

Munkres 1.1

Set Theory

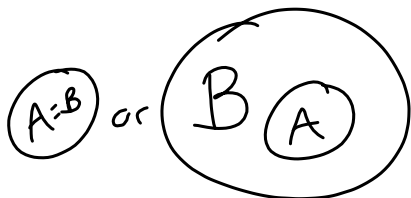
A set

a element of a set

$a \in A$ \in means "is an element of"

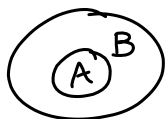
subsets

$$A \subset B$$



$$A \subsetneq B$$

proper subset



but not



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subset

$$A \subset B$$

proper subset

$$A \subsetneq B$$

If $A \subseteq B$, then

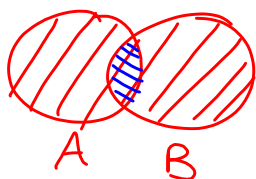


if $x \in A$, then $x \in B$.

but if $y \in B$, then y is not necessarily in A .

union & intersection

$$A \cup B = \{x \mid x \in A \text{ or } x \in B\}$$



union

$$A \subseteq A \cup B$$

$$B \subseteq A \cup B$$

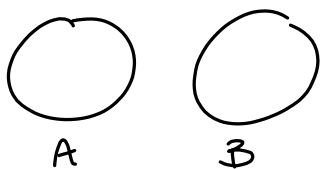
$$A \cap B = \{x \mid x \in A \text{ and } x \in B\}$$

intersection

$$A \cap B \subseteq A$$

$$A \cap B \subseteq B$$

$$A \cap B \subseteq A \cup B$$



$$\{\emptyset\} \neq \emptyset$$

$$A \cap B = ? = \emptyset$$

\emptyset = "empty set" =
= set containing no elements

$$A \subset B$$

If $x \in A$, then $x \in B$.

$\emptyset \subset A$ "vacuously true"
for any set A

$$A \cap \emptyset = \emptyset$$

$$A \cup \emptyset = A$$

$$A = B$$

$$\Rightarrow A \subseteq B \text{ and } B \subseteq A$$

Case 1 $A \subseteq B$

Assume $x \in A$. To show $x \in B$

Case 2. $B \subseteq A$

Assume $y \in B$. To show $y \in A$.

Formal Logic

If A , then B .

(If it is raining, then the streets are wet.)
(If A is true, then B is true.)

$A \Rightarrow B$ "A implies B"

contrapositive: If (not B) then (not A).

If the streets are not wet, then it is not raining.
 $\sim B \Rightarrow \sim A$

Logically equivalent to original statement

converse: If B , then A . $B \Rightarrow A$

If the streets are wet, then it is raining.

NOT logically equivalent to original statement

$$A \rightarrow B$$

$$\sim B \rightarrow \sim A$$

$$B \rightarrow A$$

$$A \Leftrightarrow B$$

$$A \Rightarrow B \text{ and } B \Rightarrow A$$

A if and only if B

Thm: if A then B
For every $x \in A$, statement P holds.

$\forall x \in A$, statement P holds.
"for all"

Contrapositive: if $\sim B$ then $\sim A$

If statement P does not hold, then

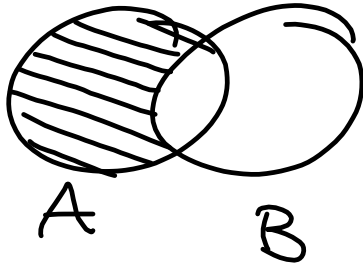
[not every x is an element of A]

there exists

$\exists x \in A$ such that statement P does not hold.
"there exists"

Difference of Sets (Relative complement)

$$A - B = \{x \mid x \in A \text{ and } x \notin B\}$$



$x \notin A - B$ if $x \notin A$ or $x \in B$

Set theory rules

"Distributive Properties"

$$\begin{aligned} * A \cap (B \cup C) &= (A \cap B) \cup (A \cap C) \\ A \cup (B \cap C) &= (A \cup B) \cap (A \cup C) \end{aligned}$$

De Morgan's Laws:

$$\begin{aligned} A - (B \cup C) &= (A - B) \cap (A - C) \\ A - (B \cap C) &= (A - B) \cup (A - C) \end{aligned}$$