

Projected Written Notes from the M325K LECTURE
ON TUESDAY, MARCH 19, 2024 ON SECTIONS 8.1 and 8.2:
RELATIONS, INVERSE RELATIONS, and the Reflexive,
Symmetric and Transitive Properties, which some
relations have.

CLASS #17

Test 2 is on Thursday, MARCH 21, 2024

Sections Potentially covered:

<u>Sec 4.3</u> Thm (NIB) 1, 3, 5 Using Thm (NIB) 2 in a proof	Sec <u>4.4</u> , <u>4.5</u> , <u>4.6</u> Proof Structure and proof methods	<u>5.1</u> Σ NOTATION
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<u>Sec 5.2, 5.3, 5.4</u> Mathematical Induction STRONG MATH'L Induction W.O.P.	<u>6.1, 6.2, 6.3</u> Set Theory Elemental Proofs (Disproving False Identities)	Algebraic Proofs
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You will not need to write a whole proof
using the Well-Ordering Principle

Be able to Cite by Name:

① Theorem 4.3.1: "For all positive integers
 a and b , if $a|b$, then $a \leq b$."

② Set Identities # 1, 2, 3, 4, 9, 12

Defn: A Relation R from Set A to Set B

is any subset of $A \times B$,

We say "a is related to b by R"
(written aRb)
 $\Leftrightarrow (a,b) \in R \subseteq A \times B$

Ex 1: Let $A = \{2, 3, 5\}$, and $B = \{8, 10\}$.

Define relation R from A to B as follows:
For all $x \in A$ and for all $y \in B$,
 $xRy \Leftrightarrow x \mid y$.

$2R8$ because $2 \mid 8$.

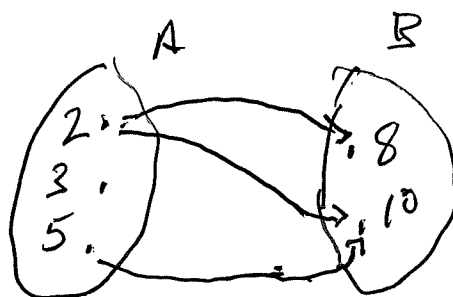
$3 \not R 8$

$5R10$

$2 \not R 10$ because $(2, 10) \notin R$.

Relation $R = \{(2, 8), (2, 10), (5, 10)\}$

R has this Arrow Diagram



Def'n :- When R is a relation from A to A ,
we say, " R is a relation on A " ↗

And, in this case, we call set A
"The underlying set of R "

Ex 2. Let $A = \{2, 3, 4, 6, 9\}$

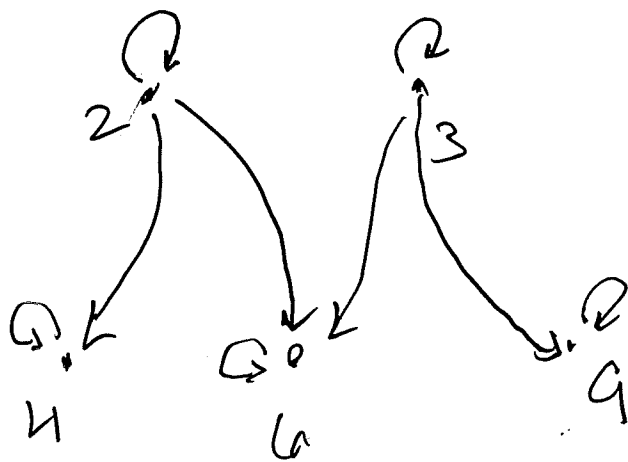
Define relation T on A as follows:-

For all $a, b \in A$, $a T b \Leftrightarrow a | b$.

Some related elements:

$2 T 2$, $2 T 4$, $3 T 9$, etc.

↳ Relation T has this Directed GRAPH:



$(2, 6) \in T \subseteq \underline{\underline{A \times A}}$

Sec 8.2 20. Let $X = \{a, b, c\}$ and $\mathcal{P}(X)$ be the power set of X (the set of all subsets of X). A relation E is defined on $\mathcal{P}(X)$ as follows: For all $A, B \in \mathcal{P}(X)$, $A E B \Leftrightarrow$ the number of elements in A equals the number of elements in B . Q-7

$$\{a, b\} \in \mathcal{P}(X)$$

$$\{c\} \in \mathcal{P}(X)$$

$$\{a, b\} \not E \{c\}$$

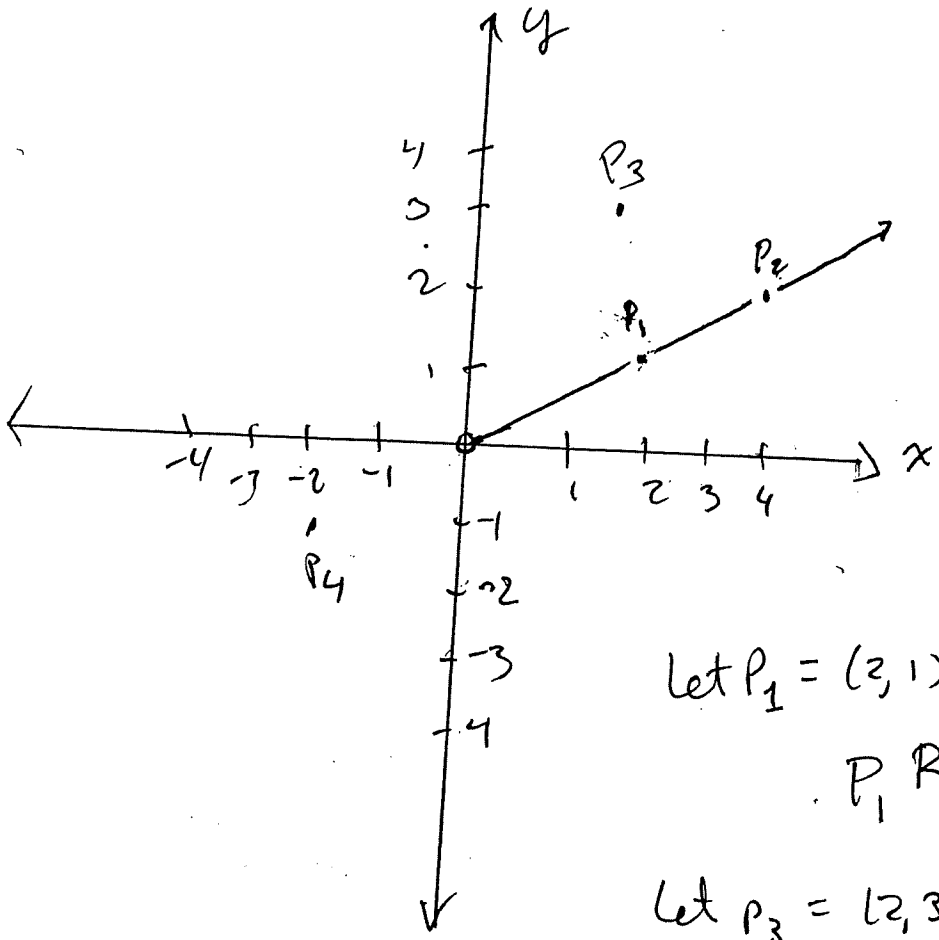
$$\{a, b\} E \{b, c\}$$

$$\{b, c\} E \{b, c\}$$

$$\emptyset E \emptyset$$

Sec. 8.2

30. Let A be the "punctured plane"; that is, A is the set of all points in the Cartesian plane except the origin $(0, 0)$. A relation R is defined on A as follows: For all p_1 and p_2 in A , $p_1 R p_2 \Leftrightarrow p_1$ and p_2 lie on the same half line emanating from the origin.



Let $P_1 = (2, 1)$, $P_2 = (4, 2)$
 $P_1 R P_2$

Let $P_3 = (2, 3)$, $P_4 = (-2, -1)$
 $P_1 \not R P_3$, $P_4 \not R P_1$

Here, Relation R is
 Reflexive,
 Symmetric, and
 Transitive.

So, Relation R is an EQUIVALENCE RELATION.

Properties a Relation R on A might have:

R might be reflexive, R might be symmetric

R might be transitive

Defn: let R be a relation on set A .

① R is a reflexive relation

\Leftrightarrow For all $a \in A$, $a R a$.

② R is a symmetric relation

\Leftrightarrow For all $x, y \in A$,
if: $x R y$, then $y R x$.

③ R is a Transitive Relation

\Leftrightarrow For all $x, y, z \in A$,
if $x R y$ and $y R z$, then $x R z$.

R is an Equivalence Relation

\Leftrightarrow R is Reflexive, Symmetric
AND TRANSITIVE,

Ex: Let $A = \{0, 1, 2, 3\}$

Define Relation R on A by its
Directed Graph:



R is Reflexive ✓

R is Symmetric ✓

R is Not Transitive 2

For $a=3, b=0, c=1$

$(3R0 \text{ and } 0R1) \text{ and } \neg 3R1$.

$(aRb \text{ and } bRc) \text{ and } \neg aRc$.

Definition of relation \mathcal{J} on $A = \mathbb{R}$.

Define relation \mathcal{J} on \mathbb{R} as follows:

For all $x, y \in \mathbb{R}$, $x \mathcal{J} y \Leftrightarrow xy \geq 0$.

Ex: $2 \mathcal{J} 8$, $2 \not\mathcal{J} (-3)$, $(-1) \mathcal{J} (-1)$

$0 \mathcal{J} 256$, since $0 \times 256 = 0 \geq 0$,

To Prove: Relation \mathcal{J} is a symmetric Relation.

Proof: Let x and y be any real numbers.

Suppose $x \mathcal{J} y$. [NTS: $y \mathcal{J} x$]

$\therefore xy \geq 0$ by defn of relation \mathcal{J} .

$\therefore yx \geq 0$ by rules of Algebra

$\therefore y \mathcal{J} x$ by defn of Relation \mathcal{J} .

$\therefore \mathcal{J}$ is a symmetric relation by Direct Proof.
QED