

### HW §4.1 Numbers 2,5,7,9

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- a.  $\{(x, y) \in P \times C \mid x \text{ lives in } y\}$  For example (Dr. Iskra, Emory)
- b.  $\{(x, y) \in C \times \mathbb{N} \mid x \text{ has } y \text{ people}\}$

5.

**theorem 1.** *Suppose  $A$ ,  $B$  and  $C$  are sets. Then,*

$$A \times (B \cup C) = (A \times B) \cup (A \times C)$$

*Proof.* Let  $p$  be arbitrary. Suppose  $p \in A \times (B \cup C)$ . Then,  $p = (x, y)$  where  $x \in A$  and  $y \in B \cup C$ .

Suppose  $y \in B$ . Then  $p = (x, y) \in A \times B$ . Thus  $p \in (A \times B) \cup (A \times C)$

Suppose  $y \in C$ . Then  $p = (x, y) \in A \times C$ . Thus  $p \in (A \times B) \cup (A \times C)$

Thus, in either of these two exhaustive cases, if  $p \in A \times (B \cup C)$ , then  $p \in (A \times B) \cup (A \times C)$ . Since  $p$  was arbitrary,

$$A \times (B \cup C) \subseteq (A \times B) \cup (A \times C)$$

Now suppose  $p \in (A \times B) \cup (A \times C)$ . Then, either  $p \in A \times B$  or  $p \in A \times C$ .

Suppose  $p \in A \times B$ . Then,  $p = (x, y)$  where  $x \in A$  and  $y \in B$ . Thus,  $y \in B \cup C$ .

Thus,  $p = (x, y) \in A \times (B \cup C)$ .

Suppose  $p \in A \times C$ . Then,  $p = (x, y)$  where  $x \in A$  and  $y \in C$ . Thus,  $y \in B \cup C$ .

Thus,  $p = (x, y) \in A \times (B \cup C)$ .

Thus, in either of these two exhaustive cases, if  $p \in (A \times B) \cup (A \times C)$ , then  $p \in A \times (B \cup C)$ . Since  $p$  was arbitrary,

$$A \times (B \cup C) \supseteq (A \times B) \cup (A \times C)$$

□

**theorem 2.** *Suppose  $A$ ,  $B$ ,  $C$  and  $D$  are sets. Then,*

$$(A \times B) \cap (C \times D) = (A \cap C) \times (B \cap D)$$

*Proof.* Let  $p \in (A \times B) \cap (C \times D)$ . Then,  $p \in (A \times B)$  and  $p \in (C \times D)$ . Thus,  $p = (x, y)$  where  $x \in A$  and  $y \in B$  and  $x \in C$  and  $y \in D$ . Thus,  $x \in A \cap C$  and  $y \in B \cap D$ . Thus,  $p = (x, y) \in (A \cap C) \times (B \cap D)$ . Since  $p$  was arbitrary,

$$(A \times B) \cap (C \times D) \subseteq (A \cap C) \times (B \cap D)$$

Let  $p \in (A \cap C) \times (B \cap D)$ . Then,  $p = (x, y)$  where  $x \in (A \cap C)$  and  $y \in (B \cap D)$ .

Thus,  $x \in A$  and  $y \in B$  and  $x \in C$  and  $y \in D$ . Thus,  $x \in A \times B$  and  $y \in C \times D$ .

Thus,  $p = (x, y) \in (A \times B) \cap (C \times D)$ . Since  $p$  was arbitrary,

$$(A \cap C) \times (B \cap D) \subseteq (A \times B) \cap (C \times D)$$

Since

$$(A \times B) \cap (C \times D) \subseteq (A \cap C) \times (B \cap D)$$

and,

$$(A \cap C) \times (B \cap D) \subseteq (A \times B) \cap (C \times D)$$

we have

$$(A \times B) \cap (C \times D) = (A \cap C) \times (B \cap D)$$

□

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**theorem 3.** For any sets  $A$ ,  $B$ ,  $C$  and  $D$

$$(A \times B) \setminus (C \times D) = [A \times (B \setminus D)] \cup [(A \setminus C) \times B]$$

*Proof.* Let  $p$  be arbitrary. Suppose  $p \in (A \times B) \setminus (C \times D)$ . Then,  $p \in A \times B$  and  $p \notin C \times D$ . Thus,  $p = (x, y)$  where  $x \in A$  and  $y \in B$  and either  $x \notin C$  or  $y \notin D$ .

Suppose  $y \notin D$ . Then,  $y \in B \setminus D$ . Thus,  $p = (x, y) \in A \times (B \setminus D)$ , thus  $p \in [A \times (B \setminus D)] \cup [(A \setminus C) \times B]$ . Since  $p$  was arbitrary,

$$(A \times B) \setminus (C \times D) \subseteq [A \times (B \setminus D)] \cup [(A \setminus C) \times B]$$

Let  $p$  be arbitrary and suppose  $p \in [A \times (B \setminus D)] \cup [(A \setminus C) \times B]$ . Then,  $p \in A \times (B \setminus D)$  or  $p \in (A \setminus C) \times B$ .

Suppose  $p \in A \times (B \setminus D)$ . Then,  $p = (x, y)$  where  $x \in A$  and  $y \in B \setminus D$ . Then,  $y \in B$  and  $y \notin D$ . Thus,  $p = (x, y) \in A \times B$  and  $(x, y) \notin C \times D$ . Thus,  $p \in (A \times B) \setminus (C \times D)$ . Since  $p$  was arbitrary,

$$[A \times (B \setminus D)] \cup [(A \setminus C) \times B] \subseteq (A \times B) \setminus (C \times D)$$

Suppose  $p \in (A \setminus C) \times B$ . Then,  $p = (x, y)$  where  $x \in A \setminus C$  and  $y \in B$ . Then,  $x \in A$  and  $x \notin C$ . Thus,  $p = (x, y) \in A \times B$  and  $(x, y) \notin C \times D$ . Thus,  $p \in (A \times B) \setminus (C \times D)$ . Since  $p$  was arbitrary,

$$[A \times (B \setminus D)] \cup [(A \setminus C) \times B] \subseteq (A \times B) \setminus (C \times D)$$

Since

$$(A \times B) \setminus (C \times D) \subseteq [A \times (B \setminus D)] \cup [(A \setminus C) \times B]$$

and

$$[A \times (B \setminus D)] \cup [(A \setminus C) \times B] \subseteq (A \times B) \setminus (C \times D)$$

we have

$$(A \times B) \setminus (C \times D) = [A \times (B \setminus D)] \cup [(A \setminus C) \times B]$$

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