

5. Infinite set: - A set having infinite no of elements is called infinite set.

Ex :- $\mathbb{N} = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5, \dots\}$

Ex :- $\mathbb{Z} = \{\dots, -3, -2, -1, 0, 1, 2, 3, \dots\}$

(Subset) :- Let A and B be the two sets such that each elements of A is also an elements of B, then A is called subset of B and is denoted by $A \subseteq B$.

Ex :-1. $A = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5\}$

$\mathbb{N} = \{1, 2, 3, 4, \dots\}$

$\Rightarrow A \subseteq \mathbb{N}$

Ex :-2. $X = \{x : x \text{ is a student of MMC Patna}\}$

$Y = \{x : x \text{ is a student of Patna university}\}$

$\Rightarrow X \subseteq Y$.

(Proper Subject) :- Let A and B be the two sets such that each elements of A is also an element of B but B has at least one element which is not in A then A is called proper subset of B and is written as $A \subset B$. Again B is called super set of A.

Ex :- 1. $A = \{1, 2, 3\}$

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

$A \subset B$.

Ex :- 2. $X = \{a, e, i, o, u\}$

$Y = \{a, b, c, \dots, x, y, z\}$

$X \subset Y$.

(Equality of sets) :- If $A \subseteq B$ and $B \subseteq A$ then A and B are called equal sets and the relation between A and B is called equality of sets and is written as $A = B$.

Ex :- $A = \{a, e, i, o, u\}$

$B = \{i, e, q, o, u\}$

$A = B$.

(Power Set) :- Let A be a set. Now the collection of all the possible subsets of A denoted by P (A), is called power set of A. Ex :- $A = \{1,2,3\}$

$P(A) =$ power set of A $\{\varnothing, \{1,2,3\}, \{1\}, \{2\}, \{3\}, \{1,2\}, \{1,3\}, \{2,3\}\}$

(Universal Set):- Whenever we make a discussion over the sets then the set among them, which is the super set of all the remaining sets. Is called universal set, it is denoted by X,E, U or Ω .

Ex: - $A = \{1,2\}, B = \{2,3,4,5\}, C = \{1,3,5,7,9\}$
 $X = \{1,2,3, \dots \dots \dots 10\}$. *X is universal set.*

(Comparable sets) :-

If A and B are two sets such that either $A \subseteq B$ or $B \subseteq A$ then A and B are called comparable sets. Ex: - 1. $A = \{1,2,3\}, B = \{1,2,3,4,5\}$ $A \subseteq B$. A and B are comparable sets.

Ex : 2 $A = \{a, b, c, d, \dots \dots \dots x, y, z\}$
 $B = \{a, e, i, o, u\}$

$B \subseteq A \Rightarrow$ A and B are comparable sets.

(Disjoint Sets) :-

If A and B are two sets such that A and B have no element in common than A and B are called disjoint sets.

Ex : -1. $A = \{1,3,5\}, B = \{2,4,6\}$.

There A and B have no elements in common and therefore A and B disjoint sets. If A and B are not disjoint sets then they are called joint sets. Then they are called joint sets.

(Difference of sets) :- If A and B be the two sets then (A-B) is called difference of A B and is denoted by A-B and is defined as

$$(A-B) = \{x: x \in A \text{ but } x \notin B\}.$$

Silly, $B-A = \text{difference of } B \text{ and } A = \{y: y \in B \text{ but } y \notin A\}$

Ex :- $A = \{1,2,3,4,5\}, B = \{2,4,5,6,7,8,9\}$

$A-B = \{1,3\}, B-A = \{6,7,8,9\}$

Moreover $A-B = A - (A \cap B)$

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

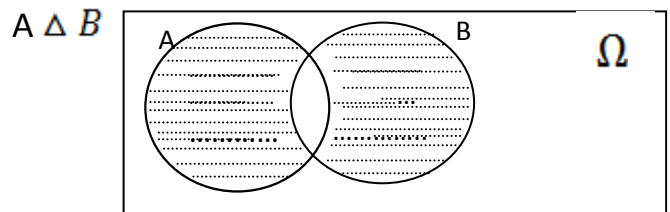
(Symmetric Difference of two sets):-

Let A and B are two sets. Now the symmetric difference of A and B denoted by

$A \Delta B$ is defined as $A \Delta B = \{x : x \in (A - B) \text{ or } x \in (B - A)\}$

That is $A \Delta B = (A - B) \cup (B - A)$

Pictorially,

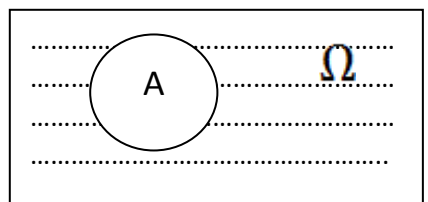


(Complementary set or complement of a set) :-

Let A be a set and Ω be the universal set now the complement of A denoted by

A^c OR A' is defined as $A^c = \Omega - A = \{x: x \in \Omega \text{ but } x \notin A\}$

Pictorially, A^c



(Union of sets) :- Let A and B be the two sets then the union of A and B

denoted by $A \cup B$ is defined as $A \cup B = \{x : x \in A \text{ or } x \in B\}$.

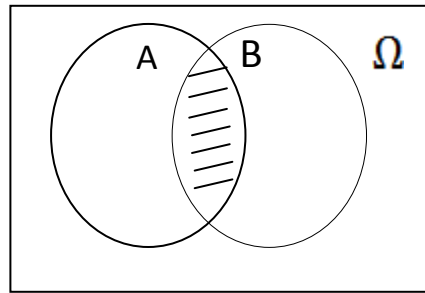
Silly $A \cup B \cup C \dots \dots \dots \cup Z = \{x: x \in A \text{ or } x \in B \text{ or } \dots \dots \dots \text{ or } x \in Z\}$.

Ex:-1. $A = \{a, e\}, B = \{b, x, d, e\}$

$A \cup B = \{a, b, c, d, e\}$

(Intersection of sets) :- Let A and B be the sets. Now the intersection of A and B denoted by $A \cap B \cap C \cap \dots \cap Z = \{x: x \in A \text{ and } x \in B \text{ and } \dots \dots x \in Z\}$

Pictorially . $A \cap B$



(Indexed Family of sets) :- Let I be a fixed but arbitrary non-empty set with member $i \in I$ and let there be defined a set $A_i, \forall i \in I$, then the family of sets A_i is called an indexed family of sets and the set I is called an indexed set. Symbolically indexed family of sets can be written as $\{A_i : i \in I\}$ or $\{A_i\}_{i \in I}$ where $I \subseteq \mathbb{N}$ (i.e. I is the subset of set of natural number \mathbb{N})

(Union and intersection of indexed family of sets):- Let $\{A_i : i \in I (\subseteq \mathbb{N})\}$ be an indexed family of subsets of a universal set Ω . Then the union of family of sets is denoted by $\bigcup_{i \in I} A_i = \{x: x \in A_i \text{ for at least one } i \in I\}$

The intersection of the family of the sets is denoted by $\bigcap_{i \in I} A_i$ and is defined as

$$\bigcap_{i \in I} A_i = \{x: x \in A_i \text{ for all } i \in I\}.$$

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Programme -02 for B.Sc (Hons) Part-1

Generalised form of De Morgan's Laws:-

The general form of De Morgan's Laws are given as the followings:-

1. $\left(\bigcup_{i \in I} A_i\right)^c = \bigcap_{i \in I} A_i^c$

That is the employment of the union of sets is the union of their complements.

Prof :- Let $x \in \left(\bigcup_{i \in I} A_i\right)^c$. That is

$$x \in (A_1 \cup A_2 \cup A_3)^c$$

$$\Rightarrow x \notin (A_1 \cup A_2 \cup A_3 \dots \dots \dots)$$

$$\Rightarrow x \notin A_1 \text{ and } x \notin A_2 \text{ and } x \notin A_3$$

$$\Rightarrow x \in A_1^c \text{ and } x \in A_2^c \text{ and } x \in A_3^c \dots \dots \dots$$

$$\Rightarrow x \in (A_1^c \cap A_2^c \cap A_3^c \dots \dots \dots)$$

$$\Rightarrow x \in \left(\bigcup_{i \in I} A_i\right)^c$$

So by the definition of subset, we can write

$$\left(\bigcup_{i \in I} A_i\right)^c \subseteq \left(\bigcup_{i \in I} A_i\right)^c \dots \dots \dots \text{(i)}$$

Again, let $y \in \left(\bigcap_{i \in I} A_i^c\right)$.

$$\Rightarrow y \in (A_1^c \cap A_2^c \cap A_3^c \dots \dots \dots)$$

$$\Rightarrow y \in A_1^c \text{ and } y \in A_2^c \text{ and } y \in A_3^c \dots \dots \dots$$

$$\Rightarrow y \notin A_1 \text{ and } y \notin A_2 \text{ and } y \notin A_3 \dots \dots \dots$$

$$\Rightarrow y \notin (A_1 \cup A_2 \cup A_3 \dots \dots \dots)$$

$$\Rightarrow y \notin \left(\bigcup_{i \in I} A_i\right) \Rightarrow y \in \left(\bigcup_{i \in I} A_i\right)^c$$

$$\text{SO, } \left(\bigcap_{i \in I} A_i^c\right) \subseteq \left(\bigcup_{i \in I} A_i\right)^c \dots \dots \dots \text{(ii)}$$

From (i) and (ii), $\left(\bigcup_{i \in I} A_i\right)^c = \bigcap_{i \in I} A_i^c$. Hence the proof.

2. To $\left(\bigcap_{i \in I} A_i\right)^c = \bigcup_{i \in I} A_i^c; I \subseteq IN$.

Let $x \in \left(\bigcap_{i \in I} A_i\right)^c$. That is

$$x \in (A_1 \cap A_2 \cap A_3 \dots\dots\dots)^c.$$

$$\Rightarrow x \notin (A_1 \cup A_2 \cup A_3 \dots\dots\dots)$$

$$\Rightarrow x \notin (A_1 \text{ or } x \notin A_2 \text{ or } x \notin A_3 \dots\dots\dots)$$

$$\Rightarrow x \in A_1^c \text{ or } x \in A_2^c \text{ or } x \in A_3^c \dots\dots\dots$$

$$\Rightarrow x \in (A_1^c \cup A_2^c \cup A_3^c \dots\dots\dots)$$

$$\Rightarrow x \in \left(\bigcap_{i \in I} A_i\right)^c \Rightarrow \left(\bigcap_{i \in I} A_i\right)^c \subseteq \left(\bigcup_{i \in I} A_i^c\right) \dots\dots\dots (i)$$

Again, Let $y \in \bigcap_{i \in I} A_i^c$

$$\Rightarrow y \in (A_1^c \cup A_2^c \cup A_3^c \dots\dots\dots)$$

$$\Rightarrow y \in A_1^c \text{ or } y \in A_2^c \text{ or } A_3^c \text{ or}$$

$$\Rightarrow y \notin A_1 \text{ or } y \notin A_2 \text{ or } y \notin A_3 \text{ or}$$

$$\Rightarrow y \notin (A_1 \cap A_2 \cap A_3 \cap \dots\dots\dots)$$

$$\Rightarrow y \in (A_1 \cap A_2 \cap A_3 \cap \dots\dots\dots)^c$$

$$\Rightarrow y \in \left(\bigcap_{i \in I} A_i\right)^c$$

So, $\left(\bigcup_{i \in I} A_i^c\right) \subseteq \left(\bigcap_{i \in I} A_i\right)^c \dots\dots\dots (ii)$

Therefore, by the definition of equality of sets, from (i) and (ii), we get

$$\left(\bigcap_{i \in I} A_i\right)^c = \bigcup_{i \in I} A_i^c. \text{ Hence the proof.}$$

(Second form of De Morgan's Law) :-

Let A, B, X be the three sets. Then

1. $X - (A \cup B) = (X - A) \cap (X - B)$

2. $X - (A \cap B) = (X - A) \cup (X - B)$

Proof - Let $x \in X - (A \cup B)$

$$\begin{aligned} &\Rightarrow x \in X \text{ and } x \notin (A \cup B). \\ &\Rightarrow x \in X \text{ and } (x \notin A \text{ and } x \notin B). \\ &\Rightarrow (x \in X \text{ and } x \notin A) \text{ and } (x \in X \text{ and } x \notin B) \\ &\Rightarrow x \in (X - A) \cap (X - B) \end{aligned}$$

So, by the definition of subset, we can write

$$X - (A \cup B) \subseteq (X - A) \cap (X - B) \dots \dots \dots (i)$$

Again, let $y \in (X - A) \cap (X - B)$

$$\begin{aligned} &\Rightarrow y \in (X - A) \text{ and } y \in (X - B) \\ &\Rightarrow (y \in X \text{ and } y \notin A) \text{ and } (y \in X \text{ and } y \notin B) \\ &\Rightarrow y \in X \text{ and } (y \notin A) \text{ and } (y \notin B) \\ &\Rightarrow y \in X \text{ and } y \notin (A \cup B) \\ &\Rightarrow y \in X - (A \cup B) \\ &\Rightarrow (X - A) \cap (X - B) \subseteq (X - A \cup B) \dots \dots \dots (ii) \end{aligned}$$

From (i) and (ii), and by the definition of equality of sets, we have

$$X - (A \cup B) = (X - A) \cap (X - B). \text{ Hence the proof.}$$

Proof of (2) Let $x \in (X - A \cap B)$.

$$\begin{aligned} &\Rightarrow x \in X \text{ and } x \notin (A \cap B) \\ &\Rightarrow x \in X \text{ and } (x \notin A \text{ or } x \notin B) \\ &\Rightarrow (x \in X \text{ and } x \notin A) \text{ or } (x \in X \text{ and } x \notin B) \\ &\Rightarrow x \in (X - A) \text{ or } x \in (X - B) \\ &\Rightarrow x \in (X - A) \cup (X - B) \end{aligned}$$

Therefore, by the definition of subset, we can write,

$$X - (A \cap B) \subseteq (X - A) \cup (X - B) \dots \dots \dots (i)$$

Again, let $y \in (X - A) \cup (X - B)$

$$\begin{aligned} &\Rightarrow y \in (X - A) \text{ or } y \in (X - B) \\ &\Rightarrow (y \in X \text{ and } (y \notin A)) \text{ or } (y \in X \text{ and } y \notin B) \\ &\Rightarrow y \in X \text{ and } (y \notin (A \cap B)) \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow y \in X - (A \cap B) \dots\dots\dots (ii)$$

From (i) and (ii) , and by the definition of equality of sets, we have,

$$X - (A \cap B) = (X - A) \cup (X - B) \text{ Hence the proof.}$$

Theorem 1: If $\{A_i; i \in I\}$ be an indexed family of subsets of the universal set Ω , then the general distributive laws are given as : –

$$(i) B \cup \left(\bigcap_{i \in I} A_i \right) = \bigcap_{i \in I} (B \cup A_i)$$

$$(ii) B \cap \left(\bigcup_{i \in I} A_i \right) = \bigcup_{i \in I} (B \cap A_i)$$

Proof of (i) :- Let $x \in B \cup \left(\bigcap_{i \in I} A_i \right)$

$$\Rightarrow x \in B \text{ or } x \in \left(\bigcap_{i \in I} A_i \right) \text{ for } i \in I$$

$$\Rightarrow x \in B \cup A_i \quad \forall i \in I$$

$$\Rightarrow x \in \bigcap_{i \in I} (B \cup A_i) \Rightarrow$$

So, by the definition of subset, we can write

$$B \cup \left(\bigcap_{i \in I} A_i \right) \subseteq \bigcap_{i \in I} (B \cup A_i) \dots\dots\dots (i)$$

Similarly we can prove that

$$\bigcap_{i \in I} (B \cup A_i) \subseteq B \cup \left(\bigcap_{i \in I} A_i \right) \dots\dots\dots (ii)$$

From (i) & (ii), and by the definition of equality of sets, we have

$$B \cup \left(\bigcap_{i \in I} A_i \right) \subseteq \bigcap_{i \in I} (B \cup A_i) \text{ Proved.}$$

(ii) Let $x \in B \cap \left(\bigcup_{i \in I} A_i \right)$.

$$\Rightarrow x \in B \text{ and } (x \in A_i, \text{ for at least one } i \in I)$$

$$\Rightarrow (x \in B \text{ and } x \in A_i), \text{ for at least one } i \in I$$

$$\Rightarrow x \in (B \cap A_i), \text{ for at least one } i \in I$$

$$\Rightarrow x \in \bigcup_i (B \cap A_i),$$

So, $B \cap \left(\bigcup_{i \in I} A_i \right) \subseteq \bigcup_{i \in I} (B \cap A_i) \dots\dots\dots (1)$

Slly $\bigcup_{i \in I} (B \cap A_i) \subseteq B \cap \left(\bigcup_{i \in I} A_i \right) \dots\dots\dots (2)$

From (1) & (2), $B \cap \left(\bigcup_{i \in I} A_i \right) = \bigcup_{i \in I} (B \cap A_i)$. Proved .

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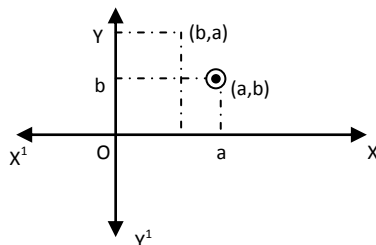
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Programme -03 for B.Sc (Hons) Part-1

Cartesian Product of SETS

(Ordered Pair) :- Let a and b be the two real numbers. Then the ordered pair of a and b denoted by (a,b) is a composition of x-co-ordinate and Y-co-ordinate.

Generally (a,b) \neq (b, a). Since (a,b) and (b,a) are two different points in the plane.



It is very clear that (a,b)=(c,d) if a=c and b=d. ordered pair is also called 2-tuples.

(Cartesian Product) :- Let A and B are the two sets. Then the Cartesian product of A and B are the two sets. Then the Cartesian product of A and B denoted. By (A × B) is defined as $A \times B = \{(a, b) : a \in A, b \in B\}$.

Similarly , $B \times A =$ Cartesian product of B and A = $\{(b, a): b \in B \text{ and } a \in A\}$

Clearly (A × B) \neq (B × A).

Ex.1. Let $A = \{1,2\}, B = \{2,3,4\}, C = \{5,6\}$.

Then (i) $A \times B = \{1,2\} \times \{2,3,4\} = \{(1,2), (1,3), (1,4), (2,1), (2,3), (2,4)\}$.

$$(ii) A \times C = \{1,2\} \times \{5,6\} = \{(1,5), (1,6), (2,5), (2,6)\}.$$

$$(iii) (A \cap B) \times C = \{2\} \times \{5,6\} = \{(2,5), (2,6)\}$$

Theorems On Cartesian Product.

Theorem 1 :- If A,B and C be the three sets,

$$\text{Then (i) } A \times (B \cup C) = (A \times B) \cup (A \times C).$$

$$(ii) A \times (B \cap C) = (A \times B) \cap (A \times C).$$

Proof : (i) Let $(x, y) \in A \times (B \cup C)$ be any element.

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

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

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

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

Therefore by the definition of subset, we have

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

Similarly we can show that

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

From (i) and (ii), and by the definition of equality of sets, we have

$$A \times (B \cup C) = (A \times B) \cup (A \times C). \text{ Proved.}$$

(ii) Let $(x, y) \in A \times (B \cap C)$ by any element.

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

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

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

$$\Rightarrow (x, y) \in (A \times B) \text{ and } (x, y) \in (A \times C).$$

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

Therefore by the definition of subset, we have

$$A \times (B \cap C) \subseteq (A \times B) \cap (A \times C) \dots\dots\dots (1)$$

Similarly, we can prove that,

$$(A \times B) \cap (A \times C) \subseteq A \times (B \cap C) \dots\dots\dots (2)$$

Now from (1) and (2), and by the def in of equality of sets, we have

$$A \times (B \cap C) = (A \times B) \cap (A \times C) \text{ Hence the proof.}$$

Theorem 2:- If A,B,C and D be the form sets, then

$$(A \times B) \cap (C \times D) = (A \cap C) \times (B \cap D).$$

Proof:- Let $(x, y) \in (A \times B) \cap (C \times D)$ be any element.

- $\Rightarrow (x, y) \in (A \times B) \text{ and } (x, y) \in (C \times D).$
- $\Rightarrow x \in A \text{ and } y \in B \text{ and } x \in c \text{ and } y \in D)$
- $\Rightarrow (x \in A \text{ and } x \in C) \text{ and } (Y \in B \text{ and } Y \in D)$
- $\Rightarrow x \in (A \cap C) \text{ and } y \in (B \cap D).$
- $\Rightarrow (x, y) \in (A \cap C) \times (B \cap D).$
- $\Rightarrow (x, y) \in (A \cap C) \times (B \cap D).$

Therefore, by the definition of subset, we have

$$(A \times B) \cap (C \times D) \subseteq (A \cap C) \times (B \cap D) \dots\dots\dots (1)$$

Similarly, we can also prove, that

$$(A \cap C) \times (B \cap D) \subseteq (A \times B) \cap (C \times D) \dots\dots\dots (2)$$

From (1) and (2), and by the equality of sets, we have

$$(A \times B) \cap (C \times D) = (A \cap C) \times (B \cap D) \text{ Hence the proof.}$$

Theorem -3 :- If A,B,C be the three sets, then $(A-B) \times C = (A \times C) - (B \times C).$

Proof:- Let $\Rightarrow (x, y) \in (A - B) \times C$ be any element.

- $\Rightarrow x \in (A - B) \text{ and } y \in C$
- $\Rightarrow (x \in A \text{ and } x \notin B) \text{ and } y \in C.$
- $\Rightarrow (x \in A \text{ and } y \in C) \text{ and } (x \notin B \text{ and } y \in C)$

$$\Rightarrow (x, y) \in (A \times C) \text{ and } (x, y) \notin (B \times C)$$

$$\Rightarrow (x, y) \in (A \times C) - (B \times C)$$

So, by the definition of subset, we have

$$(A - B) \times C \subseteq (A \times C) - (B \times C) \dots\dots\dots (1)$$

Similarly, we can prove that

$$(A \times C) - (B \times C) \subseteq (A - B) \times C \dots\dots\dots (2)$$

Now, from (1) and (2), and by the equality of sets, we have

$$(A - B) \times C = (A \times C) - (B \times C). \text{ Proved}$$

Theorem 4: Let A,B,C,D be the four sets, then

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

Proof :- Let $(x, y) \in (A \cup B) \times (C \cup D)$ be any element,

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

$$\Rightarrow (x \in A \text{ or } x \in B) \text{ and } (y \in C \text{ or } y \in D)$$

$$\Rightarrow (x \in A \text{ or } y \in C) \text{ or } (x \in B \text{ and } y \in D) \text{ or } (x \in A \text{ and } y \in D)$$

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

$$\Rightarrow (x, y) \in (A \times C) \text{ or } (x, y) \in (B \times D) \text{ or } (x, y) \in (A \times D) \text{ or } (x, y) \in (B \times C)$$

$$\Rightarrow (x, y) \in (A \times C) \text{ or } (x, y) \in (B \times D) \text{ or } (x, y) \in (A \times D) \text{ or } (x, y) \in (B \times C).$$

So, by the definition of subset, we have

$$(A \cup B) \times (C \cup D) \subseteq (A \times C) \cup (B \times D) \cup (A \times D) \cup (B \times C) \dots\dots\dots (1)$$

Similarly, we can also show that

$$(A \times C) \cup (B \times D) \cup (A \times D) \cup (B \times C) \subseteq (A \cup B) \times (C \cup D) \dots\dots\dots (2)$$

From (1) and (2) and the definition of equality of sets, we have

$$(A \cup B) \times (C \cup D) = (A \times C) \cup (B \times D) \cup (A \times D) \cup (B \times C) \text{ Hence the Proof.}$$

Theorem 5. For any sets A,B and C.

$$C \times (A - B) = (C \times A) - (C \times B).$$

Proof: - It can be proved in the similar way as the proof the Theorem 3.