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# HW 18

11.3) 13) Suppose  $R$  is an equiv. relation on a finite set  $A$ , and every eq. has same cardinality  $m$ . Express  $|R|$  in terms of  $|A|$  and  $m$ .

$$= m |A|$$

14) Let  $x \in A$ . If  $R$  is reflexive then  $xRx$ . Let  $x_1 = x$ .  $\therefore xRx_1, x_1Rx_2 \Rightarrow xSy$ , Therefore  $R$  is reflexive.

Let  $xSy$ , then there exists natural numbers  $n$  such that  $xRx_1, x_1Rx_2, x_2Rx_3, \dots, x_{n-1}Rx_n$  and  $x_nRy$ . If  $R$  is symmetric 11.4) 2) then  $x_nRx_{n-1}, x_{n-1}Rx_{n-2}, \dots, x_1Rx_0$  and  $yRx_n$ . Then,  $yRx_n, x_nRx_{n-1}, \dots, x_1Rx_0 \Rightarrow ySx$ .  $xSy \Rightarrow ySx$ , thus  $S$  is symmetric.

Let  $x \in y$  and  $y \in z$  therefore  $\exists$  nat. number  $m, n$  such that  $xRx_1, x_1Rx_2, \dots, x_{m-1}Rx_m$  and  $x_mRy$ .  $yRy_1, y_1Ry_2, \dots, y_{n-1}Ry_n$  and  $y_nRz$ .  $\therefore xRx_1, x_1Rx_2, \dots, x_{m-1}Rx_m$  So  $xR'y \Rightarrow (x, y) \in R'$   $\therefore (x, y) \in S \Rightarrow (x, y) \in R'$   $= S \subseteq R'$

Hence,  $S$  is unique smallest eq. in  $A$  containing  $R$

15.)  $R_1 = \{(a,a)(b,b)(c,c)(d,d)(a,b)(b,a)\}$   
 $R_2 = \{(a,a)(b,b)(c,c)(d,d)(a,c)(c,a)\}$   
 $R_3 = \{(a,a)(b,b)(c,c)(d,d)(a,d)(d,a)\}$   
 $R_4 = \{(a,a)(b,b)(c,c)(d,d)(b,c)(c,b)\}$   
 $R_5 = \{(a,a)(b,b)(c,c)(d,d)(b,d)(d,b)\}$   
 $R_6 = \{(a,a)(b,b)(c,c)(d,d)(a,b)(b,a)(a,c)(c,a)(b,c)(c,b)\}$   
 $R_7 = \{(a,a)(b,b)(c,c)(d,d)(c,d)(d,c)\}$   
 $\vdots$   
 $R_{15} = \{(a,a)(b,b)(c,c)(d,d)(a,b)(b,a)(a,c)(c,a)(b,c)(c,b) \dots (d,a)(a,d)\}$   
 $= 15 \text{ cases.}$

$\{a, b, c\}$   
 $\{a, b\}, \{c\}$   
 $\{a, c\}, \{b\}$   
 $\{a\}, \{b, c\}$   
 $\{a\}, \{b\}, \{c\}$   
 6)  $P = \{\{0\}, \{-1, 1\}, \{-2, 2\}, \{-3, 3\}, \dots\}$

The equivalence relation of equivalence classes of  $P$  is:  
 $R = \{x \sim y \text{ if } |x| = |y|\}$