Math 113 Theorems.

- 1. **Prop.** The relation $\equiv \pmod{n}$ is an equivalence relation.
- 2. **Prop.** $\mathbb{Z}/n\mathbb{Z}$ has exactly *n* elements.
 - (a) **Prop 0.** If $i \in [j]$, then $j \in [i]$ (in $\mathbb{Z}/n\mathbb{Z}$).
 - (b) **Prop 1.** If $[i] \cap [j] \neq \emptyset$, then [i] = [j].
 - (c) **Prop 2.** If $i \neq j$ and $0 \leq i, j \leq n-1$, then $[i] \cup [j] = \emptyset$.
 - (d) **Prop 3.** Every $x \in \mathbb{Z}$ belongs to one of $[0], \dots, [n-1]$.
- 3. **Prop.** Addition is correctly (well-defined) defined on $\mathbb{Z}/n\mathbb{Z}$ by [a] + [b] = [a+b].
- 4. **Prop 3.17.** The identity element in any group is unique.
- 5. **Prop 3.18.** The inverse is unique for any element g in a group G.
- 6. **Prop 3.19.** For any $a, b \in G$, where G is a group, $(a \star b)^{-1} = b^{-1}a^{-1}$.
- 7. **Prop 3.20.** For any $g \in G$, where *G* is a group, then $(g^{-1})^{-1} = g$.
- 8. **Theorem 5.1.** S_n is a group with n! elements where the binary operation is the composition of maps.
- 9. **Prop 5.8.** Let σ and τ be two disjoint cycles in S_X . Then, $\sigma \tau = \tau \sigma$.
- 10. **Theorem 5.9.** Every permutation in S_n can be written as the product of disjoint cycles.
- 11. **Prop 5.12.** Any permutation of a finite set containing at least 2 elements can be written as the product of transpositions.
- 12. **Lemma 5.14.** If the identity is written as the product of r transpositions, id = $\tau_1 \dots \tau_r$, then r is even.
- 13. **Theorem 5.15.** If a permutation σ can be expressed as the product of an even number of transpositions, then any other product of transpositions equaling σ must also contain an even number of transpositions. Similarly, in the case of when σ is odd.
- 14. **Prop 3.30.** A subset H of G is a subgroup iff:

- (a) $e \in G$ also satisfies $e \in H$.
- (b) If $h_1, h_2 \in H$, then $h_1 h_2 \in H$.
- (c) If $h \in H$, then $h^{-1} \in H$.
- 15. **Prop 3.31.** Let H be a subset of a group G. Then, H is a subgroup of G iff $H \neq \emptyset$ and if $g, h \in H$, then $gh^{-1} \in H$.
- 16. **Theorem 4.3.** Take a group G and an element $a \in G$. Consider a cyclic subgroup $\langle a \rangle$. Then, $\langle a \rangle$ is a minimal subgroup of G such that a is in it (minimality: if H is a subgroup of G and $a \in H$, then $\langle a \rangle$ is a subgroup of H).
- 17. **Theorem 4.9.** Every cyclic group is abelian.