric relation: $a R b$ and $b R a$ then $a = b$
 If $a \geq b$ and $b \geq a$; then $a = b$.
 Hence, \geq is anti-symmetric.

(iii) Transitive relation: $a R b$ and $b R c$ then $a R c$
 If $a \geq b$ and $b \geq c$ then $a \geq c$.

Hence, \geq is transitive.

$\therefore \geq$ is a partial ordering on the set of integers and (\mathbb{Z}, \geq) is a poset.

Ex 3 Define the relation R on the set (\mathbb{Z}) by $a R b$ if $a - b$ is non-negative even integer.

Verify that R defines a partial order for \mathbb{Z} .
 Is this partial order a total order?

Solution.

(i) R is reflexive:

$$\therefore a - a = 0$$

$$\therefore a Ra$$

(ii) R is Anti-symmetric:

if $a \neq b$ then $a R b$ or $b R a$.

Let $a - b = 2n$ where $n = \text{integer no.}$ if $b R a$, then

Since $a \neq b$

$$a - b = 2n \text{ but } b - a = -2n \not R$$

$$a \neq b$$

$$b R a$$

(iii) R is transitive,

Let $a R b$ and $b R c$

$$\text{i.e. } a - b = 2n_1 \text{ and } b - c = 2n_2$$

$$\Rightarrow a - b + b - c = 2n_1 + 2n_2$$

$$\Rightarrow a - c = 2(n_1 + n_2)$$

= even positive integer

Hence, R is partial order.

Ex 4 Draw the digraph for the following relation
Q.B and determine whether the relation is reflexive,
R.O symmetric, transitive and antisymmetric

$A = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8\}$ and let $x R y$ whenever
y is divisible by x.

Solution $A = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8\}$

$$R = \{(1,1), (1,2), (1,3), (1,4), (1,5), (1,6), (1,7), (1,8), (2,2), (2,4), (2,6), (2,8), (3,3), (3,6), (4,4), (4,8), (5,5), (6,6), (7,7), (8,8)\}.$$

(i) R is Reflexive: $aRa, \forall a \in A$.

$$\therefore (a,a) \in R, \forall a \in A.$$

$\therefore R$ is reflexive

(ii) R is Symmetric: $a R b$ then $b R a, \forall a, b \in A$.

$$\therefore (1,2) \in R \text{ but } (2,1) \notin R$$

(as 2 is divisible by 1) (as 1 is not divisible by 2)

$\therefore R$ is not symmetric.

(iii) R is Transitive: $a R b$ and $b R c$ then $a R c$.
 $\forall a, b, c \in A$.

Let $(x,y), (y,z) \in R$

$\Rightarrow y$ is divisible by x and z is divisible by y

$$\Rightarrow \frac{y}{x} = a \text{ and } \frac{z}{y} = b$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{y}{x} \cdot \frac{z}{y} = a \cdot b$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{z}{x} = a \cdot b$$

$\Rightarrow z$ is divisible by x .

$$\Rightarrow (x,z) \in R$$

$\therefore R$ is transitive.

(iv) R is anti symmetric: aRb and bRa then $a=b$.

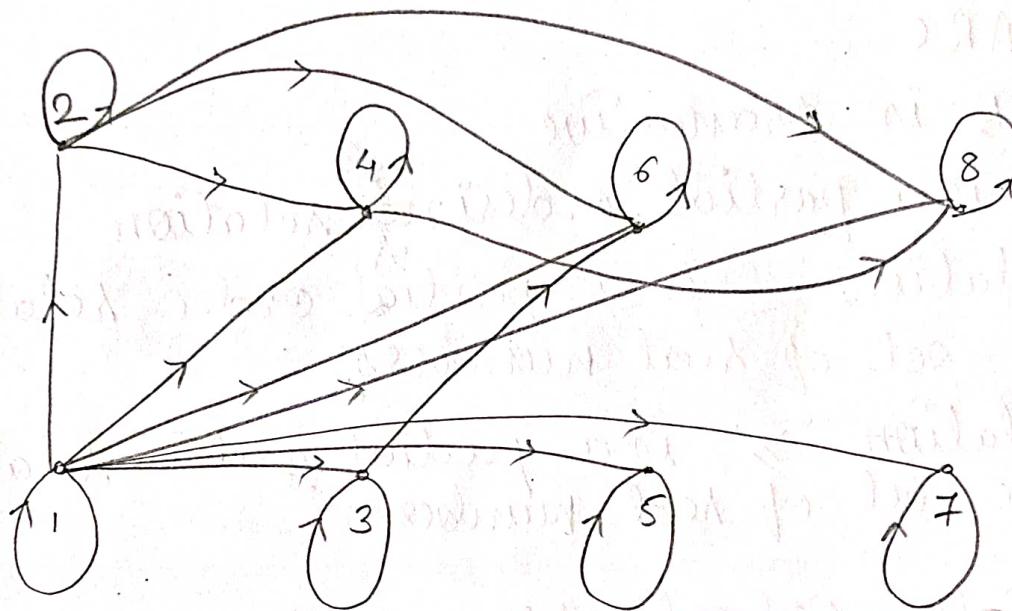
Let xRy and yRx

\Rightarrow y is divisible by x and x is divisible by y .

\Rightarrow Since x and y are integers if $x=y$.

$\therefore R$ is anti symmetric.

Hence, R is partial order relation and A is partial order set.



Ex5. Let $S = \{1, 2, 3\}$

$$P(S) = \{\emptyset, \{1\}, \{2\}, \{3\}, \{1, 2\}, \{1, 3\}, \{2, 3\}, \{1, 2, 3\}\}$$

R is a relation defined on set $P(S)$.

ARB iff $A \subseteq B$.

Then R is partial ordering relation on $P(S)$.

Solution: (i) R is reflexive

every set is subset of itself

$$A \subseteq A$$

$$\Rightarrow ARA ; \forall A \in P(S)$$

Hence, R is reflexive relation.

(ii) R is antisymmetric

Let $A \sim B$ and $B \sim A$

$\Rightarrow A \subseteq B$ and $B \subseteq A$

$\Rightarrow A = B$.

Hence, R is antisymmetric relation

(iii) R is transitive

Let $A \sim B$ and $B \sim C$

$\Rightarrow A \subseteq B$ and $B \subseteq C$

$\Rightarrow A \subseteq C$

$\Rightarrow A \sim C$

Hence, R is transitive

$\therefore R$ is a partial ordering relation

* The relation ' \leq ' is a partial order relation on the set of real numbers.

* The relation ' \geq ' is a partial order relation on the set of real numbers.

* Partially Ordered Set or POSET.

If A is any non-empty set and R is a partial ordered relation on set A, then the ordered pair (A, R) is called partially ordered set or poset.

Examples

1. S is a non-empty set and $P(S)$ is a power set of S the relation \subseteq is partial order relation on set $P(S)$.

Hence, $(P(S), \subseteq)$ is known as Poset.

2. $a \sim b$ iff a/b (a divides b) is a partial order relation on set of natural numbers set.

Hence, (\mathbb{N}, R) is a poset.

* Hasse Diagram

Poset can be represented by digraphs.

A simpler way of representing poset is Hasse diagram.

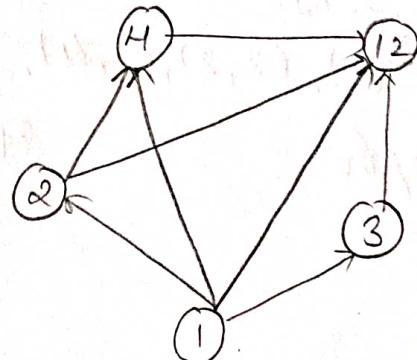
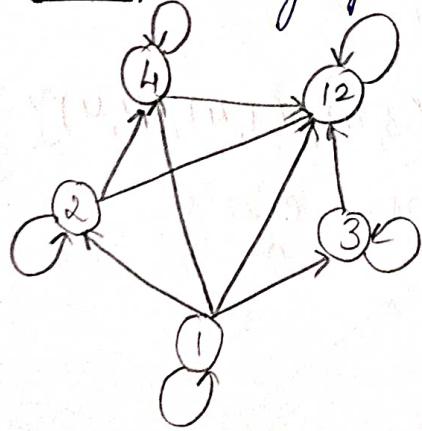
Method to find Hasse diagram

1. Omit loops as relation is reflexive on poset.
2. All arrows that appear on the edges are omitted.
3. Eliminate all edges that are implied by transitive relation.
eg if aRb , bRc then aRc , so (a,c) eliminate.
4. An arc pointing upward is drawn from a to b if $a \neq b$ and aRb .

Ex 1 Draw Hasse diagram for the following relations on set $A = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 12\}$.

$$R = \{(1, 1), (2, 2), (3, 3), (4, 4), (12, 12), (1, 2), (4, 12), (1, 3), (1, 4), (1, 12), (2, 4), (2, 12), (3, 12)\}.$$

Solution



Step-2 Remove transitive pairs

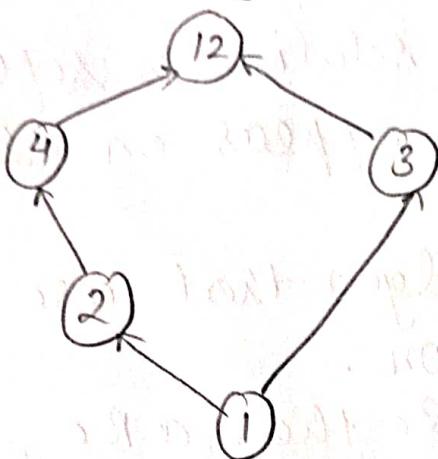
$$1R2, 2R4 \Rightarrow 1R4$$

$$2R4, 4R12 \Rightarrow 2R12$$

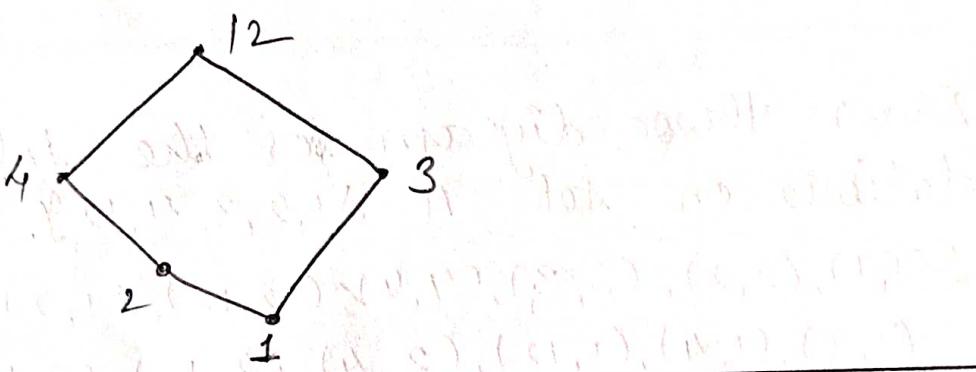
$$1R4, 4R12 \Rightarrow 1R12$$

eliminated edges $(1, 4), (2, 12), (1, 12)$.

all arrows are pointing upwards.



Step-3 Make sure that all edges are pointing upwards, then remove arrows from edges, replace circles by dots.

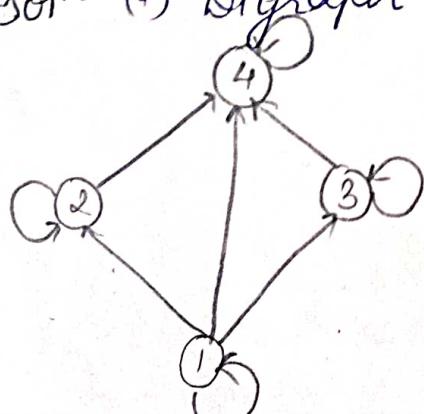


Ex 2 Determine the Hasse diagram of the relation R

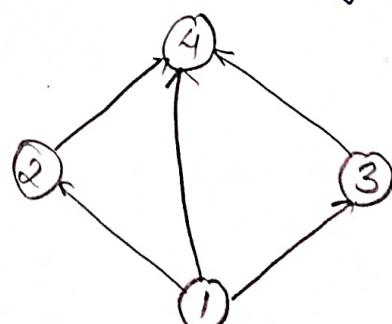
(i) $A = \{1, 2, 3, 4\}$.

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

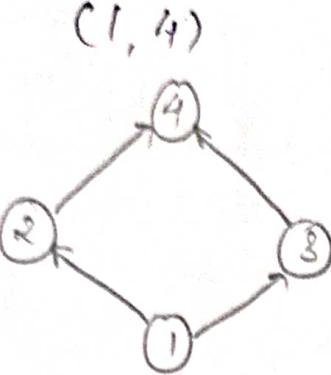
Soln (i) Digraph.



Step-1 Remove cycles

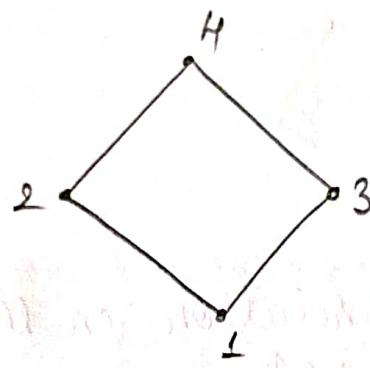


Step-2 Remove transitive edge



Step-3 Make sure that all edges are pointing upwards, then remove arrows from edges, replace circles by dots.

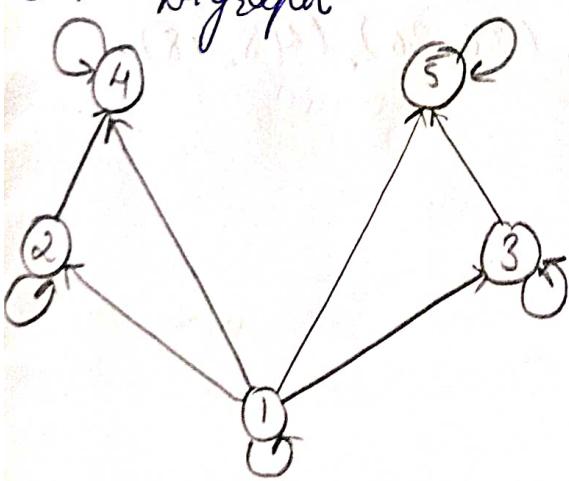
Hasse diagram



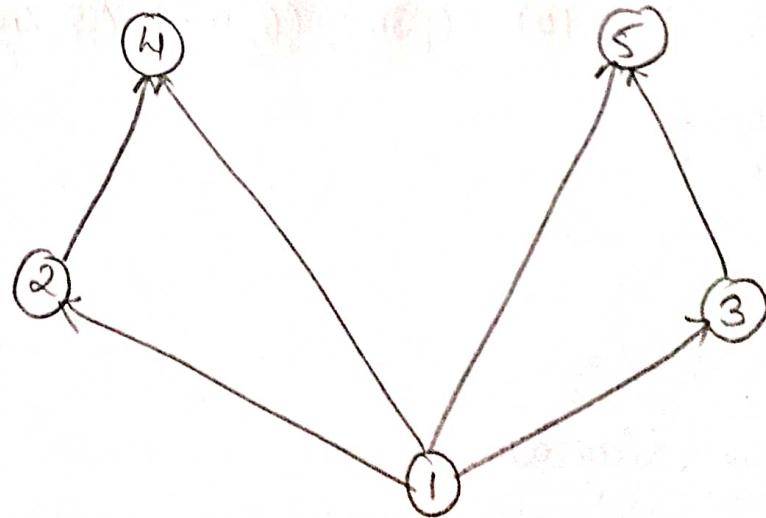
$$(2) A = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5\}$$

$$Q_B \\ 330 R = \{(1, 1), (1, 2), (1, 3), (1, 4), (1, 5), (2, 4), (3, 5), (2, 2), (3, 3), (4, 4), (5, 5)\}.$$

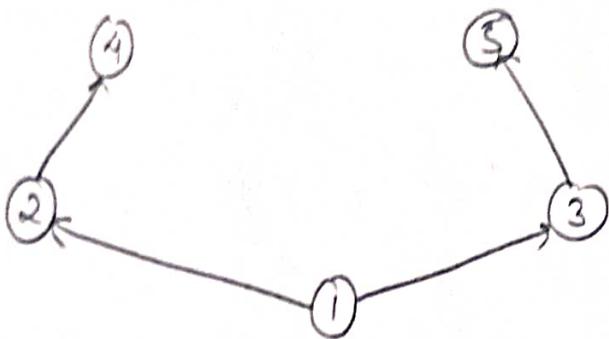
Sofn Digraph



Step-1 Remove cycles.

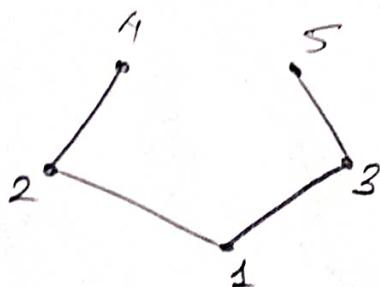


Step-2 Remove transitive edge $(1, 4), (1, 5)$



Step-3 All edges are pointing upwards. remove arrows from edges replace circles by dots.

Hasse diagram:



Ex 3 Let R be the relation on the set A .

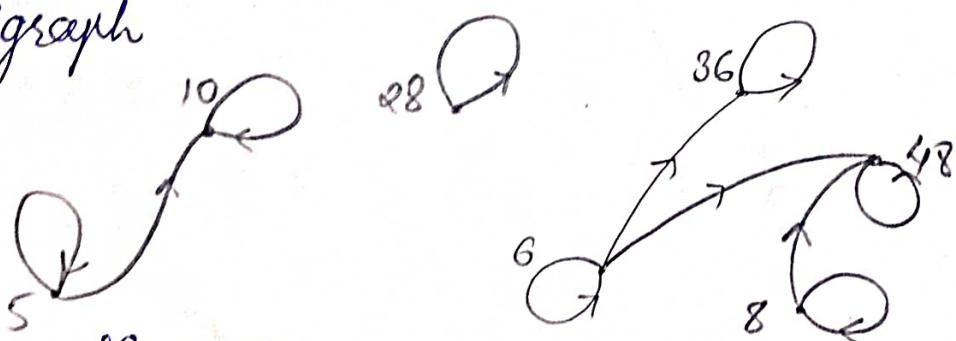
Q.B 322 $A = \{5, 6, 8, 10, 28, 36, 48\}$

Let $R = \{(a, b) / a \text{ is divisor of } b\}$. Draw Hasse diagram. Compare with digraph. Determine whether R is equivalence relation.

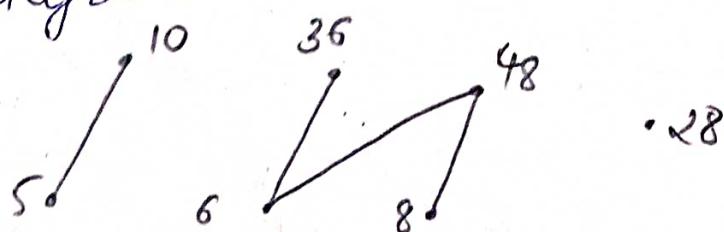
Solution $A = \{5, 6, 8, 10, 28, 36, 48\}$

$$R = \{(5, 5), (6, 6), (8, 8), (10, 10), (28, 28), (36, 36), (48, 48), (5, 10), (6, 36), (6, 48), (8, 48)\}$$

Digraph



Hasse diagram



Here R is reflexive relation but not symmetric relation.

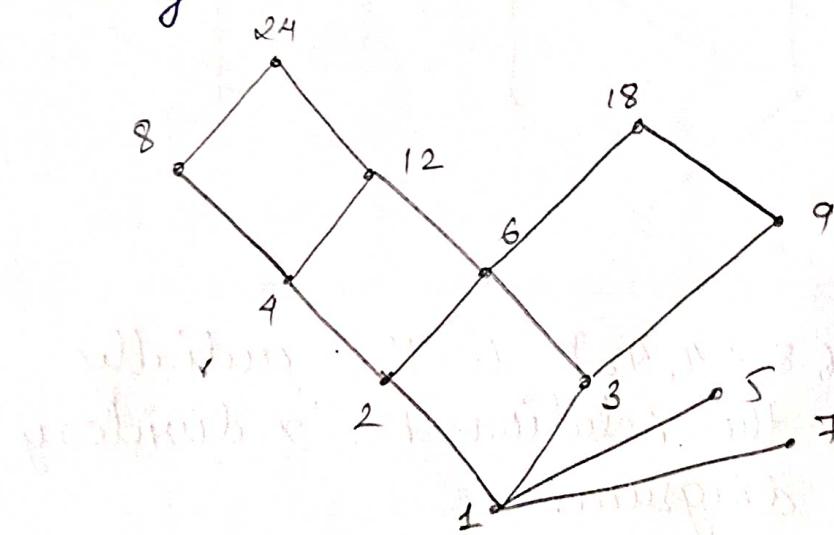
Hence, R is not equivalence relation.

Ex 4 Let $A = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 12, 18, 24\}$ be ordered by the relation x divides y . Show that the relation is partial ordering and draw the Hasse diagram.

Solution: Here $A = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 12, 18, 24\}$

$$R = \{(1, 1), (1, 2), (1, 3), (1, 4), (1, 5), (1, 6), (1, 7), (1, 8), (1, 9), (1, 12), (1, 18), (1, 24), (2, 2), (2, 4), (2, 8), (2, 12), (2, 18), (2, 24), (3, 3), (3, 6), (3, 9), (3, 12), (3, 18), (3, 24), (4, 4), (4, 8), (4, 12), (4, 24), (5, 5), (6, 6), (6, 12), (6, 18), (6, 24), (7, 7), (8, 8), (8, 24), (9, 9), (9, 18), (12, 12), (12, 24), (24, 24)\}.$$

Hasse diagram:-



(i) R is reflexive relation: aRa , $\forall a \in A$.

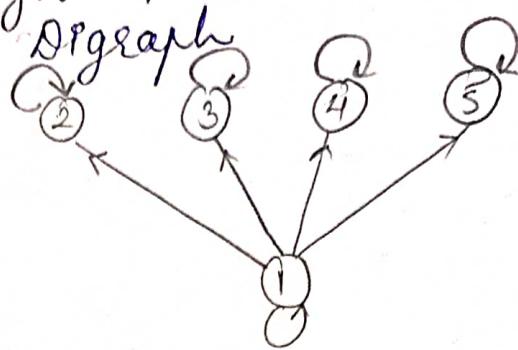
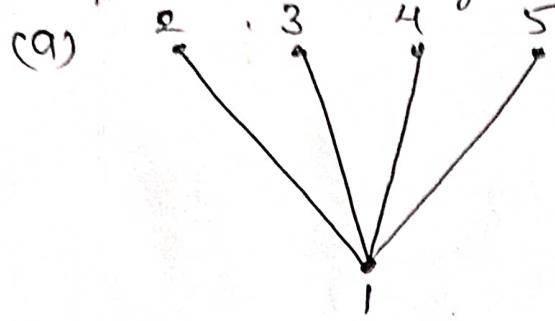
Every natural number is divisible by itself.

(ii) R is antisymmetric relation, aRb and bRa then $a=b$ if a/b and b/a then $a=b$.

(iii) R is transitive relation: aRb and bRc then aRc if a/b and b/c then a/c .

Hence, R is a partial ordering relation

Ex 11 Determine the matrix of the partial order
 QB 332 whose Hasse diagram is given.

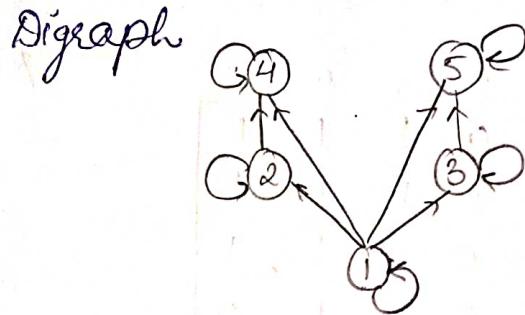
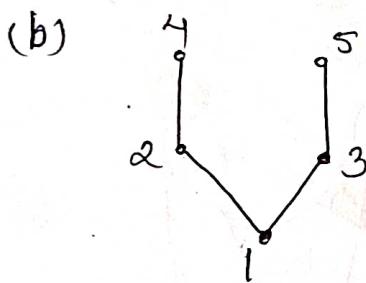


Relation set for above digraph is

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

Matrix $M_R =$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 & 5 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 2 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 3 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 4 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 5 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$



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Ex12 Draw Hasse diagram for the partial ordering
 Q.B.
 25. $\mathcal{L}(A, B) / A \subseteq B$ on the power set $P(S)$, where
 $S = \{a, b, c\}$.

Solution. $R = \mathcal{L}(A, B) / A \subseteq B$.

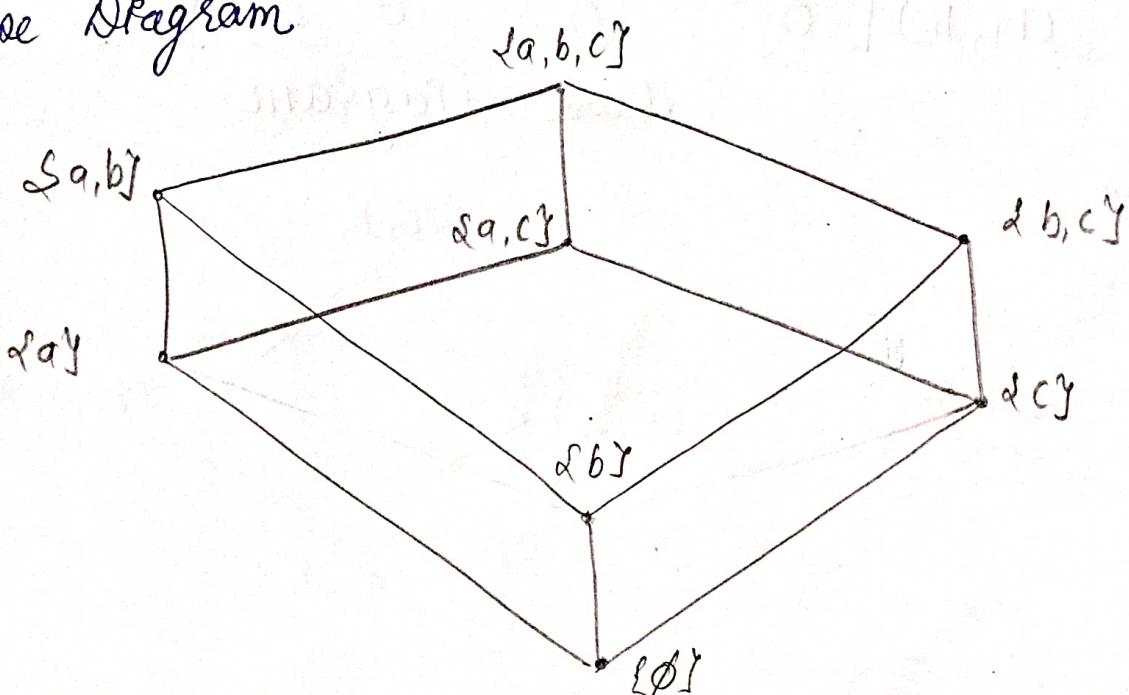
$$P(S) = \{\emptyset, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{c\}, \{a, b\}, \{a, c\}, \{b, c\}, \{a, b, c\}\}$$

$$R = \{\{\emptyset\}, \{\emptyset, \emptyset\}, \{\{\emptyset\}, \{\emptyset\}\}, \{\{\emptyset\}, \{a\}\}, \{\{\emptyset\}, \{b\}\}, \{\{\emptyset\}, \{c\}\}, \{\{\emptyset\}, \{a, b\}\}, \{\{\emptyset\}, \{a, c\}\}, \{\{\emptyset\}, \{b, c\}\}, \{\{\emptyset\}, \{a, b, c\}\}, \{\{a\}\}, \{\{a\}, \{a\}\}, \{\{a\}, \{b\}\}, \{\{a\}, \{c\}\}, \{\{a\}, \{a, b\}\}, \{\{a\}, \{a, c\}\}, \{\{a\}, \{b, c\}\}, \{\{a\}, \{a, b, c\}\}, \{\{b\}\}, \{\{b\}, \{b\}\}, \{\{b\}, \{a\}\}, \{\{b\}, \{c\}\}, \{\{b\}, \{a, b\}\}, \{\{b\}, \{a, c\}\}, \{\{b\}, \{b, c\}\}, \{\{b\}, \{a, b, c\}\}, \{\{c\}\}, \{\{c\}, \{c\}\}, \{\{c\}, \{a\}\}, \{\{c\}, \{b\}\}, \{\{c\}, \{a, b\}\}, \{\{c\}, \{a, c\}\}, \{\{c\}, \{b, c\}\}, \{\{c\}, \{a, b, c\}\}, \{\{a, b\}\}, \{\{a, b\}, \{a, b\}\}, \{\{a, b\}, \{a\}\}, \{\{a, b\}, \{b\}\}, \{\{a, b\}, \{c\}\}, \{\{a, b\}, \{a, b, c\}\}, \{\{a, c\}\}, \{\{a, c\}, \{a, c\}\}, \{\{a, c\}, \{a\}\}, \{\{a, c\}, \{c\}\}, \{\{a, c\}, \{a, b\}\}, \{\{a, c\}, \{a, b, c\}\}, \{\{b, c\}\}, \{\{b, c\}, \{b, c\}\}, \{\{b, c\}, \{b\}\}, \{\{b, c\}, \{c\}\}, \{\{b, c\}, \{a, b\}\}, \{\{b, c\}, \{a, b, c\}\}, \{\{a, b, c\}\}, \{\{a, b, c\}, \{a, b, c\}\}, \{\{a, b, c\}, \{a\}\}, \{\{a, b, c\}, \{b\}\}, \{\{a, b, c\}, \{c\}\}, \{\{a, b, c\}, \{a, b\}\}, \{\{a, b, c\}, \{a, c\}\}, \{\{a, b, c\}, \{b, c\}\}, \{\{a, b, c\}, \{a, b, c\}\}\}$$

Matrix M_R

$$M_R = \begin{matrix} & \emptyset & \{a\} & \{b\} & \{c\} & \{a, b\} & \{a, c\} & \{b, c\} & \{a, b, c\} \\ \emptyset & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 1 \\ \{a\} & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ \{b\} & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 1 \\ \{c\} & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ \{a, b\} & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ \{a, c\} & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 \\ \{b, c\} & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 \\ \{a, b, c\} & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{matrix}$$

Hasse Diagram



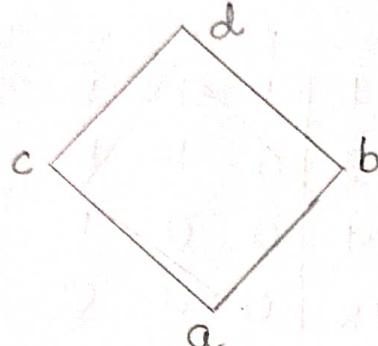
* Chain and Antichain

Let (A, \leq) be a partially ordered set.

\Rightarrow A subset of A is called a chain if every two elements in the subset are related.

\Rightarrow A subset of A is called an antichain, if no two distinct elements in the subset are related.

Eg



$$A = \{a, b, c, d\}$$

Chain: $\{a, b\}, \{b, d\}, \{a, d\}$.

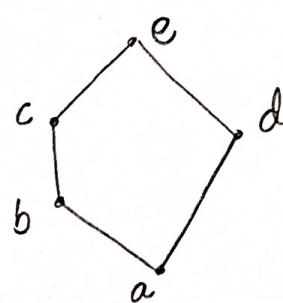
Antichain: $\{a, c\}, \{b\}, \{c, b\}$

* Totally Ordered Set or Linearly Ordered set

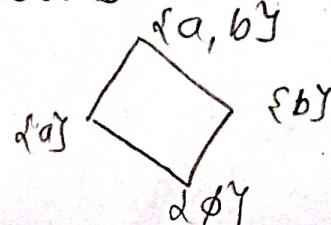
A partially ordered set (A, \leq) is called a "totally ordered set" or linearly ordered set or simple ordered set, if A is a chain.

Ex 1 For partially ordered set mention

$A = \{a, b, c, d, e\}$ we have $\{a, b, c, e\}, \{a, b, c\}, \{a, b\}, \{a, d, e\}, \{a, d\}, \{a\}$ are chains and $\{b, d\}, \{c, d\}$ are antichains.



Ex 2 Let $A = \{a, b\}$ and consider its poset (PA, \subseteq) . Then $\{\emptyset\}, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{\emptyset, a\}, \{\emptyset, b\}, \{\emptyset, a, b\}, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{a, b\}$ are chains and $\{\emptyset\}, \{a, b\}$ is antichain.

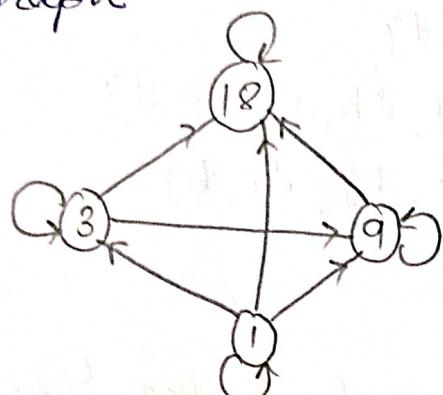


Ex1 Draw the Hasse diagram of the following sets under partial ordering relation "divides" and indicate those which are chains.

(a) $\{1, 3, 9, 18\}$

$$R = \{(1,1), (1,3), (1,9), (1,18), (3,3), (3,9), (3,18), (9,9), (9,18), (18,18)\}$$

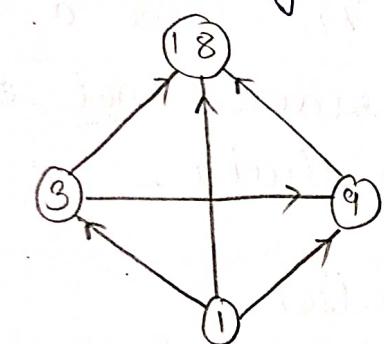
DiGraph



Matrix

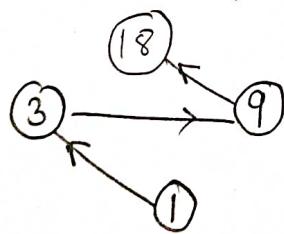
$$M_R = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 & 9 & 18 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 3 & 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 9 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 18 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Step-1 Remove cycles



Step-2 Remove transitive

$$(1,18), (3,18), (1,9)$$



Step-3

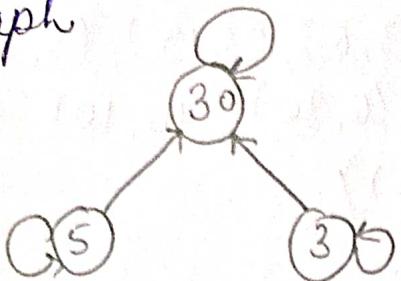
$$\begin{array}{c} 18 \\ | \\ 9 \\ | \\ 3 \\ | \\ 1 \end{array}$$

This poset is a chain because every two elements are related.

(b) $\{3, 5, 30\}$

$$R = \{(3, 3), (3, 30), (5, 5), (5, 30), (30, 30)\}$$

Digraph



Matrix

$$M_R = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 5 & 30 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Hasse Diagram



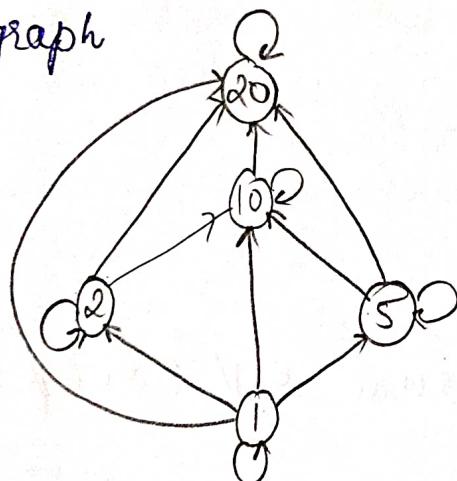
given poset is not a chain because,

$$3 \not R 5 \text{ or } 5 \not R 3$$

(c) $\{1, 2, 5, 10, 20\}$

$$R = \{(1, 1), (1, 2), (1, 5), (1, 10), (1, 20), (2, 2), (2, 10), (2, 20), (5, 5), (5, 10), (5, 20), (10, 10), (10, 20), (20, 20)\}$$

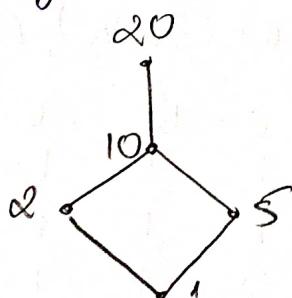
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Matrix

$$M_R = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 5 & 10 & 20 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 2 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 5 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 10 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 20 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

Hasse Diagram



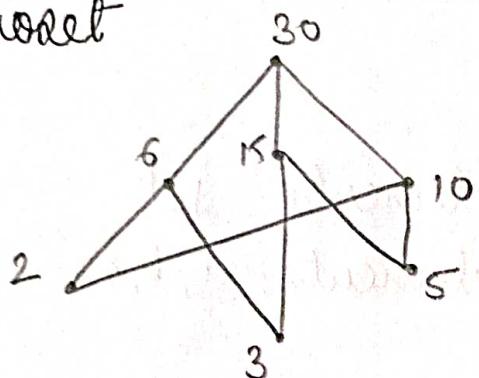
given poset is not a chain because
 $2 \not R 5$ or $5 \not R 2$,

* Maximal and Minimal Elements

An element $a \in A$ is called a maximal element of A , if there is no element c in A such that $a < c$.

An element $b \in A$ is called a minimal element of A , if there is no element c in A such that $c < b$.

Example: $A = \{2, 3, 6, 5, 10, 15, 30\}$ Hasse diagram of poset

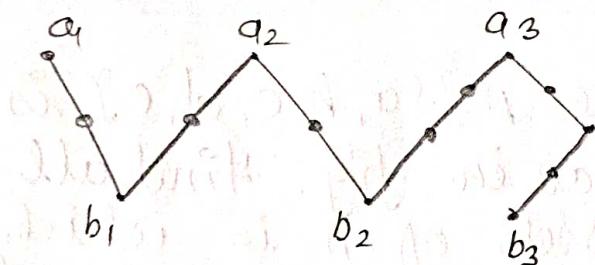


Maximal element = 30

Minimal element = 2, 3, 5

Examples

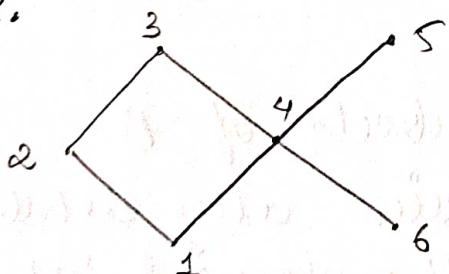
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Maximal element : a_1, a_2, a_3

Minimal elements : b_1, b_2, b_3

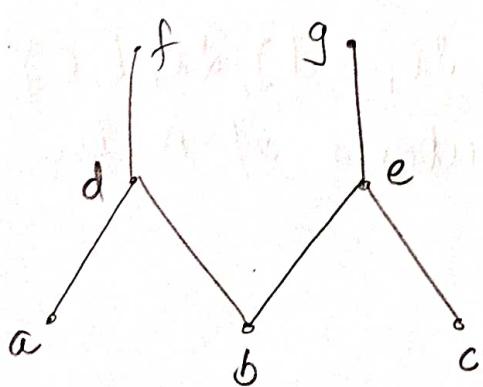
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Maximal elements : 3, 5

Minimal elements : 1, 6

3.



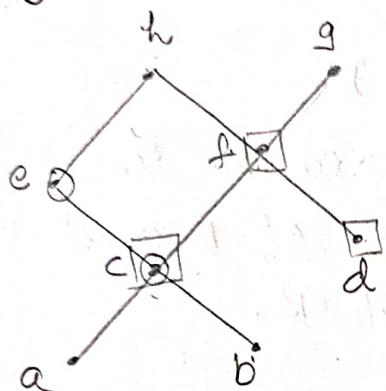
Maximal elements : f, g

Minimal elements : a, b, c

* Upper Bounds and Lower Bounds.

- Let (A, \leq) be a poset, and a subset B of A .
- \Rightarrow An element $a \in A$ is called an upper bound of B if $b \leq a \wedge b \in B$.
- \Rightarrow An element $a \in A$ is called a lower bound of B if $a \leq b \wedge b \in B$.

Example



Let $B = \{a, b, c, d, e, f, g, h\}$

(i) $B_1 = \{e, c\}$

Upper bound = $\{h, e\}$

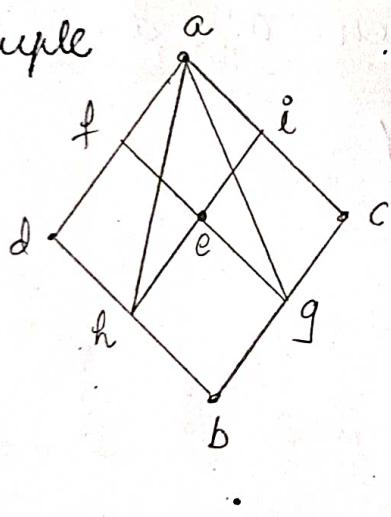
Lower bound = $\{a, b, c\}$.

(ii) $B_2 = \{c, f, d\}$

Upper bound = $\{h, g, f\}$

Lower bound = $\{\emptyset\}$

Example



Let $B = \{a, b, c, d, e, f, g, h, i\}$

(i) $B_1 = \{e, f\}$

Upper bound = $\{f, a, i, e\}$

Lower bound = $\{b, g\}$

(ii) $B_2 = \{h, e, g, c\}$

Upper bound = $\{a, i\}$

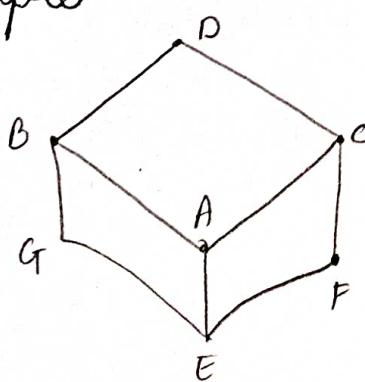
Lower bound = $\{b\}$

(iii) $B_3 = \{a\}$

Upper bound = $\{a\}$

Lower bound = $\{f, d, i, e, h, b, g, c\}$

Example



Let $B = \{A, B, C, D, E, F, G\}$

(i) $B_1 = \{B, D\}$

Upper = $\{D\}$

Lower = $\{E, G, B, A\}$

(ii) $B_2 = \{A, C\}$

Upper = $\{D, C\}$

Lower = $\{E, A\}$

(iii) $B_3 = \{B, C\}$

Upper = $\{D\}$

Lower = $\{A, E\}$

* Least Upper Bound (LUB) Subscripted upper bound

Let A be a poset and B be a subset of A .
An element $a \in A$ is called a least upper bound (LUB) of B if a is an upper bound of B and $a \leq a'$, whenever a' is an upper bound of B .

Thus, $a = \text{LUB}$

(B) if $b \leq a$ for all $b \in B$ and if whenever $a' \in A$ is also an upper bound of B , then $a' \leq a$.

* Greatest Lower Bound (GLB) Infimum or Meet or \wedge

An element $a \in A$ is called a greatest lower bound (GLB) of B if a is a lower bound of B and $a' \leq a$ whenever a' is a lower bound of B .

Thus, $a = \text{GLB}$

(B) if $a \leq b$ for all $b \in B$ and if whenever $a' \in A$ is also a lower bound of B , then $a' \leq a$

Examples: 1. $A = \{a, b, c, d, e, f, g, h\}$

$B_1 \subseteq A$, $B_2 \subseteq A$.

(i) $B_1 = \{a, b\}$

Upper bound = $\{c, d, e, f, g, h\}$

Lower bound = none or \emptyset

Least upper bound = $d, c\}$

Greatest lower bound = none or $\emptyset\}$

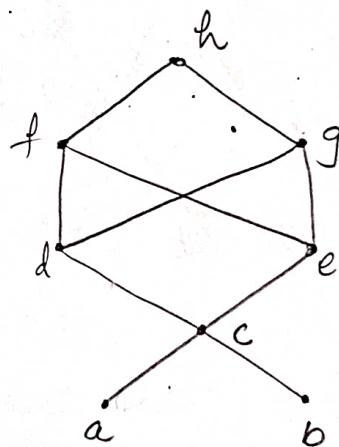
(ii) $B_2 = \{c, d, e\}$.

Upper bound = $\{f, g, h\}$

Lower bound = $\{c, a, b\}$

Least upper bound = None or $\emptyset\}$

Greatest lower bound = $\{c\}$



Ex: 2 Let $A = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5, \dots, 11\}$ be the poset whose Hasse diagram is shown. Find LUB & GLB of $B = \{6, 7, 10\}$, if they exist.

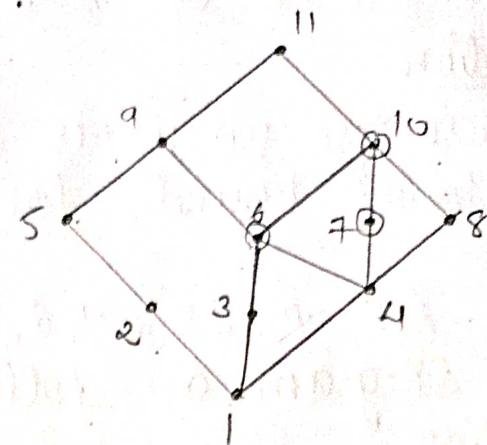
Solution

Upper bound = 10, 11

Least upper bound = 10

Lower bound = 4, 1

Greatest lower bound = 4



Ex: 3 Let $A = \{a, b, c, d, e, f, g, h\}$ be the poset whose Hasse diagram is below. Find GLB & LUB of $B = \{c, d, e\}$

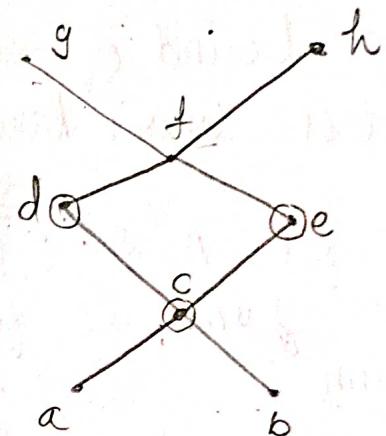
Solution

Upper bound = f, g, h

Least upper bound = f

Lower bound = c, a, b.

Greatest lower bound = c



Ex: 4 Let A be poset whose Hasse diagram is shown in fig A = {1, 2, ..., 9}. Find GLB & LUB of set $B = \{3, 4, 6\}$

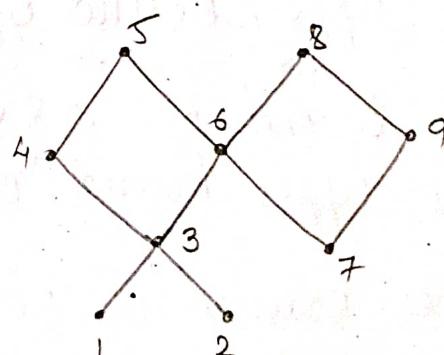
Solution

Upper bound = 5

Least upper bound = 5

Lower bound = 3, 1, 2

Greatest lower bound = 3



* Lattice

A lattice is a poset (A, \leq) in which every subset $\{a, b\} \subseteq A$ has LUB and GLB.

We denote :

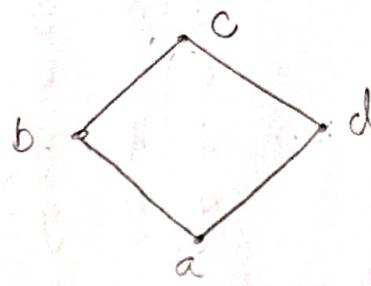
LUB $\{a, b\}$ by $a \vee b$ (call join of a and b)

GLB $\{a, b\}$ by $a \wedge b$ (call meet of a and b)

$$\begin{array}{c} a \wedge b \\ a \vee b \end{array}$$

Ex1 Determine whether the following Hasse diagram represent lattice or not.

(a)



LUB

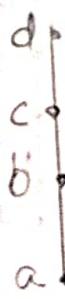
v	a	b	c	d
a	a	b	c	d
b	b	b	c	c
c	c	c	c	c
d	d	c	c	d

GLB

\wedge	a	b	c	d
a	a	a	a	a
b	a	b	b	b
c	a	b	c	c
d	a	b	c	d

Hence, it is lattice

(b)



LUB

v	a	b	c	d
a	a	b	c	d
b	b	b	c	d
c	c	c	c	d
d	d	d	d	d

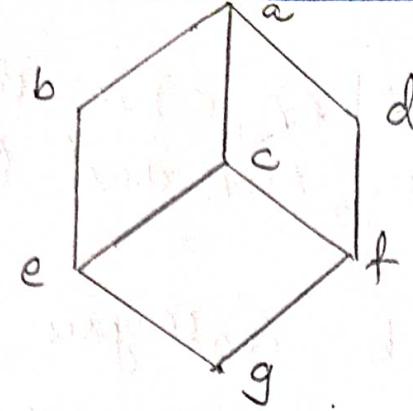
GLB

\wedge	a	b	c	d
a	a	a	a	a
b	a	b	b	b
c	a	b	c	c
d	a	b	c	d

Hence, this is lattice. because every pair of elements has LUB and GLB

(CQB)

3H



LUB

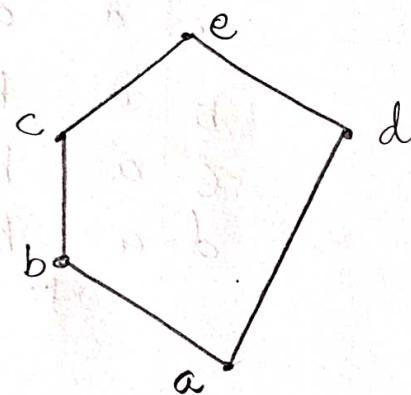
v	a	b	c	d	e	f	g
a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a
b	a	b	a	a	b	a	b
c	a	a	c	a	c	c	c
d	a	a	a	d	a	d	d
e	a	b	c	a	e	c	e
f	a	a	c	d	c	f	f
g	a	b	c	d	e	f	g

GLB

v	a	b	c	d	e	f	g
a	a	b	c	d	e	f	g
b	b	b	e	g	e	g	g
c	c	e	c	f	e	f	g
d	d	g	f	d	g	f	g
e	e	e	g	e	g	g	g
f	f	g	f	f	g	f	g
g	g	g	g	g	g	g	g

Hence, it is lattice, because each subset of two elements has LUB and GLB.

(d)



LUB

v	a	b	c	d	e
a	a	b	c	d	e
b	b	b	c	e	e
c	c	c	c	e	e
d	d	e	e	d	e
e	e	e	e	e	e

GLB

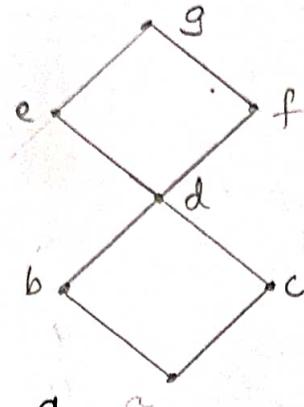
v	a	b	c	d	e
a	a	a	a	a	a
b	a	b	b	a	b
c	a	b	c	a	c
d	a	a	a	d	d
e	a	b	c	d	e

This is a lattice because every pair of elements has a LUB and GLB.

(e)

QB

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LUB

v	a	b	c	d	e	f	g
a	a	b	c	d	e	f	g
b	b	b	d	d	e	f	g
c	c	d	c	d	e	f	g
d	d	d	d	d	e	f	g
e	e	e	e	e	e	g	g
f	f	f	f	f	g	f	g
g	g	g	g	g	g	g	g

GLB

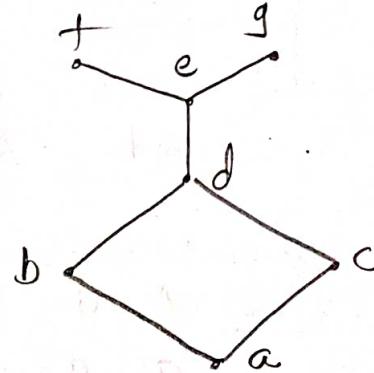
v	a	b	c	d	e	f	g
a	a	a	a	a	a	a	a
b	a	b	a	b	b	b	b
c	a	a	c	c	c	c	c
d	a	b	c	d	d	d	d
e	a	b	c	d	e	e	e
f	a	b	c	d	d	f	f
g	a	b	c	d	e	f	g

Hence, it is lattice.

(f)

QB

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LUB

v	a	b	c	d	e	f	g
a	a	b	c	d	e	f	g
b	b	b	d	d	e	f	g
c	c	d	c	d	e	f	g
d	d	d	d	d	e	f	g
e	e	e	e	e	e	g	g
f	f	f	f	f	f	-	-
g	g	g	g	g	g	g	g

GLB

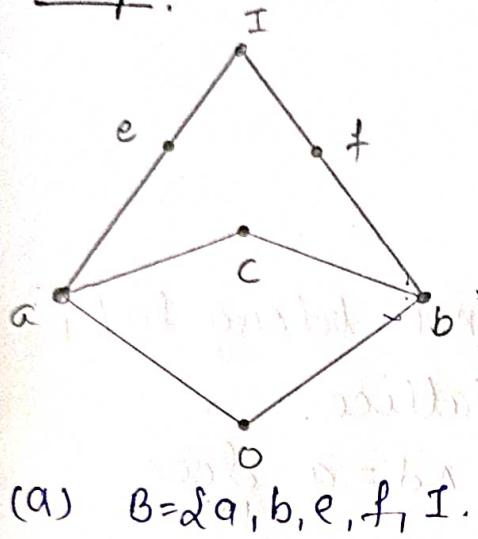
v	a	b	c	d	e	f	g
a	a	d	a	a	a	a	a
b	a	b	a	b	b	b	b
c	a	a	c	c	c	c	c
d	a	b	c	d	d	d	d
e	a	b	c	d	e	e	e
f	a	b	c	d	e	f	e
g	a	b	c	d	e	e	g

Hence, it is not lattice, because $f \vee g$ does not exist.

* Sublattice

Let (L, \leq) be a lattice. A nonempty subset S of L is called a sublattice of L , if $a \vee b \in S$ and $a \wedge b \in S$ whenever $a \in S$ and $b \in S$.

Example. Consider the lattice, determine whether or not it is a sublattice of L .



- (a) $B = \{a, b, e, f, I\}$
 (b) $C = \{a, b, e, f, I, O\}$

(a) $B = \{a, b, e, f, I\}$.

LUB

v	a	b	e	f	I
a	a	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	e	I	I
b	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	b	I	f	I
e	e	I	c	I	I
f	I	f	I	f	I
I	I	I	I	I	I

Hence, it is not sublattice.

(b) $C = \{a, b, e, f, I, O\}$

LUB

v	a	b	e	f	I	O
a	a	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	e	I	I	a
b	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	b	I	f	I	b
e	e	I	e	I	I	e
f	I	f	I	f	I	f
I	I	I	I	I	I	I
O	a	b	e	f	I	O

Hence, it is not sublattice.

- (a) $B = \{a, b, e, f, I\}$
 (b) $C = \{a, b, e, f, I, O\}$

GLB

n	a	b	e	f	I
a	a	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	a	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	a
b	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	b	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	b	b
e	a	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	e	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	e
f	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	b	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	f	f
I	a	b	e	f	I

GLB

n	a	b	e	f	I	O
a	a	o	a	o	a	o
b	o	b	o	b	b	o
e	a	o	e	o	e	o
f	o	b	o	f	f	o
I	a	b	e	f	I	o
O	o	o	o	o	o	o

* Properties of Lattice

1. Idempotent Properties : $a \vee a = a$
 $a \wedge a = a$

2. Commutative Properties : $a \vee b = b \vee a$
 $a \wedge b = b \wedge a$

3. Associative Properties : $a \vee (b \vee c) = (a \vee b) \vee c$
 $a \wedge (b \wedge c) = (a \wedge b) \wedge c$

4. Absorption Properties : $a \vee (a \wedge b) = a$
 $a \wedge (a \vee b) = a$

* Types of Lattices

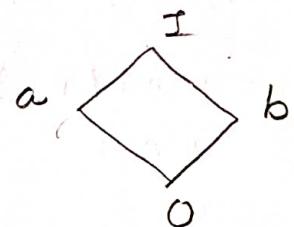
1. Bounded lattice

\Rightarrow A lattice L is said to be bounded if it has a greatest element (I) and a least element (O).
 If L is bounded lattices, then for all $a \in A$.

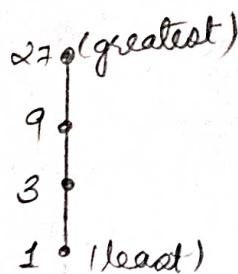
$$O \leq a \leq I.$$

$$a \vee O = a, \quad a \wedge O = O$$

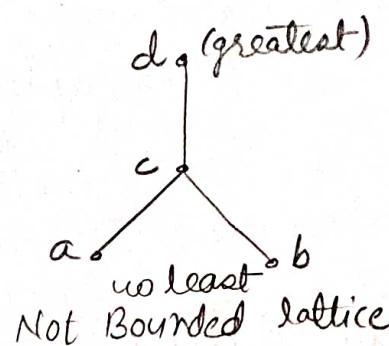
$$a \vee I = I, \quad a \wedge I = a$$



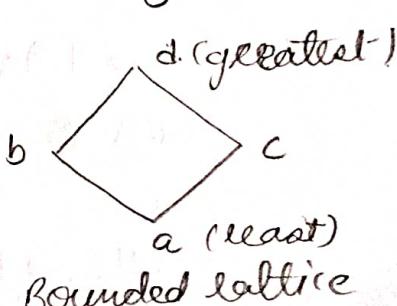
Eg



Bounded lattice



Not Bounded lattice



Bounded lattice

Eg $(P(S), \subseteq)$ \Rightarrow Least = \emptyset , Greatest = S .

2. Distributive Lattice

⇒ A lattice L is said to be distributive lattice, if for every element $a, b, c \in L$.

$$(i) a \vee (b \wedge c) = (a \vee b) \wedge (a \vee c)$$

$$(ii) a \wedge (b \vee c) = (a \wedge b) \vee (a \wedge c)$$

Ex 1. Consider the following Hasse Diagram

Is the given lattice a distributive lattice?

$$(i) LHS = b \vee (c \wedge d)$$

$$= b \vee a$$

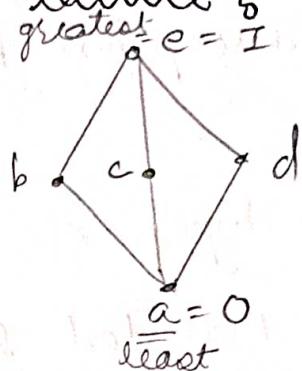
$$= b$$

$$(ii) RHS = (b \vee c) \wedge (b \vee d)$$

$$= e \wedge e$$

$$= e$$

$$\therefore LHS \neq RHS$$



∴ It is not distributive lattice

Ex 2

$$(i) LHS = a \wedge (b \vee c)$$

$$= a \wedge I$$

$$= a$$

$$(ii) RHS = (a \wedge b) \vee (a \wedge c)$$

$$= a \vee O$$

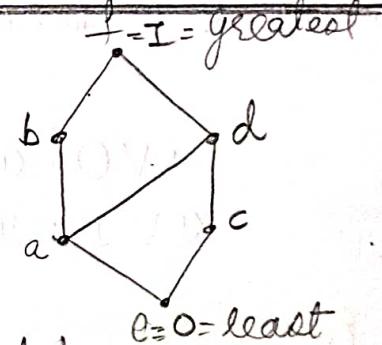
$$= a$$

$$\therefore LHS = RHS.$$

Complement of b .

① d is not complement of b
 $LUB(b, d) = f$, $GLB(b, d) = a \neq e$

② c is not complement of b
 $LUB(c, b) = f$, $GLB(c, b) = e$



Complement of d

① b is not complement of d
 $LUB(b, d) = f$, $GLB = a \neq e$

② a is not complement of d
 $LUB(a, d) = d \neq f$, $GLB(a, d) = a \neq e$

∴ It is distributive lattice. = Complement of d does not exist.

"A lattice L is said to be a distributive lattice if every element in L has "at most one complement"

Complement of b

⇒ c is the complement of b ⇒ d is the complement of b ⇒ b has two complements

$$LUB(c, b) = e$$

$$GLB(c, b) = a$$

$$LUB(d, b) = e$$

$$GLB(d, b) = a$$

⇒ b has two complements

⇒ It is not a distributive

3. Complemented Lattice

Let L be a bounded lattice with greatest element I and least element 0 , and let $a \in L$. An element $a' \in L$ is called a complement of a if

$$ava' = I$$

$$a \wedge a' = 0$$

A lattice L is called complemented if it is bounded and if every element in L has a complement. (at least one complement) (1 or more than one)

Ex 1 Consider the following Hasse Diagram

Is the given lattice a complemented lattice?

Solⁿ Given lattice is a bounded lattice.

\Rightarrow Greatest element = i (every element is related to i)
Least element = a ("below" to a)

Now, let's check whether the given lattice is a complemented lattice or not.

\Rightarrow Complement of d

① e is not the complement of d because

$$\text{LUB}(e, d) = g \neq i$$

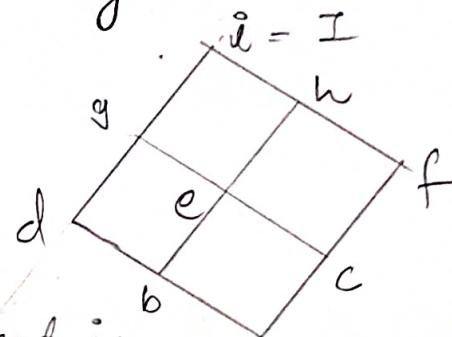
$$\text{GLB}(e, d) = b \neq a$$

② f is the complement of d because

$$\text{LUB}(f, d) = i$$

$$\text{GLB}(f, d) = a$$

Therefore, f is the complement of d and d is the complement of f .



\Rightarrow Complement of e

① d is not the complement of e because

$$\text{LUB}(d, e) = g \neq i$$

$$\text{GLB}(d, e) = b \neq a$$

② f is not the complement of e because

$$\text{LUB}(f, e) = h \neq i$$

$$\text{GLB}(f, e) = c \neq a$$

Therefore, the complement of e does not exist

Hence, the given lattice is not a complemented lattice.

Ex 2. Consider the following Hasse Diagram,

Is the above lattice a complemented lattice?

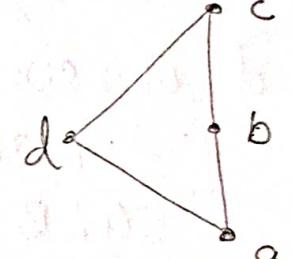
Solution

\Rightarrow b is complement of d and

d is complement of b

$$\Rightarrow \text{LUB}(b, d) = \text{LUB}(d, b) = c$$

$$\text{GLB}(b, d) = \text{GLB}(d, b) = a$$



\Rightarrow e is complement of a and

a is complement of e

$$\Rightarrow \text{LUB}(c, a) = \text{LUB}(a, c) = c$$

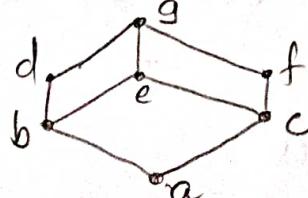
$$\text{GLB}(c, a) = \text{GLB}(a, c) = a$$

Hence, the given lattice is a complemented lattice

Ex 3. Determine whether the following Hasse

diagram is a bounded lattice or not. If yes,

then check whether it is complemented lattice.



Solution: the given lattice is a bounded lattice because it has the greatest and least element

Greatest element = g

least element = a

Let's check whether the given lattice is a complemented lattice or not.

\Rightarrow Complement of d

① e is not the complement of d because

$$\text{LUB}(e, d) = g$$

$$\text{GLB}(e, d) = b \neq a$$

② f is complement of d because

$$\text{LUB}(f, d) = g$$

$$\text{GLB}(f, d) = a$$

③ d is complement of c because

$$\text{LUB}(d, c) = g$$

$$\text{GLB}(d, c) = a$$

④ f is complement of b because

$$\text{LUB}(f, b) = g$$

$$\text{GLB}(f, b) = a$$

⑤ a is complement of g because

$$\text{LUB}(a, g) = g$$

$$\text{GLB}(a, g) = a$$

⑥ d is not the complement of e because

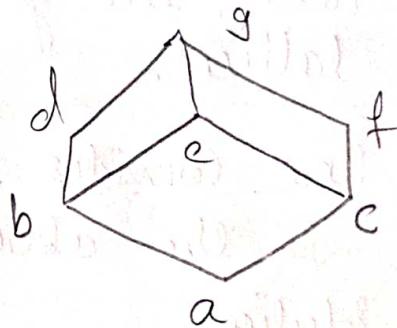
$$\text{LUB}(d, e) = g$$

$$\text{GLB}(d, e) = b \neq a$$

⑦ f is not the complement of e because

$$\text{LUB}(f, e) = g$$

$$\text{GLB}(f, e) = c \neq a$$



Here, the complement of e does not exist.
Therefore, the given lattice is not a complemented lattice.

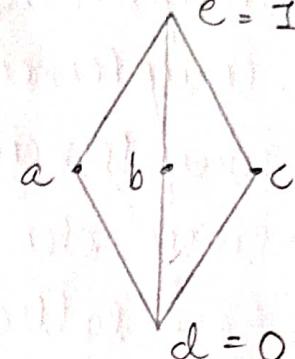
Ex 3 Show that lattice shown is complemented.

Solution. Greatest = $e=I$, Least = $d=0$

$$a \vee b = e = I, a \wedge b = d = 0$$

\therefore Complement of a is b .

\therefore Complement of b is a .



$$a \vee c = e = I, a \wedge c = d = 0$$

\therefore Complement of a is c .

\therefore Complement of c is a .

$$b \vee c = e = I, b \wedge c = d = 0$$

\therefore Complement of b is c .

\therefore Complement of c is b .

\therefore Every element has a complement.

So, it is complemented lattice.

Ex 4 Consider the complemented lattice in fig

Give the complements of each elements.

Solution Greatest element = $e=I$

Least element = $a=0$

$$\Rightarrow b \vee c = e, b \wedge c = a$$

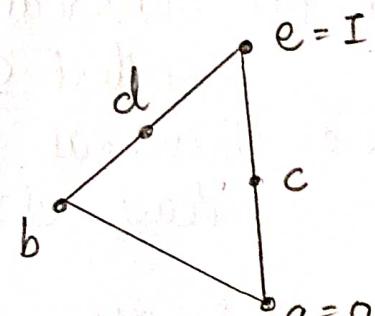
\therefore Complement of b is c .

\therefore Complement of c is b .

$$\Rightarrow d \vee c = e, d \wedge c = a$$

\therefore Complement of d is c .

\therefore Complement of c is d .



* Boolean Algebra

A lattice ' L ' is said to be Boolean algebra,
if it is complemented and distributive lattice
one or more comp. or 1 pair comp.

NOTE :-

- (1) Lattice contains 2^n elements, for $n \geq 0$.
- (2) Lattice contains least element and greatest element

Ex

Ex1 Determine whether the following posets is Boolean algebras. Justify your answer.

362 $A = \{1, 2, 3, 6\}$ with divisibility.

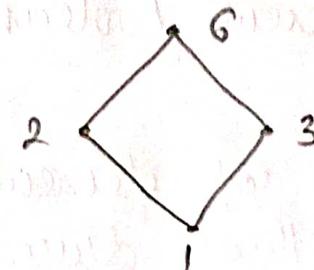
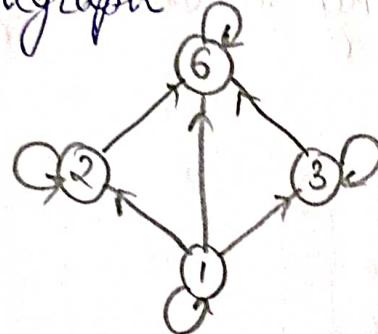
Solution given set $A = \{1, 2, 3, 6\}$.

Partial order relation of divisibility on set A is

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

$$MR = \begin{bmatrix} & 1 & 2 & 3 & 6 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 2 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 3 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 6 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Diagram Hasse diagram.



LUB

v	1	2	3	6
1	1	2	3	6
2	2	2	6	6
3	3	6	3	6
6	6	6	6	6

GLB

v	1	2	3	6
1	1	1	1	1
2	1	2	1	2
3	1	1	3	3
6	1	2	3	6

Every pair of elements in A has GLB & LUB
Therefore, A is a lattice.

$\therefore A$ has least element $= 1 = 0$

& a greatest element $= 6 = 1$.

\therefore Number of elements in A is $4 = 2^2$

\Rightarrow Complement of 2 is 3 and 3 is 2.

$$2 \vee 3 = 6 = 1, 2 \wedge 3 = 1 = 0$$

$\vdash A$ is a complement lattice
 \Rightarrow Distributive lattice.

$$LHS = \alpha \vee (\alpha \wedge \beta)$$

$$= \alpha \vee \beta$$

$$= \alpha$$

$$RHS = (\alpha \vee \beta) \wedge (\alpha \vee \gamma)$$

$$= \alpha \wedge \beta$$

$$= \alpha$$

$$\therefore LHS = RHS$$

$\therefore A$ is distributive lattice.

$\therefore A$ satisfies all requirements of Boolean Algebra
 $\therefore A$ under divisibility is a Boolean Algebra.

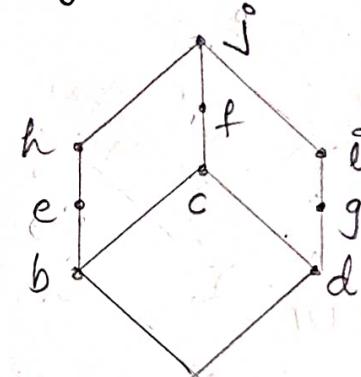
Ex2 Determine whether the following Hasse Diagram represent Boolean algebra.

Solution

Number of elements in the above Hasse diagram is 10.

But every Boolean algebra.

having 2^n elements for some even n.
As $10 \neq 2^n$.



Hence, the Hasse diagram above does not represent Boolean algebra.

Ex3 Is D_{70} with the relation "divisibility" a Boolean algebra? Justify your answers.

Solution: Divisors of 70 are $A = \{1, 2, 5, 7, 10, 14, 35, 70\}$.

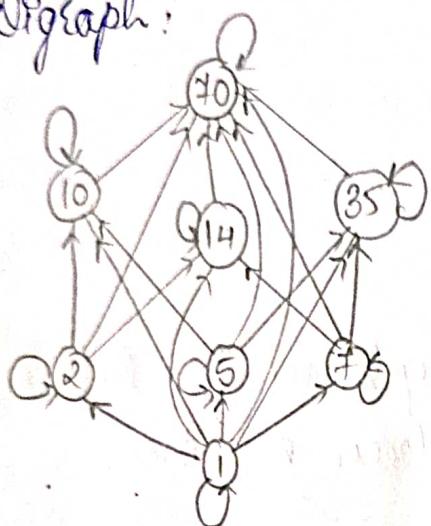
Partial order relation of divisibility on set A is

$$R = \{(1, 1), (1, 2), (1, 5), (1, 7), (1, 10), (1, 14), (1, 35), (1, 70), (2, 2), (2, 10), (2, 14), (2, 70), (5, 5), (5, 10), (5, 35), (5, 70), (7, 7), (7, 14), (7, 35), (7, 70), (10, 10), (10, 70), (14, 14), (14, 70), (35, 35), (35, 70), (70, 70)\}$$

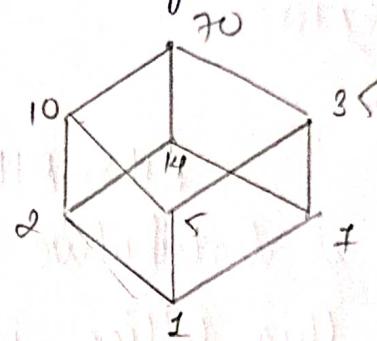
Matrix of the above relation is

$$M_R = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 5 & 7 & 10 & 14 & 35 & 70 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 2 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 5 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 7 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 10 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 14 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 35 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 70 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Diagram:



Hasse Diagram



LUB

GLB

v	1	2	5	7	10	14	35	70		1	2	5	7	10	14	35	70
1	1	1	2	5	7	10	14	35	70	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
2	2	2	10	14	10	14	35	70		2	1	2	1	1	2	2	1
5	5	5	10	5	35	10	70	35	70	5	1	1	5	1	5	1	5
7	7	14	35	7	70	14	35	70		7	1	1	1	7	1	7	7
10	10	10	10	70	10	70	70	70		10	1	2	5	1	10	2	5
14	14	14	70	14	70	14	70	70		14	1	2	1	7	2	14	7
35	35	35	35	35	70	40	35	70		35	1	1	5	7	5	7	35
70	70	70	70	70	70	70	70	70		70	1	2	5	7	10	14	35

Every pair of elements in A has GLB and LUB.

therefore A is a lattice

A has least element (0) = 1

and a greatest element (I) = 70

Number of elements in A is $8 = 2^3$

\Rightarrow Complement of α .

$$\alpha \vee 35 = 70 = I, \alpha \wedge 35 = 1 = 0$$

$$\alpha \vee 7 = 14 \neq I, \alpha \wedge 7 = 1 = 0$$

$$\alpha \vee 5 = 10 \neq I, \alpha \wedge 5 = 1 = 0$$

\therefore Complement of 2 is 35 and 35 is 2. ($\alpha^c = 35, 35^c = \alpha$)

$\therefore A$ is complement lattice.

\Rightarrow Distributive lattice.

$$\begin{aligned}
 LHS &= \alpha \wedge (5 \vee 10) & RHS &= (\alpha \wedge 5) \vee (\alpha \wedge 10) \\
 &= \alpha \wedge 10 & &= 1 \vee 2 \\
 &= 2 & &= 2
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore LHS = RHS.$$

$\therefore A$ is distributive lattice

Hence, this lattice is complemented lattice

Hence, this lattice is Boolean Algebra.

Ex 3 Is D_{75} with the relation "divisibility":

a Boolean Algebra? Justify your answers.

Solution: Here the set of divisors are

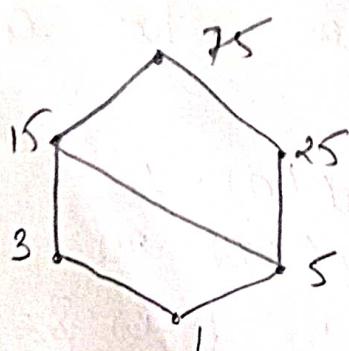
$$A = \{1, 3, 5, 15, 25, 75\} = D_{75}$$

Here, D_{75} contains 6 elements and

$6 \neq 2^n$ for any integer $n \geq 0$

$\therefore D_{75}$ is not a Boolean Algebra.

Hasse Diagram

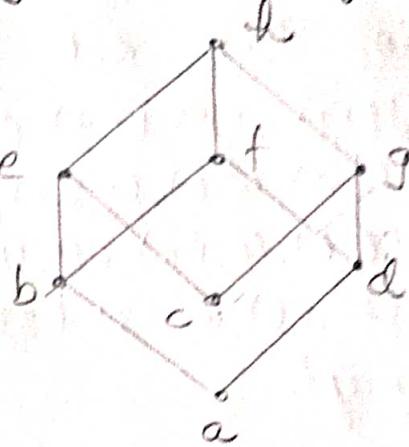


Ex 4 Determine whether the following Hasse diagram represent Boolean Algebra.

Solution

Here the number of elements in the above Hasse diagram is 8 which is verified.

$$2^n = 2^3 = 8, \text{ for some } n \in \mathbb{N}.$$



LUB

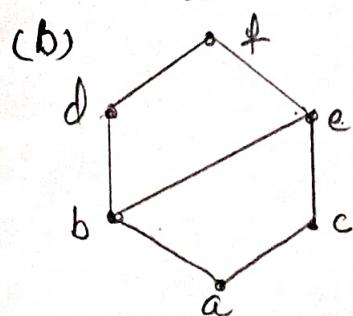
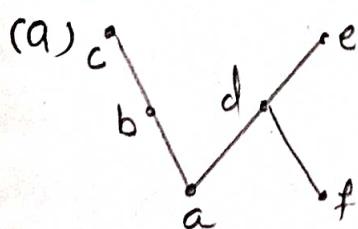
v	a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h
a	a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h
b	b	b	e	f	e	f	h	h
c	e	e	c	g	e	h	g	h
d	d	f	g	d	h	f	g	h
e	e	e	e	h	e	h	h	h
f	f	f	f	h	f	h	h	h
g	g	g	g	h	h	h	g	h
h	h	h	h	h	h	h	h	h

GLB

\	a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h
a	a	a	-	a	a	a	a	a
b	a	b	-	a	b	b	a	b
c	-	-	c	-	c	-	c	c
d	a	a	-	d	a	d	d	d
e	a	b	c	a	e	b	a	e
f	a	b	-	d	b	f	d	f
g	a	a	c	d	a	d	g	g
h	a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h

There is no GLB for pairs (a,c), (b,c), (c,d), (c,f).
So, the Hasse Diagram doesn't represent a lattice.
Hence, it is not Boolean Algebra.

Ex 5 Determine whether the following posets represents Boolean algebra.



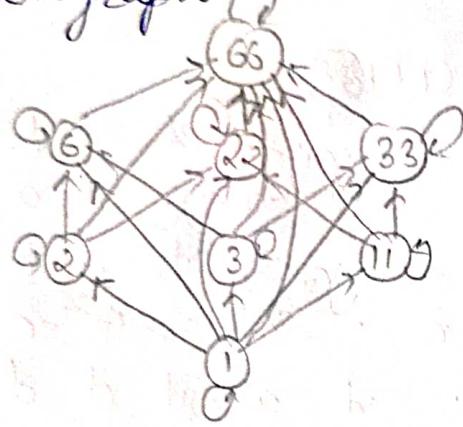
In both the Hasse diagram, number of elements is 6, which is not equal to 2^n , for any integer $n \geq 0$, so we conclude that given posets do not represent Boolean algebra.

Ex 6 Prove that $\langle S_{66}, \Delta \rangle$ is a Boolean algebra.

Solution Here set $A = \{1, 2, 3, 6, 11, 22, 33, 66\}$

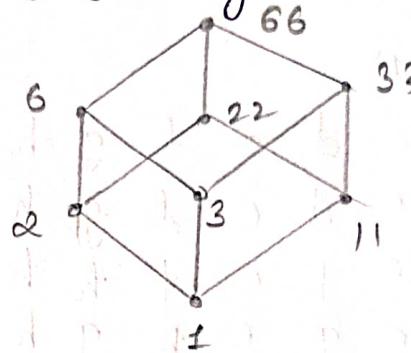
$$R = \{(1,1), (1,2), (1,3), (1,6), (1,11), (1,22), (1,33), (1,66), (2,2), (2,6), (2,22), (2,66), (3,3), (3,6), (3,33), (3,66), (6,6), (6,66), (11,11), (11,22), (11,33), (11,66), (22,22), (22,66), (33,33), (33,66), (66,66)\}$$

Diagraph



LUB

Hasse diagram



GLB

V	1	2	3	6	11	22	33	66	\wedge	1	2	3	6	11	22	33	66
1	1	2	3	6	11	22	33	66	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
2	2	2	6	6	22	22	66	66	2	1	2	1	2	1	2	1	2
3	3	6	3	6	33	66	33	66	3	1	1	3	3	1	1	3	3
6	6	6	6	6	66	66	66	66	6	1	2	3	6	1	2	3	6
11	11	22	33	66	11	22	33	66	11	1	1	1	1	11	11	11	11
22	22	22	66	66	22	22	66	66	22	1	2	1	2	11	22	11	22
33	33	66	33	66	33	66	33	66	33	1	1	3	3	11	11	33	33
66	66	66	66	66	66	66	66	66	66	1	2	3	6	11	22	33	66

Every pair of elements in A has a GLB and LUB.
Therefore, A is a lattice.

A has a least element (0) = 1.

and a greatest element (I) = 66

Number of elements = $2^8 = 2^3$.

\Rightarrow Complement lattice.

* Complement of 2

$$2 \vee 33 = 66 = I$$

$$2 \wedge 33 = 1 = 0$$

$$2^c = 33$$

$$33^c = 2$$

$$2 \vee 11 = 22 \neq I, \quad 2 \wedge 11 = 3 = 0$$

$$2 \vee 3 = 6 \neq I, \quad 2 \wedge 3 = 1 = 0$$

* complement of 6

$$6 \vee 33 = 66 = I, \quad 6 \wedge 33 = 3 \neq 0$$

$$6 \vee 22 = 66 = I, \quad 6 \wedge 22 = 2 \neq 0$$

$$6 \vee 11 = 66 = I, \quad 6 \wedge 11 = 1 = 0$$

$$6^c = 11$$

$$11^c = 6$$

* complement of 3.

$$3 \vee 2 = 6 \neq I, \quad 3 \wedge 2 = 1 = 0$$

$$3 \vee 11 = 33 \neq I, \quad 3 \wedge 11 = 1 = 0$$

$$3 \vee 22 = 66 = I, \quad 3 \wedge 22 = 1 = 0$$

$$3^c = 22$$

$$22^c = 3$$

* complement of 11

$$11 \vee 2 = 22 \neq I, \quad 11 \wedge 2 = 1 = 0$$

$$11 \vee 3 = 33 \neq I, \quad 11 \wedge 3 = 1 = 0$$

$$11 \vee 6 = 66 = I, \quad 11 \wedge 6 = 1 = 0$$

$$11^c = 6$$

$$6^c = 11$$

* complement of 33.

$$33 \vee 2 = 66 = I, \quad 33 \wedge 2 = 1 = 0$$

$$33 \vee 6 = 66 = I, \quad 33 \wedge 6 = 3 \neq 0$$

$$33 \vee 22 = 66 = I, \quad 33 \wedge 22 = 11 \neq 0$$

$$33^c = 2$$

$$2^c = 33$$

$\therefore A$ is complemented lattice.

\Rightarrow Distributive lattice.

$$(LHS) = 2 \vee (3 \wedge 11)$$

$$= 2 \vee 1$$

$$= 2$$

$$RHS = (2 \vee 3) \wedge (2 \vee 11)$$

$$= 6 \wedge 22$$

$$= 2$$

$$\therefore LHS = RHS$$

$\therefore A$ is distributive lattice

$\therefore A$ satisfies all requirements of Boolean Algebra

$\therefore A$ is a Boolean Algebra.