

Power Sets

DEF. = The power set ( $\mathcal{P}$ ) is the set of all subsets in a given set.

Pg 351 31.)  $A = \{1, 2\}$ ,  $B = \{2, 3\}$

a.  $\mathcal{P}(A \cap B) = \{\emptyset, \{2\}\}$

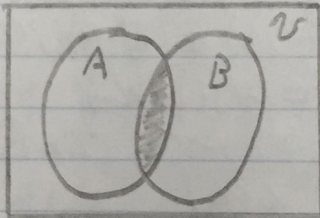
$\hookrightarrow A \cap B = \{2\}$

b.  $\mathcal{P}(A) = \{\emptyset, \{1\}, \{2\}, \{1, 2\}\}$

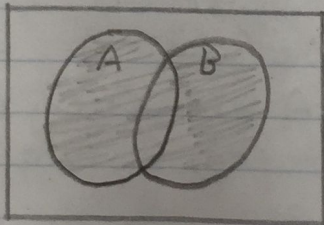
c.  $\mathcal{P}(A \cup B) = \{\emptyset, \{1\}, \{2\}, \{3\}, \{1, 2\}, \{1, 3\}, \{2, 3\}, \{1, 2, 3\}\}$

(6.2) Properties of Sets

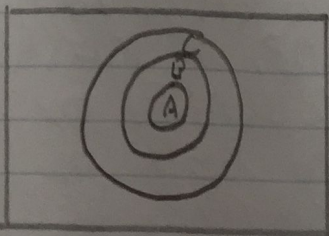
\* Theorem: ① Inclusion of Intersection:  $A \cap B \subseteq A$  and  $A \cap B \subseteq B$



② Inclusion of Union:  $A \subseteq A \cup B$  and  $B \subseteq A \cup B$



③ Transitive Property of Subsets: IF  $A \subseteq B$  and  $B \subseteq C$  then  $A \subseteq C$



## Set Definitions For Proofs

- ①  $x \in A \cup B \iff x \in A \text{ or } x \in B$
  - ②  $x \in A \cap B \iff x \in A \text{ and } x \in B$
  - ③  $x \in A - B \iff x \in A \text{ and } x \notin B$
  - ④  $x \in A^c \iff x \notin A$
  - ⑤  $(a, b) \in A \times B \iff a \in A \text{ and } b \in B$
- ⑥  $A \subseteq B \iff \text{if } x \in A \text{ then } x \in B$

## Proving Sets are Equal To Each Other

\* To do this we must show that both sets are subsets of each other.

\* So to show  $A=B$  you need to prove BOTH  $A \subseteq B$  and  $B \subseteq A$

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Part 1: (Show  $A \cap (B \cup C) \subseteq (A \cap B) \cup (A \cap C)$ )

Suppose  $x \in A \cap (B \cup C)$ , then  $x \in A$  and  $x \in B \cup C$  by definition. Also,  $x \in B$  or  $x \in C$  by definition

Case 1 (We know  $x \in A$ )

Suppose  $x \in B$ .

Since  $x \in A$  and  $x \in B$ , by definition  $x \in A \cap B$

Case 2 (We know  $x \in A$ )

Suppose  $x \in C$ .

Since  $x \in A$  and  $x \in C$ , by definition  $x \in A \cap C$

So we know by case 1,  $x \in A \cap B$  or by case 2,  $x \in A \cap C$ .

By definition,  $x \in (A \cap B) \cup (A \cap C)$

Part 2: (Show  $(A \cap B) \cup (A \cap C) \subseteq A \cap (B \cup C)$ )

Suppose  $x \in (A \cap B) \cup (A \cap C)$  by definition.

Then  $x \in (A \cap B)$  or  $x \in (A \cap C)$

Case 1 Suppose  $x \in (A \cap B)$  by definition.

$x \in A$  and  $x \in B$  by definition.

Since  $x \in B$  then  $x \in (B \cup C)$  by definition.

$\therefore x \in A$  and  $x \in (B \cup C)$  so by definition,

$x \in A \cap (B \cup C)$

→ When ~~actually~~ proving in the future,  
write WHAT each part is  
proving first

**Case 2** Suppose  $x \in A \cup C$ . By definition,  $x \in A$  and  $x \in C$ .  
Since  $x \in C$  then  $x \in (B \cup C)$   
 $\therefore x \in A$  and  $x \in (B \cup C)$  so by definition,  
 $x \in A \cap (B \cup C)$

10.) Prove  $(A-B) \cap (C-B) = (A \cap C) - B$

(left & right) part 1: Suppose  $x \in (A-B) \cap (C-B)$ . Then by definition,  
 $x \in (A-B)$  and  $x \in (C-B)$ .

So  $x \in A$  and  $x \notin B$  by definition.

Also,  $x \in C$  and  $x \notin B$  by definition.

$\therefore$  It can be said  $x \in (A \cap C) - B$

(right & left) part 2: Suppose  $x \in (A \cap C) - B$  by def. Then by def  
 $x \in (A \cap C)$  and  $x \notin B$ .

$x \in A$  and  $x \in C$  and  $x \notin B$ .

Since  $x \in A$  and  $x \notin B$ , then  $x \in (A-B)$

AND since  $x \in C$  and  $x \notin B$ , then  $x \in (C-B)$

$\therefore x \in (A-B) \cap (C-B)$

15.) Prove  $\forall$  sets  $A$  and  $B$ , IF  $A \subseteq B$  then  $B^c \subseteq A^c$

Proof: By def, when  $x \in A$ ,  $x \in B$

Suppose  $x \in B^c$ , then by def  $x \notin B$ .

So since  $x \notin B$  then  $x \notin A$ .

So  $x \in A^c$ .  $\therefore B^c \subseteq A^c$

HW: Pg 364 #'s 1, 2, 4, 9, 13, 23

Next Test will most likely go up to 8.3

(6.3) Disproofs & Algebraic Proofs

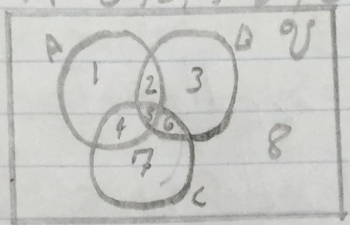
using Venn diagrams makes this easy!

\* Disproofs work the same way they always have.

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7.)  $\forall$  sets  $A, B, C$ ,  $(A-B) \cap (C-B) = A - (B \cup C)$

Let  $A = \{1, 2, 4, 5\}$ ,  $B = \{2, 3, 5, 6\}$ ,  $C = \{4, 5, 6, 7\}$  &  $\mathcal{U} = \{1 \rightarrow 8\}$

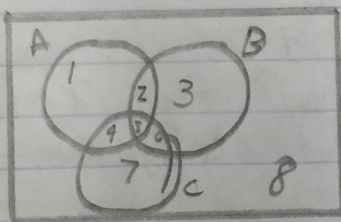


$$(A-B) \cap (C-B) = \{1, 4\} \cap \{4, 7\}$$

$$A - (B \cup C) = \{1, 2, 4, 5\} - \{2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7\} = \{1\}$$

$\therefore$  This is false

5.)  $A - (B - C) = (A - B) - C$



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

$$(A - B) - C = \{1, 4\} - \{7, 4, 5, 6\} = \{1\}$$

False!

Set Identities (DON'T NEED TO MEMORIZE NAMES)

- ①  $A \cup B = B \cup A$ ,  $A \cap B = B \cap A$
- ②  $(A \cup B) \cup C = A \cup (B \cup C)$   $\rightarrow$  same for  $\cap$
- ③  $A \cup (B \cap C) = (A \cup B) \cap (A \cup C)$
- ④  $A \cup \emptyset = A$ ,  $A \cap \emptyset = \emptyset$
- ⑤  $A \cup A^c = \mathcal{U}$ ,  $A \cap A^c = \emptyset$
- ⑥  $(A^c)^c = A$
- ⑦  $A \cup \mathcal{U} = \mathcal{U}$
- ⑧  $(A \cup B)^c = A^c \cap B^c$ ,  $(A \cap B)^c = A^c \cup B^c$
- ⑩  $\mathcal{U}^c = \emptyset$ ,  $\emptyset^c = \mathcal{U}$
- ⑪  $A - B = A \cap B^c$
- ⑫  $A \cup (A \cap B) = A$ ,  $A \cap (A \cup B) = A$

HW: Pg 372 1, 6, 12, 13, 30, 34, 37