

# 9/16/Discrete Quiz 4

For  $x$  an integer,

$x$  is odd iff  $5x$  is odd.  
A if and only if B

$A \Rightarrow B$  Let  $x$  be an odd integer.

Then there is an integer  $c$   
so that  $x = 2c + 1$

Therefore  $5x = 5(2c + 1) =$

$$10c + 5 = 2(5c + 2) + 1$$

since  $c \in \mathbb{Z}$ , so  $5c + 2 \in \mathbb{Z}$

so  $5x$  is odd.

$B \Rightarrow A$  Let  $5x$  be odd.

Then there's an integer  $d \in \mathbb{Z}$

so that  $5x \equiv 2b+1$

Therefore

$$x \equiv \underline{5x - 4x}$$

$$= 2b+1 - 4x$$

$$= 2(b-2x) + 1$$

$$\equiv 2(b-2x) + 1$$

is an integer  $b/c$   $b, x$  are integers

$\therefore x$  is odd

Leit time Counting lists  
multiplication principle

If you make lists  $(a_1, \dots, a_n)$   
where  $a_i$  are chosen from

$n$  possibilities, then

# lists is  $n^r$  if allow repetition

is  $n(n-1)(n-2) \dots (n-r+1)$

if no repetition  
with factorials,  $\frac{n!}{(n-r)!}$

product notation:

$$\prod_{k=1}^n a_k = a_1 a_2 \dots a_n$$

## § 10 Sets

Defn: A set is an unordered  
repetition-free collection  
of objects.

Ex |  $S = \{A, B, C\}$

$$\{B, A, C\} = \{B, B, C, A\}$$

Not equal as lists

The cardinality of a set  $S$  is the number of objects in it. Notation  $|S|$

Ex 2  $|\{A, B, C\}| = 3$

$$|\{B, B, C, A\}| = 3$$

$$|\mathbb{Q}| = \infty \quad |\{\mathbb{Q}\}| = 1$$

$$|\{2, \mathbb{Q}, E, 2, CC\}| = 4$$

↑  
counted as one object

$$\mathbb{Q} = \left\{ \frac{m}{n} \mid m, n \in \mathbb{Z}, n \neq 0 \right\}$$

Notation: If  $x$  is an element of set  $A$ ,

write  $x \in A$

Also  $x \notin A$  means  $\neg(x \in A)$

Ex 3  $\frac{2}{3} \in \mathbb{Q}, \frac{2}{3} \in \mathbb{R}$

$\frac{2}{3} \notin \mathbb{N}$

Usually, sets come naturally from bigger sets via some condition

Set-builder notation: / <sup>condition</sup>

$$E = \{ x \in \mathbb{Z} : 2 \mid x \}$$

$$= \{ x \in \mathbb{Z} : x \text{ is even} \}$$

$$= \{ 2y : y \in \mathbb{Z} \}$$

$$P = \{ p \in \mathbb{N} : p \text{ is prime} \}$$

$$= \{ 2, 3, 5, 7, 11, 13, 17, 19, \dots \}$$

$$S = \{ x^2 : x \in \mathbb{Z} \} = \{ 0, 1, 4, 9, 16, \dots \}$$

Squares

## Containment and equality of sets

If  $A, B$  are sets, then  $A$  is a subset of  $B$  if every element of  $A$  is also

an element of  $B$ ,

!e,  $x \in A \Rightarrow x \in B$

Notation  $A \subseteq B$

$A \subset B$  if  $A \subseteq B$  but  
 $A \neq B$

(Many books  $A \subset B$  subset  
means  $A \subsetneq B$ )

The empty set has no

elements!

Notation:  $\emptyset = \{\}$

$$|\emptyset| = 0$$

Two sets  $A$  and  $B$  are equal  
if  $A \subseteq B$  and  $B \subseteq A$ .

Ex)  $A = \{x \in \mathbb{Z} \mid 3|x\}$

$$B = \{x \in \mathbb{Z} \mid 15|x\}$$

Is  $A \subseteq B$ ? (Is  $B \subseteq A$ ?)

Is  $A = B$ ?

Claim  $B \subseteq A$

Proof Need to show

that  $x \in B \Rightarrow x \in A$

Let  $x \in B$ .

Then  $15|x$ , so there's an integer  $c$  such that

$$x = 15c$$

therefore  $x = 15c = 3(5c)$

Since  $5c \in \mathbb{Z}$  (b/c  $c \in \mathbb{Z}$ ),

$\therefore 3|x$  so  $x \in A$ .



Claim  $A \neq B$

Example  $x=3 \in A$   
but  $3 \notin B.$

Ex 2  $E = \{x \in \mathbb{Z} : 2|x\}$

$C = \{10a + 14b : a, b \in \mathbb{Z}\}$

Is  $E \subseteq C$ ?,  $C \subseteq E$ ?,  $C = E$ ?

Claim 1:  $C \subseteq E$

proof Let  $c \in C,$

then there are  $a, b \in \mathbb{Z}$  so

that  $c = 10a + 14b =$

$$2(5a + 7b)$$

$$a, b \in \mathbb{Z} \Rightarrow 5a + 7b \in \mathbb{Z}$$

$$\text{so } 2|c \text{ since } c \in E$$

$$\Sigma \quad C \subseteq E,$$

In fact,  $C = E$

Claim  $E \subseteq C$

$$\left[ \text{Note} \quad 2 = 10 \cdot 3 + 14(-2) \right]$$

Let  $e \in E$ . Then there is  
an  $q \in \mathbb{Z}$  such that  
 $e = 2q =$

$$-(10 \cdot 3 + 14(-2))q$$

$$= 10(3q) + 14(-2q)$$

$$3q, -2q \in \mathbb{Z} \quad (\text{b/c } q \in \mathbb{Z})$$

$$\text{so } e \in C \quad \checkmark$$

Ex 3 Find the cardinality  
of set  $S$

$$(a) S = \{x \in \mathbb{Z} : -3 \leq x \leq 3\}$$

$$|S| = 7$$

$$(b) S = \{x \in \mathbb{R} : -3 \leq x \leq 3\}$$

$$|S| = \infty$$

$$(c) S = \{x \in \mathbb{Z} : -3 \leq x^2 \leq 3\}$$

$$\downarrow$$
$$|S| = 3$$
$$\{-1, 0, 1\}$$

$$(d) S = \{z \in \mathbb{Z} \mid 5 \mid z \text{ and } |z| < 10\}$$

$$\downarrow$$
$$\{0, \pm 5, \pm 10, \pm 15, \dots, \pm 100\}$$

$$|S| = 41$$

$$(e) S = \{n \in \mathbb{N} : n! < 5000\}$$

$$4! = 4 \cdot 3 \cdot 2 = 24$$

$$5! = 120$$

$$6! = 720$$

$$7! = 5040$$

$$\underbrace{0, 1, 2, \dots, 6}_{7} \quad |S| = 7$$

Ex 4  $A = \{a, b, c, d\}$

List the subsets of  $A$ ,

$$\{a\} \quad \{b\} \quad \{c\} \quad \{d\}$$

$$\{b, c, d\} \quad \{a, c, d\} \quad \{a, b, d\} \quad \{a, b, c\}$$

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

$$\{a, b\} \quad \{a, c\} \quad \{a, d\},$$

$$\{b, c\} \quad \{b, d\}, \quad \{c, d\}$$

So there are  $\phi = 2^4$  subsets