

* Hasse diagram.

Hasse ^{Reflexive?}
^{Antisymmetric?}
^{Transitive?}

Poset can be represented by diagram

A simpler way of representing Poset is
Hasse diagram. Partial order Relation
set

→ Method to find Hasse diagram:

1. Omit loops as R is reflex.
2. Omit all arrows.
3. Eliminate all edges that implied by transitive relation
 $(a, b) \in R \text{ and } (b, c) \in R \Rightarrow \underline{\underline{(a, c) \in R}}$

Ex:- Let R be relation on set A
 $A = \{5, 6, 8, 10, 28, 36, 48\}$.

Let $R = \{(a, b) \mid a \text{ is divisor of } b\}$.

Draw the Hasse diagram. & compare
with digraph. Determine whether
 R is Equivalence relation.

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

$$R = \{(a, b) \mid a \text{ is divisor of } b\}$$

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

1) R is reflexive:- As aRa , i.e. $(a, a) \in R$
 R is reflexive.

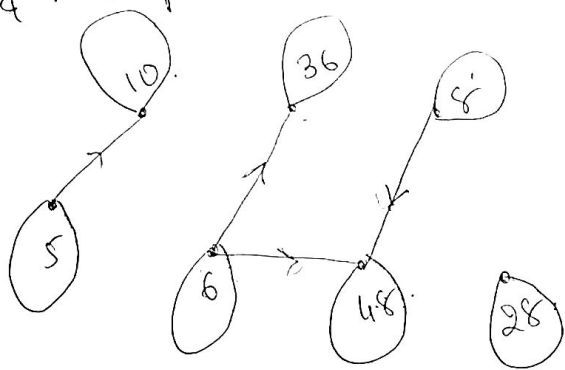
2) R is symmetric:- $aRb \Rightarrow bRa$
 XAS $(5, 10) \in R$ but $(10, 5) \notin R$
 $\therefore R$ is not symm.

3) R is transitive:- As $(a, b) \in R$ & $(b, c) \in R$
 then $(a, c) \in R$

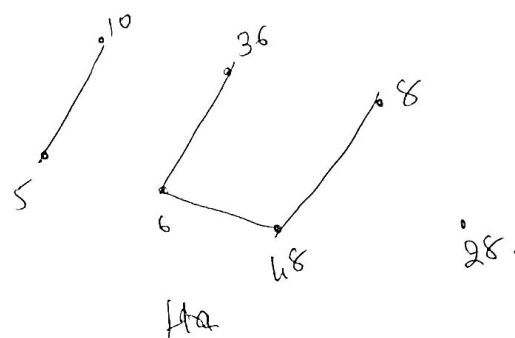
$\therefore R$ is transitive.

4) R is antisymmetric:- $\therefore R$ is antisymm.
 as $aRb \& bRa \Rightarrow a = b$.

$\therefore R$ is not an equivalence relation.
 $\& R$ is partial order relation.



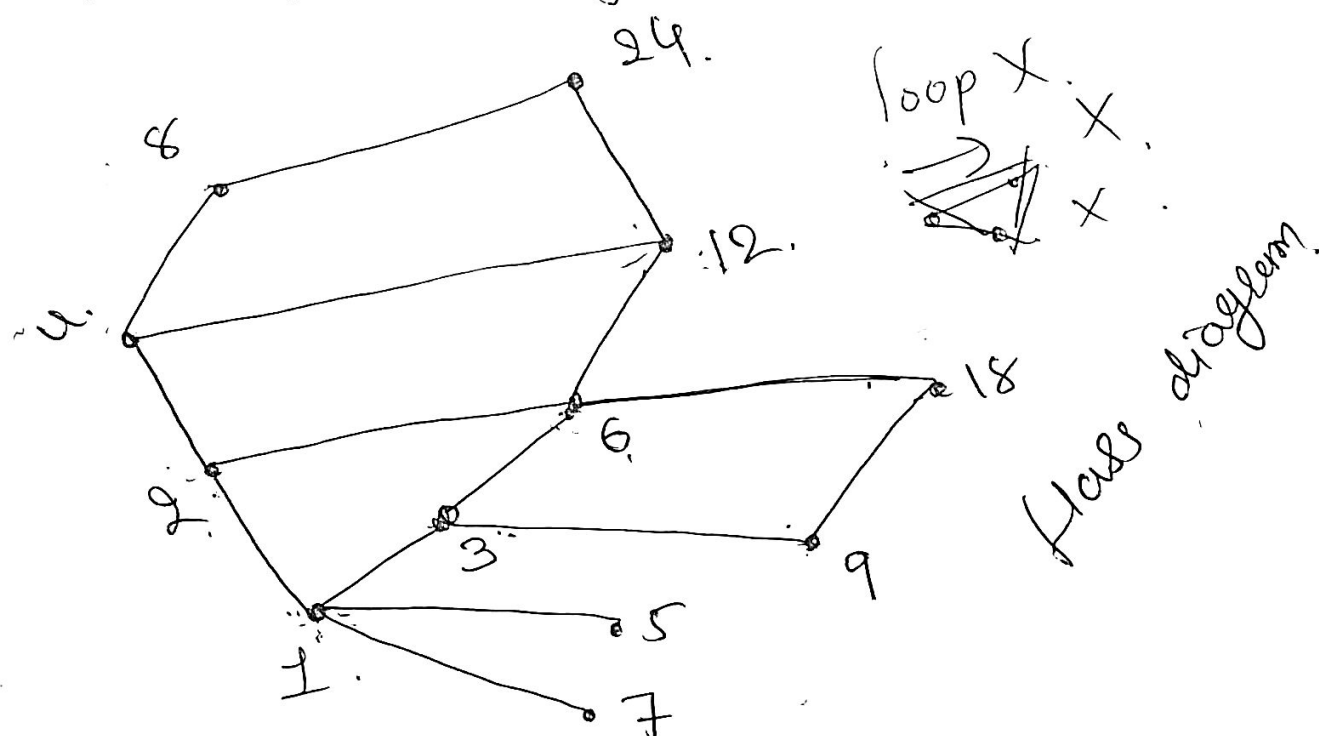
Hasse diagram.



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

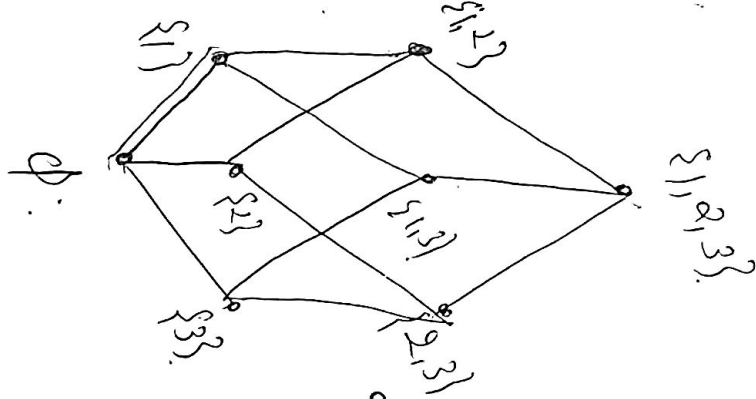
$$R = \{ (1,1), (1,2), (1,3), (1,4), (1,6), (1,7), (1,8), (1,9), (1,12), (1,18), (1,24), (2,2), (3,3), (4,4), (5,5), (6,6), (7,7), (8,8), (9,9), (12,12), (18,18), (24,24), (2,4), (2,6), (2,8), (2,12), (2,18), (2,24), (3,6), (3,9), (3,12), (3,18), (3,24), (4,8), (4,12), (4,24), (6,12), (6,18), (6,24),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

- R is reflexive
 - R is antisymm.
 - R is transitive.
- ∴ R is partial ordered relation set.



Ex:-1) Let $S = \{1, 2, 3\}$. $(P(S), \subseteq)$ is a poset.

Draw the Hasse diagram
 $P(S) = \{\emptyset, \{1\}, \{2\}, \{3\}, \{1, 2\}, \{1, 3\}, \{2, 3\}, \{1, 2, 3\}\}$



Antichain:-

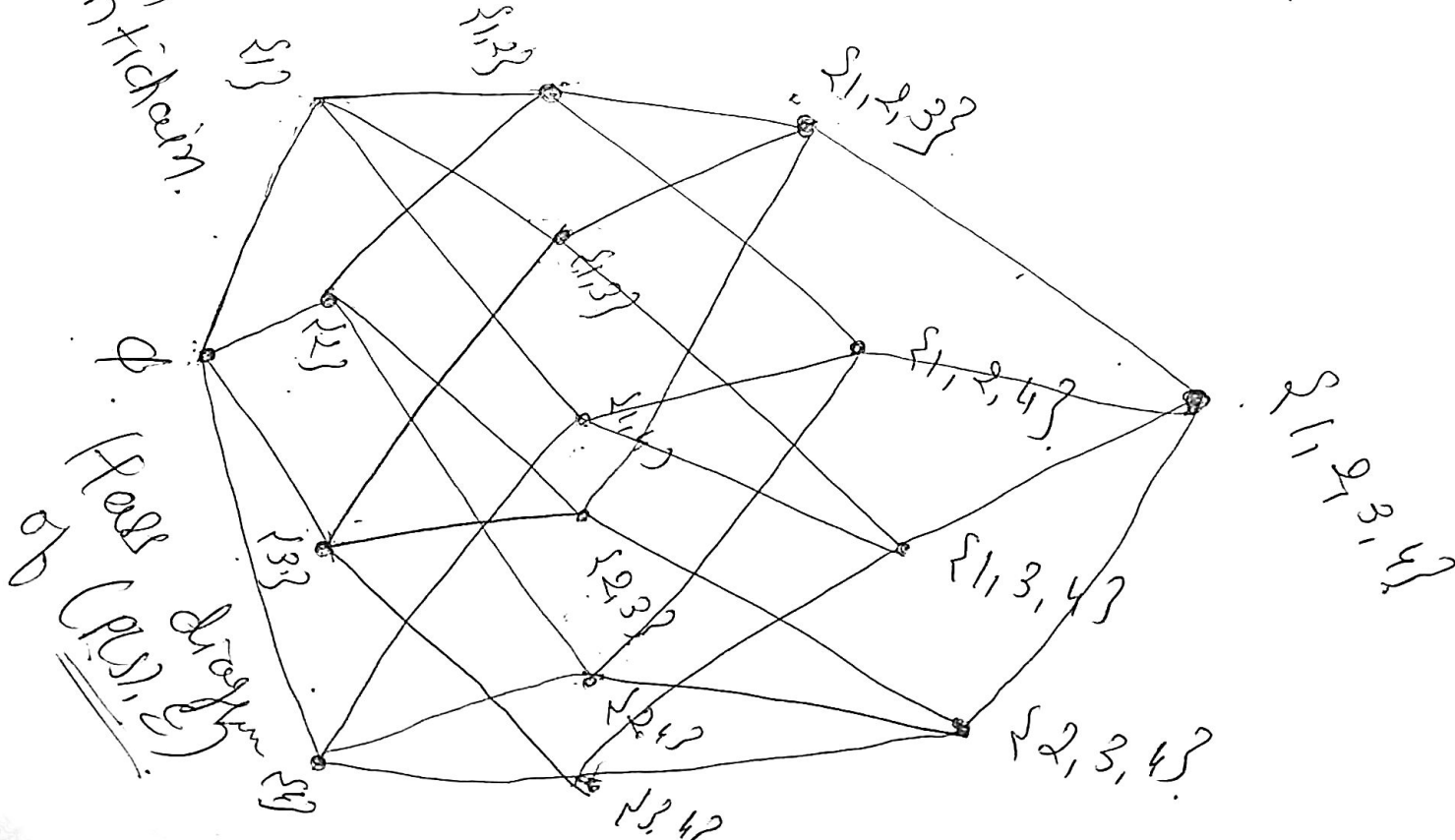
Chain:-

$\{\emptyset, \{1\}, \{1, 2\}, \{1, 2, 3\}\}$
 $\{\emptyset, \{2\}, \{2, 3\}, \{1, 2, 3\}\}$
 $\{\emptyset, \{3\}, \{1, 3\}, \{1, 2, 3\}\}$

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

$P(S) = \{\emptyset, \{1\}, \{2\}, \{3\}, \{4\}, \{1, 2\}, \{1, 3\}, \{1, 4\}, \{2, 3\}, \{2, 4\}, \{3, 4\}, \{1, 2, 3\}, \{1, 2, 4\}, \{1, 3, 4\}, \{2, 3, 4\}, \{1, 2, 3, 4\}\}$

Draw the Hasse diagram



Antichain:-

Hasse diagram of $(P(S), \subseteq)$

* Chain & Antichains.

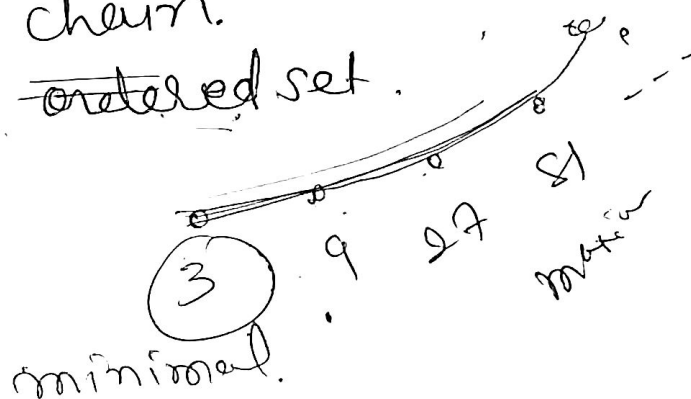
* Totally Ordered Set or Linearly Ordered Set

→ If set A itself is a chain, the poset (A, \leq) is called totally ordered set.

Ex * $A = \{3, 9, 27, 81, \dots\}$ and $aRb \iff a|b$ then, (A, R) is totally ordered set.

→ Here A itself is a chain.

\therefore (A, \leq) is totally ordered set.



* Maximal & Minimal element:-

eg. $A = \{2, 3, 5, 6, 10, 15, 30\}$ Has diagram of Poset.
 $aRb \iff a|b$.

$(A, \leq) \Rightarrow$
 maximal $\Rightarrow 30$
 minimal $\Rightarrow 2, 3, 5$

