

# CHAPTER-1

## SET

### SOLVED EXERCISE 1.1

**Q.1:** Write the following sets in descriptive form.

(i)  $A = \{a, e, i, o, u\}$

**Solution:**

A is the set of vowels of the English alphabet.

(ii)  $B = \{3, 6, 9, 12, \dots\}$

**Solution:**

B is the set of multiples of 3.

(iii)  $C = \{s, p, r, i, n, g\}$

**Solution:**

C is the set of letters of the word spring.

(iv)  $D = \{a, b, c, \dots, z\}$

**Solution:**

D is the set of small letters of the English alphabet.

(v)  $E = \{6, 7, 8, 9, 10\}$

**Solution:**

E is the set of natural numbers from 6 to 10.

(vi)  $F = \{0, \pm 1, \pm 2\}$

**Solution:**

F is the set of integers from -2 to 2.

(vii)  $G = \{x | x \in N \wedge x < 3\}$

**Solution:**

G is the set of natural numbers less than 3.

(viii)  $H = \{x | x \in N \wedge x > 99\}$

**Solution:**

H is the set of natural numbers greater than 99.

**Q.2:** Write the following sets in tabular form.

(i)  $A = \text{Letters of the word hockey.}$

**Solution:**

$A = \{h, o, c, k, e, y\}$

(ii)  $B = \text{Two colours in the rainbow.}$

**Solution:**

$B = \{\text{blue, red}\}$

(iii)  $C = \text{Numbers less than 18 and divisible by 3}$

**Solution:**

$C = \{3, 6, 9, 12, 15\}$

(iv)  $D = \text{Multiples of 5 less than } 30$

**Solution:**

$$D = \{5, 10, 15, 20, 25\}$$

(v)  $E = \{x | x \in W \wedge x > 5\}$

**Solution:**

$$E = \{6, 7, 8, 9, \dots\}$$

(vi)  $F = \{x | x \in Z \wedge -7 < x < -1\}$

**Solution:**

$$F = \{-6, -5, -4, -3, -2\}$$

**Q.3: Write the following sets into the set builder form.**

(i)  $A = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5\}$

**Solution:**

$$A = \{x | x \in N \wedge x < 6\}$$

(ii)  $B = \{2, 3, 5, 7\}$

**Solution:**

$$B = \{x | x \text{ is a prime number} < 11\}$$

(iii)  $N = \text{Set of natural numbers}$

**Solution:**

$$N = \{x | x \text{ is a natural number}\}$$

(iv)  $W = \text{Set of whole numbers}$

**Solution:**

$$W = \{x | x \text{ is a whole number}\}$$

(v)  $Z = \text{Set of all integers}$

**Solution:**

$$Z = \{x | x \text{ is an integer}\}$$

(vi)  $L = \{5, 10, 15, 20, \dots\}$

**Solution:**

$$L = \{x | x \text{ is a natural number multiple of 5}\}$$

(vii)  $E = \text{Set of even numbers between 1 and 10.}$

**Solution:**

$$E = \{x | x \text{ is an even number} \wedge 1 < x < 10\}$$

(viii)  $O = \text{Set of odd numbers greater than 15}$

**Solution:**

$$O = \{x | x \text{ is an odd number} \wedge x > 15\}$$

(ix)  $C = \text{Set of planets in the solar system.}$

**Solution:**

$$C = \{x | x \text{ is a planet of the solar system}\}$$

(x)  $S = \text{set of two colours in the rainbow.}$

**Solution:**

$$S = \{x | x \text{ are any two colors in the rainbow}\}$$



## SOLVED EXERCISE 1.2

**Q.1:** Find the union of the following sets.

(i)  $A = \{1, 3, 5\}, B = \{1, 2, 3, 4\}$

**Solution:**

$$A \cup B = \{1, 3, 5\} \cup \{1, 2, 3, 4\} = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5\}$$

(ii)  $S = \{a, b, c\}, T = \{c, d, e\}$

**Solution:**

$$S \cup T = \{a, b, c\} \cup \{c, d, e\} = \{a, b, c, d, e\}$$

(iii)  $X = \{2, 4, 6, 8, 10\}, Y = \{1, 5, 10\}$

**Solution:**

$$X \cup Y = \{2, 4, 6, 8, 10\} \cup \{1, 5, 10\} = \{1, 2, 4, 5, 6, 8, 10\}$$

(iv)  $C = \{i, o, u\}, D = \{a, e, o\}, E = \{i, e, u\}$

**Solution:**

$$C \cup D = \{i, o, u\} \cup \{a, e, o\} = \{a, e, i, o, u\}$$

$$C \cup D \cup E = \{a, e, i, o, u\} \cup \{i, e, u\} = \{a, e, i, o, u\}$$

(v)  $L = \{3, 6, 9, 12\}, M = \{6, 12, 18, 24\}, N = \{4, 8, 12, 16\}$

**Solution:**

$$L \cup M = \{3, 6, 9, 12\} \cup \{6, 12, 18, 24\} = \{3, 6, 9, 12, 18, 24\}$$

$$L \cup M \cup N = \{3, 6, 9, 12, 18, 24\} \cup \{4, 8, 12, 16\} = \{3, 4, 6, 8, 9, 12, 16, 18, 24\}$$

**Q.2:** Find the intersection of the following sets.

(i)  $P = \{0, 1, 2, 3\}, Q = \{-3, -2, -1, 0\}$

**Solution:**

$$P \cap Q = \{0, 1, 2, 3\} \cap \{-3, -2, -1, 0\} = \{0\}$$

(ii)  $M = \{1, 2, \dots, 10\}, N = \{1, 3, 5, 7, 9\}$

**Solution:**

$$M \cap N = \{1, 2, \dots, 10\} \cap \{1, 3, 5, 7, 9\} = \{1, 3, 5, 7, 9\}$$

(iii)  $A = \{3, 6, 9, 12, 15\}, B = \{5, 10, 15, 20\}$

**Solution:**

$$A \cap B = \{3, 6, 9, 12, 15\} \cap \{5, 10, 15, 20\} = \{15\}$$

(iv)  $U = \{-1, -2, -3\}, V = \{1, 2, 3\}, W = \{0, \pm 1, \pm 2\}$

**Solution:**

$$V \cap W = \{1, 2, 3\} \cap \{0, \pm 1, \pm 2\} = \{1, 2\}$$

$$U \cap V \cap W = \{-1, -2, -3\} \cap \{1, 2\} = \{\}$$

(v)  $X = \{a, l, m\}, Y = \{i, s, l, a, m\}, Z = \{l, i, o, n\}$

**Solution:**

$$X \cap Y = \{a, l, m\} \cap \{i, s, l, a, m\} = \{a, l, m\}$$

$$X \cap Y \cap Z = \{a, l, m\} \cap \{l, i, o, n\} = \{l\}$$

3. If  $N$  = set of natural numbers and  $W$  = Set of whole numbers, then find  $N \cup W$  and  $N \cap W$ .

**Solution:**

$$N = \{1, 2, 3, \dots\}, W = \{0, 1, 2, 3, \dots\}$$

$$N \cup W = \{1, 2, 3, \dots\} \cup \{0, 1, 2, 3, \dots\}$$

$$= \{0, 1, 2, 3, \dots\} = W$$

$$= N \cup W = W$$

$$N \cap W = \{1, 2, 3, \dots\} \cap \{0, 1, 2, 3, \dots\}$$

$$= \{1, 2, 3, \dots\} = N$$

$$= N \cap W = N$$

4. If  $P$  = set of prime numbers and  $C$  = set of composite numbers, then find  $P \cup C$  and  $P \cap C$ .

**Solution:**

$$P = \{2, 3, 5, 7, 11, \dots\}, C = \{4, 6, 8, \dots\}$$

$$P \cup C = \{2, 3, 5, 7, 11, \dots\} \cup \{4, 6, 8, \dots\} = \{2, 3, 4, \dots\}$$

$$P \cap C = \{2, 3, 5, 7, 11, \dots\} \cap \{4, 6, 8, \dots\} = \{\}$$

5. If  $A = \{a, c, d, f\}$ ,  $B = \{b, c, f, g\}$  and  $C = \{c, f, g, h\}$ , then find

$$(i) A \cup (B \cup C) \quad (ii) A \cap (B \cap C)$$

**Solution:** (i)  $A \cup (B \cup C)$

$$B \cup C = \{b, c, f, g\} \cup \{c, f, g, h\} = \{b, c, f, g, h\}$$

$$A \cup (B \cup C) = \{a, c, d, f\} \cup \{b, c, f, g, h\} = \{a, b, c, d, f, g, h\}$$

**Solution:** (ii)  $A \cap (B \cap C)$

$$B \cap C = \{b, c, f, g\} \cap \{c, f, g, h\} = \{c, f, g\}$$

$$A \cap (B \cap C) = \{a, c, d, f\} \cap \{c, f, g\} = \{c, f\}$$

6. If  $X = \{1, 2, 3, \dots, 10\}$ ,  $Y = \{2, 4, 6, 8, 12\}$  and  $Z = \{2, 3, 5, 7, 11\}$  then find

$$(i) X \cup (Y \cup Z) \quad (ii) X \cap (Y \cap Z)$$

**Solution:** (i)  $X \cup (Y \cup Z)$

$$Y \cup Z = \{2, 4, 6, 8, 12\} \cup \{2, 3, 5, 7, 11\} = \{2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 11, 12\}$$

$$X \cup (Y \cup Z) = \{1, 2, 3, \dots, 10\} \cup \{2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 11, 12\} = \{1, 2, 3, \dots, 12\}$$

**Solution:** (ii)  $X \cap (Y \cap Z)$

$$Y \cap Z = \{2, 4, 6, 8, 12\} \cap \{2, 3, 5, 7, 11\} = \{2\}$$

$$X \cap (Y \cap Z) = \{1, 2, 3, \dots, 10\} \cap \{2\} = \{2\}$$

7. If  $R = \{0, 1, 2, 3\}$ ,  $S = \{0, 2, 4\}$  and  $T = \{1, 2, 3, 4\}$  then find

$$(i) R \setminus S \quad (ii) T \setminus S \quad (iii) R \setminus T \quad (iv) S \setminus R$$

**Solution:**

$$(i) R \setminus S = R - S = \{0, 1, 2, 3\} - \{0, 2, 4\} = \{1, 3\}$$

$$(ii) T \setminus S = T - S = \{1, 2, 3, 4\} - \{0, 2, 4\} = \{1, 3\}$$

$$(iii) R \setminus T = R - T = \{0, 1, 2, 3\} - \{1, 2, 3, 4\} = \{0\}$$

$$(iv) S \setminus R = S - R = \{0, 2, 4\} - \{0, 1, 2, 3\} = \{4\}$$

### SOLVED EXERCISE 1.3

**1.**

Look at each pair of sets to separate the disjoint and overlapping sets.

- (i)  $A = \{a, b, c, d, e\}$ ,  $B = \{d, e, f, g, h\}$
- (ii)  $L = \{2, 4, 6, 8, 10\}$ ,  $M = \{3, 6, 9, 12\}$
- (iii)  $P$  = set of prime numbers,  $C$  = set of composite numbers
- (iv)  $E$  = set of even numbers,  $O$  = set of odd numbers

**Solution:**

(i) and (ii) are overlapping sets

(iii) and (iv) are disjoint sets

**2.** If  $U = \{1, 2, 3, \dots, 10\}$ ,  $A = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5\}$ ,  $B = \{1, 3, 5, 7, 9\}$ ,  $C = \{2, 4, 6, 8, 10\}$

and  $D = \{3, 4, 5, 6, 7\}$ , then find:

- (i)  $A'$
- (ii)  $B'$
- (iii)  $C'$
- (iv)  $D'$

**Solution:**

- (i)  $A' = U - A = \{1, 2, 3, \dots, 10\} - \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5\} = \{6, 7, 8, 9, 10\}$
- (ii)  $B' = U - B = \{1, 2, 3, \dots, 10\} - \{1, 3, 5, 7, 9\} = \{2, 4, 6, 8, 10\}$
- (iii)  $C' = U - C = \{1, 2, 3, \dots, 10\} - \{2, 4, 6, 8, 10\} = \{1, 3, 5, 7, 9\}$
- (iv)  $D' = U - D = \{1, 2, 3, \dots, 10\} - \{3, 4, 5, 6, 7\} = \{1, 2, 8, 9, 10\}$

**3.** If  $U = \{a, b, c, \dots, i\}$ ,  $X = \{a, c, e, g, i\}$ ,  $Y = \{a, e, i\}$  and  $Z = \{a, g, h\}$ , then find:

- (i)  $X'$
- (ii)  $Y'$
- (iii)  $Z'$
- (iv)  $U'$

**Solution:**

- (ii) (i)  $X' = U - X = \{a, b, c, \dots, i\} - \{a, c, e, g, i\} = \{b, d, f, h\}$
- (iii) (ii)  $Y' = U - Y = \{a, b, c, \dots, i\} - \{a, e, i\} = \{b, c, d, f, g, h\}$
- (iv) (iii)  $Z' = U - Z = \{a, b, c, \dots, i\} - \{a, g, h\} = \{b, c, d, e, f, i\}$
- (v) (iv)  $U' = U - U = \{a, b, c, \dots, i\} - \{a, b, c, \dots, i\} = \{\}$

**4.** If  $U = \{1, 2, 3, \dots, 20\}$ ,  $A = \{1, 3, 5, \dots, 19\}$  and  $B = \{2, 4, 6, \dots, 20\}$ , then prove that:

- (i)  $B' = A$
- (ii)  $A' = B$
- (iii)  $A \setminus B = \emptyset$
- (iv)  $B \setminus A = \emptyset$

**Solution:**

- (i)  $B' = U - B = \{1, 2, 3, \dots, 20\} - \{2, 4, 6, \dots, 20\} = \{1, 3, 5, \dots, 19\} = A$
- (ii)  $A' = U - A = \{1, 2, 3, \dots, 20\} - \{1, 3, 5, \dots, 19\} = \{2, 4, 6, \dots, 20\} = B$
- (iii)  $A \setminus B = A - B = \{1, 3, 5, \dots, 19\} - \{2, 4, 6, \dots, 20\} = \{\}$
- (iv)  $B \setminus A = B - A = \{2, 4, 6, \dots, 20\} - \{1, 3, 5, \dots, 19\} = \{\}$

**5.** If  $U$  = set of integers and  $W$  = set of whole numbers, then find the complement of set  $W$ .

**Solution:**

$$W = \{0, 1, 2, 3, \dots\}, U = \{0, \pm 1, \pm 2, \pm 3, \dots\}$$

$$W' = U - W = \{0, \pm 1, \pm 2, \pm 3, \dots\} - \{0, 1, 2, 3, \dots\} \\ = \{-1, -2, -3, \dots\}$$

6. If  $U$  = set of natural numbers and  $P = \{2, 3, 5, 7, 11, \dots\}$  set of  $w = \{1, 2, 3, 4, \dots\}$  numbers, then find the complement of set  $P$ .

**Solution:**

$$U = \{1, 2, 3, \dots\}, P = \{2, 3, 5, 7, 11, \dots\}$$

$$P' = U - P = \{1, 2, 3, \dots\} - \{2, 3, 5, 7, 11, \dots\} = \{1, 4, 6, 8, 9, 10, 12, \dots\}$$

### SOLVED EXERCISE 1.4

1. If  $A = \{a, e, i, o, u\}$ ,  $B = \{a, b, c\}$  and  $C = \{a, c, e, g\}$ , then verify that:

$$(i) A \cap B = B \cap A \quad (ii) A \cup B = B \cup A$$

$$(iii) B \cup C = C \cup B \quad (iv) B \cap C = C \cap B$$

$$(v) A \cap C = C \cap A \quad (vi) A \cup C = C \cup A$$

$$(i) A \cap B = B \cap A$$

**Solution:**

$$A \cap B = \{a, e, i, o, u\} \cap \{a, b, c\} = \{a\}$$

$$B \cap A = \{a, b, c\} \cap \{a, e, i, o, u\} = \{a\}$$

$$\text{Thus } A \cap B = B \cap A$$

$$(ii) A \cup B = B \cup A$$

**Solution:**

$$A \cup B = \{a, e, i, o, u\} \cup \{a, b, c\} = \{a, b, c, e, i, o, u\}$$

$$B \cup A = \{a, b, c\} \cup \{a, e, i, o, u\} = \{a, b, c, e, i, o, u\}$$

$$\text{Thus } A \cup B = B \cup A$$

$$(iii) B \cup C = C \cup B$$

**Solution:**

$$B \cup C = \{a, b, c\} \cup \{a, c, e, g\} = \{a, b, c, e, g\}$$

$$C \cup B = \{a, c, e, g\} \cup \{a, b, c\} = \{a, b, c, e, g\}$$

$$\text{Thus } B \cup C = C \cup B$$

$$(iv) B \cap C = C \cap B$$

**Solution:**

$$B \cap C = \{a, b, c\} \cap \{a, c, e, g\} = \{a, c\}$$

$$C \cap B = \{a, c, e, g\} \cap \{a, b, c\} = \{a, c\}$$

$$\text{Thus } B \cap C = C \cap B$$

$$(v) A \cap C = C \cap A$$

**Solution:**

$$A \cap C = \{a, e, i, o, u\} \cap \{a, c, e, g\} = \{a, e\}$$

$$C \cap A = \{a, c, e, g\} \cap \{a, e, i, o, u\} = \{a, e\}$$

$$\text{Thus } A \cap C = C \cap A$$

$$(vi) A \cup C = C \cup A$$

**Solution:**

$$A \cup C = \{a, e, i, o, u\} \cup \{a, c, e, g\} = \{a, c, e, i, o, g, u\}$$

$$C \cup A = \{a, c, e, g\} \cup \{a, e, i, o, u\} = \{a, c, e, i, o, g, u\}$$

$$\text{Thus } A \cup C = C \cup A$$

2. If  $X = \{1, 3, 7\}$ ,  $Y = \{2, 3, 5\}$  and  $Z = \{1, 4, 8\}$ , then verify that:

$$(i) X \cap (Y \cap Z) = (X \cap Y) \cap Z$$

**Solution:**

$$X \cap (Y \cap Z) = \{1, 3, 7\} \cap [\{2, 3, 5\} \cap \{1, 4, 8\}] = \{1, 3, 7\} \cap \{\} = \{\}$$

$$(X \cap Y) \cap Z = [\{1, 3, 7\} \cap \{2, 3, 5\}] \cap \{1, 4, 8\} = \{3\} \cap \{1, 4, 8\} = \{\}$$

Thus  $X \cap (Y \cap Z) = (X \cap Y) \cap Z$

$$(ii) X \cup (Y \cup Z) = (X \cup Y) \cup Z$$

**Solution:**

$$X \cup (Y \cup Z) = \{1, 3, 7\} \cup [\{2, 3, 5\} \cup \{1, 4, 8\}] = \{1, 3, 7\} \cup \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 7, 8\}$$

$$(X \cup Y) \cup Z = [\{1, 3, 7\} \cup \{2, 3, 5\}] \cup \{1, 4, 8\} = \{1, 2, 3, 5, 7\} \cup \{1, 4, 8\} = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 7, 8\}$$

Thus  $X \cup (Y \cup Z) = (X \cup Y) \cup Z$

3. If  $S = \{-2, -1, 0, 1\}$ ,  $T = \{-4, -1, 1, 3\}$  and  $U = \{0, \pm 1, \pm 2\}$ , then verify that:

$$(i) S \cap (T \cap U) = (S \cap T) \cap U$$

**Solution:**

$$S \cap (T \cap U) = \{-2, -1, 0, 1\} \cap [\{-4, -1, 1, 3\} \cap \{0, \pm 1, \pm 2\}]$$

$$= \{-2, -1, 0, 1\} \cap \{-1, 1\} = \{-1, 1\}$$

$$(S \cap T) \cap U = [\{-2, -1, 0, 1\} \cap \{-4, -1, 1, 3\}] \cap \{0, \pm 1, \pm 2\}$$

$$= \{-1, 1\} \cap \{0, \pm 1, \pm 2\} = \{-1, 1\}$$

Thus  $S \cap (T \cap U) = (S \cap T) \cap U$

$$(ii) S \cup (T \cup U) = (S \cup T) \cup U$$

**Solution:**

$$S \cup (T \cup U) = \{-2, -1, 0, 1\} \cup [\{-4, -1, 1, 3\} \cup \{0, \pm 1, \pm 2\}]$$

$$= \{-2, -1, 0, 1\} \cup \{0, \pm 1, \pm 2, 3, -4\} = \{0, \pm 1, \pm 2, 3, -4\}$$

$$(S \cup T) \cup U = [\{-2, -1, 0, 1\} \cup \{-4, -1, 1, 3\}] \cup \{0, \pm 1, \pm 2\}$$

$$= \{-4, -2, -1, 0, 1, 3\} \cup \{0, \pm 1, \pm 2\} = \{0, \pm 1, \pm 2, 3, -4\}$$

Thus  $S \cup (T \cup U) = (S \cup T) \cup U$

4. If  $O = \{1, 3, 5, 7, \dots\}$ ,  $E = \{2, 4, 6, 8, \dots\}$  and  $N = [1, 2, 3, 4, \dots]$ , then verify that:

$$(i) O \cap (E \cap N) = (O \cap E) \cap N$$

**Solution:**

$$O \cap (E \cap N) = \{1, 3, 5, 7, \dots\} \cap [\{2, 4, 6, 8, \dots\} \cap \{1, 2, 3, 4, \dots\}]$$

$$= \{1, 3, 5, 7, \dots\} \cap \{2, 4, 6, 8, \dots\} = \{\}$$

$$O \cap E \cap N = [\{1, 3, 5, 7, \dots\} \cap \{2, 4, 6, 8, \dots\}] \cap \{1, 2, 3, 4, \dots\}$$

$$= \{\} \cap \{1, 2, 3, 4, \dots\} = \{\}$$

Thus  $O \cap (E \cap N) = (O \cap E) \cap N$

$$(ii) O \cup (E \cup N) = (O \cup E) \cup N$$

**Solution:**

$$\begin{aligned} O \cup (E \cup N) &= \{1, 3, 5, 7, \dots\} \cup [\{2, 4, 6, 8, \dots\} \cup \{1, 2, 3, 4, \dots\}] \\ &= \{1, 3, 5, 7, \dots\} \cup \{1, 2, 3, 4, \dots\} = \{1, 2, 3, 4, \dots\} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} (O \cup E) \cup N &= [\{1, 3, 5, 7, \dots\} \cup \{2, 4, 6, \dots\}] \cup \{1, 2, 3, 4, \dots\} \\ &= \{1, 2, 3, 4, \dots\} \cup \{1, 2, 3, 4, \dots\} = \{1, 2, 3, 4, \dots\} \end{aligned}$$

Thus  $O \cup (E \cup N) = (O \cup E) \cup N$

5. If  $U = \{a, b, c, \dots, z\}$ ,  $S = \{a, e, i, o, u\}$  and  $T = \{x, y, z\}$ , then verify that:

$$(i) S \cup \phi = S$$

**Solution:**

$$S \cup \phi = \{a, e, i, o, u\} \cup \phi = \{a, e, i, o, u\} = S$$

$$(ii) T \cap U = T$$

**Solution:**

$$T \cap U = \{x, y, z\} \cap \{a, b, c, \dots, z\} = \{x, y, z\} = T$$

$$(iii) S \cap S' = \phi$$

**Solution:**

$$S = \{a, e, i, o, u\}$$

$$S' = U - S = \{a, b, c, \dots, z\} - \{a, e, i, o, u\} = \{b, c, d, f, g, h, j, \dots, n, p, \dots, t, v, \dots, z\}$$

$$S \cap S' = \{a, e, i, o, u\} \cap \{b, c, d, f, g, h, j, \dots, n, p, \dots, t, v, \dots, z\} = \phi$$

$$(iv) T \cup T' = U$$

**Solution:**

$$T = \{x, y, z\}$$

$$T' = U - T = \{a, b, c, \dots, z\} - \{x, y, z\} = \{a, b, c, \dots, w\}$$

$$T \cup T' = \{x, y, z\} \cup \{a, b, c, \dots, w\} = \{a, b, c, \dots, z\} = U$$

6. If  $A = \{1, 7, 9, 11\}$ ,  $B = \{1, 5, 9, 13\}$  and  $C = \{2, 6, 9, 11\}$ , then verify that:

$$(i) A - B \neq B - A$$

**Solution:**

$$A - B = \{1, 7, 9, 11\} - \{1, 5, 9, 13\} = \{7, 11\}$$

$$B - A = \{1, 5, 9, 13\} - \{1, 7, 9, 11\} = \{5, 13\}$$

Hence,  $A - B \neq B - A$

$$(ii) A - C \neq C - A$$

**Solution:**

$$A - C = \{1, 7, 9, 11\} - \{2, 6, 9, 11\} = \{1, 7\}$$

$$C - A = \{2, 6, 9, 11\} - \{1, 7, 9, 11\} = \{2, 6\}$$

Hence,  $A - C \neq C - A$

7. If  $U = \{0, 1, 2, \dots, 15\}$ ,  $L = \{5, 7, 9, \dots, 15\}$  and  $M = \{6, 8, 10, 12, 14\}$ , then verify the clear it with respect to union and intersection of sets.

**Solution:**

$$U = \{0, 1, 2, \dots, 15\}, L = \{5, 7, 9, \dots, 15\}, M = \{6, 8, 10, 12, 14\}$$

**Properties of union:**

$$(i) U \cup L = U$$

$$\text{L.H.S.} = U \cup L$$

$$= \{0, 1, 2, \dots, 15\} \cup \{5, 7, 9, \dots, 15\} = \{0, 1, 2, \dots, 15\} = U = \text{R.H.S.}$$

$$(ii) U \cup M = U$$

$$\text{L.H.S.} = U \cup M$$

$$= \{0, 1, 2, \dots, 15\} \cup \{6, 8, 10, 12, 14\} = \{0, 1, 2, \dots, 15\} = U = \text{R.H.S.}$$

**Properties of Intersection:**

$$(i) U \cap L = L$$

$$\text{L.H.S.} = U \cap L$$

$$= \{0, 1, 2, \dots, 15\} \cap \{5, 7, 9, \dots, 15\} = \{5, 7, 9, \dots, 15\} = L = \text{R.H.S.}$$

$$(ii) U \cap M = M$$

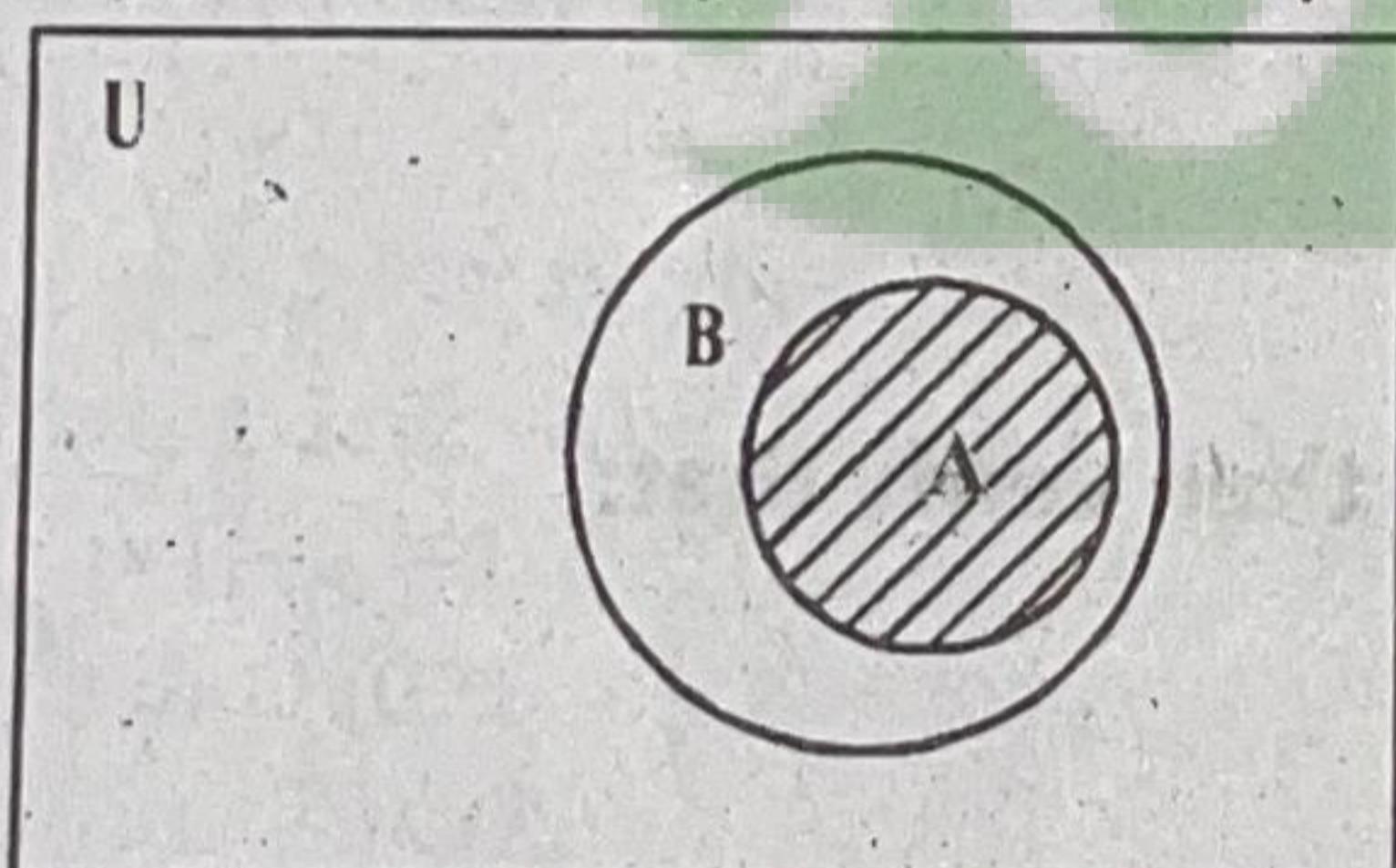
$$\text{L.H.S.} = U \cap M$$

$$= \{0, 1, 2, \dots, 15\} \cap \{6, 8, 10, 12, 14\} = \{6, 8, 10, 12, 14\} = M = \text{R.H.S.}$$

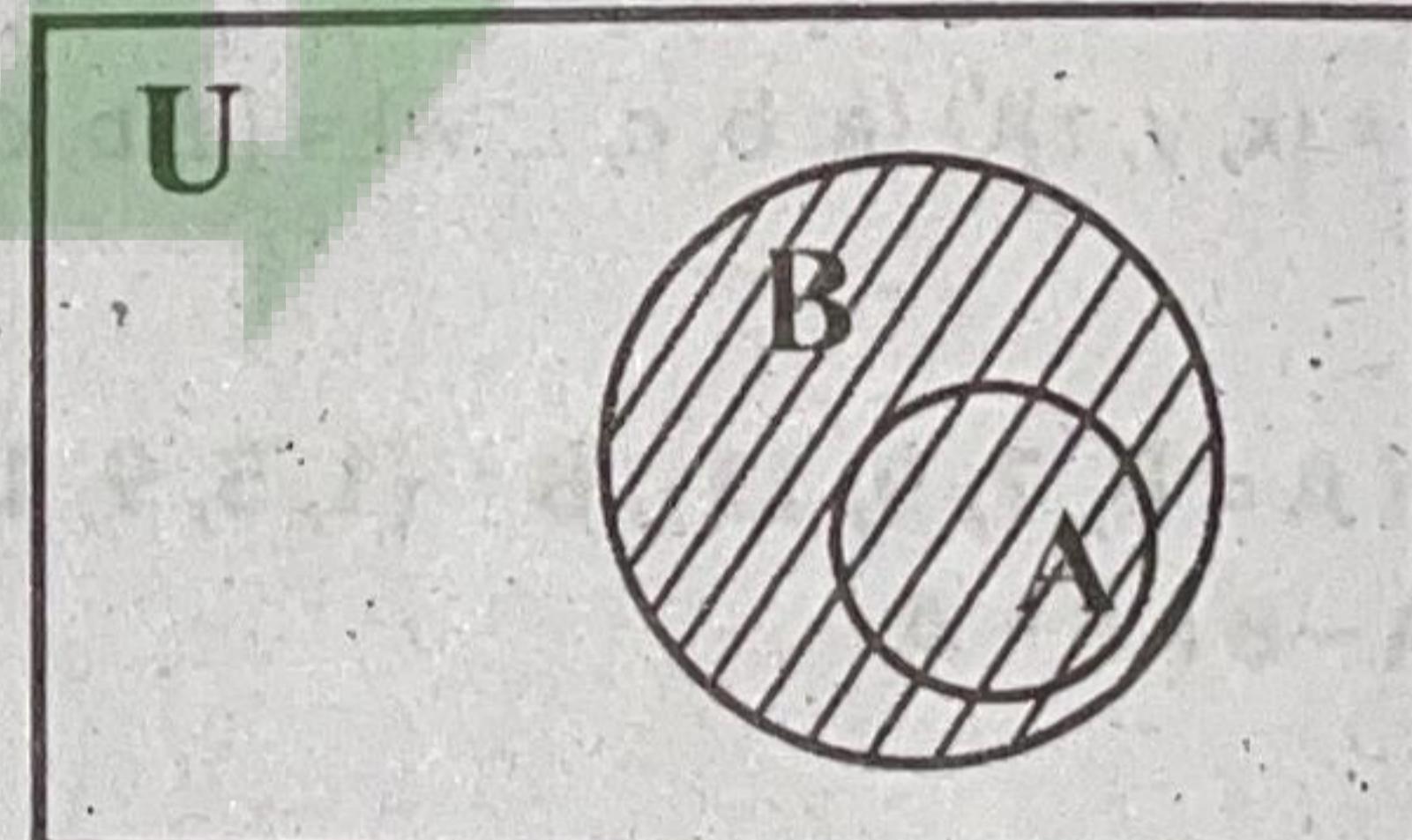
### SOLVED EXERCISE 1.5

1. Shade the diagrams according to the given operations.

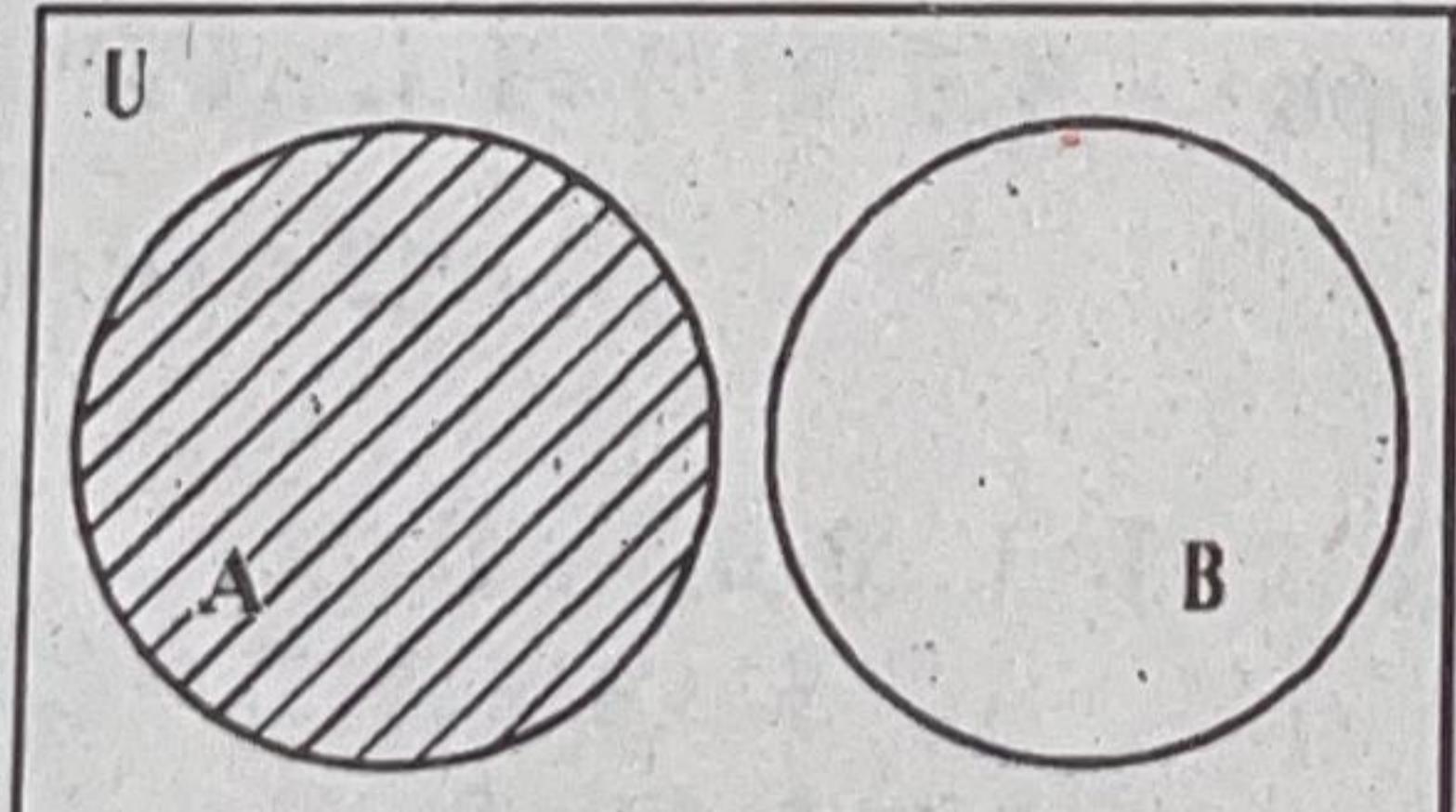
(i)  $A \cap B$  (A is subset of B)



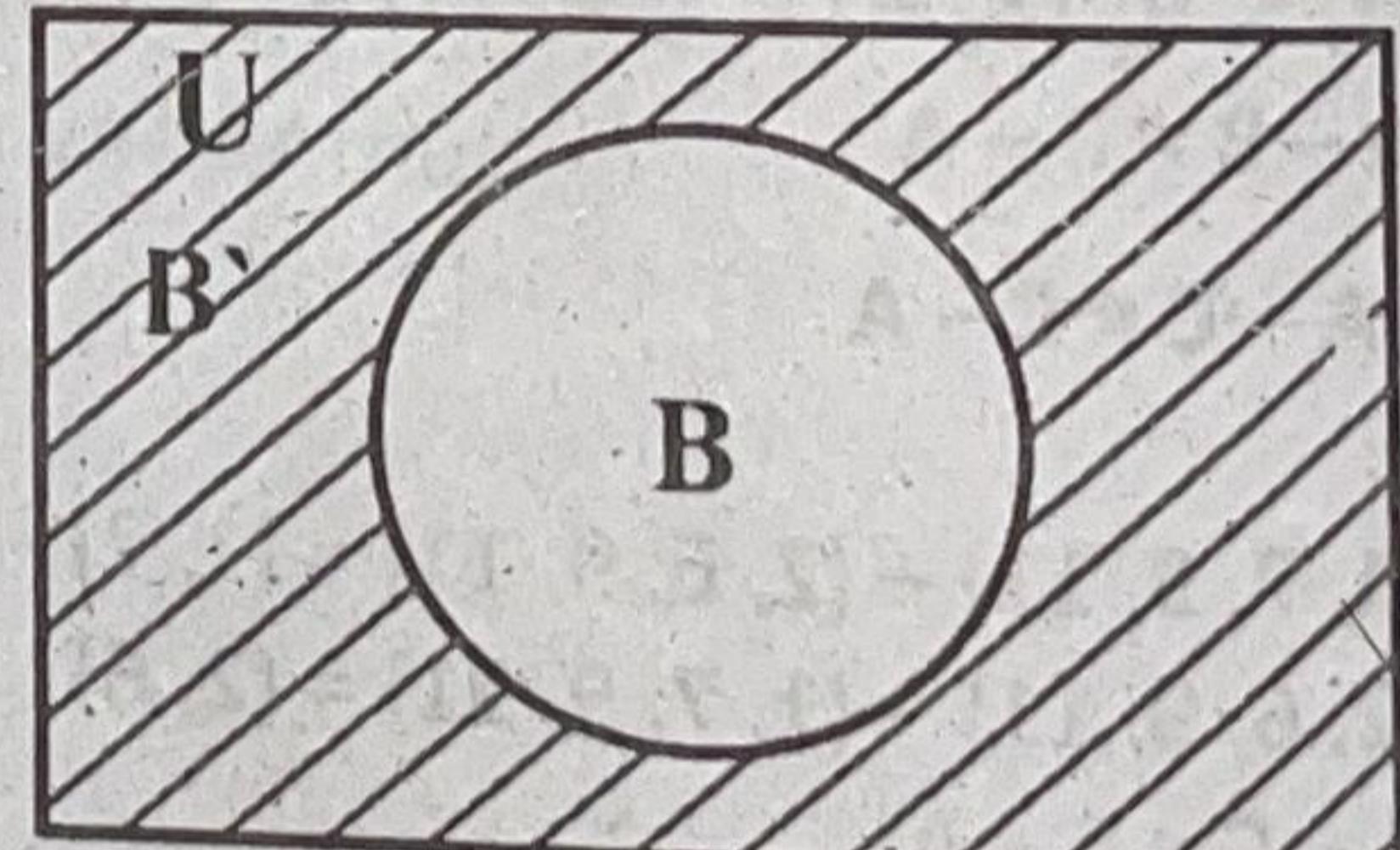
(ii)  $A \cup B$  (A is subset of B)

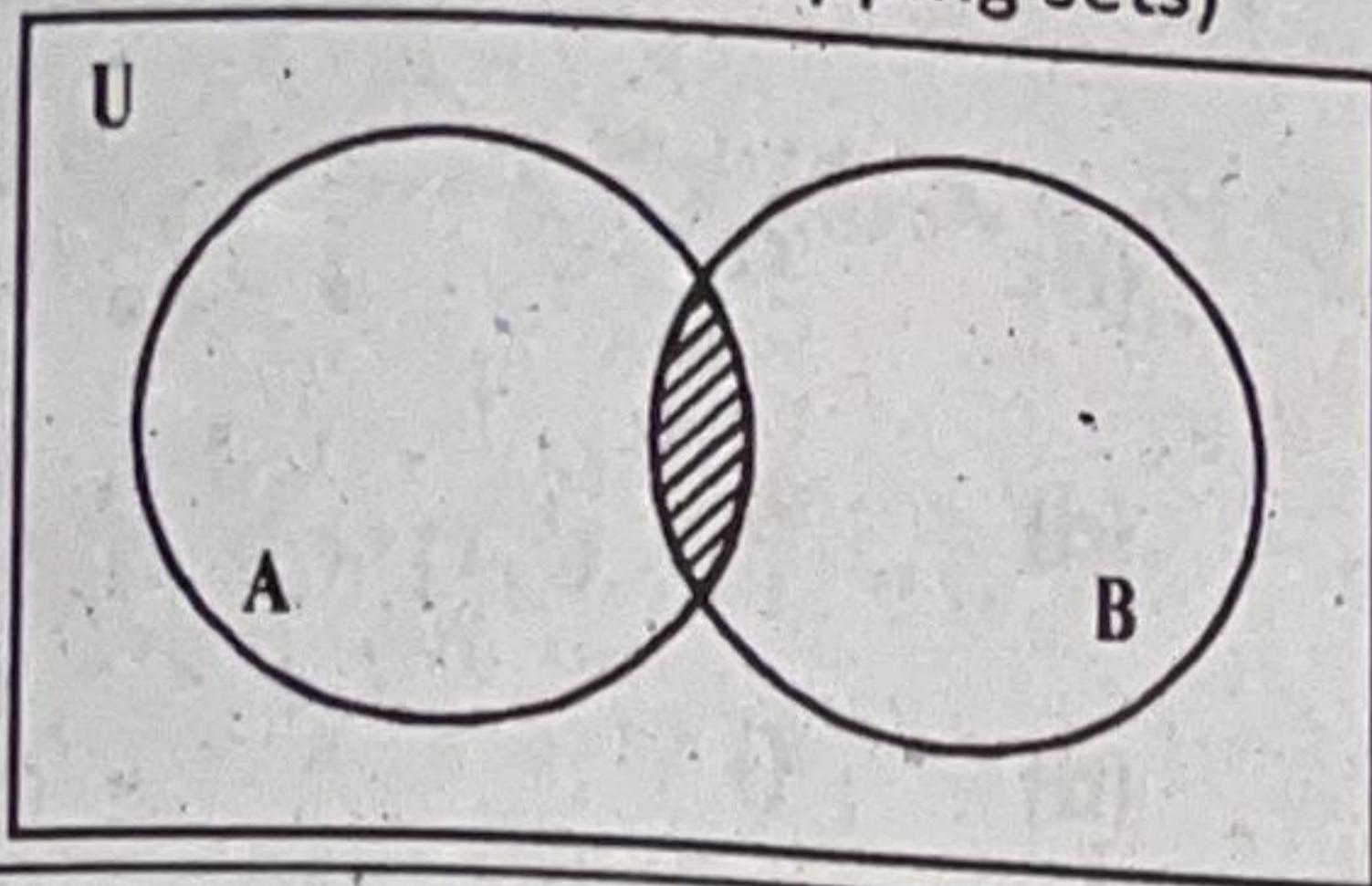
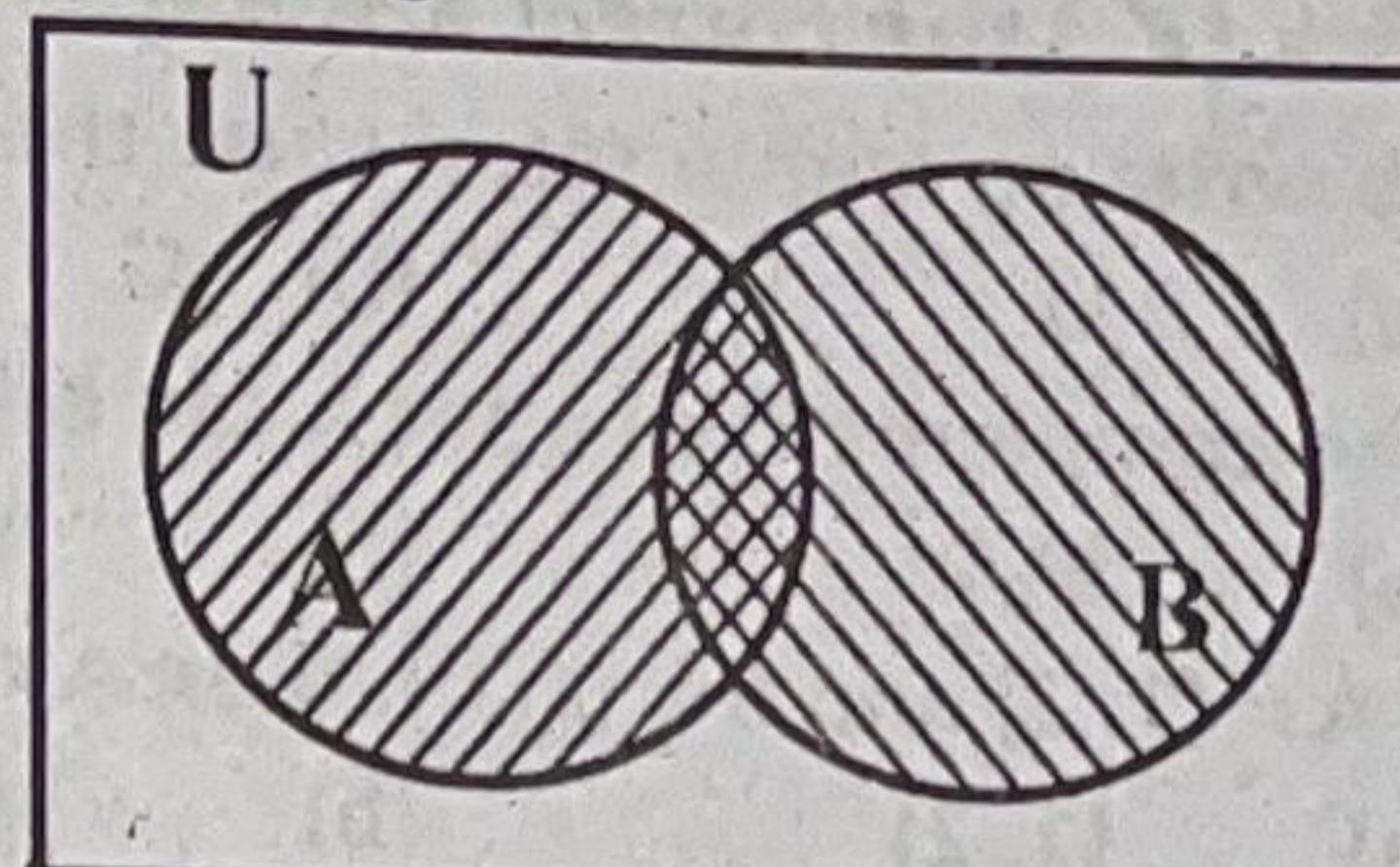


(iii)  $A - B$  (For disjoint sets)



(iv)  $B'$



(v)  $A \cap B$  (Overlapping sets)(vi)  $A \cup B$  if  $A \cup B \neq U$ **SOLVED REVIEW EXERCISE 1****1. Answer the following questions.**

(i) Name the forms for describing a set.

Answer:

1. Descriptive form      2. Tabular form      3. Set builder form

(ii) Define the descriptive form of a set.

Answer:

If a set is described with the help of a statement, it is called descriptive form.

(iii) What does the symbol “|” mean?

Answer:

Such that

(iv) Write the name of the set consisting of all the elements of given sets under consideration.

Answer:

Universal set

(v) What is meant by disjoint sets?

Answer:

Two sets are said to be disjoint, if there is no common element between them.

**2. Fill in the blanks.**(i) The symbol “ $\wedge$ ” means \_\_\_\_\_.

(ii) The set consisting of only common elements of two sets is called the \_\_\_\_\_ of two sets.

(iii) A set which contains all the possible elements of the sets under consideration is called the \_\_\_\_\_ set.

(iv) Two sets are called \_\_\_\_\_ if there is at least one element common between them.

(v) In sets, the universal set acts as \_\_\_\_\_ for intersection.

Answers:

(i)	And	(ii)	Intersection	(iii)	Universal
(iv)	Overlapping	(v)	Identity		

**3.** Tick (✓) the correct answer.

- (i) To write an empty set, we use the symbol: (d)  $\cap$   
 (a)  $U$  (b)  $\subseteq$  (c)  $\phi$
- (ii) The complement of a set A can be written as: (d) A  
 (a)  $B \setminus A$  (b)  $A'$  (c)  $\cap(A)$
- (iii) If  $A = \{1, 2\}$  and  $B = \{a, b\}$ , then  $A \cap B = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$ . (d) {}  
 (a) {1, 2} (b) {a, b} (c) {1, 2, a, b}
- (iv) If,  $A = \{1, 3\}$  and  $B = \{1, 2, 3\}$ , then  $A \cup B = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$ . (d) {1, 3}  
 (a) {1, 2, 3} (b) {1} (c) {}
- (v) "B difference A" is represented by: (d)  $A \cup B$   
 (a)  $A - B$  (b)  $A \cap B$  (c)  $B \setminus A$
- (vi)  $A' \cup A = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$ . (d)  $A'$   
 (a)  $U$  (b)  $\phi$  (c) A

**Answers:**

(i)	c	(ii)	b	(iii)	d	(iv)	a	(v)	c	(vi)	a
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**4.** Write the following sets in the set builder form and tabular form.

**Answers:**

- (i)  $\{x | x \in N \wedge 4 < x < 9\}$  {5, 6, 7, 8}
- (ii)  $\{x | x \in W \wedge x < 3\}$  {0, 1, 2}
- (iii)  $\{x | x \text{ is a vowel of the English alphabet}\}$  {a, e, i, o, u}
- (iv)  $\{x | x \in N \wedge x < 100\}$  {1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, ..., 99}
- (v)  $\{x | x \in O \wedge 1 < x < 10\}$  {3, 5, 7, 9}

**5.** Write the following in the descriptive and tabular form.

**Answers:**

- (i) A is the set of whole numbers less than 7  
 $A = \{0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6\}$
- (ii) B is the set of even numbers greater than 3 and less than 12  
 $B = \{4, 6, 8, 10\}$
- (iii) C is the set of integers greater than -2 and less than 2.  
 $C = \{-1, 0, 1\}$
- (iv) D is the set of prime numbers less than 15  
 $D = \{2, 3, 5, 7, 11, 13\}$

**6.** If  $A = \{3, 4, 5, 6\}$  and  $B = \{2, 4, 6\}$  then verify that

(i)  $A \cup B = B \cup A$

**Solution:**

$$A \cup B = \{3, 4, 5, 6\} \cup \{2, 4, 6\} = \{2, 3, 4, 5, 6\}$$

$$B \cup A = \{2, 4, 6\} \cup \{3, 4, 5, 6\} = \{2, 3, 4, 5, 6\}$$

(ii)  $A \cap B = B \cap A$

**Solution:**

$$A \cap B = \{3, 4, 5, 6\} \cap \{2, 4, 6\} = \{4, 6\}$$

$$B \cap A = \{2, 4, 6\} \cap \{3, 4, 5, 6\} = \{4, 6\}$$

7. If  $X = \{2, 3, 4, 5\}$ ,  $Y = \{1, 3, 5, 7\}$  then find

(i)  $X - Y$

Solution:

$$X - Y = \{2, 3, 4, 5\} - \{1, 3, 5, 7\} = \{2, 4\}$$

(ii)  $Y - X$

Solution:

$$Y - X = \{1, 3, 5, 7\} - \{2, 3, 4, 5\} = \{1, 7\}$$

8. If  $A = \{a, c, e, g\}$ ,  $B = \{a, b, c, d\}$  and  $C = \{b, d, f, h\}$ , then verify that:

(i)  $AU(BUC) = (AUB) UC$

Solution:

$$L.H.S = AU(BUC)$$

$$= \{a, c, e, g\} \cup [\{a, b, c, d\} \cup \{b, d, f, h\}]$$

$$= \{a, c, e, g\} \cup \{a, b, c, d, f, h\} = \{a, b, c, d, e, f, g, h\}$$

$$R.H.S = (AUB) UC$$

$$= [\{a, c, e, g\} \cup \{a, b, c, d\}] \cup \{b, d, f, h\}$$

$$= \{a, b, c, d, e, g\} \cup \{b, d, f, h\} = \{a, b, c, d, e, f, g, h\}$$

As L.H.S = R.H.S

Hence Proved

(ii)  $A \cap (B \cap C) = (A \cap B) \cap C$

Solution:

$$L.H.S = A \cap (B \cap C)$$

$$= \{a, c, e, g\} \cap [\{a, b, c, d\} \cap \{b, d, f, h\}]$$

$$= \{a, c, e, g\} \cap \{b, d\} = \{\}$$

$$R.H.S = (A \cap B) \cap C$$

$$= [\{a, c, e, g\} \cap \{a, b, c, d\}] \cap \{b, d, f, h\}$$

$$= \{a, c\} \cap \{b, d, f, h\} = \{\}$$

As L.H.S = R.H.S

Hence Proved

9. If  $U$  = set of whole numbers and  $N$  = set of natural numbers, then verify that:

(i)  $N' \cup N = U$       (ii)  $N' \cap N = \emptyset$

Solution:

$$U = \{0, 1, 2, 3, \dots\}, N = \{1, 2, 3, \dots\}$$

$$\begin{aligned}N' &= U - N \\&= \{0, 1, 2, 3, \dots\} - \{1, 2, 3, \dots\} = \{0\}\end{aligned}$$

(i) L.H.S =  $N' \cup N$   
 $= \{0\} \cup \{1, 2, 3, \dots\} = \{0, 1, 2, 3, \dots\} = U = \text{R.H.S}$

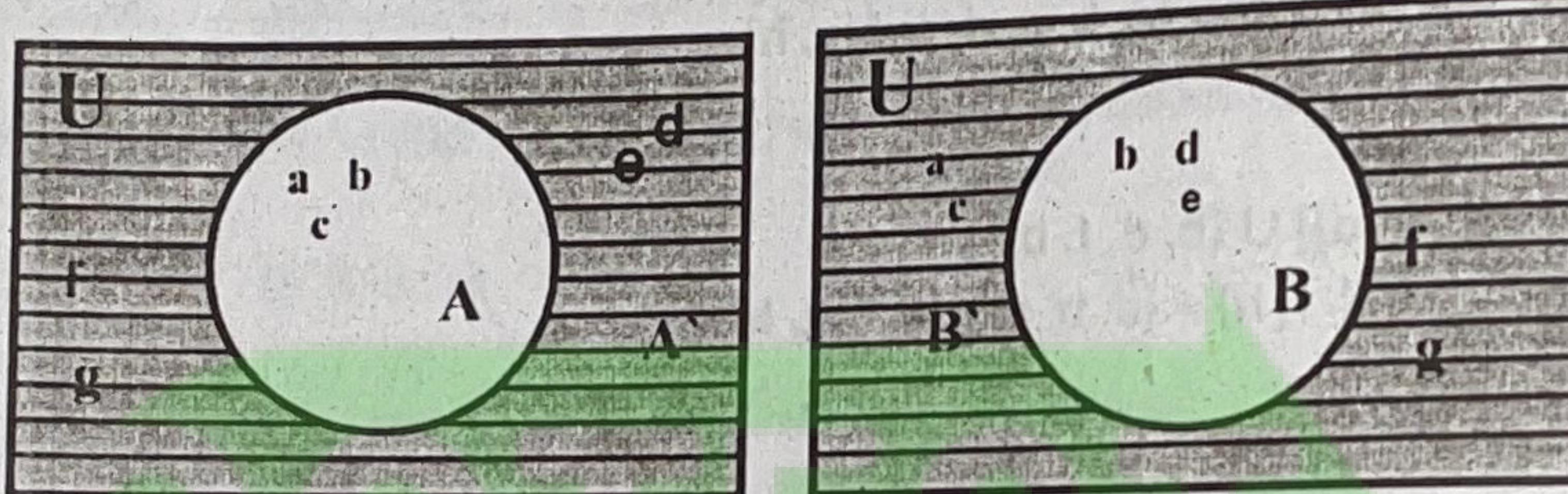
(ii) L.H.S =  $N' \cap N$   
 $= \{0\} \cap \{1, 2, 3, \dots\} = \emptyset = \text{R.H.S}$

10. If  $U = \{a, b, c, d, e, f, g\}$ ,  $A = \{a, b, c\}$  and  $B = \{b, d, e\}$ , then show through Venn diagram.

- (i)  $A'$       (ii)  $B'$       (iii)  $A \cup B$       (iv)  $A \cap B$

Solution:

(i)  $A' = \{d, e, f, g\}$       (ii)  $B' = \{a, c, f, g\}$



(iii)  $A \cup B = \{a, b, c, d, e\}$       (iv)  $A \cap B = \{b\}$

