

# Exam 3 2.1-2.4

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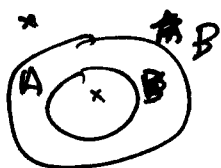
2.3 10(b), 17(a)

16) Prove  $\mathbb{X} = \mathbb{Y}$ .

PF: (1) Show  $\mathbb{X} \subseteq \mathbb{Y}$ . Let  $x \in \mathbb{X}$ . Then  $x \in \mathbb{Z}$  and  $|x| \leq 3$ .  
Then  $x = -3, -2, -1, 0, 1, 2, \text{ or } 3$ . Therefore  $x \in \mathbb{Y}$ .

(2) Show  $\mathbb{Y} \subseteq \mathbb{X}$ . Let  $y \in \mathbb{Y}$ . Then  $y = -3, -2, -1, 0, 1, 2 \text{ or } 3$   
In each case  $y \in \mathbb{Z}$  and  $|y| \leq 3$ . Therefore  $y \in \mathbb{X}$ .  
Therefore  $\mathbb{X} = \mathbb{Y}$ .

2.2. 10(a) Prove  $A \subseteq B$  if and only if  $A - B = \emptyset$



PF: ( $\Rightarrow$ ) (That is, prove if  $A \subseteq B$  then  $A - B = \emptyset$ )

Assume  $A \subseteq B$ , and that  $x \in A - B$ . This means that  $x \in A$  and  $x \notin B$ , or that  $x \in \tilde{B}$ .

But  $A \subseteq B$  means  $\tilde{B} \subseteq \tilde{A}$  so  $x \in \tilde{B}$  means  $x \in \tilde{A}$ .

But this contradicts  $x \in A$ . So  $A - B = \emptyset$ .

( $\Leftarrow$ ) (That is, prove if  $A - B = \emptyset$  then  $A \subseteq B$ )

Assume  $A - B = \emptyset$ , and let  $x \in A$ . Then either  $x \in B$  or  $x \in \tilde{B}$ . If  $x \in \tilde{B}$  then  $x \in A \cap \tilde{B} = A - B$ . But this is impossible since  $A - B = \emptyset$ . Therefore  $x \in B$ . Hence  $A \subseteq B$ .

Let  $x \in A - B$ . Then  $x \in A \cap \tilde{B}$  so  $x \in A$ . But  $x \notin B$  so  $x \in \tilde{B}$ . ~~Therefore~~ Therefore  $x \in B$ .

- ( - Hence  $A - B \subseteq B$ . not complete.

11 (a) Prove: If  $C \subseteq A$  and  $D \subseteq B$  then  $C \cap D \subseteq A \cap B$ .

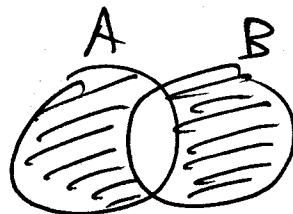
Pf: Assume  $C \subseteq A$  and  $D \subseteq B$ , and let  $x \in C \cap D$ .

Then  $x \in C$  and since  $C \subseteq A$ ,  $x \in A$ . Also  $x \in D$  and since  $D \subseteq B$ ,  $x \in B$ . Therefore  $x \in A \cap B$ .

(c) ~~14~~ Prove: If  $C \subseteq A$ ,  $D \subseteq B$ , and  $A \cap B = \emptyset$  then  $C \cap D = \emptyset$ .

Pf: Need to show  $C \cap D = \emptyset$ . Let  $x \in C \cap D$ . Then  $x \in C$  and since  $C \subseteq A$ ,  $x \in A$ . Also  $x \in D$  and since  $D \subseteq B$ ,  $x \in B$ . Therefore  $x \in A \cap B = \emptyset$ . Hence  $C \cap D = \emptyset$  so  $C \cap D = \emptyset$ .

15 (a)  $A \Delta B = (A - B) \cup (B - A)$



Prove  $A \Delta B = B \Delta A$

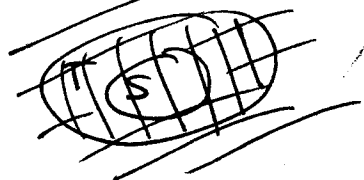
Pf:  $A \Delta B = (A - B) \cup (B - A) = (B - A) \cup (A - B) = B \Delta A$ .

$$\left[ \begin{array}{l} A - B \neq B - A \\ \hline S = (A - B) \cup (B - A) \\ T = (B - A) \cup (A - B) \end{array} \right]$$

$S \subseteq T$

$S \cup T = U$

$[P \Rightarrow Q \sim P \vee Q]$



2.3 10(b)  $\mathcal{Q} = \{A_\alpha : \alpha \in \Delta\}$   $\Gamma \subseteq \Delta$

Show  $\bigcap_{\alpha \in \Delta} A_\alpha \subseteq \bigcap_{\alpha \in \Gamma} A_\alpha$

Pr

Let  $x \in \bigcap_{\alpha \in \Delta} A_\alpha$ . Then for all  $\alpha \in \Delta$ ,  $x \in A_\alpha$ .

But since  $\Gamma \subseteq \Delta$ ,  $x \in A_\alpha$  for all  $\alpha \in \Gamma$ . Therefore

$$x \in \bigcap_{\alpha \in \Gamma} A_\alpha.$$

17(a)  $\mathcal{Q} = \{A_i : i \in \mathbb{N}\}$ . Let  $k, m \in \mathbb{N}$ ,  $k < m$

Prove  $\bigcup_{i=1}^{k+m} A_i = \bigcup_{i=1}^k A_i \cup A_{k+1}$

Pf: (1) Let  $x \in \bigcup_{i=1}^{k+m} A_i$ . Then for some  $i = 1, 2, \dots, k+m$ ,

$x \in A_i$ . Clearly  $i \in \{1, 2, \dots, k\}$  or  $i = k+1$ . In the first case,  $x \in \bigcup_{i=1}^k A_i$  and in second case  $x \in A_{k+1}$ .

Hence  $x \in \bigcup_{i=1}^k A_i \cup A_{k+1}$ .

(2) Let  $x \in \bigcup_{i=1}^k A_i \cup A_{k+1}$ . Then  $x \in \bigcup_{i=1}^k A_i$  or  $x \in A_{k+1}$ .

In either case,  $x \in \bigcup_{i=1}^{k+m} A_i$ .

Recap's Induction: If  $S \subseteq \mathbb{N}$  satisfies (i)  $1 \in S$  and (ii) ~~if~~ for all  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ , if  $n \in S$  then  $n+1 \in S$ , then  $S = \mathbb{N}$ .

Example: Prove that for all  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ , if  $A$  is a set with  $n$  elements, then  $\mathcal{P}(A)$  has  $2^n$  elements.

Pf: (1) If  $n=1$ , then we can write  $A = \{x_1\}$

then  $\mathcal{P}(A) = \{\emptyset, \{x_1\}\}$  so  $\mathcal{P}(A)$  has  $2^1 = 2$  elements.

So result holds for  $n=1$ .

(2) Assume the result holds for  $n$ , and let  $A$  be a set with  $n+1$  elements. We can enumerate  $A$

by  $A = \{x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n, x_{n+1}\}$ . Let  $B = \{x_1, \dots, x_n\}$ .

Every subset of  $A$  either contains  $x_{n+1}$  or it does not. If it does not then it is a subset of  $B$ .

By induction hypothesis there are  $2^n$  such subsets of  $A$ . If it does, then it can be written as

$A' \cup \{x_{n+1}\}$  where  $A' \subseteq B$ . There are  $2^n$  such subsets of  $A$ . So all together there are  $2^n + 2^n = 2^{n+1}$

subsets of  $A$ . In other words  $\mathcal{P}(A)$  has  $2^{n+1}$  elements.

Example: Show that for all  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ , and any  $r \in \mathbb{R}$ ,  $r \neq 1$

$$\sum_{i=0}^{n-1} r^i = \frac{r^n - 1}{r - 1}$$

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Informal argument

$$\sum_{i=0}^{n-1} r^i = 1 + r + r^2 + r^3 + \dots + r^{n-1}$$

$$r \left( \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} r^i \right) = r(1 + r + \dots + r^{n-1})$$

$$= r + r^2 + r^3 + \dots + r^{n-1} + r^n$$

$$\left( \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} r^i \right) - r \left( \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} r^i \right) = (1 - r) \left( \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} r^i \right)$$

$$= 1 + r + r^2 + \dots + r^{n-1}$$

$$- (r + r^2 + \dots + r^{n-1} + r^n) = 1 - r^n$$

$$\therefore \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} r^i = \frac{1 - r^n}{1 - r} = \frac{r^n - 1}{r - 1}$$

Formal proof: (1) If  $n=1$  the result says that

$$\sum_{i=0}^0 r^i = 1 = \frac{r-1}{r-1} \text{ which is true.}$$

(2) Now assume that  $\sum_{i=0}^{n-1} r^i = \frac{r^n - 1}{r - 1}$ . Then

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{i=0}^n r^i &= \left( \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} r^i \right) + r^n = \frac{r^n - 1}{r - 1} + r^n = \frac{r^n - 1 + r^{n+1} - r^n}{r - 1} \\ &= \frac{r^{n+1} - 1}{r - 1} \end{aligned}$$

③ Generalized PMI.

Let  $k \in \mathbb{N}$ . If  $S \subseteq \mathbb{N}$  satisfies

(i)  $k \in S$

(ii) for all  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ ,  $n \geq k$ , if  $n \in S$  then  $n+1 \in S$

then  $\{k, k+1, \dots\} \subseteq S$ .

- This is induction starting at  $k$  instead of at 1.

e.g. #9 (c) Prove that  $n! > 2^{n+2}$  for  $n \geq 6$ .

$n$	$n!$	$2^{n+2}$
1	1	8
2	2	16
3	6	32
4	24	64
5	120	128
6	720	256
7	5040	512
8	40320	1024

Pr: (1) If  $n=6$  then  $n! = 720$  and  $2^{n+2} = 256$  so  $n! > 2^{n+2}$  in this case.

(2) Assume that for some  $n \geq 6$ ,  $n! > 2^{n+2}$ . Will show that  $(n+1)! > 2^{n+3}$ . Since  $n+1 > 2$  and since  $n! > 2^{n+2}$ ,  $(n+1)n! > 2 \cdot 2^{n+2}$ . But this is the same as  $(n+1)! > 2^{n+3}$ .

$$\left( \begin{array}{l} (n+1)! = (n+1)n! \\ 2^{n+3} = 2 \cdot 2^{n+2} \end{array} \right)$$

## 2.5 Equivalent forms of induction.

### ① Principle of Complete Induction (PCI)

If  $S \subseteq \mathbb{N}$  satisfies

(i) for all  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ , if  $\{1, 2, \dots, n-1\} \subseteq S$  then  $n \in S$ .  
then  $S = \mathbb{N}$ .

— Why no base case? Really there just hidden.

If  $n=1$  then  $\{1, 2, \dots, n-1\} = \emptyset$  so (i) means  
 $\emptyset \subseteq S \Rightarrow 1 \in S$ .

— in a real proof, you would prove the base case separately as usual.

— Compare with PMT, we had

$$"n \in S \Rightarrow n+1 \in S"$$

Here we have stronger hypothesis, namely  
 $\{1, \dots, n\} \subseteq S \Rightarrow n+1 \in S$ .

Example: Prove that every integer  $n \geq 2$  is either prime or a product of primes.

Pf: (1) Let  $n=2$ . Then  $n$  is prime so result holds in this case.

(2) Suppose result holds for the set  $\{2, \dots, n\}$  for some  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ . Want to show it for  $n+1$ .

If  $n+1$  is prime we are done, if not then it is composite, i.e.  $n+1 = ab$  for some  $2 \leq a < n+1$  and  $2 \leq b < n+1$ . By induction hypothesis,  $a$  and  $b$  are either prime or products of primes. Hence  $n+1$  is a product of primes.

[To show something like  $P \vee Q$  enough to show  $\neg P$  then  $Q$  (since  $P \vee Q$  equiv. to  $\neg P \Rightarrow Q$ )

Example: Fibonacci sequence.

$$\underline{f_1} = 1, \underline{f_2} = 1, f_3 = 1+1=2, f_4 = 1+2=3, f_5 = 3+2=5$$

$$f_6 = 8, f_7 = 13, \text{ etc. In general } \underline{f_n = f_{n-1} + f_{n-2}}.$$

~~Prove that~~

Let  $\alpha > \beta$  be the roots of  $x^2 = x + 1$ .

Then for all  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ ,  $f_n = \frac{\alpha^n - \beta^n}{\alpha - \beta}$ .

Pr: (1) If  $n=1$ ,  $f_1 = \frac{\alpha - \beta}{\alpha - \beta} = 1$ . If  $n=2$  then

$$f_2 = \frac{\alpha^2 - \beta^2}{\alpha - \beta} = \frac{(\alpha + \beta)(\alpha - \beta)}{\alpha - \beta} = \alpha + \beta = 1.$$

So result holds for  $n=1, 2$ .

$$\begin{array}{l} x^2 - x - 1 = 0 \\ \cancel{(x - \alpha)(x - \beta)} = 0 \\ x^2 - (\alpha + \beta)x + \alpha\beta = 0 \end{array}$$

(2) Now suppose result holds for

$\{1, 2, \dots, n-1\}$  for some  $n > 2$ . Will show it holds for  $n$ .

$$\begin{aligned}
f_n &= f_{n-1} + f_{n-2} \\
&= \frac{\alpha^{n-1} - \beta^{n-1}}{\alpha - \beta} + \frac{\alpha^{n-2} - \beta^{n-2}}{\alpha - \beta} \\
&= \frac{\alpha^{n-2}(\alpha + 1) - \beta^{n-2}(\beta + 1)}{\alpha - \beta} \\
&= \frac{\alpha^{n-2}(\alpha^2) - \beta^{n-2}(\beta^2)}{\alpha - \beta} = \frac{\alpha^n - \beta^n}{\alpha - \beta}.
\end{aligned}$$

Hence result holds for all  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ .  $\square$

NB:  $x^2 = x + 1$   
 $x^2 - x - 1 = 0$

$$x = \frac{1 \pm \sqrt{1+4}}{2} = \frac{1 \pm \sqrt{5}}{2}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
\alpha &= \frac{1 + \sqrt{5}}{2} \leftarrow \text{golden ratio} \\
\beta &= \frac{1 - \sqrt{5}}{2} \approx 1.6
\end{aligned}$$

Interesting:  $f_n$  always an integer

$$\text{but } f_n = \frac{\left(\frac{1+\sqrt{5}}{2}\right)^n - \left(\frac{1-\sqrt{5}}{2}\right)^n}{\sqrt{5}}$$

## 2-6 Principles of Counting.

### ① Notation and Basics

If  $A$  is a finite set then  $\overline{A}$  is the number of elements in  $A$  (usually  $\#A$  or  $|A|$ )

e.g.  $\overline{\{a, b, c\}} = 3$

$$\overline{\{\{a, b\}, \{c, d\}, \{a, b, c\}\}} = 3$$

$$\overline{\{1, 2, \dots, n\}} = n$$

Thm: ① If  $A$  and  $B$  are disjoint then

$$\overline{A \cup B} = \overline{A} + \overline{B}$$

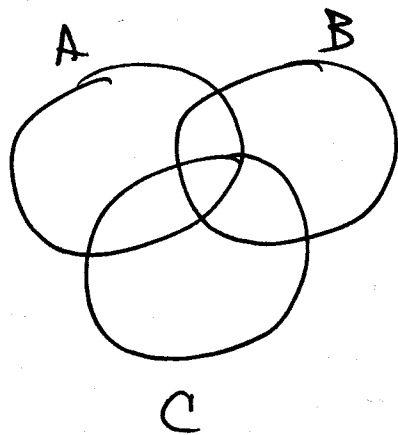
② If  $\{A_i : i=1, 2, \dots, n\}$  is a ~~dis~~ disjoint indexed family then

$$\overline{\bigcup_{i=1}^n A_i} = \sum_{i=1}^n \overline{A_i}$$

③ If  $A$  and  $B$  are finite sets then

$$\overline{A \cup B} = \overline{A} + \overline{B} - \overline{A \cap B}$$

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$$\overline{\overline{A}} = 24$$

$$\overline{\overline{B}} = 21$$

$$\overline{\overline{C}} = 23$$

$$\overline{\overline{B-C}} = \overline{\overline{B}} - \overline{\overline{B \cap C}}$$

$$10 = 21 - \overline{\overline{B \cap C}}$$

$$\overline{\overline{C-B}} = \overline{\overline{C}} - \overline{\overline{C \cap B}}$$

$$12 = \overline{\overline{C}} - 11$$

$$\overline{\overline{B \cup C}} = \overline{\overline{B}} + \overline{\overline{C}} - \overline{\overline{B \cap C}}$$

$$33 = 21 + 23 - 11$$

$$\overline{\overline{A \cup B}} = 37$$

$$\overline{\overline{A \cap B}} =$$

$$\overline{\overline{A \cup C}} =$$

$$\overline{\overline{A \cap C}} = 11$$

$$\overline{\overline{B \cup C}} = 33$$

$$\overline{\overline{B \cap C}} = 11$$

$$\overline{\overline{A \cup B \cup C}} =$$

$$\overline{\overline{A \cap B \cap C}} =$$

## ② Combinations / Permutations

### Thm 2.20

— How many subsets of a set  $A$  with  $n$  elements are there?

Suppose  $A = \{x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n\}$

For each  $x_i$  decide "in" or "out".

$$2 \cdot 2 \cdot 2 \cdots 2 = 2^n$$