

1.

1. For  $\forall b \in B$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} R \downarrow A(b) &= \text{(by def. of } R \downarrow A(b)) \\ \{ a \in A \mid R(a, b) \} &= \text{(by def. of inverse relations)} \\ \{ a \in A \mid R^-(b, a) \} &= \text{(by def. of } R^-(b, a)) \\ R^- \downarrow A(b) \end{aligned}$$

2. A proof is analogous to 1.

2.

2.

- $\text{child} \downarrow \text{Person}_1(p)$  = the set of children of person  $p$ .
- $\text{child} \downarrow \text{Person}_2(p)$  = the set of parents of person  $p$ .
- $\text{child} \downarrow \text{Person}_2$  = the set of parents = the set of persons who have a child.

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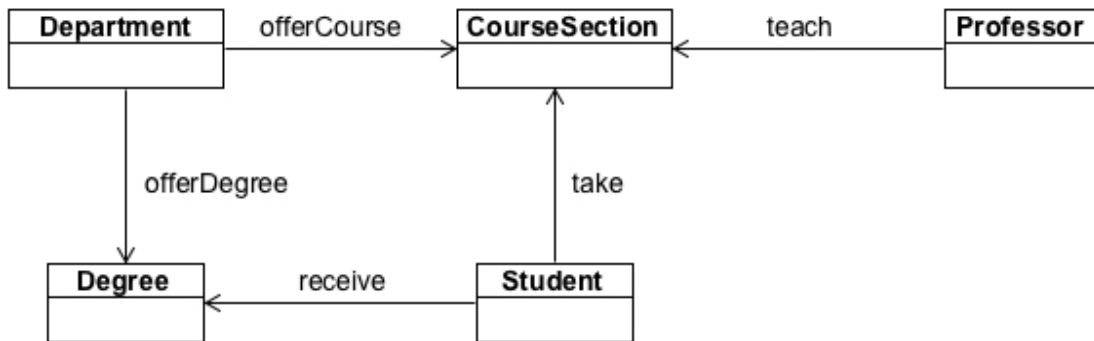
- $\text{contract} \downarrow \text{Author}(p, b)$  = the set of authors who signed a contract with publisher  $p$  to write book  $b$ .
- $\text{contract} \downarrow \text{Publisher}(a, b)$  = the set of publishers that have had a contract with author  $a$  to write book  $b$ .
- $\text{contract} \downarrow \text{Book}(a, p)$  = the set of books which author  $a$  signed contracts with publisher  $p$  to write.
- $\text{contract} \downarrow \langle \text{Author}, \text{Publisher} \rangle$  = the set of  $\langle \text{author}, \text{publisher} \rangle$  pairs such that each author in the set signed a contract to write a book with the paired publisher.
- $\text{contract} \downarrow \text{Author}(p)$  = the set of authors who signed a contract with publisher  $p$  to write a book.

3.

- $(\text{child child child})(p_1, p_2) \Leftrightarrow \exists p_3 \exists p_4 (\text{child}(p_1, p_3) \wedge \text{child}(p_3, p_4) \wedge \text{child}(p_4, p_2))$ :  $p_1$  is a great-grandchild of  $p_2$ .
- $(\text{child sibling})(p_1, p_2) \Leftrightarrow \exists p_3 (\text{child}(p_1, p_3) \wedge \text{sibling}(p_3, p_2))$ :  $p_1$  is a nephew or niece of  $p_2$ .
- $(\text{sibling child})(p_1, p_2) \Leftrightarrow \exists p_3 (\text{sibling}(p_1, p_3) \wedge \text{child}(p_3, p_2))$ :  $p_1$  has a sibling  $p_3$  who is a child of  $p_2$ , i.e.,  $p_1$  is a child of  $p_2$  and has a sibling.
- $(\text{sibling sibling})(p_1, p_2) \Leftrightarrow \exists p_3 (\text{sibling}(p_1, p_3) \wedge \text{sibling}(p_3, p_2))$ :  $p_1$  has a sibling  $p_3$  who is a sibling of  $p_2$ , i.e.,  $p_1$  is a sibling of  $p_2$  and has another sibling different from  $p_2$ , or  $p_1$  is the same as  $p_2$  and has a sibling.

4.

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a.

- $(\text{take offerCourse}^-)(s, d)$ : student  $s$  completed a course section offered by department  $d$ .
- $(\text{offerCourse teach}^-)(d, p)$ : department  $d$  offered a course section taught by professor  $p$ .
- $(\text{take offerCourse}^- \text{offerDegree})(s, d)$ : student  $s$  completed a course section offered by a department that offered degree  $d$ .
- $(\text{teach take}^- \text{receive})(p, d)$ : professor  $p$  taught a course section completed by a student that received degree  $d$ .

b.

1.  $\{ \langle d, c \rangle : \text{department } d \text{ offered a degree received by a student who took course section } c \}$   
offerDegree receive<sup>-</sup> take
2.  $\{ \langle d, dg \rangle : \text{department } d \text{ offered a course section taken by a student who received degree } dg \}$   
offerCourse take<sup>-</sup> receive
3.  $\{ \langle s, s' \rangle : \text{student } s \text{ took a course section offered by a department that offered a degree received by student } s' \}$   
take offerCourse<sup>-</sup> offerDegree receive<sup>-</sup>
4.  $\{ \langle c, d \rangle : \text{course section } c \text{ was taken by a student who received degree } d \}$   
take<sup>-</sup> receive
5.  $\{ \langle c, d \rangle : \text{course section } c \text{ was offered by a department that offered degree } d \}$   
offerCourse<sup>-</sup> offerDegree
6.  $\{ \langle s, s' \rangle : \text{students } s \text{ and } s' \text{ took a common course section} \}$   
take take<sup>-</sup>
7.  $\{ \langle p, p' \rangle : \text{professors } p \text{ and } p' \text{ taught a common course section} \}$   
teach teach<sup>-</sup>
8.  $\{ \langle c, c' \rangle : \text{course sections } c \text{ and } c' \text{ were offered by a common department} \}$   
offerCourse<sup>-</sup> offerCourse
9.  $\{ \langle d, d' \rangle : \text{degrees } d \text{ and } d' \text{ were received by a common student} \}$   
receive<sup>-</sup> receive

5.

4. offerCourse (take $\downarrow$ <CourseSection, Program>) : Department  $\rightarrow$  Program

is the binary relation of  $\langle d, p \rangle$  such that department  $d$  offered a course section taken by a student in program  $p$  regardless of grades.

6.

1. For  $\forall x \in S$ ,

$$\begin{aligned}
 R \downarrow S_1(x) &= \text{(by def. of } R \downarrow S_1(x)) \\
 \{ s \in S \mid R(s, x) \} &= \text{(by def. of symmetry)} \\
 \{ s \in S \mid R(x, s) \} &= \text{(by def. of } R \downarrow S_2(x)) \\
 R \downarrow S_2(x)
 \end{aligned}$$

2. Examples of symmetric relations.

- sibling(Person, Person) relation in Question 2.3.
- bornInSameYear(Person, Person):  $p_1$  and  $p_2$  were born in the same year.
- synonymous(Word, Word): word  $w_1$  is synonymous with word  $w_2$ .

7. Examples of transitive relations.

1. ancestor(Person, Person).
2. prerequisite(Course, Course)
3. Let Node be the set of all nodes in a certain network.  
path(Node, Node): There exists a path from node  $n_1$  to node  $n_2$  in the network.

8. Proof of *if*: Suppose  $R = R^-$ . Then for  $\forall x, y \in S$ ,

$$\begin{aligned}
 R(x, y) &\Leftrightarrow \text{(by assumption of } R = R^-) \\
 R^-(x, y) &\Leftrightarrow \text{(by def. of } R^-) \\
 R(y, x)
 \end{aligned}$$

Hence  $R$  is symmetric.

Proof of *only if*: Suppose  $R$  is symmetric. Then for  $\forall x, y \in S$ ,

$$\begin{aligned}
 R(x, y) &\Leftrightarrow \text{(by symmetry of } R) \\
 R(y, x) &\Leftrightarrow \text{(by def. of } R^-) \\
 R^-(x, y)
 \end{aligned}$$

Hence  $R = R^-$ .

**9.** For  $\forall x, y \in S_1$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} RR^-(x, y) &\Leftrightarrow \text{(by def. of composition)} \\ \exists z \in S_2 (R(x, z) \wedge R^-(z, y)) &\Leftrightarrow \text{(by def. of } R^-) \\ \exists z \in S_2 (R^-(z, x) \wedge R(y, z)) &\Leftrightarrow \text{(by commutativity of } \wedge) \\ \exists z \in S_2 (R(y, z) \wedge R^-(z, x)) &\Leftrightarrow \text{(by def. of composition)} \\ RR^-(y, x) \end{aligned}$$

Hence  $RR^-$  is symmetric.

**10.** For  $\forall x, y, z \in S$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} R^-(x, y) \wedge R^-(y, z) &\Leftrightarrow \text{(by def. of } R^-) \\ R(y, x) \wedge R(z, y) &\Leftrightarrow \text{(by commutativity of } \wedge) \\ R(z, y) \wedge R(y, x) &\Leftrightarrow \text{(by transitivity of } R) \\ R(z, x) &\Leftrightarrow \text{(by def. of } R^-) \\ R^-(x, z) \end{aligned}$$

Hence  $R^-$  is transitive.

**11 and 14.** See Course Notes #1, Section 2: Characteristics.

**15.**

1. storage manager
2. transaction manager
3. query processor/optimizer
4. transaction manager

**16.**

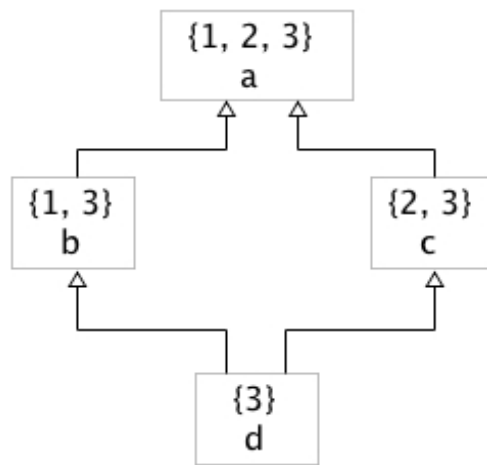
1. (i), (iii)
2. (ii)
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5. (i), (ii)
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8. (ii)

**17.** Build an inheritance hierarchy for each of the following lists of classes with their feature sets.

a. Input: Classes 1, ..., 3 and the following  $F_i$ :

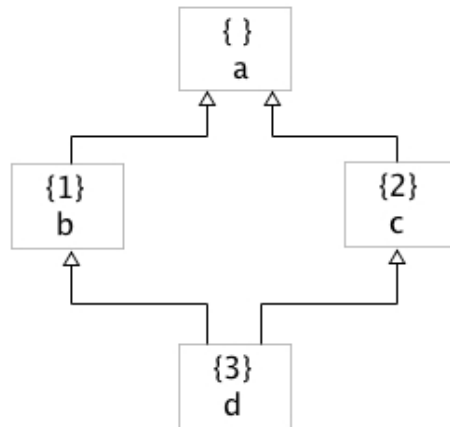
$$\begin{aligned} F_1 &= \{a, b\} \\ F_2 &= \{a, c\} \\ F_3 &= \{a, b, c, d\} \end{aligned}$$

1.  $C_a = \{1, 2, 3\}$   
 $C_b = \{1, 3\}$   
 $C_c = \{2, 3\}$   
 $C_d = \{3\}$
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b. Input: Classes 1, ..., 5 and the following  $F_i$ :

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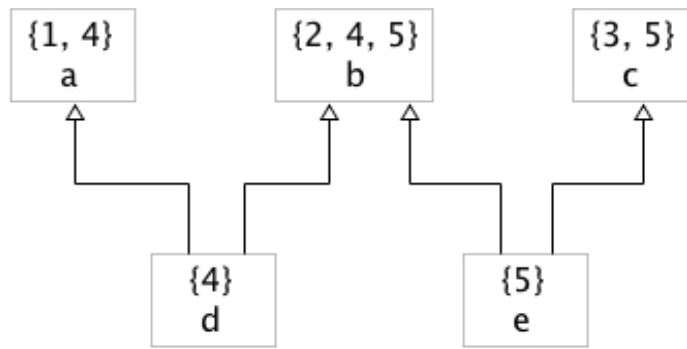
$$F_2 = \{b\}$$

$$F_3 = \{c\}$$

$$F_4 = \{a, b, d\}$$

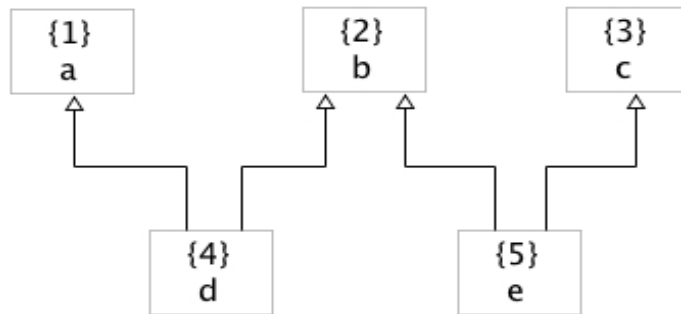
$$F_5 = \{b, c, e\}$$

1.  $C_a = \{1, 4\}$   
 $C_b = \{2, 4, 5\}$   
 $C_c = \{3, 5\}$   
 $C_d = \{4\}$   
 $C_e = \{5\}$
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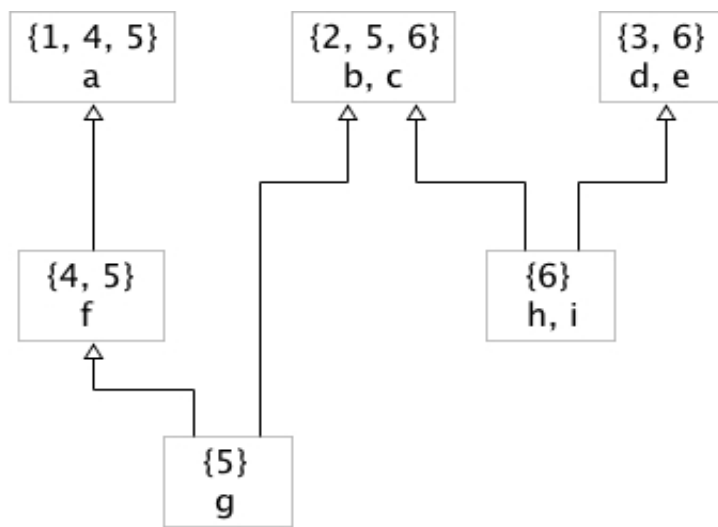
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c. Input: Classes 1, ..., 6 and the following  $F_i$ :

- $F_1 = \{a\}$
- $F_2 = \{b, c\}$
- $F_3 = \{d, e\}$
- $F_4 = \{a, f\}$
- $F_5 = \{a, b, c, f, g\}$
- $F_6 = \{b, c, d, e, h, i\}$

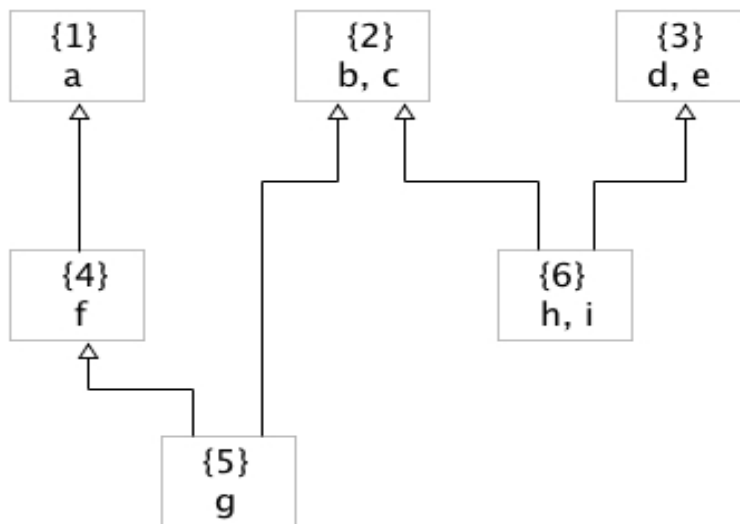
1.  $C_a = \{1, 4, 5\}$   
 $C_b = \{2, 5, 6\}$   
 $C_c = \{2, 5, 6\}$   
 $C_d = \{3, 6\}$   
 $C_e = \{3, 6\}$   
 $C_f = \{4, 5\}$   
 $C_g = \{5\}$   
 $C_h = \{6\}$   
 $C_i = \{6\}$

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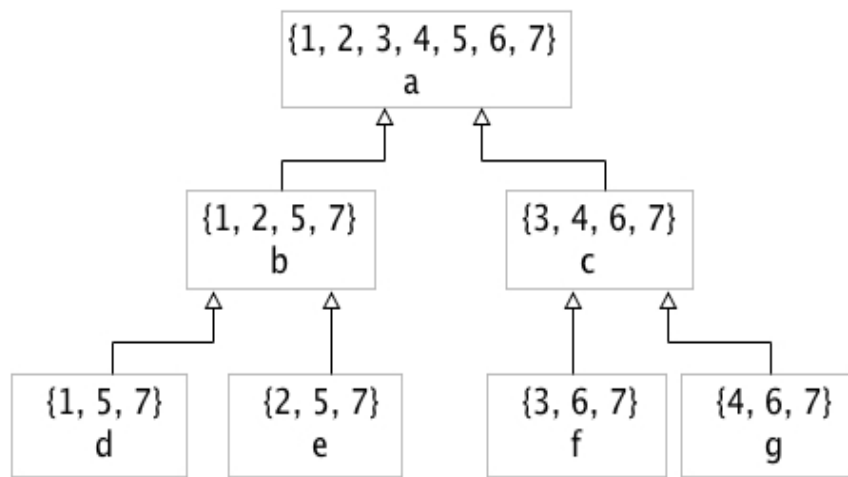


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d. Input: Classes 1, ..., 7 and the following  $F_i$ :

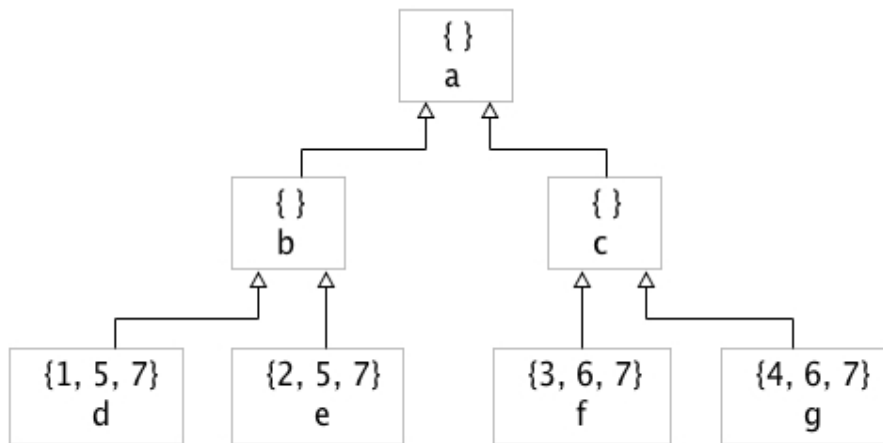
- $F_1 = \{a, b, d\}$
- $F_2 = \{a, b, e\}$
- $F_3 = \{a, c, f\}$
- $F_4 = \{a, c, g\}$
- $F_5 = \{a, b, d, e\}$
- $F_6 = \{a, c, f, g\}$
- $F_7 = \{a, b, c, d, e, f, g\}$

1.  $C_a = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7\}$   
 $C_b = \{1, 2, 5, 7\}$   
 $C_c = \{3, 4, 6, 7\}$   
 $C_d = \{1, 5, 7\}$   
 $C_e = \{2, 5, 7\}$   
 $C_f = \{3, 6, 7\}$   
 $C_g = \{4, 6, 7\}$
- 2.



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