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Sets + Venn Diagrams

Eq: how can you use Venn diagrams to organize + communicate quantitative info?

Set = collection of numbers or objects

$$A = \{1, 3, 5, 7\} \quad U = \{a, c, i, o, u\}$$

the numbers or objects in a set are called the elements or members of the set

$$n(A) = 4 \quad n(U) = 5$$

$3 \in A$ = 3 is an element of A

$12 \notin A$ = 12 is NOT an element of A

$e \in A$

$k \notin A$

The set $\{\}$ or \emptyset is called the empty set + contains no elements

N = natural or counting numbers $\{0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7\}$

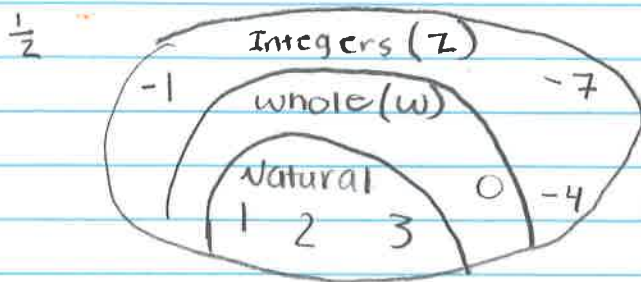
Z = set of ALL integers $\{\pm 1, \pm 2, 0, \pm 3, \pm 4\}$

Z⁺ = set of all positive integers = $\{1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6\}$

Z⁻ = set of all negative integers = $\{-1, -2, -3, \dots\}$

Irrational numbers (P) = $\pi, \sqrt{2}, \sqrt{17}, e$

Rational Numbers (Q)



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subset problem Practice
 $P \{2, 3, 5\}$ $C \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6\}$
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subset symbol

say P is a proper subset

$$A = \{1, 2, 5, 7, 9, 10\}$$

$$B = \{2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7\}$$

$$P(A \cap B) = \{2, 5, 7\} \quad \text{number of } (P \cap B) = 3$$

$$P(A \cup B) = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 9, 10\} \quad n(P \cup B) = 9$$

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Proper subset + Improper subset

$$A = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5\} \quad B = \{1, 3, 4\}$$
$$C = \{2, 3, 1, 4, 5\}$$

subset subset

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$$B \subset A \quad C \subseteq A$$

A is proper subset of C: $A \subset C$

C is not subset of B: $C \not\subseteq B$

Infinite sets: infinitely many elements $\{x \in \mathbb{R} \mid x \geq 0\}$ $\{1, \dots\}$
finite: finite or set number of elements $\{1, 2, 3, 4\}$

$\mathbb{N}, \mathbb{Z}, \mathbb{Z}^+, \mathbb{Z}^-, \mathbb{Q}, \mathbb{R}$ are all infinite sets

Union + Intersection

- If $P + Q$ are two sets then

• $P \cap Q$ is the intersection of $P + Q$, and consists of all elements which are in both $P + Q$

• $P \cup Q$ is the union of $P + Q$, and consists of all elements which are in P or Q

union