

Problem1

(a) we have :

$$(-1) 2 - (0) 4 = -2$$

$$(0) 2 - (0) 4 = 0$$

$$(-1) 2 - (-1) 4 = -2$$

$$(-1) 2 - (0) 4 = -2$$

$$(1) 2 - (2) 4 = -6$$

$$(1) 2 - (3) 4 = -10$$

$$\text{So, } S_{2,-4} = \{\dots, -10, -6, -2, 0, 2, \dots\} = \mathbb{Z}$$

(b) we have:

$$(-1) 12 + (-1) 18 = -30$$

$$(-1) 12 + (0) 18 = -12$$

$$(0) 12 + (-1) 18 = -18$$

$$(0) 12 + (0) 18 = 0$$

$$(0) 12 + (1) 18 = 18$$

$$(1) 12 + (-1) 18 = -6$$

$$\text{So, } S_{12,18} = \{\dots, -30, -12, -18, 0, 18, \dots\} = 3\mathbb{Z}$$

(c) (i) for $d|n$, $d|x$ and $d|y$, so $d|(mx+my)$ for any integers m, n .

So, if $a \in S_{x,y}$, $d|a$. Therefore, $S_{x,y} \subseteq \{n : n \in \mathbb{Z} \text{ and } d|n\}$.

The proof is complete.

(ii) because $z \in S_{x,y}$, and from (i), we have that $S_{x,y} \subseteq \{n : n \in \mathbb{Z} \text{ and } d|n\}$, so $d|z$, so that $z = kd$, $k \geq 1$. z is positive number in $S_{x,y}$, d is also positive, and $k \geq 1$, so $z = kd \geq d$.

The proof is complete.

(d) (i) because $z \in S_{x,y}$, so $z = mx + ny$ for some $m, n \in \mathbb{Z}$.

Suppose $z|w$, and $w \in \mathbb{Z}$, so $w = kz$.

Then we have $w = (km)x + (kn)y \in S_{x,y}$.

Let $w_1 = (1)x + (0)y$, and $w_2 = (0)x + (1)y$, so w_1, w_2 both elements of $S_{x,y}$. Then we have $z|w_1$ and $z|w_2$.

Therefore $z|x$ and $z|y$.

(ii) from (i), we have that $z|x$ and $z|y$, so z is a common divisor of x and y . $d = \gcd(x, y)$, so d is the greatest common divisor of x and y .

Therefore, $z \leq d$.

The proof is complete.

Problem2

(a) Since $\gcd(x, y) = 1$,

From Bézout's Identity, we have that $mx + ny = \gcd(x, y) = 1$, for some integer m, n . So there exists $w \in [0, y) \cap \mathbb{N}$, make $wx + ny = 1$.

So we have : $wx - 1 = -ny$, therefore, $y|(wx - 1)$, so that there is at least one $w \in [0, y) \cap \mathbb{N}$ such that $wx \equiv 1 \pmod{y}$.

The proof is complete.

(b) If $\gcd(x,y) = 1$, $mx+ny = 1$.

Multiply this by k on both side: $Mkx + nky = k$.

Since $y|kx$ and $y|nky$, so that $y|(mkx + nky)$

Therefore, $y|k$.

The proof is complete.

(c) From (a) we have that :

there exists a $w \in [0,y) \cap \mathbb{N}$ such that $wx \equiv 1 \pmod{y}$.

$wx \equiv 1 \pmod{y}$ if and only if $wx \% y = 1 \% y = 1$

if $w \in [0,y)$, then $wx \in [0,yx)$, so there is at most one w such that $wx \% y = 1$.

Therefore, there is at most one $w \in [0,y) \cap \mathbb{N}$ such that $wx \equiv 1 \pmod{y}$.

The proof is complete.

Problem3

We have that: for all $m, n \in \mathbb{N}_{>0}$ with $n \leq m$, so $(m \% n) \in [0, m-n]$.

When $(m \% n) = 0$:

$$\frac{3}{2} (n + (m \% n)) = \frac{3}{2} n$$

To prove $\frac{3}{2} (n + (m \% n)) < m+n$, is to prove: $\frac{3}{2} n < m+n$.

we adjust the inequality, is to prove: $\frac{1}{2} n < m$. And always $n \leq m$,

so the inequality holds.

When $(m \% n) = m-n$:

$$\frac{3}{2} (n + (m \% n)) = \frac{3}{2} m$$

To prove $\frac{3}{2} (n + (m\%n)) < m+n$, is to prove: $\frac{3}{2} m < m+n$.

we adjust the inequality, is to prove: $m < 2n$

while $(m\%n) \in [0, m-n]$, it also have: $(m\%n) \in [0, n]$

so $(m-n) < n$, $m < 2n$. so the inequality holds.

The proof is complete.

Problem4

$$(a) \quad A \oplus A = (A \setminus A) \cup (A \setminus A) \quad (\text{Definition})$$

$$= (A \cap A^c) \cup (A \cap A^c) \quad (\text{Definition})$$

$$= \emptyset \cup \emptyset \quad (\text{Complementation})$$

$$= \emptyset$$

$$(b) \quad A \cup U = A \cup (A^c \cap U) \quad (\text{Identity})$$

$$= (A \cap U) \cup (A^c \cap U) \quad (\text{Identity})$$

$$= U \cap (A \cup A^c) \quad (\text{Distribution})$$

$$= U \cap U$$

$$= U$$

$$(c) \quad A \oplus B = (A - B) \cup (B - A) \quad (\text{Definition})$$

$$= (A \cap B^c) \cup (B \cap A^c) \quad (\text{Definition})$$

$$= ((A \cap B^c) \cup B) \cap ((A \cap B^c) \cup A^c) \quad (\text{Distribution})$$

$$= ((A \cup B) \cap (B^c \cup B)) \cap ((A \cup A^c) \cap (A^c \cup B^c)) \quad (\text{Distribution})$$

$$= ((A \cup B) \cap U) \cap (U \cap (A^c \cup B^c)) \quad (\text{Complementation})$$

$$= (A \cup B) \cap (A^c \cup B^c) \quad (\text{Identity})$$

(d) $(A \cup B)^c$

Let $x \in (A \cup B)^c$:

$\Rightarrow x \in A^c$ and $x \in B^c$

$\Rightarrow x \in (A^c \cap B^c)$

$\Rightarrow (A \cup B)^c = A^c \cap B^c$

Problem5

$$\Sigma^* = \{\lambda, 0, 1, 00, 11, 01, 10, 000, 111, \dots\}$$

(a) False

Let $X = \{0\}$, $Y = \{1\}$,

$$(X \cup Y)^* = \{\lambda, 0, 1, 00, 11, 01, 10, 000, 111, \dots\}$$

$$X^* = \{\lambda, 0, 00, 000, \dots\}$$

$$Y^* = \{\lambda, 1, 11, 111, \dots\}$$

$$X^* \cup Y = \{\lambda, 0, 1, 00, 11, 000, 111, 0000, 1111, \dots\}^*$$

There are no elements that combine 0 and 1 in $X^* \cup Y$, therefore,
false.

(b) True

(c) False

Let $X = \{0\}$

$$X^* = \{\lambda, 0, 00, 000, \dots\}$$

$$X(X^*) = \{0, 00, 000, 0000, \dots\}$$

There is no λ in $X(X^*)$. Therefore false.

Problem6

(a) List all possible functions $f : \{a, b, c\} \rightarrow \{0, 1\}$:

1. $f(a) = 0, f(b) = 0, f(c) = 0$

2. $f(a) = 0, f(b) = 0, f(c) = 1$

3. $f(a) = 0, f(b) = 1, f(c) = 0$

4. $f(a) = 0, f(b) = 1, f(c) = 1$

5. $f(a) = 1, f(b) = 0, f(c) = 0$

6. $f(a) = 1, f(b) = 0, f(c) = 1$

7. $f(a) = 1, f(b) = 1, f(c) = 0$

8. $f(a) = 1, f(b) = 1, f(c) = 1$

(b) $\text{pow}(\{a, b, c\}) = \{\Phi, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{c\}, \{a,b\}, \{a,c\}, \{b,c\}, \{a,b,c\}\}$

$$|\text{pow}(\{a, b, c\})| = 8$$

The cardinality of $\text{pow}(\{a, b, c\})$ is equal to the number of function a.

(c) For each $\{w \in \{0,1\}^* : \text{length}(w) = 3\}$, there exists a function a to associate an element with w.

Problem7

Let $f \in (A^B)^C, g \in A^{B \times C}$

Define $\varphi : (A^B)^C \rightarrow A^{B \times C}$,

$$\varphi(f)(b)(c) = f(b)(c)$$

Define $\omega : A^{B \times C} \rightarrow (A^B)^C$

$$\omega(g)(b)(c) = g(b, c)$$

Therefore, there is a bijection between $(A^B)^C$ and $A^{B \times C}$

The proof is complete.

Problem8

(a) $(R1; R2); R3 = R1;(R2; R3)$ True

$$\text{Let } R1 = \{(a, b)\}, R2 = \{(b, c)\}, R3 = \{(c, d)\}$$

$$(R1; R2) = \{(a, c)\}, (R1; R2); R3 = \{(c, d)\}$$

$$(R2; R3) = \{(b, d)\}, R1;(R2; R3) = \{(c, d)\}$$

There is always a same element that both in the two binary relation $R1, R2$, and in $R2, R3$, so $(R1; R2); R3 = R1;(R2; R3)$.

(b) $I; R1 = R1; I = R1$ where $I = \{(x, x) : x \in S\}$ True

$$\text{Let } I = \{(x, x)\}, R1 = \{(a, b)\}$$

$$\text{If } I; R1, \text{ then } a = x, \text{ and } I; R1 = \{(x, b)\}$$

$$\text{If } R1; I, \text{ then } b = x, \text{ and } R1; I = \{(a, x)\} = \{(x, x)\}$$

$$\text{So } I; R1 = \{(x, b)\} = \{(x, x)\}$$

Therefore true.

(c) $(R1 \cup R2); R3 = (R1; R3) \cup (R2; R3)$ True

If $(R1 \cup R2); R3$, then there must have an element b with a binary relation $(a, b) \in R1 \cup R2$,

And there must have a same element b with another binary

relation $(b, c) \in R_3$.

However, if $(a, b) \in R_1$ but $\notin R_2$,

$(R_1 \cup R_2); R_3 = R_1; R_3, R_2; R_3 = \{\Phi\}$,

So $(R_1 \cup R_2); R_3 = (R_1; R_3) \cup (R_2; R_3)$ always holds

(d) $R_1; (R_2 \cap R_3) = (R_1; R_2) \cap (R_1; R_3)$ False

Let $R_1 = \{(0, 0), (0, 1)\}$, $R_2 = \{(0, 0), (1, 1)\}$, $R_3 = \{(1, 0), (1, 1)\}$

$R_2 \cap R_3 = \{(1, 1)\}$, then:

$R_1; (R_2 \cap R_3) = \{(0, 1)\}$

$(R_1; R_2) \cap (R_1; R_3) = \{(0, 0), (0, 1)\} \cap \{(0, 0), (0, 1)\} = \{(0, 0), (0, 1)\}$

So that $R_1; (R_2 \cap R_3) \neq (R_1; R_2) \cap (R_1; R_3)$

Therefore false.