CSE 311 Section 7





Set Theory & Structural Induction!

Announcements & Reminders

- Congrats on finishing the midterm!
 - Please don't discuss as not everyone has taken it :)
- Homework 6 due Wednesday @ 11:00pm
- Book One-on-Ones via the link on the message board!

Sets: Quick Review



Sets

- A set is an **unordered** group of **distinct** elements
 - Set variable names are capital letters, with lower-case letters for elements
- Set Notation:
 - $a \in A$: "a is in A" or "a is an element of A"
 - $A \subseteq B$: "A is a subset of B", every element of A is also in B
 - Ø: "empty set", a unique set containing no elements
 - $\mathcal{P}(A)$: "power set of A", the set of all subsets of A including the empty set and A itself

Set Operators

- Subset: $A \subseteq B \equiv \forall x (x \in A \rightarrow x \in B)$ Equality: $A = B \equiv \forall x (x \in A \leftrightarrow x \in B) \equiv A \subseteq B \land B \subseteq A$ Union: $A \cup B = \{x : x \in A \lor x \in B\}$ Intersection: $A \cap B = \{x : x \in A \land x \in B\}$
- Complement: $\overline{A} = \{x : x \notin A\}$
- Difference: $A \setminus B = \{x : x \in A \land x \notin B\}$
- Cartesian Product: $A \times B = \{(a, b) : a \in A \land b \in B\}$



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Problem 2: Cartesian Product

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We can see that $(A \cap B) \times C \subseteq A \times (C \cup D)$. The claim holds.

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c) Write an English proof that the claim holds.

Follow the structure of our template for subset proofs.

Note: even though we want you to write your proof directly in English, it must still look like the translation of a formal proof. In particular, you must include all steps that would be required of a formal proof, excepting only those that we have explicitly said are okay to skip in English proofs.

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Remember, **x** is just a coordinate point!

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Work a step back!

Let **x** be an **arbitrary** object. Suppose that $x \in (A \cap B) \times C$ Then, by definition of Cartesian product, there is some $y \in A \cap B$ and $c \in C$ such that x = (y, c). Then, by the definition of intersection, $y \in A$ and $y \in B$.

Since $y \in A$ and $c \in C \cup D$, we can see that $(y, c) \in A \times (C \cup D)$ by the definition of Cartesian product. Since **x** was **arbitrary**, we have shown that $(A \cap B) \times C \subseteq A \times (C \cup D)$ by the definition of subset.

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Structural Induction



Idea of Structural Induction

Every element is built up recursively...

So to show P(s) for all s...

Show P(b) for all base case elements b.

Show for an arbitrary element not in the base case, if P() holds for every named element in the recursive rule, then P() holds for the new element (each recursive rule will be a case of this proof).

Structural Induction Template

Let P(x) be "<predicate>". We show P(x) holds for all x by structural induction.

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Base Case: Show P(x)
[Do that for every base cases x.]
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Inductive Hypothesis: Suppose P(x) for an arbitrary x [Do that for every x listed as in S in the recursive rules.]

Inductive Step: Show P() holds for y. [You will need a separate case/step for every recursive rule.]

Therefore P(x) holds for all x by the principle of induction.

Let P(L) be "". We show P(L) holds for all L ... by structural induction on L.

Base Case: Show P(L) (for all L in the basis rules)

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We can do casework!

Suppose that a > 0

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That's all Folks!

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Extra time: Powerset English Proof



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Given $A \subseteq B$, we want $P(A) \subseteq P(B)$



To show $P(A) \subseteq P(B)$, show that the (set) elements of P(A) can be found in P(B)



Subset proof strategy: take an arbitrary element x of P(A)...



Subset proof strategy: ... and show that it's in P(B)

How do we show x is in P(B)?



Well, x is in P(A), so $x \subseteq A$ by definition of powerset. Our target is showing x is in P(B), i.e., $x \subseteq$ B. А P(A) L is a set, so it has elements in it!

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Since $L \subseteq A$, A has those elements too (and maybe more stuff!)

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To show $x \subseteq B$, we do the subset strategy again: take an arbitrary y in x...



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To show $x \subseteq B$, we do the subset strategy again: And finally since $A \subseteq B$, y is in B.



Cozy Set Proofs



Using Cozy For Sets

- **A U B**: A Union B- "A cup B"
- **A** ∩ **B**: "A cap B"
- **A** ∈ **B**: "A in B"
- A \ B: "A \ B"
- B complement- "~B" (Only one Argument)
- A\B\C is implicitly (A\B)\C

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assumption Def of Set Difference 1.1.1

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Let x be an arbitrary object. Suppose that $x \in A \setminus B$. By definition, this means that $x \in A$ and $x \notin B$. Since $x \in A$, we have $x \in A \cup C$ by the definition of \cup . Since x was arbitrary, this shows $A \setminus B \subseteq A \cup C$.

Problem 2a – Cozy (posted with solutions)

For any sets *A*, *B*, and *C*, show that it holds that $A \setminus B \subseteq A \cup C$

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1.1.2.	x in A and not (x in B)	defof \ {A} {B} 1.1.1
1.1.3.	x in A	elim and 1.1.2 left
1.1.4.	x in A or x in B	intro or 1.1.3 (x in B) right
1.1.5.	x in A cup B	undef cup {A} {B} 1.1.4 🗶
1.1.	x in A $\ B \rightarrow$ x in A cup B	direct proof (x in A \ B -> x in A cup B) 🗶
1.	forall x, x in A \setminus B -> x in A cup B	intro forall (forall x, x in A \setminus B -> x in A cup B) x
2.	A \ B subset A cup B	undef subset {A \ B} {A cup B} 1 🗙