

Class test 2 Solution

1. R is not a partial order because R is not anti-symmetric. $M[3, 2]$ and $M[2, 3]$ are both 1.
2. (a) For the first part $R = \{\text{any non-empty subset of } \{(a,a), (b,b), (c,c), (d,d), (e,e)\}\}$ will suffice.

(b) For a relation to be symmetric, when $a \neq b$, if (a,b) belongs to R, then we MUST have (b,a) belongs to R. So, in creating a symmetric relation R, of the 20 ordered pairs of the form (a,b) with $a \neq b$, we can REALLY only choose whether $C(5,2) = 10$ of them are in the relation or not. This can be done in 2^{10} ways. Furthermore, we have a choice as to whether any of the ordered pairs of the form (a,a) are in the relation. There are 5 such ordered pairs. So, we have 2^5 choices here. Multiplying these, we find that there are a total of $2^{10} \times 2^5 = 2^{15} = 32768$ total symmetric relations.

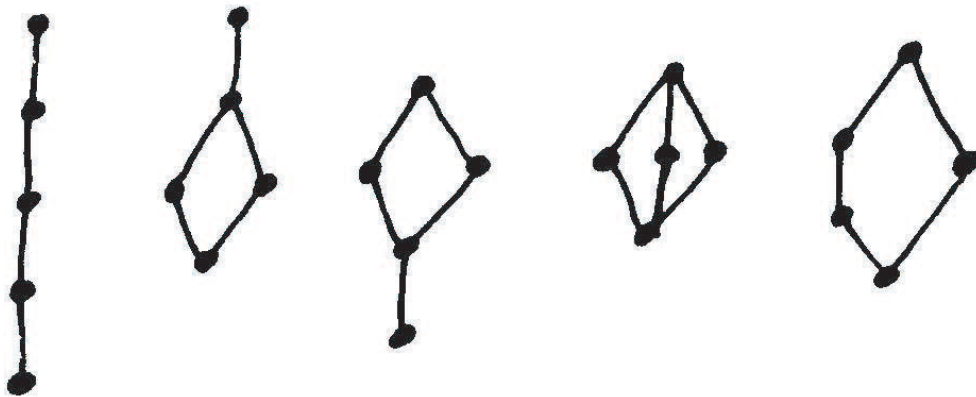
3. (a) Note that foo multiplies n by itself m times, so we get:

$$\text{foo}(n, m) = n^m$$

- (b) The inner loop of bar runs $n + 1$ times, and each time it adds another call to $\text{foo}(n, 3)$, which we know is n^3 . Thus we have the following:

$$\sum_{i=0}^n n^3 = (n+1)n^3$$

4. (a) No and No. Two elements map to c . No element maps to element a in B.
 - (b) No. LUB(b, c) does not exist.
- 5.



6. Let $a, b \in G$. Then $1 = (ab)^2 = (ab)(ab)$ shows that $e = abab$. Multiplying both sides of this equation on the left by a and on the right by b gives $ab = a.1.b = a(abab)b = a^2bab^2 = 1.ba.1 = ba$. Therefore $ab = ba$ which shows that G is abelian.