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Let G be a group with group-law $*$

claim:

if $|G| \leq 4$, then $(G, *)$ is abelian

proof:

if $|G| = 1$, then $G = \{e\}$ which is abelian

if $|G| = 2$, then $G = \{e, a\}$. Then $a * e = a = e * a$

if $|G| = 3$, then $G = \{e, a, b\}$. Then $a * e = a = e * a$, similar for b
and $a * b = e = b * a$


if $|G| = 4$: suppose G is not abelian: then $\exists x, y \in G$ st. $x * y \neq y * x$

but $\cdot) x * y \neq e \neq y * x$ since $y = x^{-1}$

$\cdot) x * y \neq x$ and $y * x \neq x$ since $y \neq e$

$\cdot) x * y \neq y$ and $y * x \neq y$ since $x \neq e$

thus G contains 5 distinct elements: $e, x, y, x * y, y * x$ 

thus G is abelian 

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let $(G, *)$ be a group

1.

let H be a subgroup

claim:

$(H, e, *)$ is a group


(i) $e \in H$

proof:

according to Def 0.2 we have: (ii) $a * b \in H \forall a, b \in H$
(iii) $-a \in H \forall a \in H$

thus $e * a = e \forall a \in G$ (neutral element)

and $a * (-a) = e$ (inv. element)

let $a, b, c \in H$, thus $a * (b * c) \in G$ which is a group, hence associativity 

is "inherited"

2.

Let G a finite group.

claim:

$H = \{g^n \mid n \in \mathbb{N}\}$ is a subgroup

proof:

Let $g^n, g^m \in H, n, m \in \mathbb{N}$. Then $g^n * g^m = g^{n+m} \in H$

We have $e \in G$, hence $e^n = e \in H$

Let $g^n \in H$, thus $g \in G$ hence $g^{-1} \in G$, thus $(g^{-1})^n \in H$ s.t.

$$g^n * (g^{-1})^n = e$$

claim:

H is abelian

proof:

Let $h_1 = g_1^n, h_2 = g_2^m \in H$; then $\underbrace{g_1 * \dots * g_1}_{n\text{-times}} * \underbrace{g_2 * \dots * g_2}_{m\text{-times}} = g_{1m} * g_{2m} \in G$

$$\Rightarrow \underbrace{g_{1m} * g_{2m}}_n \in H = g_{2m} * g_{1m} = \underbrace{g_2 * \dots * g_2}_{m\text{-times}} * \underbrace{g_1 * \dots * g_1}_{n\text{-times}}$$

Achally

$$\langle g \rangle \cong \frac{\mathbb{Z}}{n\mathbb{Z}}$$

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Let $(G, e, +)$ be a group

(ii)

claim:

$$a + e = a \quad \forall a \in G$$

proof:

Let $a \in G$. Then $e + a = a = a + e$ since e is neutral

(iii)

claim:

$\forall a \in G \exists a' \in G$ with $a' + a = a + a' = e$

proof:

$$\text{we have } a + a = e \Leftrightarrow a' + a + a' = e + a' \Leftrightarrow a + a' = e$$

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Let G be a finite group, H a subgroup, $gH = \{gh \mid h \in H\}$

1.

Let $g_1, g_2 \in G$

claim:

$$g_1H \cap g_2H \neq \emptyset \Rightarrow g_1H = g_2H$$

proof:

$$g_1H = \{g_1h \mid h \in H\}, \quad g_2H = \{g_2h \mid h \in H\}$$

Let $g_1 h_1 = g_2 h_2 \in g_1 H \cap g_2 H$

$$\text{then } g_1 g_2^{-1} = \underbrace{h_2 h_1^{-1}}_{\in H} \Rightarrow g_1 g_2^{-1} = h$$

$g_1 = g_2 h$ hence $g_1 \in g_2 H \Rightarrow g_1 H = g_2 H$ •

2.

claim:

$|H|$ divides $|G|$ as integers

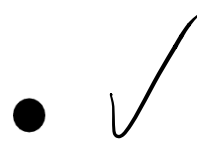
proof:

Cosets of H in G are equivalence classes

$$x \sim y \Leftrightarrow \exists h \in H \text{ s.t. } x = yh \quad \forall x, y \in G$$

each coset aH has the same cardinality as H because $x \mapsto ax$ is a bijection $H \rightarrow aH$ with inverse $y \mapsto a^{-1}y$

$$\text{thus } |G| = [G:H] \cdot |H|$$



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Let $(G, *)$ a group, p prime

claim:

$$|G| = p \Rightarrow (G, *) \text{ is abelian}$$

proof:

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let $b \geq 2$.

ES 2

claim:

 $(\mathbb{Z}/b\mathbb{Z}, +, \cdot)$ is a ring

proof:

we check Def. 0.3

| guess

$$[a] = a + \mathbb{Z} \cdot b$$

1. $(\mathbb{Z}/b\mathbb{Z}, +)$ is an abelian group

$$a + (b+c) = [a] + ([b] + [c]) \stackrel{\text{associativity in } \mathbb{Z}}{=} ([a] + [b]) + [c] \quad \forall a, b, c \in \mathbb{Z}/b\mathbb{Z}$$

$$\text{we have } e = [b] = [0] : e + a = [b] + [a] = [b+a] = [a] \quad \forall a \in \mathbb{Z}/b\mathbb{Z}$$

$$\text{let } a \in \mathbb{Z}/b\mathbb{Z} : \text{ then } [a] + [b-a] = [a+b-a] = [b] = [0]$$

$$\text{let } a, c \in \mathbb{Z}/b\mathbb{Z} : \text{ then } [a] + [c] = [a+c] \stackrel{\text{commutativity in } \mathbb{Z}}{=} [c+a] = [c] + [a]$$

2. associativity of multiplication

$$[a] \cdot ([b] \cdot [c]) = [a] \cdot ([b+c]) \stackrel{\text{associativity in } \mathbb{Z}}{=} [a(bc)] = [(a+b)c] = [(a+b)][c] \\ = ([a][b]) \cdot [c] \quad \forall [a], [b], [c] \in \mathbb{Z}/b\mathbb{Z}$$

3. distributive properties

$$[a] \cdot ([b] + [c]) = [a] \cdot ([b+c]) \stackrel{\text{distr. in } \mathbb{Z}}{=} [a(b+c)] = [ab+ac] \\ = [ab] + [ac] = [a][b] + [a][c] \quad \forall [a], [b], [c] \in \mathbb{Z}/b\mathbb{Z}$$

analogous for $([a] + [b])[c]$

4. identity

$$\text{let } [a] \in \mathbb{Z}/b\mathbb{Z} : \text{ then } [1][a] = [1a] \stackrel{\text{identity in } \mathbb{Z}}{=} [a] = [a][1] = [a]$$

$b = 12$: zero divisors are 2, 3, 4, 6, 8, 9, 10 all int. not coprime with 12

$b = 7$: there are no zero divisors in $\mathbb{Z}/7\mathbb{Z}$

Why?

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claim: $\mathbb{Z}/b\mathbb{Z}$ is an integral domain $\Leftrightarrow b$ is prime

" \Rightarrow " let $\mathbb{Z}/b\mathbb{Z}$ be an integral domain.

Then we can't find $c, d \in \mathbb{Z}/b\mathbb{Z}$, $c \neq b \neq d$ s.t. $c \cdot d = b$

hence b is divisible only by ± 1 and $\pm b$, thus b is prime

" \Leftarrow " let b be a prime number

then $\mathbb{Z}/b\mathbb{Z} = \{[0], [1], [2], \dots, [b-1]\}$

since b is prime, it is only divisible by ± 1 and $\pm b$

thus we cannot find $c, d \in \mathbb{Z}/b\mathbb{Z}$, $c \neq 0 \neq d$, s.t. $c \cdot d = b$

hence $\mathbb{Z}/b\mathbb{Z}$ is an integral domain

Not a proof

claim: a prime p satisfies: $p \mid_{\mathbb{Z}} a \cdot b \Leftrightarrow p \mid_{\mathbb{Z}} a$ or $p \mid_{\mathbb{Z}} b$ for $a, b \in \mathbb{Z}$

" \Rightarrow " we have $p \mid_{\mathbb{Z}} a \cdot b$, hence $\exists q \in \mathbb{Z}$ s.t. $ab = qp$

if $\frac{q}{b} \in \mathbb{Z}$, then $p \mid_{\mathbb{Z}} a$ since $a = \frac{q}{b} \cdot p$

if $\frac{q}{b} \notin \mathbb{Z}$ then $b = p$, otherwise $\frac{q}{b} \cdot p = a \notin \mathbb{Z}$

since $\underline{b = p}$ we can take $q = 1$ s.t. $b = qp$ and $p \mid_{\mathbb{Z}} b$

" \Leftarrow " assume $p \mid_{\mathbb{Z}} a$ (up to change a and b)

hence $\exists q \in \mathbb{Z}$ s.t. $a = qp \Leftrightarrow ab = q^b p \in \mathbb{Z}$

hence $ab = mp$, $m = q^b \in \mathbb{Z}$

thus $p \mid_{\mathbb{Z}} ab$

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let $R := \{f: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R} \mid f \text{ is cont. function}\}$

claim: R is a commutative ring

proof:

1. $(R, +, 0)$ is an abelian group

associativity: $f + (g + h) = f + g + h = (f + g) + h \quad \forall f, g, h \in R$

neutral el.: let $0(x) = 0 \quad \forall x \in \mathbb{R}$. Then $0 + f = f \quad \forall f \in R$

inverse el.: let $f \in R$. then $f + (-f) = f - f = 0 \quad \forall f \in R$

abelian: $f + g = (f + g) = (g + f) = g + f \quad \forall f, g \in R$

according operations on \mathbb{R} ✓

2. multiplication is associative

$$f \cdot (g \cdot h) = f \cdot g \cdot h = (f \cdot g) \cdot h \quad \forall f, g, h \in R$$

3. distributive properties:

$$f \cdot (g + h) = (f \cdot (g + h)) = (fg + fh) = fg + fh \quad \forall f, g, h \in R$$

analogous for other direction

4. identity

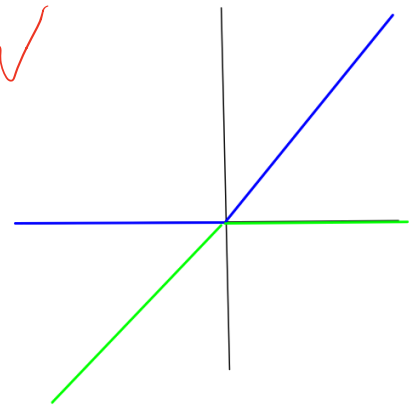
let $1(x) = 1 \quad \forall x \in \mathbb{R}$. Then $f \cdot 1 = 1 \cdot f = f \quad \forall f \in R$

zero divisors:

an example for a zero-divisor is:

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} 0, & x \leq 0 \\ x, & x \geq 0 \end{cases} \quad g(x) = \begin{cases} x, & x \leq 0 \\ 0, & x \geq 0 \end{cases}$$

✓



zero-divisors in R include functions that partly take value 0 and for which there exists $g \in R$ s.t. $g = 0$ whenever $f \neq 0$

Not very precise

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$$\mathbb{Q}[\sqrt{2}] := \{a + b\sqrt{2} \mid a, b \in \mathbb{Q}\}$$

claim:

 $\mathbb{Q}[\sqrt{2}]$ is a ring

proof:

1.

 $\mathbb{Q}[\sqrt{2}]$ is an abelian group

$$\begin{aligned} (a + b\sqrt{2}) + ((c + d\sqrt{2}) + (e + f\sqrt{2})) &= a + b\sqrt{2} + (c + d\sqrt{2} + e + f\sqrt{2}) \\ &= a + b\sqrt{2} + c + d\sqrt{2} + e + f\sqrt{2} \stackrel{*}{=} (a + b\sqrt{2} + c + d\sqrt{2}) + e + f\sqrt{2} \\ &\quad \forall a, b, c, d, e, f \in \mathbb{Q} \end{aligned}$$

$$(a + b\sqrt{2}) + (0 + 0\sqrt{2}) = a + b\sqrt{2} + 0 = a + b\sqrt{2} \quad \forall a, b \in \mathbb{Q}$$

$$(a + b\sqrt{2}) + (-a - b\sqrt{2}) = a - a + b\sqrt{2} - b\sqrt{2} = 0 \quad \forall a, b \in \mathbb{Q}$$

abelian:

$$(a + b\sqrt{2}) + (c + d\sqrt{2}) \stackrel{*}{=} a + b\sqrt{2} + c + d\sqrt{2} = c + d\sqrt{2} + a + b\sqrt{2} \quad \forall a, b, c, d \in \mathbb{Q}$$

* corresponding operations in \mathbb{R}

multiplication is associative

$$\begin{aligned} (a + b\sqrt{2}) \cdot ((c + d\sqrt{2})(e + f\sqrt{2})) &= (a + b\sqrt{2}) \cdot (c + d\sqrt{2})(e + f\sqrt{2}) \\ &\stackrel{*}{=} ((a + b\sqrt{2})(c + d\sqrt{2}))(e + f\sqrt{2}) \quad \forall a, b, c, d, e, f \in \mathbb{Q} \end{aligned}$$

distributive properties:

$$\begin{aligned} (a + b\sqrt{2})(c + d\sqrt{2}) + (a + b\sqrt{2})(e + f\sqrt{2}) &= ac + ad\sqrt{2} + bc\sqrt{2} + 2bd + ae + af\sqrt{2} + be\sqrt{2} + 2bf \\ &= [(ac + 2bd) + (ad + bc)\sqrt{2}] + [(ae + 2bf) + (af + be)\sqrt{2}] \quad \forall a, b, c, d, e, f \in \mathbb{Q} \end{aligned}$$

similar for other direction

identity

$$(1 + 0\sqrt{2}) \cdot (a + b\sqrt{2}) \stackrel{*}{=} 1 \cdot (a + b\sqrt{2}) \stackrel{*}{=} a + b\sqrt{2}$$

claim:

every $x \in \mathbb{Q}[\sqrt{2}] \setminus \{0\}$ is invertible, i.e. $\exists y \in \mathbb{Q}[\sqrt{2}] \setminus \{0\}$ s.t. $xy=1$

proof:

$$a + b\sqrt{2} = (a + b\sqrt{2}) \cdot \frac{a - b\sqrt{2}}{a - b\sqrt{2}} = \frac{a^2 - 2b}{a - b\sqrt{2}} \quad \text{— we need } a \neq b\sqrt{2}$$

$$\text{hence } (a + b\sqrt{2}) \cdot \frac{a - b\sqrt{2}}{a^2 - 2b} = \frac{a^2 - 2b}{a^2 - 2b} = 1 \quad \text{if } a, b \in \mathbb{Q}$$

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let $b \geq$ an integer

ES 3

characterisation of the invertible elements of $\mathbb{Z}/b\mathbb{Z}$

(i)

claim: in a finite commutative ring with unity, every element is either a unit or a zero divisor

proof: $\mathbb{Z}/b\mathbb{Z}$ is a commutative ring (ES 2)

let $a \in \mathbb{Z}/b\mathbb{Z}$. consider $\psi: \mathbb{Z}/b\mathbb{Z} \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}/b\mathbb{Z}$
 $x \mapsto ax$

if ψ is injective, it must also be surjective, since $\mathbb{Z}/b\mathbb{Z}$ is finite

hence $ax = 1$ for some $x \in \mathbb{Z}/b\mathbb{Z}$ and a is a unit.

if ψ is not injective, then $\exists u, v \in \mathbb{Z}/b\mathbb{Z}, u \neq v$ s.t. $au = av$

but then $a(u-v) = 0$ hence a is a zero-divisor

zero-divisors are not invertible [This is a tautology] •

(ii)

claim: $\mathbb{Z}/b\mathbb{Z}$ is a field $\Leftrightarrow b$ is prime

proof:
 \Rightarrow

by contraposition

assume b is not prime, hence $\exists a, c \in \mathbb{Z}/b\mathbb{Z} \setminus \{0\}$ s.t. $a \cdot c = b = 0$

hence a, c are zero-divisors, thus not invertible

hence $\mathbb{Z}/b\mathbb{Z}$ is not a field

" \Leftarrow " let b be prime, hence $\nexists a, c \in \mathbb{Z}/b\mathbb{Z} \setminus \{0\}$ s.t. $a \cdot c = b$ Ok

hence there are no zero-divisors

by part (i) / ^{which part (i)?} we can deduce that all $d \in \mathbb{Z}/b\mathbb{Z}$ are invertible

meaning that $\mathbb{Z}/b\mathbb{Z}$ is a field

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let A be an integral domain

$$\text{Frac}(A) = \left\{ \frac{a}{b} \mid a, b \in A, b \neq 0 \right\} / \sim \text{ where } \frac{a_1}{b_1} \sim \frac{a_2}{b_2} \Leftrightarrow a_1 b_2 - a_2 b_1 = 0$$

$$\text{Operations: } \oplus \frac{a}{b} + \frac{c}{d} = \frac{ad + cb}{bd} \quad \forall \frac{a}{b}, \frac{c}{d} \in \text{Frac}(A)$$

$$\odot \frac{a}{b} \cdot \frac{c}{d} = \frac{ac}{bd} \quad \forall \frac{a}{b}, \frac{c}{d} \in \text{Frac}(A)$$

claim:

\oplus and \odot are well-defined

proof:

$$\text{suppose } \frac{p}{q}, \frac{\hat{p}}{\hat{q}}, \frac{r}{s}, \frac{\hat{r}}{\hat{s}} \in \text{Frac}(A) \text{ s.t. } \frac{p}{q} = \frac{\hat{p}}{\hat{q}} \text{ and } \frac{r}{s} = \frac{\hat{r}}{\hat{s}}$$

$$\text{we have to show that } \frac{ps + qr}{qs} = \frac{\hat{p}\hat{s} + \hat{q}\hat{r}}{\hat{q}\hat{s}} \text{ and } \frac{pr}{qs} = \frac{\hat{p}\hat{r}}{\hat{q}\hat{s}}$$

$$\text{we have } p\hat{q} = \hat{p}q \text{ and } r\hat{s} = \hat{r}s$$

$$\frac{ps + qr}{qs} = \frac{ps}{qs} + \frac{qr}{qs} = \frac{p}{q} + \frac{r}{s} = \frac{\hat{p}}{\hat{q}} + \frac{\hat{r}}{\hat{s}} = \frac{\hat{p}\hat{s} + \hat{q}\hat{r}}{\hat{q}\hat{s}}$$

$$\frac{pr}{qs} = \frac{p}{q} \cdot \frac{r}{s} = \frac{\hat{p}}{\hat{q}} \cdot \frac{\hat{r}}{\hat{s}}$$

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use the
argument... •

claim:

$\text{Frac}(A)$ is the smallest field containing A

proof:

assume B is a field s.t. $A \subset B$ and $B \subsetneq \text{Frac}(A)$

then $\exists \frac{c}{d} \in \text{Frac}(A)$ s.t. $\frac{c}{d} \notin B$, hence also $c, d \in A$

but then $c, d \in B$ since $A \subset B$ \downarrow

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claim:

$\mathbb{Z}[i] = \{a+bi \mid a, b \in \mathbb{Z}\}$ with the usual operations of \mathbb{C} is a ring

proof:

on \mathbb{C} , we have the following operations:

$$\oplus : \mathbb{C} \times \mathbb{C} \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$$

$$((a_1, b_1), (a_2, b_2)) \mapsto (a_1+a_2, b_1+b_2)$$

$$\odot : \mathbb{C} \times \mathbb{C} \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$$

$$((a_1, b_1), (a_2, b_2)) \mapsto (a_1 a_2 - b_1 b_2, a_1 b_2 + b_1 a_2)$$

Null element: $(0, 0)$, Einselement: $(1, 0)$

$(\mathbb{Z}[i], +, 0)$ ist eine abelsche Gruppe

kommutativ:

$$(a, b) + ((c, d) + (e, f)) = (a, b) + (c, d) + (e, f) =$$

$$((a, b) + (c, d)) + (e, f) \quad \forall a, b, c, d, e, f \in \mathbb{Z}$$

neutral el.:

$$(0, 0) + (a, b) = (0+a, 0+b) = (a, b) \quad \forall a, b \in \mathbb{Z}$$

inv. el.:

$$(a, b) + (-a, -b) = (a-a, b-b) = (0, 0) \quad \forall a, b \in \mathbb{Z}$$

abelsch:

$$(a, b) + (c, d) = (a+c, b+d) \stackrel{\text{kommutativitat von } + \text{ in } \mathbb{Z}}{=} (c+a, d+b) = (c, d) + (a, b)$$

multiplication is associative

$$(a, b) \cdot ((c, d) \cdot (e, f)) = (a, b) \cdot (c, d) \cdot (e, f) \stackrel{\text{assoziativitat in } \mathbb{C}}{=} ((a, b) \cdot (c, d)) \cdot (e, f)$$

$$\forall a, b, c, d, e, f \in \mathbb{Z}$$

distributive properties

$$(a, b) \cdot ((c, d) + (e, f)) = (a, b) \cdot (c+e, d+f)$$

$$= (a(c+e) - b(d+f), a(d+f) + b(c+e)) = (ac+ae - bd-bf, ad+af + bc+be)$$

$$= (ac-bd, ad+bc) + (ae-bf, af+be)$$

$$= (a, b) \cdot (c, d) + (a, b) \cdot (e, f)$$

analogous for other direction
 $\forall a, b, c, d, e, f \in \mathbb{Z}$

identity:

$$(1, 0) \cdot (a, b) = (1 \cdot a - 0 \cdot b, 1 \cdot b + a \cdot 0) = (a, b) \quad \forall a, b \in \mathbb{Z}$$

same for other direction

Or: $\mathbb{Z}[i] \subseteq \mathbb{C}$
voká

$$\text{Frac}(\mathbb{Z}[i]) = \left\{ \frac{a+ib}{c+id} \mid a+ib, c+id \in \mathbb{Z}[i], c+id \neq 0 \right\} / \sim$$

where $\frac{a+ib}{c+id} \sim \frac{a'+ib'}{c'+id'} \Leftrightarrow (a+ib)(c'+id') - (a'+ib')(c+id) = 0$

$$\oplus: \frac{a+ib}{c+id} + \frac{a'+ib'}{c'+id'} = \frac{(a+ib)(c'+id') + (a'+ib')(c+id)}{(c+id)(c'+id')}$$

$$\forall a+ib, c+id, a'+ib', c'+id' \in \text{Frac}(\mathbb{Z}[i])$$

$$\forall a+ib, c+id, a'+ib', c'+id' \in \text{Frac}(\mathbb{Z}[i])$$

$$\odot: \frac{a+ib}{c+id} \cdot \frac{a'+ib'}{c'+id'} = \frac{(a+ib)(a'+ib')}{(c+id)(c'+id')}$$

$$\forall a+ib, c+id, a'+ib', c'+id' \in \text{Frac}(\mathbb{Z}[i])$$

That is not a characterization.

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let A be an integral domain

ES 4

Warum

let $P, Q \in A[X]$ s.t. $PQ = 1 \Rightarrow \deg(PQ) = \deg(P) + \deg(Q) = \deg(1) = 0$ thus we must have that P and Q are non-zero constants, i.e.

$$P(x) = a, \quad Q(x) = b, \quad a, b \in A$$

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let K be a field, $f(x) = f_n x^n + \dots + f_1 x + f_0 \in K[X]$

$$f(a) := f_n a^n + \dots + f_1 a + f_0 \in K, \quad a \in K$$

claim: $\deg(f) = n \Rightarrow f$ has at most n distinct rootsproof:

we need the following Lemma

Lemma: $a \in K$ is a root of $f \Leftrightarrow (X-a)$ divides f

"←"

assume that $(X-a)$ divides f

hence $\exists g \in K[X]$ s.t. $f = (x-a)g$

hence $f(a) = (a-a)g(a) = 0$ thus a is a root of f

"⇒"

assume that a is a root of f , i.e. $f(a) = 0$

by euclidean division: $f(x) = (x-a) \cdot g(x) + r(x)$

$$g, r \in K[X]$$

$$\deg(r) < \deg(x-a) = 1$$

hence $r(x) = \text{const}$ and $f(a) = (a-a) \cdot g(a) + r(a) = 0$

$\Rightarrow r(a) = 0 = r(x)$

hence $f(x) = (x-a)g(x) \Rightarrow (x-a) \mid f$

now we go back to our main proof and proceed by induction:

$n=0$: f is a non-zero constant $\Rightarrow f$ has no roots

hypothesis: assume any $f \in K[X]$ of degree n has at most n roots.

let $p \in K[X]$ s.t. $\deg(p) = n+1$

if p has no roots, the claim follows

if p has at least one root $a \in K$, we can apply lemma to find

$q \in K[X]$ s.t. $p(x) = (x-a)q(x) \Rightarrow \deg(q) = n$

by hypothesis, q has at most n roots

any root of q is a root of p and if $b \neq a$ is a root of p ,

it must also be a root of q

thus p can at most have $n+1$ roots

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for all primes, denote by \mathbb{F}_p the field $\mathbb{Z}/p\mathbb{Z}$

claim:

$a^p = a \pmod{p} \quad \forall a \in \mathbb{F}_p$ (Fermat's little theorem)

proof:

let $a \in \mathbb{F}_p$, i.e. $1 \leq a \leq p-1$

let k be the order of a , i.e. the smallest positive int. s.t. $a^k \equiv 1 \pmod{p}$

then $1, a, a^2, \dots, a^{k-1}$ reduced modulo p form a subgroup of \mathbb{F}_p of order k

by Lagrange's Theorem, k divides the order of \mathbb{F}_p , which is $(p-1)$

hence $(p-1) = km$ for some $m \in \mathbb{N}$

then $a^{p-1} \equiv a^{km} = (a^k)^m \equiv 1^m \equiv 1 \pmod{p}$

example:

carideu $p=3$, $\mathbb{Z}/3\mathbb{Z} = \{0,1,2\}$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{let } f &= x(x-1)(x-2) = (x^2-x)(x-2) = x^3 - 2x^2 - x^2 + 2x \\ &= x^3 - 3x^2 + 2x \\ &= x^3 + 2x \end{aligned}$$

$$f(0) = 0^3 + 2 \cdot 0 = 0$$

$$f(1) = 1^3 + 2 \cdot 1 = 3 = 0$$

$$f(2) = 2^3 + 2 \cdot 2 = 8 + 4 = 12 = 0$$

1 Let K be a field, $P \in K[X]$ irreducible, $A, B \in K[X]$

claim: $P \mid AB \Rightarrow P \mid A$ or $P \mid B$

proof: it suffices to prove the following statement:

claim: $P \mid AB$ and $P \nmid A \Rightarrow P \mid B$

proof: Since $P \nmid A$ and P is irreducible, we have $\gcd(P, A) = 1$

hence $\exists s, t \in F[X]$ s.t. $1 = sA + tP$

$$\text{then } B = B \cdot 1 = B(sA + tP) = \underbrace{s(AB) + (Bt)P}_{\text{RHS}}$$

since $P \mid AB$, surely $P \mid \text{RHS} \Rightarrow P \mid B$

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Let $f \in F[X] \setminus \{0\}$, where F is a field

claim: Theorem 0.19

proof: We first show that f can be factored into irreducibles

if f is irreducible, we are done

if not, then $f = gh$ for some $g, h \in F[X]$ $\deg(g) < \deg(f)$, $\deg(h) < \deg(f)$

if g and h are irreducible, we are done

if not, we can factor g or h or both

We can continue like this since this process must stop for at every stage the degree goes down

Why?

Uniqueness: Suppose we can find two factorisations of f into irreducibles

$$p_1 p_2 p_3 \dots p_m = q_1 q_2 q_3 \dots q_n$$

since p_1 divides the LHS, it must also divide the RHS

but then p_1 must divide one of the factors on the RHS.

Up to reordering, assume $p_1 \mid q_1$

Since q_1 is irreducible, we must have $q_1 = u_1 p_1$, $u_1 = f[X]^*$ ✓

now we can replace q_1 by $u_1 p_1$ and cancel p_1 on both sides.

$$p_2 p_3 \dots p_m = u_1 q_2 q_3 \dots q_n$$

now we repeat the same argument with p_2 to get:

$$p_3 \dots p_m = u_1 u_2 q_3 \dots q_n$$

Continuing this way, we eventually arrive at:

$$1 = u_1 u_2 \dots u_m q_{m+1} q_{m+2} \dots q_n$$

This is only possible if $m = n$ since q_i are irreducible

hence we get: $1 = u_1 u_2 \dots u_m$

$\Rightarrow p_1 p_2 \dots p_m = q_1 q_2 \dots q_n$ up to reordering and unit factors ✓

1.1

Let $p, q \in \text{Per}(\mathbb{F}, S)$

claim:

$O_{\mathbb{F}}(p) = O_{\mathbb{F}}(q) \iff O_{\mathbb{F}}(p) \cap O_{\mathbb{F}}(q) \neq \emptyset$

proof:

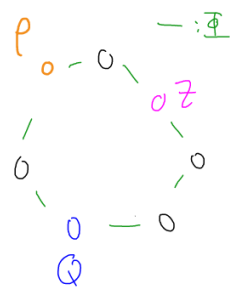
" \implies "

by contraposition: if $O_{\mathbb{F}}(p) \cap O_{\mathbb{F}}(q) = \emptyset$, then we cannot have $O_{\mathbb{F}}(p) = O_{\mathbb{F}}(q)$

" \impliedby "

assume $O_{\mathbb{F}}(p) \cap O_{\mathbb{F}}(q) \neq \emptyset$

take $z \in O_{\mathbb{F}}(p) \cap O_{\mathbb{F}}(q)$, i.e. $z = \mathbb{F}^n(p) = \mathbb{F}^m(q)$ for some $n, m \in \mathbb{N}_0$



let a be the period of p , i.e. $\mathbb{F}^a(p) = p$

hence $n, m < a$ and $\mathbb{F}^{n-m}(p) = q$

hence $O_{\mathbb{F}}(p) = O_{\mathbb{F}}(q)$ Why?

2.1

claim:

the restriction of \mathbb{F} on the set $\text{Per}(\mathbb{F}, S)$ is bijective

proof:

$p \in S$ is periodic for \mathbb{F} if $\exists n > 0$ s.t. $\mathbb{F}^n(p) = p$

$\mathbb{F}|_{\text{Per}(\mathbb{F}, S)} : \text{Per}(\mathbb{F}, S) \rightarrow S$

surjective:

if p is a periodic point, $\mathbb{F}(p)$ is periodic as well

hence $\text{Im}(\mathbb{F}|_{\text{Per}(\mathbb{F}, S)}) \subseteq \text{Per}(\mathbb{F}, S)$

injective:

assume $\mathbb{F}(x) = \mathbb{F}(y)$, $x, y \in \text{Per}(\mathbb{F}, S)$

then $x = \mathbb{F}^n(x) = \mathbb{F}^n(y) = y$

hence $\mathbb{F}|_{\text{Per}(\mathbb{F}, S)}$ is bijective

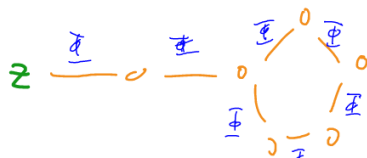
2.1

2.1 let S be a finite set

claim: \mathbb{F} is bijective $\Leftrightarrow \text{Per}(\mathbb{F}, S) = S$

" \Leftarrow " by 1.2

" \Rightarrow " by contraposition



assume $\text{Per}(\mathbb{F}, S) \neq S$, i.e. $\exists z \in S$ s.t. $z \notin \text{Per}(\mathbb{F}, S)$

then $z \in \text{pre-Per}(\mathbb{F}, S)$. But then \mathbb{F} is not injective since $\mathbb{F}^m(z) = \mathbb{F}^{n-1}(\mathbb{F}^n(z))$ where n is the period of $\mathbb{F}^m(z)$ since S is finite

this an argument?

2.2

claim:

$\text{Per}(\mathbb{F}, S) = S \Rightarrow \mathbb{F}$ bijective (where S is allowed to be infinite)

proof:

2.3

$\mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$

$x \mapsto 2 \cdot x$



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Let G be a group and $\Phi: G \rightarrow G$ a homomorphism i.e. $\Phi(a \cdot b) = \Phi(a) \cdot \Phi(b) \forall a, b \in G$

3.1

claim:

$\text{Per}(\Phi, G)$ is a subgroup of G

proof: (i)

let e be the neutral element of G

then $\Phi(a) = \Phi(a \cdot e) = \Phi(a) \cdot \Phi(e) \Rightarrow \Phi(e) = e$, i.e. $e \in \text{Per}(\Phi, G)$

(ii) let $a, b \in \text{Per}(\Phi, G)$, i.e. $\exists n \geq 0$ s.t. $\Phi^n(a) = a$ and $\Phi^n(b) = b$

$\Phi^n(a \cdot b) = \Phi^n(a) \cdot \Phi^n(b) = a \cdot b$, hence $a \cdot b \in \text{Per}(\Phi, G)$ ✓

(iii) let $a \in \text{Per}(\Phi, G)$. Then $\exists a^{-1} \in G$ s.t. $a \cdot a^{-1} = e$

$e = \Phi^n(e) = \Phi^n(a \cdot a^{-1}) = \Phi^n(a) \cdot \Phi^n(a^{-1}) = a \cdot \Phi^n(a^{-1})$

hence $\Phi^n(a^{-1}) = a^{-1}$ which means that $a^{-1} \in \text{Per}(\Phi, G)$

hence $\text{Per}(\Phi, G)$ is a subgroup of G •

(b)

claim:

$\text{Per} \text{Per}(\Phi, G)$ is not a subgroup of G

proof:

take $a, b \in \text{Per} \text{Per}(\Phi, G)$, i.e. $\Phi^{n+m}(a) = \Phi^m(a)$ and $\Phi^{k+m}(b) = \Phi^m(b)$

$\Phi^{m+k+n}(ab) = \Phi^{m+k+n}(a) \cdot \Phi^{m+k+n}(b) = \Phi^k(\Phi^m(a)) \cdot \Phi^n(\Phi^m(b)) \neq \Phi^{m+k}(ab)$ •

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1.1

$$\alpha = \frac{az + b}{cz + d}$$

$$\underbrace{\begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix}}_{:=A} \begin{pmatrix} z \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} az + b \\ cz + d \end{pmatrix} \mapsto \frac{az + b}{cz + d}$$

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$$A^{-1} = \frac{1}{ad-bc} \begin{pmatrix} d & -b \\ -c & a \end{pmatrix}$$

$$A^{-1} \cdot A \cdot z = \frac{1}{ad-bc} \begin{pmatrix} d & -b \\ -c & a \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} az + b \\ cz + d \end{pmatrix} = \frac{1}{ad-bc} \begin{pmatrix} d(az+b) - b(cz+d) \\ -c(az+b) + a(cz+d) \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= \frac{1}{ad-bc} \begin{pmatrix} da z - bc z \\ -ca z - cb + ac z + ad \end{pmatrix} = \frac{1}{ad-bc} \begin{pmatrix} z(ad-bc) \\ ad-bc \end{pmatrix} = z$$

$$\phi^{\alpha \circ n} = \alpha \circ \phi \circ \alpha^{-1} \circ \alpha \circ \phi \circ \alpha^{-1} \dots =$$

1.2

claim:

$p \in K$ is a periodic point of $\phi \iff \alpha(p)$ is a periodic point of $\phi^\alpha = \alpha \circ \phi \circ \alpha^{-1}$ with same period

proof:

let n be the period of p , i.e. $\phi^n(p) = p$

$$\phi^{\alpha \circ n} = \underbrace{\alpha \circ \phi \circ \alpha^{-1} \circ \alpha \circ \phi \circ \alpha^{-1} \dots \alpha \circ \phi \circ \alpha^{-1}}_{n \text{ times}} = \alpha \circ \phi^n \circ \alpha^{-1}$$

$$\text{hence } \phi^{\alpha \circ n}(p) = \alpha \circ \phi^n(p) \circ \alpha^{-1} = \alpha(p) \circ \alpha^{-1} = p$$

1.3

$\phi(z) \in \mathbb{Q}(z)$, $\deg \phi = 2$

claim:

\exists unique $c \in \mathbb{Q}$ s.t. $\phi(z)$ and $z^2 + c$ are conjugate

proof:

let $\alpha = \phi(\frac{x}{z}) \cdot c$ by 1.1, α is invertible hence $\phi(\frac{x}{z}) = \frac{y}{z} \iff x = \phi^{-1}(\frac{y}{z}) \cdot c$

$$\text{then } \alpha \circ \phi \circ \alpha^{-1} = \phi(\frac{x}{z}) \cdot c \circ \phi \circ \phi^{-1}(\frac{y}{z}) \cdot c = \phi(\frac{x}{z}) \cdot c \cdot \frac{y}{z} \cdot c = \phi(\frac{x}{z}) \cdot cy$$

$$\text{to determine } c, \text{ set: } \phi(\frac{x}{z}) \cdot cy \stackrel{!}{=} z^2 + c$$

$$\phi^2(\frac{x}{z}) \cdot c^2 = z^2 + c$$

$$\phi^2(\frac{x}{z}) c^2 - c - z^2 = 0$$

look at $\phi(x-a) + a$ and $\phi(\frac{x}{z}) \cdot c$ 2 Möbiustransformationen

$$\phi(\infty) = \infty$$

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$$\phi_c(z) = z = z^2 + c \Rightarrow z^2 - z + c = 0 \quad \Delta = b^2 - 4ac = 1 - 4c$$

n=1:

set c such that Δ is a square in \mathbb{Q} :

$$1 - 4c = \left(\frac{p}{q}\right)^2 \text{ for some } p, q \in \mathbb{Q}$$

$$\Leftrightarrow 1 - \frac{p^2}{q^2} = 4c$$

c s.t. $1 - 4c$ ein Quadrat in \mathbb{Q}

also $1 - 4c > 0$

$$\Leftrightarrow \frac{1}{4} - \frac{p^2}{4q^2} = c$$

now we have infinitely many choices for p and q

n=2:

$$\phi_c^2(z) = \phi_c(z^2 + c) = (z^2 + c)^2 + c \stackrel{!}{=} z$$

$$z^4 + 2z^2c + c^2 + c = z$$

$$z^4 + 2z^2c - z + c^2 + c = 0 \quad \text{Subst. } z^2 = t$$

$$t^2 + 2tc$$

$$n=3$$

$$\phi_c^{\circ 3}(z) = \phi_c^{\circ 2}(z^2+c) = \phi_c((z^2+c)^2+c) = ((z^2+c)^2+c)^2+c$$

$$= (z^4+c^2+2z^2+c)^2+c$$

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let p a prime integer and $|\cdot|_p$

claim:

$|\cdot|_p$ is a non-archimedean abs. value

proof:

$|r|_p = p^{-v_p(r)}$ where $r = p^e \cdot \frac{a}{b}$, $r \in \mathbb{Q}$, $e, a, b \in \mathbb{Z}$, $b \neq 0$, $\gcd(a, b) = 1$, $p \nmid a$, $p \nmid b$

and $v_p(r) = e$, $v_p(b) = \infty$

1. $|r|_p = 0 \Leftrightarrow p^{-v_p(r)} = 0 \Leftrightarrow v_p(r) = \infty \Leftrightarrow r = 0$

2. set $x = p^n x'$ and $y = p^m y'$ s.t. $p \nmid x'$, $p \nmid y'$

then: $|xy|_p = |p^n x' p^m y'|_p = |p^{n+m} x' y'|_p = p^{-(n+m)} = p^{-n} \cdot p^{-m} = |p^n x'|_p |p^m y'|_p = |x|_p |y|_p$

3. wlog assume $|x|_p \geq |y|_p \Rightarrow p^{-v_p(x)} \geq p^{-v_p(y)} \Rightarrow v_p(x) \leq v_p(y) \Rightarrow \min\{v_p(x), v_p(y)\} = v_p(x)$

since $v_p(x+y) \geq \min\{v_p(x), v_p(y)\} = v_p(x)$ it holds that $p^{-v_p(x+y)} \leq p^{-v_p(x)}$

$\Rightarrow |x+y|_p \leq |x|_p = \max\{|x|_p, |y|_p\}$

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let $|\cdot|$ be an abs. value on \mathbb{Q} . $0 < \alpha \leq 1$

claim:

$|\cdot|^\alpha$ is an absolute value on \mathbb{Q}

proof:

1. $|x|^\alpha = \underbrace{|x||x| \dots |x|}_{\alpha \text{ times}} = 0 \Leftrightarrow |x| = 0 \Leftrightarrow x = 0$ *|\cdot| is abs. val.*

2. $|xy|^\alpha = \underbrace{|xy||xy| \dots |xy|}_{\alpha \text{ times}} = |x||y| \underbrace{|x||y| \dots |x||y|}_{\alpha \text{ times}} = |x|^\alpha |y|^\alpha$ *|\cdot| is abs. val.*, *commutativity*

3. $|x+y|^\alpha = \underbrace{|x+y||x+y| \dots |x+y|}_{\alpha \text{ times}} \leq (|x|+|y|) \dots (|x|+|y|) = (|x|+|y|)^\alpha$ *|\cdot| is abs. val.*

Claim:

$|\cdot|$ non-arch. $\Rightarrow |\cdot|^\alpha$ non-arch.

proof:

$|\cdot|$ non-arch., hence $|x+y| \leq \max\{|x|, |y|\}$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{then } |x+y|^\alpha &= \underbrace{|x+y| |x+y| \dots |x+y|}_{\alpha \text{ times}} \leq \overset{|\cdot| \text{ is non-arch.}}{\max\{|x|, |y|\}} \cdot \dots \cdot \max\{|x|, |y|\}} \\ &= (\max\{|x|, |y|\})^\alpha \end{aligned}$$