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 $[i] \cap [j] = \emptyset$.
 - (d) **Prop 3.** Every $x \in \mathbb{Z}$ belongs to one of $[0], \ldots, [n-1]$.
- 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 q 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.
- 18. **Prop 11.4.** Let $\phi: G \to H$ be a homomorphism. Then:
 - (a) $\phi(e_G) = e_H$.
 - (b) $\phi(g^{-1}) = (\phi(g))^{-1}$ for all $g \in G$.
 - (c) If $K \leq G$, then $\phi(K) := \{\phi(k) \mid k \in K\}$ is a subgroup of H.
 - (d) $\phi(G) := {\phi(g) \mid g \in G}$ (the image of ϕ) is a subgroup of H.
 - (e) If $M \leq H$, then $\phi^{-1}(M) := \{g \in G \mid \phi(g) \in M\}$ is a subgroup of G.
- 19. **Lemma 6.3.** Let G be a group and H, a subgroup. Let $g_1, g_2 \in G$. Then, the following are equivalent:
 - (a) $g_1 H = g_2 H$.
 - (b) $Hg_1^{-1} = Hg_2^{-1}$.
 - (c) $g_1H \subseteq g_2H$.
 - (d) $g_2 \in g_1 H$.
 - (e) $g_1^{-1}g_2 \in H$.
- 20. Theorem 6.4. Left H-cosets partition G.
- 21. **Lagrange's Theorem.** If G is a finite group and H is a subgroup of G, then $|G| = |H| \cdot [G:H]$, or $[G:H] = \frac{|G|}{|H|}$.
- 22. Cor. If G is a finite group and H is a subgroup of G, then |H| divides |G|.
- 23. Cor. 6.13. If G is a finite group and $H \leq G$ and $G \geq H \geq K$, then $[G:K] = [G:H] \cdot [H:K]$.
- 24. **Prop.** $(\langle (123...n)\rangle, \circ)$ is isomorphic to $(\mathbb{Z}/n\mathbb{Z}, +)$.
- 25. **Theorem 9.7.** and **9.8** If $G = (G, \star)$ is cyclic, then if:
 - (a) G finite, then G is isomorphic to $(\mathbb{Z}/n\mathbb{Z}, +)$.
 - (b) G infinite, then G is isomorphic to $(\mathbb{Z}, +)$.
- 26. **Prop.** Assume G is abelian. Then every subgroup of G is normal.
- 27. **Prop.** Take $G = \mathbb{Z}$, $H = n\mathbb{Z}$, $a, b \in \mathbb{Z}$. Then $aH \odot bH$ gives $(a + n\mathbb{Z}) \odot (b + n\mathbb{Z}) = (a + b) + n\mathbb{Z}$ is correctly defined.
- 28. **Theorem.** Let G be a group and H a normal subgroup. Then \odot (as in the above Prop.) defines a group structure on G/H, where G/H is called a quotient (factor) group.

- 29. **Prop.** Let $\phi: G \to K$ be a homomorphism. Then, $\ker \phi$ is a normal subgroup of G, with $\ker \phi \subseteq G$.
- 30. **First Isomorphism Theorem.** Let $\phi : G \to H$ be a homomorphism. Then $G/\ker \phi \cong \operatorname{Im}\phi$ and denote $\Phi : G/\ker \phi \to \operatorname{Im}\phi$ with $g \cdot \ker \phi \mapsto \phi(g)$.
- 31. **Theorem 9.27.** If G is an internal direct product of H and K (with $H, K \leq G$), then, $G \cong H \times K$, where G represents an internal direct product and $H \times K$ represents an external direct product.
- 32. Fundamental Theorem of Finite Abelian Groups. Every finite abelian group G is isomorphic to one of the following form: $G \cong \mathbb{Z}/p_1^{a_1}\mathbb{Z} \times \cdots \times \mathbb{Z}/p_m^{a_m}\mathbb{Z}$ for p_1, \ldots, p_m primes and $a_1, \ldots, a_m \in \mathbb{Z}_{>0}$.
- 33. Cor. Any abelian group with 6 elements is isomorphic to $\mathbb{Z}/2\mathbb{Z} \times \mathbb{Z}/3\mathbb{Z}$.
- 34. **Prop.** If G is a finite group with p elements (where p is prime), then $G \cong \mathbb{Z}/p\mathbb{Z}$.
- 35. **Prop.** If |G| = 4, then G is abelian.
- 36. **Prop.** If for any $a \in G$, $a^2 = e_G$, then G is abelian.
- 37. **Prop.** Sym(cube) $\cong S_4$, so there are 24 symmetries of the cube, looking at the symmetry of the set of all 4 long diagonals inside the cube.
- 38. **Prop.** Let G be a group and X a set. Then, for each $x \in X$, we have $\operatorname{Stab}_G(x) \leq G$.
- 39. **Prop.** If G acts on a set X and both G and X are finite, then $|G| = |\operatorname{Stab}_G(x)| \cdot |\operatorname{orb}(x)|$ for all $x \in X$.
- 40. **Prop.** If G acts on X, then G acts by bijection, i.e. $\{x \mid x \in X\} = \{g \circ x \mid x \in X\}$ (in bijection for any $g \in G$).
- 41. **Prop.** For any sets A, B (that contain identity), with $A \xrightarrow{\psi} B$ and $A \xleftarrow{\phi} B$ with $\phi \circ \psi = \mathrm{id}_A$ and $\psi \circ \phi = \mathrm{id}_B$, then both ϕ and ψ are bijections.
- 42. **Prop.** The two definitions of actions are equivalent, i.e. $\{\Phi : G \times X \to X\}$ (with properties 1 and 2 as in the (equivalent) definition of G acting on X) is equal to the set $\{\phi : G \to \operatorname{Sym}(X)\}$, where ϕ is a homomorphism.
- 43. Cayley's Theorem. Every group is isomorphic to a subgroup of S_n .
- 44. **Lemma.** Let $\lambda: G \to \operatorname{Sym}(G)$ with be the left regular action of a group G on G. Then, λ is injective.
- 45. **Burnside's Lemma.** Let G be a finite group with G acting on a finite set X. The number of G-orbits in X is $\frac{1}{|G|} \cdot \sum_{g \in G} |X^g|$, where $|X^g|$ is the number of elements in X fixed by the action of $g \in G$.
- 46. **Theorem.** The set of normal subgroups in G is equal to the set of all $\ker \phi$ where $\phi: G \to H$ is a homomorphism.

- 47. **Prop.** $\ker \phi$ is an ideal in R for any ring homomorphism $\phi: R \to S$.
- 48. BELOW ARE ADDITIONAL THMS FOR MT2
- 49. **Prop 16.8.** Let R be a ring with $a, b \in R$. Then:
 - (a) a0 = 0a = 0.
 - (b) a(-b) = (-a)b = -ab.
 - (c) (-a)(-b) = ab.
- 50. **Prop 16.10.** Let R be a ring and S a subset of R. Then S is a subring of R iff:
 - (a) $S \neq \emptyset$.
 - (b) $rs \in S$ for all $r, s \in S$.
 - (c) $r s \in S$ for all $r, s \in S$.
- 51. **Prop. 16.15. Cancellation Law.** Let D be a commutative ring with identity. Then D is an integral domain iff for all nonzero elements $a \in D$ with ab = ac, we have b = c.
- 52. **Theorem 16.16.** Every finite integral domain is a field.
- 53. **Lemma 16.18.** Let R be a ring with identity. If 1 has order n, then the characteristic of R is n.
- 54. **Theorem 16.19.** The characteristic of an integral domain is either prime or zero.
- 55. **Prop. 16.22.** Let $\phi: R \to S$ be a ring homomorphism. Then:
 - (a) If R is a commutative ring, then $\phi(R)$ is a commutative ring.
 - (b) $\phi(0) = 0$.
 - (c) Let 1_R and 1_S be the identities for R and S, respectively. If ϕ is onto, then $\phi(1_R) = 1_S$.
 - (d) If R is a field and $\phi(R) \neq \{0\}$, then $\phi(R)$ is a field.
- 56. Theorem 16.25. Every ideal in the ring of integers \mathbb{Z} is a principal ideal.
- 57. **Prop. 16.27.** The kernel of any ring homomorphism $\phi: R \to S$ is an ideal in R.
- 58. First Ring Isomorphism Theorem. Take $\psi: R \to S$ a ring homomorphism. Then $\ker \psi$ is an ideal of R and $R/\ker \psi \cong \operatorname{Im}\psi$, and let $\Psi: R/\ker \psi \to \operatorname{Im}\psi$ with $r+\ker \psi \mapsto \psi(r)$.
- 59. **Prop.** If T is a field, then its only ideas are $\{0\}$ and T.

- 60. **Theorem 16.35.** R/I is a field iff I is a maximal ideal in R.
- 61. **Prop.** For a given ring, the set of its units and the set of its zero divisors are disjoint.
- 62. **Prop.** R/I is a field if I is a maximal ideal.
- 63. **Prop.** R/I is an integral domain iff I is a prime ideal.
- 64. **Division Algorithm.** Let $a, b \in \mathbb{Z}$, with b > 0. Then there it exists unique integers q, r such that a = bq + r, where $0 \le r < b$.
- 65. **Theorem 2.10.** Let a, b be nonzero integers. Then there exists integers r, s such that gcd(a, b) = ra + sb and gcd(a, b) is unique.
- 66. Fundamental Theorem of Arithmetic. Let $n \in \mathbb{Z}$ with n > 1. Then $n = p_1 \cdots p_k$ where p_i is prime. This factorization is unique.
- 67. **Theorem 17.6.** If $a(x), b(x) \in F[x]$, then theer exists unique $q(x), r(x) \in F[x]$ such that:
 - (a) a(x) = q(x)b(x) + r(x).
 - (b) $\deg(r(x)) < \deg(b(x))$.
- 68. Cor. 17.8. If F is any field, then $\alpha \in F$ is a zero of $f(x) \in F[x]$ iff $(x \alpha) \mid f(x)$.
- 69. Cor. 17.9. If F is any field and $f(x) \in F[x]$ has degree n, then f(x) has at most n zeros in F.
- 70. **Prop.** $\mathbb{Z}[i]$ is a commutative ring with 1 but not a field.
- 71. **Lemma.** Units in $\mathbb{Z}[i]$ are $\pm 1, \pm i$ and $\mathbb{Z}[i]$ is an integral domain.
- 72. **Prop.** N(xy) = N(x)N(y) for $x, y \in \mathbb{Z}[i]$.
- 73. **Theorem (Division Algorithm).** If $\alpha, \beta \in \mathbb{Z}[i]$, with $\beta \neq 0$, then there exist $q, r \in \mathbb{Z}[i]$ (not necessarily unique) such that $\alpha = q \cdot \beta + r$ and $0 \leq N(r) < N(\beta)$.
- 74. **Lemma.** $\mathbb{Z}[\sqrt{-5}]$ is a commutative with 1 but not a field.
- 75. Lemma.
 - (a) Units in $\mathbb{Z}[\sqrt{-5}]$ are ± 1 .
 - (b) $\mathbb{Z}[\sqrt{-5}]$ is an integral domain.
- 76. **Prop.** N(xy) = N(x)N(y) for all $x, y \in \mathbb{Z}[\sqrt{-5}]$.
- 77. **Lemma.** Let R be an integral domain. Then every prime is irreducible.
- 78. **Prop.** $3 = 3 + 0 \cdot \sqrt{-5} \in \mathbb{Z}[\sqrt{-5}]$ is irreducible but not prime.

- 79. **Lemma.** Let R be an integral domain. Then $\langle u \rangle = R$ iff u is a unit in R.
- 80. **Lemma.** Let R be an integral domain. Take $r \in R$ (non-unit). Then $\langle r \rangle$ is prime iff r is a prime.
- 81. **Lemma.** If $I = \langle a \rangle$ and $J = \langle b \rangle$, then $I \cdot J = \langle ab \rangle$, where I, J are ideals in an integral domain R.
- 82. **Theorem.** If $R = \mathbb{Z}$ and $x_1, \ldots, x_n \in \mathbb{Z}$, then $\langle x_1, \ldots, x_n \rangle := \{a_1 x_1 + \cdots + a_n x_n \mid a_i \in \mathbb{Z} \forall i\} = \langle \gcd(x_1, \ldots, x_n) \rangle$.
- 83. **Prop.** $\mathbb{Z}[\sqrt{-5}]$ is not a principal ideal domain, so not every ideal is principal.
- 84. **Prop.** Let $R = \mathbb{Z}[\sqrt{-5}]$. $\langle 2 \rangle = \langle 2, 1 + \sqrt{-5} \rangle \cdot \langle 2, 1 \sqrt{-5} \rangle$, where $I_1 = \langle 2, 1 + \sqrt{-5} \rangle$ and $I_2 = \langle 2, 1 \sqrt{-5}$. Also, $I_1 \neq R$ and $I_2 \neq R$.
- 85. **Lemma.** Let $R = \mathbb{Z}[\sqrt{-5}]$. Then $\langle 2, 1 + \sqrt{-5} \rangle \cdot \langle 2, 1 \sqrt{-5} \rangle = \langle 2 \cdot 2, 2(1 \sqrt{-5}), (1 + \sqrt{-5}) \cdot 2, (1 + \sqrt{-5}) \cdot (1 \sqrt{-5})$.

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- 86. **Prop.** Let $R = \mathbb{Z}[\sqrt{-5}]$. Then, for norm:
 - (a) $N(\alpha) = 0$ iff $\alpha = 0$.
 - (b) α is a unit iff $N(\alpha) = 1$ (± 1 are the only units of $\mathbb{Z}[\sqrt{-5}]$).
 - (c) If $N(\alpha)$ is prime, then α is irreducible.
- 87. **Prop.** Let I be a proper ideal of a commutative ring R with identity. Then:
 - (a) I is prime iff R/I is an integral domain.
 - (b) I is maximal iff R/I is a field (thus, maximal ideals are prime).
- 88. **Prop.** Every maximal ideal of a commutative ring with identity is prime.
- 89. Fundamental Theorem of Ideal Theory. Let I be a nonzero proper ideal of $\mathbb{Z}[\sqrt{-5}]$. Then there exists a unique (up to order) list of prime ideals P_1, \ldots, P_k of $\mathbb{Z}[\sqrt{-5}]$ such that $I = P_1 \cdots P_k$.
- 90. **Prop.** Let α be a nonzero nonunit element in $\mathbb{Z}[\sqrt{-5}]$. Then $\alpha \in \mathbb{Z}[\sqrt{-5}]$ is irreducible iff
 - (a) $\langle \alpha \rangle$ is a prime ideal (thus α is prime), or
 - (b) $\langle \alpha \rangle = P_1 P_2$ where P_1 and P_2 are nonprincipal prime ideals of $\mathbb{Z}[\sqrt{-5}]$.
- 91. **Theorem.** If α is a nonzero element of $\mathbb{Z}[\sqrt{-5}]$, and $\beta_1, \ldots, \beta_s; \gamma_1, \ldots, \gamma_t$ are irreducible in $\mathbb{Z}[\sqrt{-5}]$ with $\alpha = \beta_1 \cdots \beta_s = \gamma_1 \cdots \gamma_t$, then s = t.
- 92. **Theorem.** Let F be a field. Then F[x] is a PID.
- 93. **Theorem.** Let $p(x) \in F[x]$. Then $\langle p(x) \rangle$ is maximal iff p(x) is irreducible.

- 94. **Prop.** In F[x], prime ideals iff maximal ideals.
- 95. Lemma. If $E \geq F$ is a field extension, then E is an F-vector space.
- 96. **Prop.** $F[\alpha] \cong F[x]/\langle p(x) \rangle$ for irreducible p(x).