

CLASS: XI EXERCISE 1.2 CHAPTER - 1 SETS

QNo 1: Which of the following are examples of the null set.

(i) Set of odd natural numbers divisible by 2.

Null set \because There is no odd natural no. divisible by 2

(ii) Set of even prime numbers

$= \{2\}$ which is not Null set

(iii) $\{x; x \text{ is a natural No. } x < 5 \text{ and } x > 7\}$

$= \emptyset$, Null set; No Natural number can be both $x < 5$ and $x > 7$

(iv) $\{y; y \text{ is a point common to any two parallel lines}\}$

$= \emptyset$, Null set \because Parallel lines do not intersect at any point.

QNo 2: Which of following sets are finite or infinite

(i) The set of months of a year.

finite set $\{\because$ There are 12 months in a year

(ii) $\{1, 2, 3, \dots\}$

Infinite set $\{\because$ There are infinite number of Natural Nos.

(iii) $\{1, 2, 3, \dots, 99, 100\}$

Finite set because the set contains 100 natural Nos.

(iv) The set of +ve integers greater than 100

INFINITE SET $\{\because$ there are infinite no. of natural nos > 100

(v) The set of prime numbers less than 99

finite set as there are finite no. of prime

number less than 99. $\{2, 3, 5, 7, \dots, 97\}$

QNo 3: State whether the following set is finite or infinite:

- (i) The set of lines which are parallel to x -axis
 Since infinite number of lines can be drawn parallel to x -axis
 ∴ It is an Infinite set.
- (ii) The set of letters in English alphabet.
 As there are 26 English alphabets, So it is Finite Set.
- (iii) The set of numbers which are multiples of 5.
 $= \{5, 10, 15, \dots\}$ which is an infinite set.
- (iv) The set of animals living on the earth.
 Finite set [∴ finite number of animals live on earth]
- (v) The set of circles passing through the origin.
 Since infinitely many circles can be drawn passing through the origin. Thus it is an Infinite set.

Q No 4: In the following state whether $A = B$

(i) $A = \{a, b, c, d\}$; $B = \{d, c, b, a\}$

Here $A = B$ because in listing members of a set, order of members in set does not matter.

(ii) $A = \{4, 8, 12, 16\}$; $B = \{8, 4, 16, 18\}$

Here $A \neq B$ ∵ $12 \in A$ but $12 \notin B$, $18 \in B$ but $18 \notin A$

(iii) $A = \{2, 4, 6, 8, 10\}$; $B = \{x; x \text{ is even integer and } x \leq 10\}$

Here $A = B$ ∵ A and B are Roster and set-building form of same set.

(iv) $A = \{x; x \text{ is multiple of 10}\}$; $B = \{10, 15, 20, 25, 30, \dots\}$

Here $A \neq B$ ∵ $15, 25, \dots$ do not belong to set A as these are not multiples of 10.

Q No 5 Are the following sets equal? Give reasons.

(i) $A = \{2, 3\}$; $B = \{x; x \text{ is solution of } x^2 + 5x + 6 = 0\}$

Sol. No $A \neq B$

∴ $x^2 + 5x + 6 = 0 \Rightarrow (x+3)(x+2) = 0 \Rightarrow x = -3, -2$

∴ $B = \{-3, -2\}$

But $A = \{2, 3\}$. Hence $A \neq B$.

- (iii) $A = \{x; x \text{ is a letter in word FOLLOW}\}$
 $B = \{y; y \text{ is a letter in word WOLF}\}$

Sol. Yes $A = B$

\therefore Here $A = \{F, O, L, W\}$ and $B = \{W, O, L, F\}$

Since $\forall x \in A, x \in B$ and $\forall x \in B, x \in A \therefore A = B$.

QNo6: From the sets given below, select equal sets.

$$A = \{2, 4, 8, 12\}; B = \{1, 2, 3, 4\}; C = \{4, 8, 12, 14\}$$

$$D = \{3, 1, 4, 2\}; E = \{-1, 1\}; F = \{0, 9\}, G = \{-1\} H = \{0, 1\}$$

Sol. $B = D$ as B and D have same order and some members.

$E = G$ (same reason as above)

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