

Foundations of mathematics – week 9

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Exercises

1. Is it always true that

$$\bigcup_{i \in I} (A_i \cap B_i) = \bigcup_{i \in I} \bigcup_{j \in I} (A_i \cap B_j)?$$

2. Let $A_{n,m} = \{x \in \mathbb{R} \mid \frac{n-1}{m+1} \leq x < n+m\}$. Find $\bigcup_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \bigcap_{m \in \mathbb{N}} A_{n,m}$ and $\bigcap_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \bigcup_{m \in \mathbb{N}} A_{n,m}$.

3. Which of the following equalities hold for arbitrary set $A_{t,s}$ where $t \in T$, $s \in S$

(a) $\bigcup_{t \in T} \prod_{s \in S} A_{t,s} = \prod_{s \in S} \bigcup_{t \in T} A_{t,s}$?

4. The function $F : P(\mathbb{N})^{\mathbb{N}} \rightarrow P(\mathbb{N})$ is such that

$$F(x) = \bigcup \{x(i) \mid i \in \mathbb{N}\}.$$

(a) Is F injective?

(b) Is F onto $P(\mathbb{N})$?

(c) Does there exist a set $A \subseteq \mathbb{N}$ such that $F^{-1}(\{A\})$ is a singleton?

(d) Does there exist a set $A \subseteq \mathbb{N}$ such that $F^{-1}(\{A\})$ is a four element set?