

CC484 - Constraint Satisfaction Problem

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Exercises



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x_1	x_2	x_3
a	b	c
b	b	c
c	b	c
c	b	s

(a)

x_1	x_2	x_3
b	b	c
c	b	c
c	n	n

(b)

x_2	x_3	x_4
a	a	1
b	c	2
b	c	3

(c)

Figure 1: Three relations: (a) relation R , (b) relation R' and (c) relation R'' .

Exercises

1. Let $A = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 6\}$ and $B = \{2, 1, 3, 5, 7\}$.
 - (a) Compute $A \cup B$
 - (b) Compute $A \cap B$
2. Let $D_1 = \{\text{black, green}\}$ and $D_2 = \{\text{apple juice, coffee, tea}\}$.
 - (a) Write the Cartesian product $D_1 \times D_2$.
 - (b) Given $R_1 = \{(x_1, x_2) \mid x_1 \in D_1, x_2 \in D_2, \text{ and } x_1 \text{ is before } x_2 \text{ in dictionary ordering}\}$. Write R_1 .
3. Let $R_1 = \{(a, b), (c, d), (d, e)\}$ and $R_2 = \{(b, c), (e, a), (b, d)\}$.
 - (a) Compute $R_2 \cup R_1$
 - (b) Compute $R_1 \cap R_2$
4. Let the relations R , R' and R'' be as shown in Figure 1.
 - (a) Compute $(\sigma_{x_3=c}(R'))$
 - (b) Compute $(\pi_{\{x_2, x_3\}}(R'))$.
 - (c) Compute $R' \bowtie R''$.

x_1	x_2	x_3
b	b	c
c	b	c

(a)

x_2	x_3
b	c
n	n

(b)

x_1	x_2	x_3	x_4
b	b	c	2
b	b	c	3
c	b	c	2
c	b	c	3

(c)

Figure 2: Answer for (a) selection, (b) projection and (c) join.

Answers

- Let $A = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 6\}$ and $B = \{2, 1, 3, 5, 7\}$.
 - $A \cup B = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7\}$
 - $A \cap B = \{1, 2, 3\}$
- Let $D_1 = \{\text{black, green}\}$ and $D_2 = \{\text{apple juice, coffee, tea}\}$.
 - $D_1 \times D_2 = \{(\text{black, apple juice}), (\text{black, coffee}), (\text{black, tea}), (\text{green, apple juice}), (\text{green, coffee}), (\text{green, tea})\}$
 - $R_1 = \{(\text{black, coffee}), (\text{black, tea}), (\text{green, tea})\}$
- $R_2 \cup R_1 = \{(a, b), (c, d), (d, e), (b, c), (e, a), (b, d)\}$
 - \emptyset
- Refer to Figure 2.