

Prove that

For all  $a, x \in B$  (Boolean set)

$a + x = 1$ ,  $a \cdot x = 0$  then  $x = \bar{a}$

{ set

$$1 \rightarrow U$$

$$A \cup A^c = U$$
  
$$a + \bar{a} = 1$$



$x = x \cdot 1$  because 1 is identity for.

$$= x \cdot (a + \bar{a})$$

Complement for +.  
distributive law for.

$$= x \cdot a + x \cdot \bar{a}$$

$$= 0 + x \cdot \bar{a}$$

hypothesis

$$= a \cdot \bar{a} + x \cdot \bar{a}$$

Complement law

$$= \bar{a} \cdot a + \bar{a} \cdot x$$

Commutative law

$$= \bar{a} \cdot (a + x)$$

distributive law

$$= \bar{a} \cdot 1$$

hypothesis

$$= \bar{a}$$

identity



Prove that for all  $x, y, z$  in  $B$  where  $B$  is Boolean Set. IF  $x + y = x + z$  and  $x \cdot y = x \cdot z$  then  $y = z$ .

$$\begin{aligned}
 y &= (y+x) \cdot y \\
 &= y \cdot (y+x) \\
 &= y \cdot (x+y) \\
 &= y \cdot (x+z) \\
 &= y \cdot x + y \cdot z \\
 &= x \cdot y + y \cdot z \\
 &= x \cdot z + y \cdot z \\
 &= z \cdot x + z \cdot y \\
 &= z \cdot (x+y) \\
 &= z \cdot (x+z) \\
 &= z
 \end{aligned}$$

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Absorption law  
Commutative law

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hypothesis  
distributive  
Commutative  
hypothesis

hypothesis

Absorption law

For all sets  $A, B, C$  prove that

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

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we have to prove that

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

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

Ex:  
 $A = \{x, y\}$   
 $B = \{1, 2\}$   
 $A \times B = \{(x, 1), (x, 2), (y, 1), (y, 2)\}$

Part I) prove:  $A \times (B \cup C) \subseteq (A \times B) \cup (A \times C)$

Suppose that  $(x, y) \in A \times (B \cup C)$ , where  $x, y$  are pbac-element. Show that

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

~ Since  $(x, y) \in A \times (B \cup C)$  then

$$x \in A \text{ and } y \in (B \cup C)$$

Case 1:  $y \in B$ . Since  $x \in A$  and  $y \in B$  by defn of Cart. pr then  $(x, y) \in (A \times B)$ ; Hence  $(x, y) \in \begin{matrix} A \times B \cup \\ (A \times C) \end{matrix}$  by defn of Union.

Case 2:  $y \in C$ . Since  $x \in A$  and  $y \in C$  by def of Cart. pr then  $(x, y) \in (A \times C)$ . Hence  $(x, y) \in (A \times B) \cup (A \times C)$  by definition of Union.

Part II).  $(A \times B) \cup (A \times C) \subseteq A \times (B \cup C)$

Suppose that  $x, y$  are some element  
in set  $(A \times B) \cup (A \times C)$ . Show that  
 $(x, y) \in A \times (B \cup C)$ .

$\Rightarrow$  Since  $(x, y) \in (A \times B) \cup (A \times C)$   
 $(x, y) \in (A \times B)$  or  $(x, y) \in (A \times C)$

Case 1:  $(x, y) \in (A \times B)$ ,  $x \in A$  and  $y \in B \rightarrow$  Cart. product  
Since  $y \in B$ , then  $y \in (B \cup C)$ . So  $(x, y)$   
 $\in A \times (B \cup C)$

Case 2:  $(x, y) \in (A \times C)$ .  $x \in A$  and  $y \in C \Rightarrow$  Cart. p  
Since  $y \in C$ , then  $y \in (B \cup C)$  by def. of Union  
So  $(x, y) \in A \times (B \cup C)$

Case 1 + Case 2 (approved)  
Hence  $(x, y) \in A \times (B \cup C)$

3 Questions

Prove

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

(1) Algebra

(2) Element Argument

$$= (A \cap B^c) \cup (C \cap B^c)$$

$$= (B^c \cap A) \cup (B^c \cap C)$$

$$= B^c \cap (A \cup C)$$

$$= (A \cup C) \cap B^c$$

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

by difference law

Commutative law

distributive law

Commutative law

difference law

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