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SET 12

Exercise 1. Let B be a Boolean algebra. For $x, y, z \in B$ find the dual expressions of

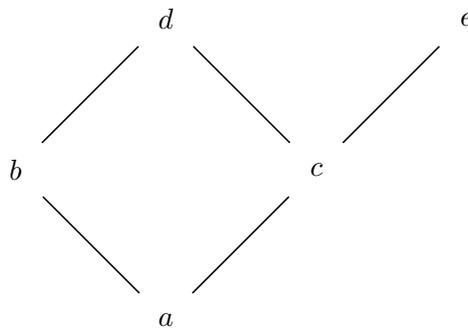
i) $(x + \bar{y}) \cdot \overline{(\bar{z} + y)}$ ii) $(1 + x) \cdot y + x \cdot \bar{y} \cdot z$ iii) $(x \cdot y + 1) \cdot (0 + x) \cdot z$

Exercise 2. 1) Let the natural number \mathbb{N} be our universe. We start by defining the property $P(q)$: q is even. We define the relation R on \mathbb{N} as follows: $\forall_{n,m} (n, m) \in R$ iff $P(n + m)$.

a) Show that R is an equivalence relation.

b) Can you determine how many equivalence classes the relation R has?

2) Given the set $F = \{a, b, c, d, e\}$ with an ordering described by the diagram



Write down all subsets of F in which the element c is a minimal element.

Exercise 3. a) Let G be a planar graph with eight vertices. What is the maximal number of edges possible in G ?

b) Let G be a finite graph. Can G have a subgraph H (H is supposed to be different from G) so that G and H are isomorphic?

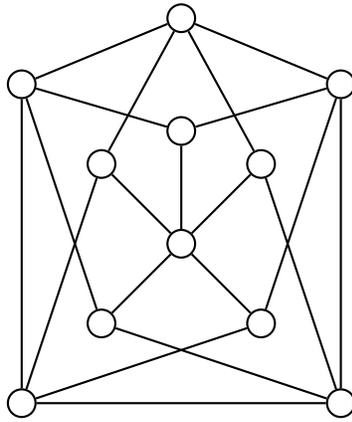
c) Consider the graph G with $V(G) := \{a, b, c, d, e, f\}$ and $E(G) := \{\{a, c\}, \{a, d\}, \{a, e\}, \{b, e\}, \{b, f\}\}$.

i) Determine $G - a$

ii) Find the connected components of $G - a$.

Exercise 4. Let G be a planar graph with fewer than 12 vertices. Show that G has a vertex of degree at most 4. (Hint: Recall the formula $|E| \leq 3|V| - 6$.)

Exercise 5. Show that the following graph is not planar.



(Hint: Notice that, in the case that the graph is planar, it contains no triangles. Then, any face would be bordered by at least 4 edges)

Exercise 6. Use induction to show that for all natural numbers: $4 \sum_{k=1}^n (k^2 + 2k)(k + 4) = (n^2 + n)(n + 4)(n + 5)$.

Exercise 7. Use the laws of logic to simplify the statement: $(p \vee (p \wedge q) \vee (p \wedge q \wedge \neg r)) \wedge ((p \wedge r \wedge t) \vee t)$

Exercise 8. Lewis–Zax (page 67): exercise 6.1.

Exercise 9. Use the binomial theorem $(a + b)^n = \sum_{k=0}^n \binom{n}{k} a^k b^{n-k}$ to compute the number

$$\sum_{i=0}^{27} \binom{27}{i} (-3)^{2i+1}$$

Exercise 10. Draw the state diagram $D(M)$ of the automaton M with states $S := \{s_0, s_1, s_2\}$, accepting states $Y := \{s_0\}$, input alphabet $I := \{a, b\}$, described in the state table $T(M)$:

| | ν | |
|-------|-------|-------|
| | a | b |
| s_0 | s_0 | s_1 |
| s_1 | s_0 | s_2 |
| s_2 | s_2 | s_2 |

Exercise 11. Draw the state diagram $D(M)$ of the automaton M with states $S := \{s_0, s_1, s_2\}$, accepting states $Y := \{s_0, s_2\}$, input alphabet $I := \{a, b\}$, described in the following state table $T(M)$:

| | ν | |
|-------|-------|-------|
| | a | b |
| s_0 | s_1 | s_0 |
| s_1 | s_2 | s_0 |
| s_2 | s_2 | s_1 |

Which of the following input words are accepted by M and which are not accepted by M ?

- 1) $bbaab$
- 2) $abbab$
- 3) $aabbb$

- 4) babaab
- 5) aaabbb

Exercise 12. Let $\Sigma := \{a, b\}$ and define the language $L := \{a^m b^n \mid m, n > 0\}$. Construct an automaton A' which will accept the language $L(A')$.

- Exercise 13.** a) Draw the table for the automaton A in Fig. 1.
 b) Find the language $L(A)$ accepted by the automaton A in Fig. 1.

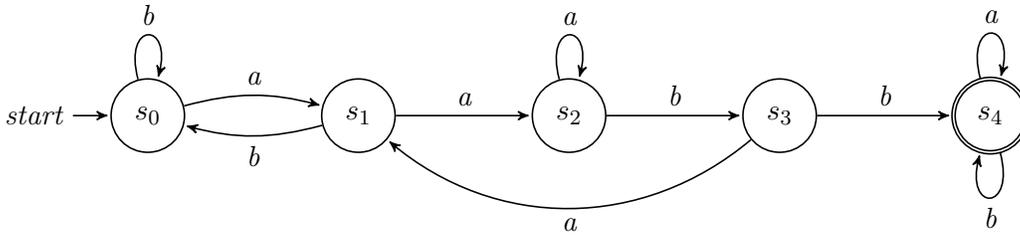


FIGURE 1. The automaton A .

Exercise 14. Lewis–Zax (page 197/198): exercise 19.1, 19.2 a),b), 19.4.

Exercise 15. Draw the state diagram of the finite state machine N corresponding to the transition table

| N | ν | | ω | |
|-------|-------|-------|----------|---|
| | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| s_0 | s_0 | s_1 | 0 | 0 |
| s_1 | s_1 | s_2 | 0 | 0 |
| s_2 | s_2 | s_3 | 0 | 0 |
| s_3 | s_3 | s_4 | 0 | 0 |
| s_4 | s_4 | s_5 | 0 | 0 |
| s_5 | s_5 | s_0 | 0 | 1 |

What is the output corresponding to the input sequence 0110111011?

Exercise 16. Given two states s_0, s_1 (s_0 being the starting state), complete the following diagram by adding arrows:



so that it becomes a state diagram of the finite state machine M , which is supposed to recognise (with an output 1) every 0 appearing in an input string x that is preceded by another 0.