



Sets

elements in the sets: 不重复, 无顺序

Practice:

1 Let A be the set of letters in the word VENN and B be the set of letters in the word DIAGRAM.

a List the elements of A and B .

"|" or ":" read as 'such that'; 后接条件

" $a \in X$ " a belongs to X

" $a \notin X$ " a does not belong to X

" $X \subseteq B$ " & " $B \supseteq X$ " X is B 's subset; B is X 's superset

set X is always a subset of itself

empty set \emptyset is always a subset for any set.

Special case of subset: $X \subseteq B$ and $X \neq B \rightarrow X \subset B$, (X is B 's proper set).

" $|X|$ " (Cardinality) \rightarrow numbers of elements in set X

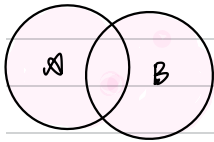
Practice:

if $B = \{a, b, c\}$, then what is $|B|$?

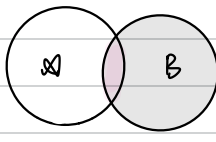
answer: 4

" 2^X " represents the number of X 's subset (not proper set!) $|2^A| = 2^{|A|}$

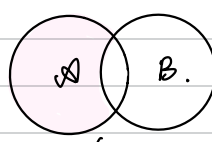
power set: the set of all the subset of X . denoted as 2^X or $P(X)$.



$X \cup B$.

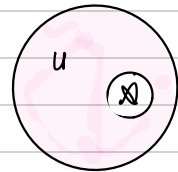


$X \cap B$.



$X \setminus B$ (or $X - B$)

special case
when $B \subseteq X$



$X^c = U/A$

\mathbb{N} natural numbers

\mathbb{Z} integers

\mathbb{Q} rational numbers

\mathbb{R} real numbers

\emptyset empty set

Cartesian Product: Combine set X, B . Cartesian Product $X \times B = \{(x, y) \mid x \in X, y \in B\}$

: 有顺序要求, 依次排列组合.

e.g. $U = \mathbb{R}$, $(-1, 1)^c = (-\infty, -1] \cup [1, \infty)$

Logic

对任意 for all \forall

存在 exist \exists

\wedge = and, 需左右两种情况同时满足

\vee = or 左右情况满足任一即可

Negation $\neg p$ is the negation of p : 改变 \exists/\forall 及后置范围

Practice

if $p: \exists x \in \mathbb{R}, x^2 < 0$ then $\neg p$