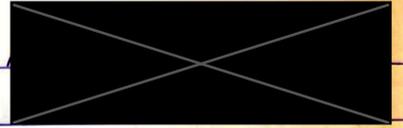


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# Sets & Numbers

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1.  $X = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5\}$   
 $Y = \{2, 4, 6, 8\}$   
 $Z = \{8, -1, 4\}$

a)  $(X \cap Y) \setminus Z = ?$

$X \cap Y = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5\} \cap \{2, 4, 6, 8\} = \{2, 4\}$

elements in X and also in Y

$(X \cap Y) \setminus Z = \{2, 4\} \setminus \{8, -1, 4\} = \{2\}$

Elements of X and Y but not in Z

b)  $f: Z \rightarrow X$  that's not injective.

Not injective  $\Rightarrow$  not all elements distinct elements of Z are mapped to distinct elements of X.

$f: Z \rightarrow X$
$8 \mapsto 1$
$-1 \mapsto 1$
$4 \mapsto 2$

alternatively  $f(8) = 1$

$f(-1) = 1$

$f(4) = 2$

$\Rightarrow$  well-defined - all ~~def~~ elements have mapping

$\hookrightarrow f(8) = 1 = f(-1)$ , so  $f(8) = f(-1)$  ~~but~~ ~~not~~ while  $8 \neq -1$ ,

so  $f(a) = f(b) \Rightarrow a = b$  does not hold for  $\forall a, b \in Z$

c)  $g: Y \rightarrow Z$   
 $g(2) = g(4) = 4$   
 $g(6) = -1$   
 $g(8) = 8$

$g^{-1}(\{4, -1\}) = \{y \in Y : g(y) \in \{4, -1\}\}$   
 $= \{2, 4, 6\}$

inverse image

2.

$X, Y$  arbitrary sets  
Prove that  $2^X \cap 2^Y \subseteq 2^{X \cap Y}$ .

Proof: The power set  $2^X$  is a set of all subsets of  $X$ .  
The power set  $2^Y$  is a set of all subsets of  $Y$ .

Let  $S$  be an arbitrary element of  $2^X \cap 2^Y$ .

By the definition of intersection,  $S \in 2^X$  and  $S \in 2^Y$ .

This means that  $S$  is a subset of  $X$  and

$S$  is a subset of  $Y$ .

$S$  being a subset of  $X$  means (by def of a subset) that all elements of  $S$  are also elements of  $X$ , and same holds for  $Y$  (because  $S \subseteq Y$ ).

We can take an arbitrary element of  $S$ , let's call it  $t$ .  $t \in X$  and  $t \in Y$  by the statement of the previous sentence. Because  $t$  is in both  $X$  and  $Y$ ,  $\Rightarrow t \in X \cap Y$ . ~~Because  $t$  is arbitrary~~  $t$  is arbitrary and so this holds for all elements of  $S$ . Because all elements of  $S$  are also elements of  $X \cap Y$ ,  $S$  is a subset of  $X \cap Y$ .

$2^{X \cap Y}$  is the set of all subsets of  $X \cap Y$ .

$S \subseteq X \cap Y \Rightarrow S \in 2^{X \cap Y}$

As it was shown that an arbitrary element of  $2^X \cap 2^Y$  is also an element of  $2^{X \cap Y}$ , we can conclude that  $2^X \cap 2^Y$  is a subset of  $2^{X \cap Y}$ , hence proving the statement.

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b) Prove that if  $X \subseteq Y$ , ~~the~~ eq. rel.  $R$  on  $Y$  ( $R \subseteq Y^2$ ), then  $E = X^2 \cap R$  is an equivalence relation on  $X$ .

Proof:  $R$  is an equivalence relation on  $Y$ , so it satisfies following properties:

- 1. reflexivity:  $\forall y \in Y, (y, y) \in R$ .
- 2. symmetry:  $\forall y_1, y_2 \in Y, (y_1, y_2) \in R \Rightarrow (y_2, y_1) \in R$ .
- 3. transitivity:  $\forall y_1, y_2, y_3 \in Y, (y_1, y_2) \in R$  and  $(y_2, y_3) \in R \Rightarrow (y_1, y_3) \in R$ .

$X^2$  is a set of all pairs  $(x_1, x_2)$  s.t.  $x_1, x_2 \in X$ , and because  $X \subseteq Y$ , ~~from~~  $x_1, x_2$  are also elements of  $Y$ .

To prove that  $E = X^2 \cap R$  is an equivalence relation on  $X$ , we must show that it satisfies these three properties: reflexivity, symmetry, transitivity.

1. reflexivity:  $\forall x \in X, (x, x) \in X^2$  (by the virtue of  $X^2$  containing all the pairs of elements of  $X$ ), and  $(x, x) \in R$  because  $x \in Y$  and by reflexivity of  $R$ , ~~for~~ for all elements  $y$  of  $Y$ , we have that  $(y, y) \in R$ .  
 Because  $(x, x) \in X^2$  and  $(x, x) \in R$ , then  $(x, x) \in X^2 \cap R = E$   $\forall x \in X$ . This shows that  $E$  is reflexive.  $\square$

2. symmetry:  $\forall x_1, x_2 \in X, (x_1, x_2) \in X^2$  and  $(x_2, x_1) \in X^2$ . We need to show that  $(x_1, x_2) \in E \Rightarrow (x_2, x_1) \in E$ . Because both pairs are in  $X^2$ , the implication will hold if presence of ~~one~~  $(x_1, x_2)$  in  $R$  will imply presence of  $(x_2, x_1)$  in  $R$ . Because  $R$  is an equivalence relation (and  $x_1, x_2 \in Y$ ), we get that  $(x_1, x_2) \in R \Rightarrow (x_2, x_1) \in R$  by the symmetry property of  $R$ . And so the necessary implication is shown, hence  $E$  is symmetric.  $\square$

3. transitivity:  $\forall x_1, x_2, x_3 \in X$ , we have  $(x_1, x_2) \in X^2, (x_2, x_3) \in X^2, (x_1, x_3) \in X^2$ .  
 If  $(x_1, x_2) \in E$  and  $(x_2, x_3) \in E$ , then  $(x_1, x_2) \in R$  and  $(x_2, x_3) \in R$  (and they are also in  $X^2$ ). From transitivity of  $R$ ,  $(x_1, x_2) \in R$  and  $(x_2, x_3) \in R \Rightarrow (x_1, x_3) \in R$ . Because in such case  $(x_1, x_3) \in R$  and  $(x_1, x_3) \in X^2$  (always), we have that  $(x_1, x_3) \in X^2 \cap R = E$ . 3

2. b) continuation

because  $(x_1, x_2) \in E$  and  $(x_2, x_3) \in E$ , implies  $(x_1, x_3) \in E$ ,  
the transitivity of  $E$  is shown. 

~~The~~  $E$  satisfies the 3 properties of an equivalence relation  
and because  $E = X^2 \cap R \Rightarrow E \subseteq X^2$ , we can conclude  
that  $E$  is indeed an equivalence relation on  $X$ .   
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2. c) Define bijection  $b: X \times Y \rightarrow Y \times X$  and prove that  $b$  is a bijection.

let  $b: X \times Y \rightarrow Y \times X$   
 $(x, y) \mapsto (y, x)$

Proof:  $b$  is a bijection  $\Leftrightarrow b$  is injective and surjective.

1. injectivity: Take <sup>arbitrary</sup>  $x_1, x_2 \in X$  and  $y_1, y_2 \in Y$  (~~equal~~)  
 $(x_1, y_1), (x_2, y_2) \in X \times Y$  and ~~suppose~~ that

$X$   
 $Y$

$b(x_1, y_1) = b(x_2, y_2)$   
 $\Leftrightarrow (y_1, x_1) = (y_2, x_2)$  by definition of  $b$   
 $\Leftrightarrow y_1 = y_2$  and  $x_1 = x_2$ .

$\Leftrightarrow (x_1, y_1) = (x_2, y_2)$   
Because  $b(x_1, y_1) = b(x_2, y_2) \Rightarrow (x_1, y_1) = (x_2, y_2)$  ~~for all~~  
 $\forall (x_1, y_1), (x_2, y_2) \in X \times Y$ ,  $b$  is injective.

2. surjectivity: let  $(\tilde{y}, \tilde{x})$  be an arbitrary element of  $Y \times X$ .

For any such element, we can find ~~its pre-image~~  
 $(x, y) \in X \times Y$  s.t.  $b(x, y) = (\tilde{y}, \tilde{x})$ ; namely  
 $(x, y) = (\tilde{x}, \tilde{y}) \in X \times Y$ . So all elements of the codomain  
of  $b$  have a pre-image in the domain of  $b$ ,  
hence  $b$  is surjective. 

\* If  $X$  or  $Y$  is the empty set, then  $X \times Y = \emptyset$  and  $Y \times X = \emptyset$ .

In such case the bijection does nothing with no  
elements to act on. Still, for  $\forall a, b \in X \times Y$  (there aren't any)  
 $a \neq b \Rightarrow f(a) \neq f(b)$ .

Also  $b$  is surjective because  $b(\emptyset) = \emptyset$  which is  
the codomain 

3.

a) example of infinite set which is not countable:

We can take for example  $\mathbb{R}$  = set of real numbers. Because there does not exist a bijection between  $\mathbb{R}$  and  $\mathbb{N}$ , it is not countable.

Another example could be the power set  $2^{\mathbb{N}}$ .

By Cantor's diagonal element theorem,  $\#X \neq \#2^X$ , so in this case  $\#\mathbb{N} \neq \#2^{\mathbb{N}}$ .

Countably infinite are such sets that have the same cardinality as  $\mathbb{N}$ . Clearly,  $2^{\mathbb{N}}$  does not have the same cardinality as  $\mathbb{N}$ , and so it cannot be countably infinite.

b) Prove that for any  $X \neq \emptyset$  and any  $x \in X$ , we have  $\{x\} \cup (X \setminus \{x\}) = X$ .

Proof: Two sets  $A$  and  $B$  are equal  $\Leftrightarrow A \subseteq B$  and  $B \subseteq A$ .

⑤ we aim to show that  $\{x\} \cup (X \setminus \{x\}) \subseteq X$ .

All elements in  $\{x\} \cup (X \setminus \{x\})$  are either the element  $x$ , or elements of  $X \setminus \{x\}$ .  $x \in X$  ✓ and all elements of  $X \setminus \{x\}$  are also elements of  $X$  (they are such elements of  $X$  which are not in  $\{x\}$ ) ✓. Therefore all elements of  $\{x\} \cup (X \setminus \{x\})$  are also elements of  $X$ , hence  $\{x\} \cup (X \setminus \{x\}) \subseteq X$ .

② Now we will show that  $X \subseteq \{x\} \cup (X \setminus \{x\})$ .

All elements let  $s \in X$ , arbitrary. Either  $s = x$ , in such case  $s \in \{x\}$ , or  $s \neq x$ , then  $s \notin \{x\}$  and by definition of difference of sets,  $s \in (X \setminus \{x\})$  because  $s \in X$ . 5

If  $s \in \{x\}$  or  $s \in (X \setminus \{x\})$ , we can say that it is certainly element of  $\{x\} \cup (X \setminus \{x\})$ .  
 Because this holds for arbitrary  $s \in X$ , all elements of  $X$  are also elements of  $\{x\} \cup (X \setminus \{x\})$ , so  $X \subseteq \{x\} \cup (X \setminus \{x\})$ .

The inclusion has been proven both ways, therefore  $X = \{x\} \cup (X \setminus \{x\})$ . 😊

1) Prove by induction:  $\prod_{k=0}^n 4^k = 2^{n(n+1)}$  for any  $n \in \mathbb{N}_0$ .

For induction, we first formulate our statement:

$$S_n: \prod_{k=0}^n 4^k = 2^{n(n+1)}$$

which we aim to prove for  $\forall n \in \mathbb{N}_0$ .

1. We start by proving this for  $n=0$ :

$$S_0: \prod_{k=0}^0 4^k = 4^0 = 1 = 2^0 = 2^{0 \cdot (0+1)} \quad \checkmark$$

So we see that  $S_0$  holds.

2. For the induction step, we assume  $S_n$  holds for some  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ .

$S_n: \prod_{k=0}^n 4^k = 2^{n(n+1)}$  is true. We now aim to prove that  $S_{n+1}$  holds.

$$S_{n+1}: \prod_{k=0}^{n+1} 4^k = 4^{n+1} \cdot \prod_{k=0}^n 4^k = 4^{n+1} \cdot 2^{n(n+1)} = 2^{2(n+1)} \cdot 2^{n(n+1)} =$$

$$= 2^{2n+2} \cdot 2^{n(n+1)} = 2^{2n+2+n(n+1)} \quad \text{by our assumption}$$

$$= 2^{n^2+n+2n+2} = 2^{n^2+3n+2} = 2^{(n+2)(n+1)}$$

$$= 2^{(n+1)(n+1)}$$

which is precisely what we wanted to obtain. Hence it is shown that  $S_n$  being true implies  $S_{n+1}$  being true.

Therefore it is shown, by mathematical induction, that

$S_n$  holds  $\forall n \in \mathbb{N}$ . 😊

4.  $X = \{a, b, c\}$        $f: X \rightarrow Y$       ,       $g: Y \rightarrow Z$   
 $Y = \{4, 5\}$        $f(a) = 4$        $g(4) = Y$   
 $Z = \{X, Y\}$        $f(b) = f(c) = 5$        $g(5) = X$ .

a)  $g$  has an inverse because  $g$  is a bijection (and bijection  $\Rightarrow$  existence of inverse).

To ~~show~~ that it is a bijection, we check whether  $g$  is injective and surjective.

1. injective: We can see this from the definition of  $g$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} 4 &\rightarrow Y \\ 5 &\rightarrow X \end{aligned}$$

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we can also say that  $g(y_1) = g(y_2)$

$\Rightarrow y_1 = y_2$  because, uniquely:

$$g(4) = Y = g(4) \Rightarrow 4 = 4 \text{ and nothing else}$$

$$g(5) = X = g(5) \Rightarrow 5 = 5$$

Or that  $\forall y \in Y$ ,  $g(y_1) = g(y_2) \Rightarrow y_1 = y_2$   
 $4 \neq 5 \Rightarrow g(4) = Y \neq X = g(5)$ .

2. surjective: from definition of  $g$ , we have that

$$g(Y) = g(\{4, 5\}) = \{X, Y\} = Z$$

Image of  $Y$  under  $g$

$\Rightarrow$  range of  $g$  is its codomain  $\Rightarrow g$  is surjective.

$$g^{-1}(X) = 5$$

$$g^{-1}(Y) = 4$$

where  $g^{-1}$  is the inverse function of  $g$ , not the inverse image.

b) Is  $g \circ f$  surjective? **Yes**

$$g \circ f: X \rightarrow Y \rightarrow Z = X \rightarrow Z$$

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$$\left. \begin{aligned} g(f(a)) &= g(4) = Y \\ g(f(b)) &= g(5) = X \\ g(f(c)) &= g(5) = X \end{aligned} \right\} g(f(X)) = g(\{a\}) \cup g(\{b\}) \cup g(\{c\})$$

$$= \{Y\} \cup \{X\} \cup \{X\} = \{X, Y\} = Z \Rightarrow \checkmark$$

3. b) continuation:

Because  $g(f(X)) = \text{image of domain} = \text{range}$   
is equal to  $Z = \text{the codomain}$ , we conclude that  
 $g \circ f$  is surjective.

4. c) system of representatives for the equivalence relation  $\sim_f$  on  $X$ .

$$\sim_f = \{ (x_1, x_2) \in X : f(x_1) = f(x_2) \}$$

$X$  has three elements:  $f(a), b, c$ .

$$f(a) = 4$$

$$f(b) = 5 = f(c)$$

We can see that  $f(b) = f(c) \Rightarrow b \sim_f c$

and  $f(a) \neq f(b)$  and  $f(a) \neq f(c)$ , so they are not equivalent.

Of course, in  $\sim_f$ , we must also include  $c \sim_f b$  from symmetry  
and  $a \sim_f a$ ,  $b \sim_f b$ ,  $c \sim_f c$  from reflexivity.

$$\Rightarrow \sim_f = \{ (a, a), (b, b), (c, c), (b, c), (c, b) \}$$

System of representatives is then the set containing  
~~all~~ elements s.t. each represents a distinct equivalence class  
and ~~the~~ the union of the equivalence classes gives all  
of  $\sim_f$  (or  $X / \sim_f$ ).

For  $\sim_f$ , ~~the~~ the system of representatives  $= \{a, b\}$ .

To show that it is indeed a system of representatives,  
notice that

$$[a] = \{ (a, a) \}$$

$$[b] = \{ (b, b), (b, c), (c, b), (c, c) \}$$

$$\Rightarrow [a] \cup [b] = \sim_f \quad \checkmark$$