

Subsets

- $A \subseteq B: \forall x (x \in A \rightarrow x \in B)$

Theorem: For any set S , $\phi \subseteq S$ and $S \subseteq S$.

- Proper subset: $A \subset B: \forall x (x \in A \rightarrow x \in B) \wedge \exists x (x \in B \wedge x \notin A)$
- Power set $P(S)$: set of all subsets of S .
- $P(S)$ includes S , ϕ .
- Tricky question – What is $P(\phi)$?

$$P(\phi) = \{\phi\}$$

$$\text{Similarly, } P(\{\phi\}) = \{\phi, \{\phi\}\}$$

Set operations

- Union – $A \cup B = \{x \mid (x \in A) \vee (x \in B)\}$
- Intersection - $A \cap B = \{x \mid (x \in A) \wedge (x \in B)\}$
Disjoint sets - A, B are disjoint iff $A \cap B = \phi$
- Difference – $A - B = \{x \mid (x \in A) \wedge (x \notin B)\}$
Symmetric difference
- Complement – A^c or $\bar{A} = \{x \mid x \notin A\} = U - A$
- Venn diagrams

Laws of set operations

- Page 130 – Remember De Morgan's Laws and distributive laws.
- Proofs can be done with Venn diagrams.

E.g.: $(A \cap B)^c = A^c \cup B^c$

Introduction to functions

A function from A to B is an assignment of exactly one element of B to each element of A .

E.g.:

- Let $A = B = \text{integers}$, $f(x) = x+10$
- Let $A = B = \text{integers}$, $f(x) = x^2$

Not a function

- $A = B = \text{real numbers}$ $f(x) = \sqrt{x}$
- $A = B = \text{real numbers}$, $f(x) = 1/x$

Terminology

- $A = \text{Domain}, B = \text{Co-domain}$
- $f: A \rightarrow B$ (not “implies”)
- $\text{range}(f) = \{y \mid \exists x \in A \ f(x) = y\} \subseteq B$
- $\text{int floor (float real)} \{ \dots \}$
- $f_1 + f_2, f_1 f_2$
- One-to-one INJECTIVE
- Onto SURJECTIVE
- One-to-one correspondence BIJECTIVE

Proving injection (pg 142)

Property : A function is injective if and only if $f(a) \neq f(b)$ whenever $a \neq b$

Proving injection - Show that if $f(a) = f(b)$ then $a=b$

Example: $f(x) = 2x+1$, $f(x) = x^3$

Proving surjection (pg 143)

Property: If $f:A \rightarrow B$, for any $b \in B$, there must exist $a \in A$, $f(a) = b$

Proving surjection - consider an arbitrary $b \in B$. Find a such that $f(a) = b$.

Example: $f(x) = 2x+1$, $f(x) = x^3$

Bijjective functions (pg 144)

- Both injective and surjective
- A bijective function is invertible
- Inverse: $f^{-1}(y) = x$ iff $f(x) = y$
- $f^{-1}(x) \neq 1/f(x)$

Operations with functions

- Addition:

Example: $f(x) = 2x$, $g(x) = x^2 + 1$

- Composition: If $f: A \rightarrow B$, $g: C \rightarrow A$, then $f \circ g: C \rightarrow B$, $f \circ g(x) = f(g(x))$

Example: $f(x) = 2x$, $g(x) = x^2 + 1$