

Def. :- The Difference set مجموعه الفرق

let A and B are sets. Then

$$\begin{aligned} A-B &= \{x : x \in A \text{ and } x \notin B\} \\ &= \{x : x \in A \text{ and } x \in B^c\} \\ &= A \cap B^c \end{aligned}$$

لهذا الموضوح ما
نفرض x تنتمي
 $x \in$

$$\begin{aligned} B-A &= \{x : x \in B \text{ and } x \notin A\} \\ &= \{x : x \in B \text{ and } x \in A^c\} \\ &= B \cap A^c \end{aligned}$$

Def. :- The symmetric Difference

الفرق المتناظري يرمز له بالرمز (Δ)

let A and B are sets. Then

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

Ex. :- Show that $(A \Delta B) - C = (A \Delta B) - C$ (9)

Proof:- left side $(\overline{A \cup C}) \Delta (\overline{B \cup C})$

$$\begin{aligned} &= [(A \cup C) - (B \cup C)] \cup [(B \cup C) - (A \cup C)] \\ &= [(A \cup C) \cap (B \cup C)^c] \cup [(B \cup C) \cap (A \cup C)^c] \\ &= [\overline{(A \cup C)} \cap (B^c \cap C^c)] \cup [\overline{(B \cup C)} \cap (A^c \cap C^c)] \\ &= [(A \cap B^c \cap C^c) \cup (C \cap B^c \cap C^c)] \cup [(B \cap A^c \cap C^c) \cup (C \cap A^c \cap C^c)] \\ &\text{نُبْنِ} = [(A \cap B^c \cap C^c) \cup (B^c \cap \underline{C} \cap C^c)] \cup [(B \cap A^c \cap C^c) \cup (A^c \cap \underline{C} \cap C^c)] \\ &= [(A \cap B^c \cap C^c) \cup (B^c \cap \emptyset)] \cup [(B \cap A^c \cap C^c) \cup (A^c \cap \emptyset)] \\ &= [(A \cap B^c \cap C^c) \cup \emptyset] \cup [(B \cap A^c \cap C^c) \cup \emptyset] \\ &= (A \cap B^c \cap \underline{C^c}) \cup (B \cap A^c \cap \underline{C^c}) \\ &= [(A \cap B^c) \cup (B \cap A^c)] \cap C^c \\ &= [(A - B) \cup (B - A)] \cap C^c \\ &= [(A - B) \cup (B - A)] - C \\ &= (A \Delta B) - C \\ &= \text{right side.} \end{aligned}$$

Ex. 1:- Prove that $A - B = B^c - A^c$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Proof:- } A - B &= A \cap B^c \\ &= B^c \cap A \\ &= B^c \cap (A^c)^c \\ &= \underline{B^c - A^c}.\end{aligned}$$

Ex. 1:- Show that $(A \cap B) \Delta (A \cap C) = A \cap (B \Delta C)$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Proof:- left side} &= (A \cap B) \Delta (A \cap C) \\ &= [(A \cap B) - (A \cap C)] \cup [(A \cap C) - (A \cap B)] \\ &= [(A \cap B) \cap (A \cap C)^c] \cup [(A \cap C) \cap (A \cap B)^c] \\ &= [\underline{(A \cap B)} \cap \underline{(A^c \cup C^c)}] \cup [(A \cap C) \cap (A^c \cup B^c)] \\ &= [(A \cap B \cap A^c) \cup (A \cap B \cap C^c)] \cup [(A \cap C \cap A^c) \cup (A \cap C \cap B^c)] \\ &= [\underline{(A \cap A^c \cap B)} \cup (A \cap B \cap C^c)] \cup [\underline{(A \cap A^c \cap C)} \cup (A \cap C \cap B^c)] \\ &= [(\emptyset \cap B) \cup (A \cap B \cap C^c)] \cup [(\emptyset \cap C) \cup (A \cap C \cap B^c)] \\ &= \emptyset \cup (A \cap B \cap C^c) \cup (\emptyset \cup (A \cap C \cap B^c)) \\ &= \underline{(A \cap B \cap C^c)} \cup \underline{(A \cap C \cap B^c)} \\ &= A \cap (B \cap C^c) \cup (C \cap B^c) \\ &= A \cap (B - C) \cup (C - B) \\ &= A \cap (B \Delta C) \\ &= \text{right side.}\end{aligned}$$

Th. If A and B are sets, then

- ① $A \cup (A \cap B) = A$ ② $A \cap (A \cup B) = A$ ③ $A \cap (A^c \cup B) = A \cap B$
 ④ $A \cup (A \cap B^c) = A$ ⑤ $A \subseteq B \Leftrightarrow A \cap B^c = \emptyset$
 ⑥ $A \subseteq B \Leftrightarrow A \cup B^c = U$ ⑦ $A \cap (B - C) = (A \cap B) - C$
 ⑧ $(A \cup B) - C = (A - C) \cup (B - C)$ ⑨ $A - (B \cup C) = (A - B) \cap (A - C)$
 ⑩ $A - (B \cap C) = (A - B) \cup (A - C)$

Proof (5):- $A \subseteq B \Leftrightarrow A \cap B^c = \emptyset$

Suppose that $A \subseteq B$, if $A \cap B^c \neq \emptyset$

$$\Rightarrow \exists x \in A \cap B^c \Rightarrow x \in A \text{ and } x \in B^c$$

$$\Rightarrow x \in A \text{ and } x \notin B, \text{ (since } A \subseteq B \text{)}$$

$$\therefore A \cap B^c \neq \emptyset$$

← Conversely, suppose that $A \cap B^c = \emptyset$

$$\text{let } x \in A, \therefore A \cap B^c = \emptyset$$

$$\Rightarrow x \in A \text{ and } x \notin B^c$$

$$\therefore x \in A \text{ and } x \in B$$

$$\Rightarrow A \subseteq B.$$

$$(7) A \cap (B - C) = (A \cap B) - C$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Proof: Left} &= A \cap (B - C) = A \cap (B \cap C^c) \\ &= (A \cap B) \cap C^c \\ &= (A \cap B) - C = \text{right} \end{aligned}$$

$$(8) (A \cup B) - C = (A - C) \cup (B - C)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Proof: Left} &= (A \cup B) - C = (A \cup B) \cap C^c \\ &= (A \cap C^c) \cup (B \cap C^c) \\ &= (A - C) \cup (B - C) = \text{right} \end{aligned}$$

$$(9) A - (B \cup C) = (A - B) \cap (A - C)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Proof: Left} &= A - (B \cup C) = A \cap (B \cup C)^c \\ &= A \cap (B^c \cap C^c) \\ &= (A \cap B^c) \cap (A \cap C^c) \\ &= (A - B) \cap (A - C) = \text{right} \end{aligned}$$

$$(10) A - (B \cap C) = (A - B) \cup (A - C)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Left} &= A - (B \cap C) = A \cap (B \cap C)^c \\ &= A \cap (B^c \cup C^c) \\ &= (A \cap B^c) \cup (A \cap C^c) \\ &= (A - B) \cup (A - C) = \text{right} \end{aligned}$$

(6) H.w