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Test 2: Chapters 2 and 3

(Sample, Solutions)

Present all your work in order to get full credit.
Show solutions, do not give just answers.

1. For the sets $A = \{a, g, f, d, t\}$, $B = \{f, a, t, g\}$, $C = \{f, g, t\}$.
Determine whether these statements are true or not:

- (a) $B \subseteq A$ **True**
(b) $C \subseteq A$ **True**
(c) $C \subseteq B$ **True**

2. Determine which statements are false or true

- (a) $\{0\} \subseteq \{0\}$ **True**
(b) $\{0\} \in \{0\}$ **False**
(c) $\{1, 2\} \subseteq \{1, \{1, 2\}, \{2\}, \{\{1\}, 2\}, 2\}$ **True**
(d) $\{1\} \in \{1, \{1, 2\}, \{2\}, \{\{1\}, 2\}, 2\}$ **False**

3. Determine the cardinality of the set $A = \{x \in \mathbb{Z}^+ | x \text{ is less than } 13\}$

Solution: $A = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12\}$, therefore $|A| = 12$

4. Find the powerset of $\{a, b, c\}$

Answer: $\{\emptyset, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{c\}, \{a, b\}, \{a, c\}, \{b, c\}, \{a, b, c\}\}$

check: $|P(\{a, b, c\})| = 2^3 = 8$, the powerset given above has 8 elements.

5. For the sets $A = \{1, 2, 8\}$, $B = \{a, b, 8\}$, $C = \{o, m, 1\}$. Find

- (a) Cartesian Product $A \times B \times C$

Answer: $A \times B \times C = \{(1, a, o), (1, a, m), (1, a, l), (1, b, o), (1, b, m), (1, b, l), (1, 8, o), (1, 8, m), (1, 8, l), (2, 8, l), (8, a, o), (8, a, m), (8, a, l), (8, b, o), (8, b, m), (8, b, l), (8, 8, o), (8, 8, m), (8, 8, l)\}$

check: $|A \times B \times C| = |A| \cdot |B| \cdot |C| = 3 \cdot 3 \cdot 3 = 27$. There are exactly 27 elements in the given above set.

(b) Cartesian Product $B \times C$

Answer: $B \times C = \{(a, o), (a, m), (a, 1), (b, o), (b, m), (b, 1), (8, o), (8, m), (8, 1)\}$

(c) Cartesian Product $C \times B$

Answer: $C \times B = \{(o, a), (o, b), (o, 8), (m, a), (m, b), (m, 8), (1, a), (1, b), (1, 8)\}$

(d) $A \cap B$ **Answer:** $A \cap B = \{8\}$

(e) $B \cap C$ **Answer:** $B \cap C = \emptyset$

(f) $A \cup B \cup C$ **Answer:** $A \cup B \cup C = \{1, 2, 8, a, b, o, m\}$

(g) $A - C$ **Answer:** $A - C = \{2, 8\}$

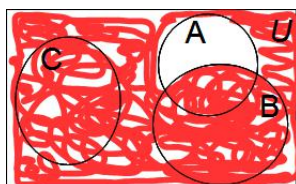
6. What can you say about sets A and B if we know that $A \cap B = A$?

Answer: That $A \subseteq B$

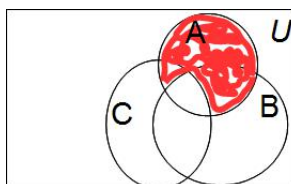
7. Can we conclude that $A = B$ if we know that for sets A, B, C the following holds: $A \cup C = B \cup C$?

Answer: No, we cannot. A and B might be different subsets of C . Then the equality above still holds, but sets are not equal.

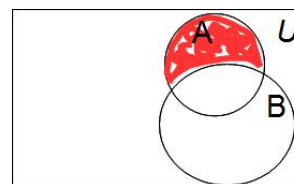
8. For the given sets (see the Venn Diagramm) show on the Diagramm



a) $\overline{A - B}$



b) $A - (B \cap C)$



c) $\overline{B} \cap A$

9. For each function determine its range

a) $g(x) = \lfloor x^2 \rfloor$, $g(x) : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$

Answer: range = {all non-negative integers} = $\{x | x \in \mathbb{Z} \text{ and } x \geq 0\}$

b) $m(x) = \sqrt{2x}$, $m(x) : \mathbb{R}^+ \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^+$

Answer: range = \mathbb{R}^+

10. Determine whether the given functions are bijective. Are they invertible? If a function is invertible, what is its inverse?

(a) $f : \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5\} \rightarrow \{a, b, c, d\}$ with $f(1) = a$, $f(2) = b$, $f(3) = a$, $f(4) = c$, $f(5) = d$

Answer: not one-to-one, because $f(1) = f(3) = a$; onto, because every element from the codomain has preimage. Therefore, the function is not bijective, and not invertible.

(b) $f : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$, $f(x) = -5x^2 + 8$

Answer: not one-to-one, because $f(-1) = f(1) = 3$; not onto, because $f(x) \leq 8$, therefore for $f(x) = 9$, there is no preimage x . The given function is not bijective, and not invertible.

11. Let $f(x) = 2x + 3$, $g(x) = x - 5$, and $h(x) = x^2$. $f : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$, $g : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$, $h : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$

Find

a) $(fg)(x)$ **Answer:** $(fg)(x) = 2x^2 - 7x - 15$

b) $(g + h)(x)$ **Answer:** $(g + h)(x) = x^2 + x - 5$

c) $(f \circ h)(x)$ **Answer:** $(f \circ h)(x) = 2x^2 + 3$