# Chapter 1, Section 2 

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## Outline

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## Venn Diagrams

Representing the universal set $U$ and one subset $A \subset U$

$U$ : the region inside the rectangle
$A$ : the region inside the circle

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$U$ : the region inside the rectangle
A: the region inside the smaller rectangle

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Representing the complement of a set

$A$ : the region inside the circle
$A^{\prime}$ : the region that is both outside the circle and inside $U$

## Venn Diagrams

## Two subsets $A, B$ in "standard position"



- Shade the subset $A \cup B$
- Shade the subset $A \cap B$
- Shade the subset $A \cap B^{\prime}$
- Shade the subset $B \cup A^{\prime}$


## Venn Diagrams

## Exercise



- $A=$
- $B=$
- $A \cap B^{\prime}=$
- $B^{\prime} \cup\left(A^{\prime} \cap B\right)=$


## Venn Diagrams

Three subsets $A, B$ and $C$ in "standard position"


- Shade the subset $A \cup B$
- Shade the subset $A \cap B \cap C$
- Shade the subset $A \cap B^{\prime} \cap C^{\prime}$
- Shade the subset $\left(B \cap A^{\prime}\right) \cap C$
- Shade the subset $\left(B \cap A^{\prime}\right) \cup C$


## DeMorgan's Laws

For a universal set $X$ and $A \subset X, B \subset X$
$(A \cup B)^{\prime}=A^{\prime} \cap B^{\prime}$
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## Associative and Distributive

For a universal set $X$ and $A \subset X, B \subset X$ and $C \subset X$
$(A \cup B) \cup C=A \cup(B \cup C)$
$(A \cap B) \cap C=A \cap(B \cap C)$
$A \cap(B \cup C)=(A \cap B) \cup(A \cap C)$
$A \cup(B \cap C)=(A \cup B) \cap(A \cup C)$

## Partitions

## Definition

A list of sets $A_{1}, A_{2}, \ldots, A_{k}$ are pairwise disjoint if every pair of them are disjoint. (that is, every pair of them have empty intersection)

## Example

$\{1,3,5\},\{2,4,6\},\{7, a, z\},\{b, c\}$ are pairwise disjoint
$\{1, a, b\},\{2,4\},\{3, b\}$ are not pairwise disjoint even though
$\{1, a, b\} \cap\{2,4\} \cap\{3, b\}=\emptyset$.

## Definition

A partition of a set $X$ is a collection of nonempty subsets of $X$ such that

- the subsets are pairwise disjoint, and
- the union of the subsets is $X$.


## Partitions

## Examples

- $\{1,3,5,7\},\{2,4\},\{6\}$ is a partition of $\{1,2,3,4,5,6,7\}$
- $\{(1, b)\},\{(2, a),(1, a),(3, b)\},\{(2, b),(3, a)\}$ is a partition of $\{1,2,3\} \times\{a, b\}$.

$A \cap B^{\prime}, A \cap B, A^{\prime} \cap B,(A \cup B)^{\prime}$ is a partition of $\{a, b, c, d, e, w, x, y, z\}$.


## Partition Principle

## Notation

Let $S$ be a set with a finite number of elements. We denote the number of elements in $S$ by $n(S)$.

## Examples

$n(\{a, b, c, d, e, f, g\})=7$
$n(\{x, y\} \times\{7,8,9\})=2 \cdot 3=6$. (General Principle)
$n(\emptyset)=0$
$n(\{1,2,\{4,5\}, 3\})=4$

## Partition Principle

If $A_{1}, A_{2}, \ldots, A_{k}$ is a partition of a finite set $X$, then $n(X)=n\left(A_{1}\right)+n\left(A_{2}\right)+\cdots+n\left(A_{k}\right)$.

## Counting Principles

## Partition Principle



The sets $A \cap B \cap C$ and $A \cap B^{\prime} \cap C$ and $A \cap B \cap C^{\prime}$ and $A \cap B^{\prime} \cap C^{\prime}$ partition the set $A$.
By the partition principle, $n(A)=$

## Exercises

[\#12] Let $U$ be a universal set with disjoint subsets $A$ and $B$.
$n(U)=55, n(A)=25$, and $n(B)=10$.
Find $n\left(A^{\prime} \cup B\right)$.
Find $n\left(A^{\prime} \cap B\right)$.
Find $n\left((A \cup B)^{\prime}\right)$.
[\#28] A set $X$ with $n(X)=45$ is partitioned into three subsets $X_{1}, X_{2}$, and $X_{3}$. If $n\left(X_{2}\right)=2 n\left(X_{1}\right)$ and $n\left(X_{3}\right)=3 n\left(X_{2}\right)$, find the number of elements in $X_{1}$.

## Exercises

[\#22] Let $A, B$ and $C$ be subsets of a universal set $U$ with $A$ and $B$ disjoint, $n(U)=110, n(A)=35, n(B)=44$, $n(A \cup B \cup C)=96$, and $((A \cup B) \cap C)=28$. Find $n(C)$.

- Draw a Venn diagram representing the given information.
- Fill in any additional information.
- The following 4 subsets partition $U$ :
$A, B, C \cap A^{\prime} \cap B^{\prime}$ and $A^{\prime} \cap B^{\prime} \cap C^{\prime}$

