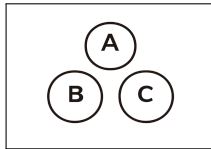


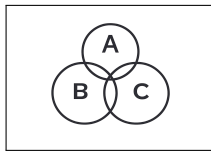
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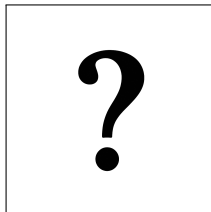
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$$(1 - 2)/(3 - 4) = (2 - 1)/(4 - 3) = 1/1 = 1$$



$$(a - b)/(c - d) = (b - a)/(d - c)$$



$$(5 - 2)/(7 - 9) = ?$$

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$$(5 - 2)/(7 - 9) = (2 - 5)/(9 - 7) = -3/2 = -(1 + 1/2)$$