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$$A = \{(x, y) \in \mathbb{R}^2 \mid x^2 + y^2 \leq 100\}$$

$$B = \{(p, q) \in \mathbb{R}^2 \mid p \geq 5\}$$

$$C = \{(a, b) \in \mathbb{R}^2 \mid b \leq 20\}$$

Prove that  $A \cap B \subseteq C$ .

Hint: notice that  $0 \leq (x - y)^2$ . So  $0 \leq (x^2 + y^2) - 2xy$ .

**Solution:**

Let  $(x, y) \in \mathbb{R}^2$ . Suppose that  $(x, y) \in A \cap B$ . Then  $(x, y) \in A$  and  $(x, y) \in B$ . So  $x^2 + y^2 \leq 100$  and  $x \geq 5$ .

Since  $0 \leq (x^2 + y^2) - 2xy$ , we have  $2xy \leq x^2 + y^2$ . So then  $x^2 + y^2 \leq 100$  implies that  $2xy \leq 100$ . So  $xy \leq 50$ .

Since  $x \geq 5$ , we can divide both sides by  $x$  to get  $y \leq \frac{50}{x} \leq 10$ . Therefore  $y \leq 20$ . So  $(x, y) \in C$ , which is what we needed to show.

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$$A = \{\alpha(2, -4) + (1 - \alpha)(-3, 6) \mid \alpha \in \mathbb{R}\}$$

$$B = \{(a, b) \in \mathbb{R}^2 \mid a \geq 1\}$$

$$C = \{(p, q) \in \mathbb{R}^2 \mid q \leq 0\}$$

Prove that  $A \cap B \subseteq C$ .

**Solution:** Let  $(x, y)$  be a 2D point and suppose that  $(x, y) \in A \cap B$ . Then  $(x, y) \in A$  and  $(x, y) \in B$ .

Since  $(x, y) \in A$ ,  $(x, y) = \alpha(2, -4) + (1 - \alpha)(-3, 6)$  where  $\alpha$  is a real number. So  $x = 2\alpha - 3(1 - \alpha) = 5\alpha - 3$ . And  $y = -4\alpha + 6(1 - \alpha) = 6 - 10\alpha$ .

Since  $(x, y) \in B$ , we know that  $x \geq 1$ . So  $5\alpha - 3 \geq 1$ . Therefore  $\alpha \geq \frac{4}{5}$ .

Substituting this into the equation for  $y$ , we get  $y = 6 - 10\alpha \leq 6 - 10\frac{4}{5} = 6 - 8 = -2 \leq 0$ . Since  $y \leq 0$ ,  $(x, y) \in C$ , which is what we needed to show.

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$$A = \{6a + 15b : a, b \in \mathbb{Z}\}$$

$$B = \{6p + 10q : p, q \in \mathbb{Z}\}$$

$$C = \{n \in \mathbb{Z} : 6 \mid n\}$$

Prove that  $A \cap B \subseteq C$ . You may assume that if an integer is divisible by two distinct primes  $m$  and  $n$ , then it is divisible by  $mn$ .

**Solution:** Let  $n$  be an integer and suppose that  $n \in A \cap B$ . Then  $n \in A$  and  $n \in B$ .

Since  $n \in A$ ,  $n = 6a + 15b$ , where  $a$  and  $b$  are integers. So  $n = 3(2a + 5b)$ .  $2a + 5b$  is an integer, since  $a$  and  $b$  are integers. So  $n$  is divisible by 3..

Since  $n \in B$ ,  $n = 6p + 10q$  where  $p$  and  $q$  are integers. So  $n = 2(3p + 5q)$ .  $3p + 5q$  is an integer since  $p$  and  $q$  are integers. So  $n$  is divisible by 2.

Since  $n$  is divisible by 2 and 3,  $n$  is divisible by 6. Therefore,  $n \in C$ , which is what we needed to prove.

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$$A = \{(x, y) \in \mathbb{R}^2 : y = x^2 - 2x - 1\}$$

$$B = \{(p, q) \in \mathbb{R}^2 : |p| \geq 3\}$$

$$C = \{(m, n) \in \mathbb{R}^2 : n \geq 0\}$$

Prove that  $A \cap B \subseteq C$ .

**Solution:** Let  $(x, y) \in \mathbb{R}^2$  and suppose that  $(x, y) \in A \cap B$ . Then  $(x, y) \in A$  and  $(x, y) \in B$ .

Since  $(x, y) \in A$ ,  $y = x^2 - 2x - 1$ . So  $y = x(x - 2) - 1$ .

Since  $(x, y) \in B$ ,  $|x| \geq 3$ . There are two cases:

Case 1:  $x \geq 3$ . Then  $x - 2 \geq 1$ . So  $y \geq 3 \cdot 1 - 1 = 2$ .

Case 2:  $x \leq -3$ . Then  $x - 3 \leq -5$ . So  $x(x - 2) \geq (-3)(-5) = 15$ . Therefore  $y \geq 14$ .

In both cases,  $y \geq 0$ . So  $(x, y) \in C$ , which is what we needed to prove.

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$$A = \{(a, b) \in \mathbb{R}^2 : |a + b| \leq 2\}$$

$$B = \{(x, y) \in \mathbb{R}^2 : |x - y + 7| \leq 1\}$$

$$C = \{(p, q) \in \mathbb{R}^2 : p \leq 0 \text{ and } q \geq 0\}$$

Prove that  $A \cap B \subseteq C$ .

**Solution:** Let  $(x, y) \in \mathbb{R}^2$  and suppose that  $(x, y) \in A \cap B$ . Then  $(x, y) \in A$  and  $(x, y) \in B$ .

Since  $(x, y) \in A$ ,  $|x + y| \leq 2$ . Since  $(x, y) \in B$ ,  $|x - y + 7| \leq 1$ .

So  $x + y \leq 2$  and  $x - y + 7 \leq 1$ . Adding these equations together, we get  $2x + 7 \leq 3$ . So  $2x \leq -4$ . And therefore  $x \leq -2 \leq 0$ .

Since  $|x + y| \leq 2$ , it's also the case that  $-x - y \leq 2$ . Adding this to  $x - y + 7 \leq 1$ , we get  $-2y + 7 \leq 3$ . So then  $-2y \leq -4$ . So  $y \geq 2 \geq 0$ .

So  $x \leq 0$  and  $y \geq 0$ , so  $(x, y) \in C$ , which is what we needed to prove.