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**Combining Relations**

# Combining relations via Boolean operators using matrices



Suppose that the relations R1 and R2 on a set A={1,2,3}

$$R1=\{(1,1),(1,3), (2,1),(3,2)\}$$

$$R2=\{(1,1),(1,3),(2,2),(2,3),(3,1)\}$$

Find  $R1 \cup R2$ ,  $R1 \cap R2$

Solution:

$$M_{R_1} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \quad M_{R_2} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$M_{R_1 \cup R_2} = M_{R_1} \vee M_{R_2} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \vee 1 & 0 \vee 0 & 1 \vee 1 \\ 1 \vee 0 & 0 \vee 1 & 0 \vee 1 \\ 0 \vee 1 & 1 \vee 0 & 0 \vee 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow R1 \cup R2 = \{(1,1),(1,3),(2,1),(2,2),(2,3),(3,1),(3,2)\}$$

$$M_{R_1 \cap R_2} = M_{R_1} \wedge M_{R_2} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \wedge 1 & 0 \wedge 0 & 1 \wedge 1 \\ 1 \wedge 0 & 0 \wedge 1 & 0 \wedge 1 \\ 0 \wedge 1 & 1 \wedge 0 & 0 \wedge 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow R1 \cap R2 = \{(1,1),(1,3)\}$$

## Combining relations via relation Composition using matrices



Exercise: Suppose that the relations S and R on a set A={1,2,3},

$$R=\{(1,1),(1,3), (2,1),(2,2)\}$$

$$S=\{(1,2),(2,3),(3,1),(3,3)\}$$

Find  $S \circ R$

Solution:

$$M_R = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \quad M_S = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$M_{S \circ R} = M_R \odot M_S = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$S \circ R = \{(1,1),(1,2),(1,3),(2,2),(2,3)\}$$

Note:

$$\mathbf{M}_R = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{and} \quad \mathbf{M}_S = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}.$$

$$1 = (1 \wedge 0) \vee (0 \wedge 0) \vee (1 \wedge 1)$$

## Combining relations using matrices

Let  $R_1$  and  $R_2$  be relations on a set  $A$  represented by the matrices

$$\mathbf{M}_{R_1} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{and} \quad \mathbf{M}_{R_2} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}.$$

Find the matrices that represent

- a)  $R_1 \cup R_2$ .
- b)  $R_1 \cap R_2$ .
- c)  $R_2 \circ R_1$ .
- d)  $R_1 \circ R_1$ .

**Solution:**

$$M_{R_1 \cup R_2} = M_{R_1} \vee M_{R_2} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$M_{R_1 \cap R_2} = M_{R_1} \wedge M_{R_2} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$M_{R_2 \circ R_1} = M_{R_1} \odot M_{R_2} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$M_{R_1 \circ R_1} = M_{R_1} \odot M_{R_1} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$