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MATH 111 - Number Theory -

Look at Set Theory - CSS 120 L01
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\mathbb{N} - Natural Numbers $\{1, 2, 3, 4, \dots\}$

$\subset \mathbb{Z}^+$

\mathbb{N} - Natural Numbers and zero $\{0, 1, 2, 3, \dots\}$

Be careful with zero

\mathbb{Z} - Integers $\{0, \pm 1, \pm 2, \dots\}$

\mathbb{Q} - Rational Numbers $\{\frac{a}{b} \mid a \in \mathbb{Z}, b \in \mathbb{N}\}$

\mathbb{R} - Real Numbers

↑ All possible real numbers (infinite set)
e.g. $\sqrt{2}, \pi, e, 1.57$

The empty set is written $\emptyset \in \{\}$

You can enumerate an infinite set with an ellipses

$\mathbb{N} = \{1, 2, 3, \dots\}$

Preliminaries

$P(x)$ stands for a specified property
 $\{x \in A \mid P(x)\}$

$\{ \dots | \dots \}$
Elements such that Must Satisfy

LOOK at Ex 1.3.A

$$A = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10\}$$

i) $B = \{n \in \mathbb{Z} : 3n+1 \in A\}$

$$B = \{0, 1, 2, 3\}$$

ii) $C = \{3n+1 : n \in A\}$

$$C = \{4, 7, 10, 13, 16, 19, 22, 25, 28, 31\}$$

iii) $D = \{n \in A : 3n+1 \in \mathbb{Z}\}$

$$D = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10\}$$

1.3. β

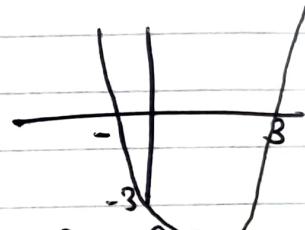
i) $E = \{x \in \mathbb{R} : x^2 - 2x - 3 > 0\}$

Solutions / values when over 0

$$(x^2 - 2x - 3)$$

$$(x+1)(x-3) = -1, 3$$

when $x \leq -1, x > 3$



ii) $F = \{x \in \mathbb{N} : x^2 - 2x - 3 \leq 0\}$

$$F = \{0, 1, 2, 3\}$$

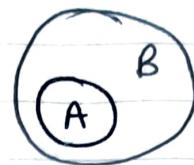
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Subset ($C \subseteq$)

If A is a subset of B if every element of A also lies in B



$A \subseteq B$

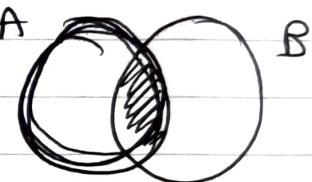
If $A \subseteq B$ and $B \subseteq A$, $A = B$

Disjoint

If A intersects B ($A \cap B = \emptyset$ (empty set)) then they are disjoint

Another rule is $(A \cap B) \subseteq A$

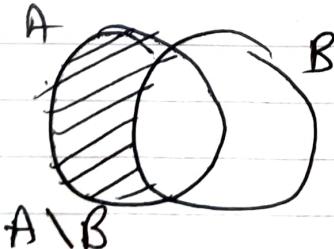
$A \subseteq (A \cup B)$



Set Theoretic Difference ($C \setminus D$)

$A \setminus B = \{x \in A \mid x \notin B\}$

When there is none in common
This is the set of elements belonging to A and not B



Logic L02

The Parity Model

- The universe variables
- The parity values the parity switcher
- The parity table the operators
- Expressions equivalence of expressions

$$\text{Universe} = \mathbb{Z}$$

Variables = any elements

Parity Values = D (odd) E (even)

Parity switcher = 1 - integer

Parity Table

x	$\sim x$
D	E
E	D

There are two operators + (plus) and \times (times) which can be used to create expressions from variables

Parity Table of Expressions

x	y	$x + y$
D	D	E
D	E	D
E	D	D
E	E	E

(Almost like XOR)

(if D was 1)

\sim Acts as a NOT

Use brackets for more complicated expressions
+ parity tables.

x	y	$x \times y$
D	D	D
D	E	E
E	D	E
E	E	E

(Almost like AND)

Equivalent expressions are different
expressions with the same parity table.

Logic Model

Universe	Statement	Variable
Truth Value		Negation
Truth table		Conjunction
Compound statement		Logical Equivalence of statements

The structure is similar to the parity model with corresponding different terms

Universe - All allowable statements
(definitely either true or false statements)

Statement Variables - letters are used to represent variables

Truth values - T (true) , F (false)

The negation - $\neg p$ = not p

Truth tables

p	$\neg p$
T	F
F	T

Logically equivalent statements have the same-truth tables , for example this can mean double negations .

Connectives + Compound Statements

Connectives

Symbol	Name	Meaning	Alternate Symbols
&	Conjunction	And	\wedge, \cap, x, \cdot
or	Disjunction	Or	$\vee, \cup, +$
\Rightarrow	Implication	Implies	\rightarrow
\Leftarrow	Reverse Implication	Is Implied by	\leftarrow
\Leftrightarrow	Bi-Implication	If and only if	$\leftrightarrow, \text{iff}$

P	q	$P \text{ OR } q$
T	F	T
T	F	T
F	T	T
F	F	F

P	q	$P \text{ & } q$
T	T	T
T	F	F
F	T	F
F	F	F

P	q	$P \Rightarrow q$	If p then q (Implication)
T	F	F	Analogy of p = studying
F	T	T	q = passing tests
F	F	T	This is called material implication

P	q	$P \Leftarrow q$	This is just the other way around where q implies p . so TF and FT swap.
T	T	T	
T	F	T	
F	T	F	
F	F	T	

p	q	$p \leftrightarrow q$
T	T	T
T	F	F
F	T	F
F	F	T

Remember both for party and logic model to write the appropriate number of variable rows using ascending binary

$$\neg(p \text{ or } q) \equiv (\neg p) \& (\neg q)$$

Contrapositive statement:

$p \Rightarrow q \equiv (\neg q) \Rightarrow (\neg p)$
This is called the law of contraposition

Negation of Implication:

$$\neg(p \Rightarrow q) \equiv p \& (\neg q)$$

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MATH 111 LO3Quantifiers:

Universal quantifier \forall for all
 Existential quantifier \exists there exist

e.g. $\forall n \in \mathbb{N} (n^2 \in \mathbb{N})$
 and $\exists x \in \mathbb{R} (x^2 + 1 = 0)$

\exists can also mean: for some,

You need to be able to use these in writing

e.g. There exists a natural number whose square root is greater than five,

$$\exists n \in \mathbb{N} (\sqrt{n} > 5)$$

If $()$ begins with a quantifier it must be followed by more $()$ with no connective

if $()$ doesn't have a quantifier it must have a connective between $()$

↑
e.g. use \Rightarrow

e.g. $\sqrt{2}$ is a rational number

$$\exists a \in \mathbb{Z} \exists b \in \mathbb{N} (\sqrt{2} = \frac{a}{b})$$

True
~~(False)~~

for every integer greater than 1 can be written as a product of primes

$$\forall n \in \mathbb{Z} \cap (1, \infty) (\exists m \in \mathbb{N})$$

$$(\exists p_1, \dots, p_m \in P) (n = p_1 p_2 \dots p_m)$$

P for prime set

Be careful with ordering

For negation, one person did not ... P(x)

$$\neg (\exists x \in A) (P(x))$$

is equivalent to
 $\forall x \in A) (\neg P(x))$

It can be considered the negation of \exists when reordering equivalents

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Mathematical Proofs

\square , \blacksquare , QED Marks the end of a proof

Direct Proof

- starts by some assumption

e.g. Verify $x = \sqrt{2+\sqrt{2}}$ satisfies

$$x^4 - 4x^2 + 2 = 0$$

Proof:

$$\text{Let } x = \sqrt{2+\sqrt{2}}$$

$$x^2 = (\sqrt{2+\sqrt{2}})^2 = 2 + \sqrt{2}$$

$$x^4 = (2 + \sqrt{2})^2 = 4 + 2 + 4\sqrt{2}$$

$$x^4 = 6 + 4\sqrt{2}$$

Hence

$$\begin{aligned} x^4 - 4x^2 + 2 &= (6 + 4\sqrt{2}) - 4(2 + \sqrt{2}) + 2 \\ &= 6 + 4\sqrt{2} - 8 - 4\sqrt{2} + 2 \\ &= 6 + 2 - 8 \\ &= 8 - 8 \quad \square \end{aligned}$$

e.g. Check $y = 3e^{2x} - 2e^{3x}$ is a solution

$$\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} - 5 \frac{dy}{dx} + 6y = 0$$

Proof:

$$\text{Let } y = 3e^{2x} - 2e^{3x}$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = 6e^{2x} - 6e^{3x}$$

$$\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = 12e^{2x} - 18e^{3x}$$

Hence

$$\begin{aligned} &(12e^{2x} - 18e^{3x}) - 5(6e^{2x} - 6e^{3x}) + 6(3e^{2x} - 2e^{3x}) \\ &= 12e^{2x} - 18e^{3x} - 30e^{2x} + 30e^{3x} + 18e^{2x} - 12e^{3x} \\ &= 18e^{2x} - 18e^{2x} - 18e^{3x} + 18e^{3x} = 0 \quad \square \end{aligned}$$

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Example 2.4.7

$(\forall n \in \mathbb{N})(\exists m \in \mathbb{N})(m = n + 1)$ is true

Proof:

$$(n \in \mathbb{N}) \Rightarrow (\exists m \in \mathbb{N})(m = n + 1)$$

Let $n \in \mathbb{N}$ be given

Define $m = n + 1$, which is a natural number \square

$(\exists m \in \mathbb{N})(\forall n \in \mathbb{N})(m = n + 1)$ is false

Proof:

To prove a statement is false we must prove its negation is true

$(\forall m \in \mathbb{N})(\exists n \in \mathbb{N})(m \neq n + 1)$ Negation

We prove this:

$$(m \in \mathbb{N}) \Rightarrow (\exists n \in \mathbb{N})(m \neq n + 1) \text{ equivalent}$$

Let $m \in \mathbb{N}$ be given.

Define $n = m \in \mathbb{N}$:

Then $n + 1 \neq m \quad \square$

Therefore order matters

Direct Proof:

$$\begin{array}{cc} x & y \\ D & D \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{c} x+y \\ E \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{cc} x & y \\ D & D \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{c} x \cdot y \\ D \end{array}$$

Proof:

$$\text{Let } x = 2m+1, y = 2n+1 \quad m, n \in \mathbb{Z}$$

$$\begin{aligned} x+y &= (2m+1) + (2n+1) \\ &= 2m+2n+2 \\ &= 2(m+n+1) \quad \leftarrow \mathbb{Z} = \text{Even} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} x \cdot y &= (2m+1)(2n+1) \\ &= 4mn+2m+2n+1 \\ &= 2(2mn+m+n)+1 \quad \leftarrow \mathbb{Z} = \text{Odd} \end{aligned}$$

□

$(\forall x \in A \cap P(x)) \equiv (\exists x \in A) \Rightarrow (P(x))$
Logically Equivalent

3.2. B

m^2+n+mn^2 is always even

$$\begin{array}{cc} m & n \\ D & D \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{l} m^2 = m \text{ in parity} \\ = m+n+mn \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{c} n^2 = n \text{ in parity} \\ +mn \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{cc} D & E \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{cc} E & D \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{cc} E & E \end{array}$$

$$m+n$$

$$\begin{array}{c} E \\ D \\ E \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{c} D \\ D \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{c} E \\ E \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{cc} m & n \\ D & D \end{array}$$

$$m+n$$

$$\begin{array}{c} E \\ D \\ O \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{c} O \\ F \end{array}$$

$$mn$$

$$\begin{array}{c} D \\ E \\ E \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{c} E \\ F \end{array}$$

$$(m+n) + mn$$

$$\begin{array}{c} D \\ D \\ D \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{c} D \\ F \end{array}$$

$$m \neq n + mn = mn + mn = 2(mn)$$

Case 1: m and n both odd

$mn = \text{odd}$, $m+n = \text{even}$

$m, n \in \mathbb{Z}$ Therefore $2(mn) = \text{even}$

3.2.10 Look at 3.2.10

↓
if and only if means bi-implication
connective (2 proofs)

Proof by Contraposition

$$p \Rightarrow q \equiv (\neg q) \Rightarrow (\neg p)$$

Example 3.3.1

Let x be real if $x^2 < 9$ then $x < 3$

$$\neg(x < 3) \Rightarrow (\neg(x^2 < 9))$$

$$(x \geq 3) \Rightarrow (x^2 \geq 9) \text{ True}$$

Therefore by law of contraposition this is true

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Proof by Contraposition

$$p \Rightarrow q \equiv (\neg q) \Rightarrow (\neg p)$$

3.3.3 Let $n = \text{integer}$. n is even if and only if n^2 is even

$$(\text{n^2 is even}) \Rightarrow (\text{n is even})$$

By contraposition

$$\neg(\text{n is even}) \Rightarrow \neg(\text{n^2 is even})$$

$$(\text{n is odd}) \Rightarrow (\text{n^2 is odd})$$

Let $n = 2m+1$

$$(2m+1)^2 = 4m^2 + 4m + 1$$

$$= 2(2m^2 + 2m) + 1 \quad \therefore \text{Odd} \quad \square$$

* Try 3.3.4, 3.3.5, 3.3.A

Proof by Contradiction

$$\begin{aligned}\neg(p \Rightarrow q) &\equiv p \text{ and } (\neg q) \\ p \Rightarrow q &\equiv \neg(p \text{ and } (\neg q))\end{aligned}$$

3.4.1 There is a rational number which is greater than every natural number

$$C \exists r \in \mathbb{Q} (\forall n \in \mathbb{N} (r > n))$$

Claim: False, so negation true

$$C \forall r \in \mathbb{Q} \neg (\forall n \in \mathbb{N} (r > n))$$

$$\underbrace{(r \in \mathbb{Q})}_{P} \Rightarrow \underbrace{\neg (\forall n \in \mathbb{N} (r > n))}_{P'}$$

Proof by contradiction

$$p \Rightarrow q \equiv p \text{ and } (\neg q)$$

Assume p and $(\neg q)$

$$(r \in \mathbb{Q}) \text{ and } (\forall n \in \mathbb{N} (r > n))$$

Observe: $r > 1$, so $r = \frac{k}{m}$ for some $k, m \in \mathbb{N}$ with $k > m$

Define $n = k+1$. Then $n = k+1 > k > \frac{k}{m} = r$

This contradicts that $r > n$ \square

3.4.2 The most famous proof by contradiction
 $\sqrt{2}$ is irrational

$$x = \sqrt{2} \quad x^2 = 2$$

$$((x \in \mathbb{Q}, \infty) \text{ and } (x^2 = 2)) \Rightarrow (x \notin \mathbb{Q})$$

$$(x \in \mathbb{Q}, \infty) \text{ and } (x^2 = 2) \text{ and } \neg(x \notin \mathbb{Q})$$

$$(x \in \mathbb{Q}, \infty) \text{ and } (x^2 = 2) \text{ and } (x \in \mathbb{Q})$$

$(x \in (0, \infty) \text{ and } x^2 = 2)$ and $(x \in \mathbb{Q})$

Then write $x = \frac{a}{b}$ where $a, b \in \mathbb{N}$

Assume a and b have no common factors (Simplif)

$$2 = (\sqrt{2})^2 = x^2 = \left(\frac{a}{b}\right)^2 = \frac{a^2}{b^2}$$

$$2 = \frac{a^2}{b^2} \quad a^2 = 2b^2$$

Therefore a^2 is even, a is even
 $\therefore a = 2c$ where $c \in \mathbb{N}$

$$(2c)^2 = 4c^2 = 2b^2$$

$b^2 = 2c^2$ Therefore b^2 is even, b is even

This is a contradiction as it shows a common factor of 2 when there should be no common factors

□

Proof by Counterexample

Just need to display one instance that disproves a statement

Terminology -

Theorem - Important result that has been proved

Proposition - less important result - proved

Lemma - stepping stone in further proof

Corollary - consequence of another result - proved

Conjecture - Not yet proved

Counterexample - Example shows conjecture false

- * How to Self-Explain proof Lara Alcock

Number Theory -

$a, b \in \mathbb{Z}$

a divides b if there exists $q \in \mathbb{Z}$ such that
 $b = qa$

$a|b = a$ divides b (a is a factor / divisor)
of b

$a \nmid b = a$ doesn't divide b

(+/-) signs are irrelevant to questions of divisibility

If either $a=0$ or $b=0$ or both then
 \mathbb{Z} has no zero divisors

4.1.6 (i)

If $a|b$ and $b|c$ then $a|c$

Proof:

Let $a, b, c \in \mathbb{Z}$ and suppose $a|b, b|c$

Then: $b = aq$, and $c = br$

for some $q, r \in \mathbb{Z}$

$$\begin{aligned} c &= br = (aq)r = a(qr) \\ \text{so } a|c &\quad \square \end{aligned}$$

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* Self-Explain Lara Alcock

Recall $a, b \in \mathbb{Z}$ $a \mid b$ a is a factor of b
 $\text{if } b = qa \text{ for some } q \in \mathbb{Z}$

Don't confuse

- \ set-theory difference
- / is a factor of or divides
- / division, fractions e.g. $\frac{2}{3}$

4.1.6 (ii) If $a \mid b$ then $a \mid bc$

Proof: (Direct) Suppose $b = qa$ for some $q \in \mathbb{Z}$

Then $bc = (qa)c = q(ac)$ so $a \mid bc$. \square

$|x|$ = Absolute value (modulus)

4.1.6 (iii) $a \mid 1$ if and only if $a = \pm 1$

Bi-implication (prove \Rightarrow , \Leftarrow)

\Rightarrow Suppose $a \mid 1$, so $1 = aq$ for some $q \in \mathbb{Z}$. Then $1 = |1| = |aq|$
 $= |a| \cdot |q|$

Note: $|a|, |q| \in \mathbb{N}$, and $1 = 1 \cdot 1$ is the only factorisation of 1 as a product of two natural numbers.

Hence: $|a| = 1$, $|q| = 1$, $a = \pm 1$

\Leftarrow Suppose $a = \pm 1$ then $1 = a \cdot a$ so $a \mid 1$

\square

Bi-implication

4.1.6 (w) $a \mid b$ and $b \mid a$ if and only if $b = \pm a$

Proof:

\Rightarrow Suppose $a \mid b$ and $b \mid a$, say $b = qa$

and $a = rb$, $q, r \in \mathbb{Z}$

$$a = rb = r(qa) = rq(a) \text{ so } (rq) = 1$$

and $r, q \in \mathbb{Z}$

$$0 = (rq)a - a$$

$$= (rq - 1)a = 0$$

Hence either $a = 0$ or $rq - 1 \neq 0$

If $a = 0$, then $b = 0$ so $a = b$

Otherwise $rq = 1 \therefore q \mid 1$ so $q = \pm 1$
by (iii)

Then $b = qa$ $b = (\pm 1)a$
 $b = \pm a$

\Leftarrow Suppose $b = a$ or $b = -a$
clearly $a \mid b$ $b \mid a$ $b = (\pm 1)a$
so $a \mid b$

because $a = 1 \cdot b$
 $b = 1 \cdot a$

Also $a = (-1)b$
so $b \mid a$

Proved for both cases \square

Theorem 4.18

Division
with
remainder

4.1.9

Theorem 4.18 Division with Remainder

Proof: Given $a \in \mathbb{Z}$ and $d \in \mathbb{N}$ there exist unique $q, r \in \mathbb{Z}$ such that $a = qd + r$ and $0 \leq r < d$

"Existence": Define *

$$S = \{n \in \mathbb{Z} : dn \leq a\}$$

I want to define q to be the max of set S
I must check:

- $S \neq \emptyset$ (because $-|a| \in S$ because $-|a| \in \mathbb{Z}$ and $d \cdot (-|a|) = -d \cdot |a|$)
so $-d \cdot |a| \leq 1$
 $-|a| \leq a$)
- S is bounded above $S \subseteq [-\infty, |a|]$,
that is, $(n \in S) \Rightarrow (n \leq |a|)$

Proof by contraposition:

Suppose $n > |a|$, then $dn \geq n > |a| > a$
* $dn > a \xrightarrow{d > 1} n \notin S$

Define $r = a - qd \in \mathbb{Z}$ Then $a = qd + r$
by definition. Moreover, $q \in S$, so
 $dq \leq a$, so $0 \leq a - dq = r$.

Also $q+1 \notin S$ because q is the max of S
 $\Rightarrow d(q+1) > a$
 $\Rightarrow dq + d > a$
 $\Rightarrow d > a - dq$
 $\Rightarrow d > r$

In conclusion, $0 \leq r < d$.

"Uniqueness"

Suppose $a = q_1 d + r_1$ and $a = q_2 d + r_2$
where $q_1, r_1, q_2, r_2 \in \mathbb{Z}$
and $0 \leq r_1, r_2 < d$

Need to show: $r_1 = r_2$ and $q_1 = q_2$

We may suppose $r_1 > r_2$

I show:

- $r_1 - r_2 \in \{0, 1, \dots, d-1\}$
- $d \mid r_1 - r_2$

Once this is shown $r_1 - r_2 = 0$

$r_1 - r_2 \in \mathbb{Z}$ and $r_1 > r_2$, so $r_1 - r_2 > 0$

Also $r_1 - r_2 \leq r_1$ because $r_2 > 0$

$r_1 \leq d-1$. $r_1 - r_2 \leq d-1$ so $r_1 - r_2 = 0$

Second bullet point:

$$r_1 - r_2 = (a - q_1 d) - (a - q_2 d)$$

$$r_1 - r_2 = \cancel{a} - q_1 d - \cancel{a} + q_2 d$$

$$r_1 - r_2 = (q_2 - q_1) d$$

$$\therefore d \mid r_1 - r_2 \quad \mathbb{Z}$$

so $r_1 - r_2$ must be equal to 0

Hence $r_1 = r_2$

$$(q_2 - q_1) d = 0 \text{ and } d \neq 0$$

$$\text{so } (q_2 - q_1) = 0$$

$$\text{so } q_1 = q_2$$

$$q_1 = q_2$$

$$r_1 = r_2 \quad \square$$

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MATH 111 LO4 (Bezout, Euclidean)

A common factor is a factor that divides both a and b .

The set of common factors of a and b is the intersection of the sets of factors of a and b .

If a and b are both non-zero the set of common factors is non-empty and bounded above (by $|a|$ if $a \neq 0$). This largest element is named the highest common factor.

$\text{hcf}(18, 30) = \text{highest common factor of } 18 \text{ and } 30.$

$$\text{hcf}(18, 30) = 6$$

Rules $\begin{cases} \text{hcf}(0, 0) = \text{undefined} \\ \text{hcf}(a, b) = \text{hcf}(-a, b) \text{ signs don't matter} \\ \text{hcf}(a, b) = \text{hcf}(b, a) \text{ order doesn't matter} \\ \text{if } b \mid a \quad \text{hcf}(a, b) = |b|. \end{cases}$

Lemma 4.2.6

Let $a, b \in \mathbb{Z} \setminus \{0\}$, $d \in \mathbb{N}$ is a common factor of a and b . If every other factor is also a factor of d then d is the hcf.

An (integral) linear combination of two integers a and b is an integer c

$$c = ra + sb \text{ for some } r, s \in \mathbb{Z}$$

e.g. $114 = 3(18) + 2(30)$

114 is integral linear combination of 18 and 30 .

r and s will never be the same (unique)
as then the linear combination must be
factors.

Example 4.2.10

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Suppose } n &= ra + sb \\ &= ra + ba - ab + sb \\ &= (r+b)a + (s-a)b. \\ &\quad \uparrow \mathbb{Z} \quad \uparrow \mathbb{Z} \\ &= ta + ub \end{aligned}$$

$$114 = 3(18) + 2(30)$$

$$114 = (3+30)18 + (2-18)30$$

$$114 = (33)18 + (-16)30$$

Shows there are many linear combinations

Lemma 4.2.11

Let $a, b, c \in \mathbb{Z}$ and suppose c is a common factor of a and b . c is then a factor of every integral linear combination.

Proof:

$$a = qc, b = rc \text{ for } q, r \in \mathbb{Z}$$

Let $n \in \mathbb{Z}$ be an i.l.c of a, b ,

$$\text{say } n = sa + tb, \text{ where } s, t \in \mathbb{Z}$$

$$\text{Then } n = sa + tb = s(qc) + t(rc) !$$

$$= (sq + tr)c. \text{ Then } c \text{ is a factor of } n$$

$\uparrow \mathbb{Z}$

Corollary 4.2.13

Let $a, b \in \mathbb{Z} \setminus \{0\}$
and $d \in \mathbb{N}$ is a common factor of a
and b which is also a i.l.c of a
and b then $d = \text{hcf}(a, b)$

Bézout's Theorem, (4.2.15).

Let $a, b \in \mathbb{Z} \setminus \{0\}$. Then $\text{hcf}(a, b)$ is the smallest natural number which is an integral linear combination of a and b .

Proof: Let S be the set of natural numbers which are i.l.c of a and b .

$$S = \{n \in \mathbb{N} : (\exists r, s \in \mathbb{Z})(n = ra + sb)\}$$

S is non-empty as $|a| = \pm 1 \cdot a + 0 \cdot b$
so it has a smallest element d

$$d = \min S$$

$\therefore d = ra + sb$ for some $r, s \in \mathbb{Z}$

Use Theorem 4.1.8 to see $d \mid a$:

$a = qd + t$ with $q, t \in \mathbb{Z}$ and $0 \leq t < d$

$$\text{Then } t = a - qd \quad \dots$$

$$= a - q(ra + sb)$$

$$= a - qra - qsb$$

$$= (1 - qr)a - (qs)b$$

$$\in \mathbb{Z} \subset \mathbb{Z}$$

$\therefore t$ is an i.l.c of a and b and if $t > 0$ then $t \in S$

However $0 \leq t < d$ and $d \min S$ so $t \notin S$
so $t = 0$, $a = qd$

and $d \mid a$

A similar argument also shows $d \mid b$
and so d is a common factor of a and b .
Corollary 4.2.13 shows therefore that
 $d = \text{hcf}(a, b)$

The Euclidean Algorithm (4.3)

A purpose of calculating hcf and writing hcf as an i.l.c

4.3.1 If $a, b, q, r \in \mathbb{Z}$ with $b \neq 0$ and
 $a = qb + r$ then $\text{hcf}(a, b) = \text{hcf}(b, r)$

$$\therefore \text{e.g } 38 = 4(8) + 6 \\ \text{hcf}(38, 8) = \text{hcf}(8, 6) = 2$$

Proof: Let $d \in \mathbb{Z}$ be a factor of b
 $d \mid a$ if and only if $d \mid r$. Lemma 4.2.11
If $d \mid a$ then $d \mid r = a - qb$ and if
 $d \mid r$ then $d \mid a = qb + r$
Because $a = qb + r$ and $r = a - qb$ is the
integral linear combination so
 d is a common factor of a and b
and so $\text{hcf}(a, b) = \text{hcf}(b, r)$

Example 4.3.3

Find $\text{hcf}(115, 25)$

$$115 = 4(25) + 15$$

$$25 = 1(15) + 10$$

$$15 = 1(10) + 5$$

$$10 = 2(5) + 0$$

$$\text{so } \text{hcf}(115, 25) = 5$$

Terminates when remainder 0, inversely

$$\begin{aligned} 5 &= 15 - 10 \\ &= 15 - (25 - 15) \\ &= 2 \cdot 15 - 25 \\ &= 2(115 - 4 \cdot 25) - 25 \\ &= 2 \cdot 115 + (-9) \cdot 25 \end{aligned}$$

Example find $\text{hcf}(49, 237)$ as an i.l.c

$$237 = 4(49) + 41$$

$$49 = 1(41) + 8$$

$$41 = 5(8) + 1$$

$$8 = 8(1) + 0$$

$$\text{so } \text{hcf}(237, 49) = 1$$

$$1 = 41 - 5(8) \quad 8 = 49 - 41$$

$$1 = 41 - 5(49 - 41)$$

$$= 41(6) - 5(49) \quad 41 = 237 - 4(49)$$

$$= 6(237 - 4(49)) - 5(49)$$

$$= 6(237) - 24(49) - 5(49)$$

$$1 = 6(237) - 29(49)$$

Example find $\text{hcf}(117, 48)$ as an i.l.c

$$117 = 2(48) + 21$$

$$48 = 2(21) + 6$$

$$21 = 3(6) + 3$$

$$6 = 2(3)$$

$$\text{so } \text{hcf}(117, 48) = 3$$

$$3 = 21 - 3(6) \quad 6 = 48 - 2(21)$$

$$= 21 - 3(48 - 2(21))$$

$$= 7(21) - 3(48) \quad 21 = 117 - 2(48)$$

$$= 7(117 - 2(48)) - 3(48)$$

$$3 = 7(117) - 17(48)$$

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Euclidean Algorithm Formula

$$\begin{aligned} a &= q_1 b + r_1 \quad (0 < r_1 < |b|) \\ b &= q_2 r_1 + r_2 \quad (0 < r_2 < r_1) \\ r_1 &= q_3 r_2 + r_3 \quad (0 < r_3 < r_2) \\ &\dots \end{aligned}$$

$$r_{n-3} = q_{n-1} r_{n-2} + r_{n-1} \quad (0 < r_{n-1} < r_{n-2})$$

$$r_{n-2} = q_n r_{n-1} + 0$$

4.4 Bezout's Theorem Applications

$\text{Chcf}(a, b)$ is the smallest natural number which is an i.l.c of a and b)

Proposition 4.4.1 ($a, b \in \mathbb{Z} \setminus \{0\}$) and $d \in \mathbb{N}$
has a common factor of a and b .

- a) d is the highest common factor of a and b
 - b) d is an i.l.c of a and b
 - c) every common factor is a factor of d
- Bézout's theorem proves a) implies b), Lemma 4.2.11 makes b) imply c), c) implies a by Lemma 4.2.6

a) \Rightarrow b)
 ⇤ ⇣ Proved
 c)

Definition 4.4.2

Co-prime means no common factors other than ± 1

Euclid's Lemma If a and b are co-prime then $\text{hcf}(a, b) = 1$
 1 is an i.l.c \therefore since there are no $n \in \mathbb{N}$
 smaller than 1 this is true by (Bézout's)

Theorem 4.4.6

Let $a, b, p \in \mathbb{Z} \setminus \{0\}$ and suppose $p \mid ab$
 and a and p are co-prime then $p \mid b$

Proof:

Since $p \mid ab$, $ab = pq$ for $q \in \mathbb{Z}$

Since $\text{hcf}(a, p) = 1$ $1 = ra + sp$ for $r, s \in \mathbb{Z}$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Then } b &= b \cdot 1 = b(ra + sp) \\ &= bra + bsp \end{aligned}$$

$$= (ab)r + bsp \quad (\text{remember } ab = pq)$$

$$= (pq)r + bsp$$

$$= p(qr + bs)$$

$$\in \mathbb{Z} \therefore p \mid b \quad \square$$

4.4.8 Let $a, b \in \mathbb{Z} \setminus \{0\}$ i.l.c of a and b are
 precisely multiples of $\text{hcf}(a, b)$

$$\text{e.g. } \text{hcf}(18, 30) = 6$$

$$6 = 2a - b \quad 24 = 4(6) = 4(2a - b)$$

Proof:

Let $d = \text{hcf}(a, b)$ and $n \in \mathbb{Z}$

$$(\exists r, s \in \mathbb{Z}) (n = ra + sb) \Leftrightarrow (d \mid n)$$

\Rightarrow suppose $n = ra + sb$, $d \mid a$ and $d \mid b$

Lemma 4.2.11 implies $d \mid n$

\Leftarrow suppose $d \mid n$ say $n = md$ for some $m \in \mathbb{Z}$

by 4.2.15 $d = ua + vb$ for $u, v \in \mathbb{Z}$

$$n = md = (mu)a + (mv)b = ra + sb \quad \square$$

Using
4.4.8
result)

Exercise 4.4.A

-28, -24, 276, 284 i.l.c of 36 and 48?

$$\text{hcf}(36, 48)$$

$$48 = 1(36) + 12$$

$$36 = 3(12) + 0$$

$$\text{hcf} = 12$$

-24, 276 are multiples of 12 and therefore can be written as i.l.c of 36 and 48.

Proposition 4.4.10 $\text{hcf}(ca, cb) = c \cdot \text{hcf}(a, b)$

$$\text{e.g. } \text{hcf}(12, 20) = 4$$

$$\text{hcf}(120, 200) = 10(4) = 40$$

Proof:

set $d = \text{hcf}(a, b)$, since $d|a$, $d|b$ and $d|a$

so d is a common factor of ca and cb .

use Bézout's to write as i.l.c

write $d = ra + sb$ for $r, s \in \mathbb{Z}$

$$cd = cra + csb$$

$$= r(ca) + s(cb)$$

cd is an i.l.c of ca and cb

$\therefore cd = \text{hcf}(ca, cb)$ and i.l.c of ca and cb

(by Prop 4.4.1)

Corollary 4.4.12 Let $a, b \in \mathbb{Z} \setminus \{0\}$ $d = \text{hcf}(a, b)$

$a = d\alpha$ $b = dB$ $a, B \in \mathbb{Z}$ then α and B are co-prime.

Proof: $\text{hcf}(a, b) = \text{hcf}(da, dB)$

$$d = d \cdot \text{hcf}(\alpha, B)$$

$$\text{hcf}(\alpha, B) = 1 \quad \square$$

4.5 Lowest common multiples

4.5.1 $a, b \in \mathbb{Z} \setminus \{0\}$; c is a common multiple of a and b if it is a multiple of a and b
 $a|c$ and $b|c$

The set of positive multiples of a and b must not = \emptyset

4.5.3 The smallest set of common multiples of a and b = $\text{lcm}(a, b)$

If A is the set of multiples of a and B is the set of multiples of b then $\text{lcm}(a, b) = |A \cap B \cap \mathbb{N}|$

Theorem 4.5.5 Let $a, b \in \mathbb{N}$

$$\text{lcm}(a, b) = \frac{ab}{\text{hcf}(a, b)}$$

Proof: Let $d = \text{hcf}(a, b)$ $a = da$ $b = dB$, $\alpha, \beta \in \mathbb{N}$

Corollary 4.4.12, Theorem 4.2.75 imply

$r, s \in \mathbb{Z}$ such that ab/d is the $\text{lcm}(a, b)$

$$ra + sb = 1$$

$$\frac{ab}{d} = \frac{da \cdot b}{d} = \alpha b \quad \frac{ab}{d} = \frac{ad \cdot B}{d} = \alpha B$$

so therefore ab/d is a common multiple of a and b .

Suppose c is a common multiple of a and b .

$$c = ap, bq \quad p, q \in \mathbb{Z}$$

$$c = c \cdot 1 = c(r\alpha + s\beta) = cra + cs\beta = (bq)r\alpha +$$

$$(bq)\alpha + (ap)s\beta = (qr)(ab) + (ps)(aB)$$

$$= (qr) \left(\frac{ab}{d} \right) + (ps) \left(\frac{ab}{d} \right) = (ar + ps) \left(\frac{ab}{d} \right)$$

ab/d is a factor of c

Since c is positive $ab/d \leq c$ so ab/d is the smallest positive common multiple of a and b . This statement is also true when c is a negative common multiple.

Therefore

$$\text{Lcm}(a, b) = \frac{ab}{\text{Hcf}(a, b)}$$

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MATH 111 Prime Numbers (4.6) L10

* p is prime if the only natural numbers that divide p are 1 and p itself. Otherwise, p is composite
1 is neither prime nor composite (0, ±1)

Sieve of Eratosthenes - Grid of first 100 and cross out composites.

Reminder

[Euclid's Lemma (Let $a, b, p \in \mathbb{Z} \setminus \{0\}$)
suppose $p \mid ab$ and $\text{hcf}(a, p) = 1$ then $p \mid b$,
(Proved in L09)]

4.6.2 Let $p \in \{2, 3, 4, \dots\}$ Then p is prime,
when $a, b \in \mathbb{N}$ and $p \mid ab$ then $p \mid a$ or $p \mid b$.
 $(\forall a, b \in \mathbb{N}) ((p \mid ab) \Rightarrow ((p \mid a) \text{ or } (p \mid b)))$

Proof:

If $p \mid a$ then true so assume $p \nmid a$. Suppose
 p is prime so $p \nmid a$. Then $\text{hcf}(a, p) \neq p$
so $\text{hcf}(a, p) \mid p$ and p is prime so
 $\text{hcf}(a, p) = 1$.

Euclid's Lemma means $p \mid b$ and so this
is true.

\Leftarrow contrapositive ($s \Rightarrow t$) $\neg t \Rightarrow \neg s$ ($t \Rightarrow s$) ($\neg s \Rightarrow \neg t$)

Suppose p is composite then $p = ab$
for $a, b \in \{2, 3, 4, \dots, p-1\}$
 $\therefore p \mid ab$ but $p \nmid a$ or $p \nmid b$ because
a and b are smaller than p. So
this is not true \square

4.6.3 then goes on to show this works for
products of more than 2 factors.

Fundamental theorem of Arithmetic

- All natural numbers ≥ 2 can be expressed as a product of prime factors

4.6.4

$P(n)$: "n can be written as a product of primes"

Existence

$Q(n)$: "there is only one way of writing n as a product of primes, up to the order of the factors."

"Uniqueness"

Proof:

Proof by Induction

True for $n=2$ so $P(2)$ and $Q(2)$ are satisfied as it is both true and unique

Inductive Step:

Let $n \geq 2$ and assume $P(k)$ and $Q(k)$ are true for each k . If $n+1$ is prime, then $P(n+1)$ and $Q(n+1)$ are true for the same reasons as before.

"Existence" $P(n+1)$, since $n+1$ is composite $n+1 = ab$
 $a, b \in \{2, 3, \dots, n\}$, by the induction hypothesis $p(a)$ and $p(b)$ are true.

$\therefore n+1$ can be written as a product of primes as a and b can be written as products of primes.

$$n+1 = ab = p_1 p_2 \cdots p_r \cdot q_1 q_2 \cdots q_s$$

so $P(n+1)$ is true



$Q(n+1)$ suppose

$$n+1 = p_1 p_2 \cdots p_r \circ q_1 q_2 \cdots q_s$$

$$n+1 = q_1 q_2 \cdots q_5$$

$$n+1 = p_1 p_2 \cdots p_r$$

where $r, s \in \mathbb{N}$ $p_1 p_2 \dots$ are primes and equivalent to $q_1 q_2 \dots$

157, 2 because $n+1$ is composite

p_i divides $n+1$ so 4.6.3 implies $p_i \mid q_j$ for some j . prime

$m \neq 1$ because $r \geq 2$ so $Q(m)$ is true so
 $m \in \{2, 3, 4, \dots, n\}$

Therefore the two prime factorisations are the same so therefore as $r = s$ then it means there are the same number of elements and they must be equal.

$Q(n+1)$ satisfied \square

Fermat's prime conjecture 4.6.7

$P(n)$: " $2^{2n} + 1$ is prime"

True for $n=1, 2, 3, 4$. Fermat conjectured it was true for all n .

However, Euler disproved this using P(S)

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"Existence" Theorem 4.7.1 There are infinitely many prime numbers.

Proof by contradiction: Assume only finite amount

$$p_1, p_2, \dots, p_n, n \in \mathbb{N}$$

$$N = p_1 p_2 \dots p_n + 1 \in \{2, 3, 4, \dots\}$$

4.6.4 shows this must be either as a product of primes. Call this $p_j : j \in \{1, 2, \dots, n\}$

$$N = p_j \cdot q, q \in \mathbb{N}$$

$$N = (p_j \cdot r) + 1 \text{ where } r = p_1 p_2 \dots p_{j-1} \cdot p_{j+1} \dots p_n$$

$$p_j q = N = (p_j r) + 1$$

$$1 = p_j q - p_j r$$

$1 = p_j(q - r) \therefore p_j = \pm 1$ however
this contradicts p_j is prime \square

$$n = p_1^{a_1} p_2^{a_2} \dots p_r^{a_r} \text{ where } p_1 < p_2 < \dots < p_r \quad (\text{product of primes formula})$$

Proposition 4.7.3 $m \mid n$ if

$$n = p_1^{a_1} p_2^{a_2} \dots p_r^{a_r} \text{ and } m = p_1^{b_1} p_2^{b_2} \dots p_r^{b_r}$$

where $b_j \in \{0, 1, \dots, a_j\}$ for $j \in \{1, 2, \dots, r\}$

when you have a number expressed as a product of prime factors e.g.

$$1400 = 2^3 \times 5 \times 5 \times 7 = 2^3 \times 5^2 \times 7$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Number of factors} &= (3+1) \times (2+1) \times (1+1) \\ &= 24 \text{ factors} \end{aligned}$$

Proof of this:

\Rightarrow Suppose $m \in \mathbb{N}$ min where $n = qm$
 $q \in \mathbb{N}$ since the prime factor of qm
 $= qm = \text{prime factors of } q \times \text{prime factors of } m$. $= p_1 p_2 \dots p_r$.

$$m = p_1^{b_1} p_2^{b_2} \dots p_r^{b_r} \text{ and } q = p_1^{c_1} p_2^{c_2} \dots p_r^{c_r}$$

when b_1, \dots, b_r and $c_1 \dots c_r$ are $\in \mathbb{N}$ or 0

$$p_1^{a_1} p_2^{a_2} \dots p_r^{a_r} = n = qm$$

$$= p_1^{b_1} p_2^{b_2} \dots p_r^{b_r} p_1^{c_1} p_2^{c_2} \dots p_r^{c_r}$$

$$= p_1^{b_1+c_1} p_2^{b_2+c_2} \dots p_r^{b_r+c_r}$$

Using uniqueness of prime factorisation \therefore
 $a_j = b_j + c_j$ for each j and b, \dots, c are
non-negative and because $a_j = b_j + c_j$ then
 $b_j \leq a_j$

If $(b_1, b_2, \dots, b_r) \neq (c_1, c_2, c_r)$

then $p_1^{b_1} p_2^{b_2} \dots p_r^{b_r} \neq p_1^{c_1} p_2^{c_2} \dots p_r^{c_r}$

4.7.11 (Using 4.7.9 Lemma)

$$\text{Let } m = p_1^{a_1} p_2^{a_2} \dots p_r^{a_r} \quad n = p_1^{b_1} p_2^{b_2} \dots p_r^{b_r}$$

$$\text{hcf}(m, n) = p_1^{c_1} p_2^{c_2} \dots p_r^{c_r}$$

$$\text{lcm}(m, n) = p_1^{d_1} p_2^{d_2} \dots p_r^{d_r}$$

where $c_j = \min\{a_j, b_j\}$ and $d_j = \max\{a_j, b_j\}$
for each $j \in \{1, 2, \dots, r\}$

e.g. $m = 240 \quad n = 108$

$$m = 2^4 \cdot 3 \cdot 5 \quad n = 2^2 \cdot 3^3$$

$$\text{so } \text{hcf}(m, n) = 2^2 \cdot 3 (12)$$

$$\text{lcm}(m, n) = 2^4 \cdot 3^3 \cdot 5 (2160)$$

[min and max
means largest /
smallest powers.]

4.7.11 Proof

If factor $k \mid m$ has the form $K = p_1^{e_1} p_2^{e_2} \dots p_r^{e_r}$ where $0 \leq e_j \leq a_j$ for each $j \in \{1, 2, \dots, r\}$. For $k \mid m$ K must be a factor of n . so $0 \leq e_j \leq b_j$ as well.

common factors of m and n

$K = p_1^{e_1} p_2^{e_2} \dots p_r^{e_r}$ with $0 \leq e_j \leq a_j$ and $0 \leq e_j \leq b_j$
 so largest value of $e_j = \min\{a_j, b_j\}$
 so $\text{lcf} = \min\{a_j, b_j\}$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{lcf}(m, n) &= m, n \\ \text{lcf}(m, n) &= p_1^{a_1} p_2^{a_2} \dots p_r^{a_r} p_1^{b_1} p_2^{b_2} \dots p_r^{b_r} \\ &= p_1^{d_1} p_2^{d_2} \dots p_r^{d_r} \text{ by collecting like powers} \\ &= p_1^{a_1 + b_1 - c_1} p_2^{a_2 + b_2 - c_2} \dots p_r^{a_r + b_r - c_r}\end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Then } d_j = a_j + b_j - c_j$$

$$= a_j + b_j - \min\{a_j, b_j\}$$

$$\text{lcf}(m, n) = \max\{a_j, b_j\}$$

L12

MATH 111 L12 Congruences

Given $a, b \in \mathbb{Z}$ and $m \in \mathbb{N}$ a is congruent to
 b modulo m if $m \mid a - b$ in this case:

$m \mid a - b$ [$a \equiv b \pmod{m}$;] (m is named the modulus)
congruence not the same as the other
modulus \dagger

$$\text{e.g. } 7 \equiv 2 \pmod{5}$$

$$7-2 = \text{multiple of } 5$$

$$\text{e.g. } -10 \equiv 8 \pmod{6}$$

$$-10 - 8 = -18 = \text{multiple of } 6$$

$$\text{e.g } 28 \equiv 13 \pmod{5}$$

$$15 = 5(3)$$

$$28 = 3(5) + 13$$

$$28 = 3(5) + 13 \quad \text{Other ways of expression}$$

$$28 = 5(5) + 3$$

$$a \equiv b \pmod{m} \iff m \mid a - b \quad (*)$$

If $a \equiv b \pmod{m}$ then $a - b = qm$

$$a = qm + b$$

Suppose $a = qm + b$. Let remainder of b/m be r

$r \in \{1, \dots, m-1\}$ and $b = sm + r$

$$a = qm + b = qm + sm + r$$

$$= (q+3)m + r \therefore \text{remainder } q/m = r$$

If a and b have remainder r

$$a = qm + r \quad b = sm + r$$

$$a - b = (qm + r) - (sm + r)$$

$$= (q-s)m \quad \text{so } m \text{ divides } a-b (+)$$

Numbers congruent to $a \pmod{m}$

$\dots, a-2m, a-m, a, a+m, a+2m \dots$

If remainder $a \pmod{m} = r$

$$a \equiv r \pmod{m}$$

Lemma 5.1.17

Suppose $a \equiv b \pmod{m}$

then $b \equiv a \pmod{m}$

because if m divides $a-b$ it divides $-(a-b)$

$$\Leftrightarrow b-a$$

Lemma 5.1.19

Suppose $a \equiv b \pmod{m}$ $b \equiv c \pmod{m}$ Then $a \equiv c \pmod{m}$
because $(a+c) - (b+c) = a - b$



$m \mid a-b$ and $m \mid b-c$

so $m \mid (a-b) + (b-c)$

$m \mid a-c$

Linear congruences (5.2)

This involves an unknown x

e.g. $xc \equiv c \pmod{n}$, $xc+a \equiv b \pmod{m}$ or

$ax \equiv b \pmod{m}$

5.2.1

e.g. $4x \equiv 3 \pmod{10}$ has no solutions
 $4x = \text{even}$
 $3 = \text{odd}$

$6x \equiv 9 \pmod{15}$ has $x=4$ and $x=9$

as $6(4) - 9 = 15$ and $6(9) - 9 = 45$

since $4 \neq 9 \pmod{15}$ the solution cannot be
of the form $x \equiv c \pmod{15}$.

Theorem
5.2.2

The congruence $ax \equiv b \pmod{m}$ has solutions if and only if $\text{hcf}(a, m) \mid b$

Proof: Let $d = \text{hcf}(a, m)$

\Rightarrow Suppose congruence has solutions

$$ax \equiv b \pmod{m}$$

$$ax = qm + b \text{ so } b = ax - qm$$

since $d \mid a$ and $d \mid m$ then $d \mid b$

\Leftarrow Suppose that $d \mid b$ say $b = td$ for $t \in \mathbb{Z}$.

By Bézout's Theorem $d = ra + sm$ $r, s \in \mathbb{Z}$

$$\text{so } b = td = t(ra + sm) = tra + tsm$$

= multiple of a + multiple of m .

$$\pmod{m}; = a(tr)$$

so a solution is $x = tr$. \square

5.2.4

Lemma
5.2.5

If a and m are co-prime $\text{hcf}(a, m) = 1$
then $ax \equiv b \pmod{m}$ is given by

$$x \equiv br \pmod{m}$$

Theorem
5.2.6

Similar to Euclid's Lemma

Proof:

$$m \mid ab - ac = m \mid a(b - c)$$

as a and m are co-prime $m \mid b - c$

* 5.2.6 and proof ...

5.2.8 $ad \equiv bd \pmod{n}$ if and only if
 $a \equiv b \pmod{n}$

Proof: $ad \equiv bd \pmod{n}$ means $ad - bd = q(n)$

$a \equiv b \pmod{n} \Rightarrow a - b = qr$ so equivalent. \square

* ex 5.2.1

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L13

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$ax \equiv b \pmod{m}$) Last Lecture
 $x \equiv c \pmod{n}$

Chinese Remainder Theorem (Simultaneous Congruence)

e.g. $x \equiv 7 \pmod{10}$ $x \equiv 9 \pmod{13}$
 $x \equiv a \pmod{m}$ $x \equiv b \pmod{n}$

consider the case where m and n are co-prime

$$\therefore rm + sn = 1$$

$$arm + asn = a \quad \text{because } asn - a = (ar)m \\ asn \equiv a \pmod{m} \quad \in \mathbb{Z}$$

On the other hand

$$rm + sn = 1$$

$$brm + bsn = b \quad \text{because } brm - b = (-bs)n \\ brm \equiv b \pmod{n} \quad \in \mathbb{Z}$$

Therefore $x = asn$ is a solution and $x = brm$ is the other solution.

$c = asn + brm$ ← This solves both
 $a \pmod{m}$ and $b \pmod{n}$

c is called a particular simultaneous solution
using a, m, b, n, r, s

Lemma

$a, b \in \mathbb{Z}$ and $m, n \in \mathbb{Z}$ and $c \in \mathbb{Z}$ is a particular simultaneous solution to $x \equiv a \pmod{m}$, $x \equiv b \pmod{n}$.

Then any integer xc is a solution to the pair if and only if $xc \equiv c \pmod{\text{lcm}(m, n)}$

Proof of lemma

\Rightarrow Suppose $x \equiv a \pmod{m}$ and $x \equiv b \pmod{n}$

Then $x \equiv a \equiv c \pmod{m}$

and $x \equiv b \equiv c \pmod{n}$

so $m | x - c$ and $n | x - c$

and

so $x - c$ is a common multiple of m, n

Hence, by 4.5.5, $x - c$ is a multiple of $\text{lcm}(m, n)$ so,

$x \equiv c \pmod{\text{lcm}(m, n)}$

\Leftarrow Suppose $x \equiv c \pmod{\text{lcm}(m, n)}$

so that $\text{lcm}(m, n) | x - c$

Since $m | \text{lcm}(m, n)$ we have $m | x - c$

so $x \equiv c \pmod{m}$.

Since $c \equiv a \pmod{m}$, $x \equiv a \pmod{m}$

Since $n | \text{lcm}(m, n)$ we have $n | x - c$

so $x \equiv c \pmod{n}$

Since $c \equiv b \pmod{n}$, $x \equiv b \pmod{n}$ \square

Theorem Let $a, b \in \mathbb{Z}$ Let $m, n \in \mathbb{N}$ be co-prime.

5.3.2 $r m + s n = 1$, $r, s \in \mathbb{Z}$ Then $x \equiv a \pmod{m}$

and $x \equiv b \pmod{n}$ if and only if $x \equiv asn + brm \pmod{mn}$

Example 5.3.3 :

$$x \equiv 2 \pmod{8} \quad x \equiv 5 \pmod{9}$$

since $\text{hcf}(8, 9) = 1$ C.R.T applies

$$a = 2, b = 5, m = 8, n = 9$$

$$8r + 9s = 1 \quad \text{so take } r = -1, s = 1$$

$$\begin{aligned} asn + brm &= 2(-1)(9) + 5(-1)(8) = -22 + 72 \\ &= 50 \pmod{72} \end{aligned}$$

and then check this
fits both ...

Without being co-prime:

5.3.5

$$x \equiv a \pmod{m} \quad x \equiv b \pmod{n}$$

can be solved if and only if $\text{hcf}(m, n) \mid a - b$

Proof:

$$\text{Set } d = \text{hcf}(m, n)$$

\Rightarrow Suppose they can be solved simultaneously

$$x \equiv a \pmod{m} \quad x \equiv b \pmod{n}$$

$$x - a = pm \quad x - b = qr \quad p, q \in \mathbb{Z}$$

$$a = x - pm \quad b = x - qr$$

$$a - b = qr - pm \quad d = \text{hcf}(m, n)$$

$$\text{so } d \mid qr - pm$$

$$\text{so } d \mid a - b$$

\Leftarrow Suppose $d \mid a - b$, $a - b = dq$, $q \in \mathbb{Z}$

by Bezout's $d = rm + sn$ $r, s \in \mathbb{Z}$

$$\text{Define } c = a - qrm$$

$$\text{so } c \equiv a \pmod{m}$$

and $c \equiv b \pmod{n}$ because

$$c - b = a - qrm - b \quad (a - b = dq)$$

$$c - b = dq - qrm$$

$$c - b = q(d - rm) \quad (d = rm + sn)$$

$$c - b = qsn \quad \text{so}$$

$$c \equiv b \pmod{n}$$

By this proof and lemma

then if $\text{hcf}(m, n) \mid a - b$ then

$$x \equiv a \pmod{m} \quad x \equiv b \pmod{n}$$

$$x \equiv a - qrm \pmod{\text{lcm}(m, n)}$$

where $q = \frac{a-b}{\text{hcf}(m,n)} \in \mathbb{Z}$ and $r, s \in \mathbb{Z}$

$$\text{satisfy } rm + sn = \text{hcf}(m, n)$$

$$c \equiv a \pmod{m} \quad c \equiv b \pmod{n}$$

$$\text{if } c = a + km \quad (\exists k \in \mathbb{Z})$$

$$\text{if } c - b = a + km - b$$

so

$$\begin{aligned} c - b &= km + dq, \text{ from earlier proof} \\ &= km + (rm + sn)q \\ &= (K + rq)m + qsn \\ &\equiv (K + rq)m \pmod{n} \end{aligned}$$

Let $K = -rq$

$$c - b \equiv \pmod{n}$$

$$c \equiv b \pmod{n}$$

L14

MATH 111 L14Relations 6.1

6.1.1 Let S be a non-empty set. A relation on S is a statement concerning pairs of elements of S which may be true for some pairs and false for others. (SCC120)

\sim is related to

e.g. in ≤ 1 only $0 \sim 1$ for example

Reflexivity -

A relation \sim on a set S is reflexive if $a \sim a$ for each $a \in S$.

Symmetry -

A relation \sim on a set S is symmetrical if whenever $a \sim b$, $b \sim a$, a and $b \in S$.

Transitivity -

A relation \sim on a set S is transitive if whenever $a \sim b$, $b \sim c$ then $a \sim c$, a and b and $c \in S$.

Examples S meaning of $a \sim b$ reflexive symmetric transitive

\mathbb{Z}	$a+b > 7$	\times	\checkmark	\times
\mathbb{Z}	$a \mid b$	\checkmark	\times	\checkmark
\mathbb{Z}	$a \equiv b \pmod{5}$	\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark
\mathbb{R}	$ a-b \leq 1$	\checkmark	\checkmark	\times
\mathbb{R}	$a \leq b$	\checkmark	\times	\checkmark

* Exercise 6.1.A

L15

MATH 111 L15Relations Recap -

$a, b \in S$: $a \sim b = a$ relation to b
 $a \not\sim b = a$ not related to b .

Reflexive if $(\forall a \in S) (a \sim a)$

Symmetric if $(\forall a, b \in S) ((a \sim b) \Rightarrow (b \sim a))$

Transitive if $(\forall a, b, c \in S) ((a \sim b) \text{ and } (b \sim c)) \Rightarrow (a \sim c)$

Equivalence relation if all three properties hold.

Equivalence class. for all $a \in S$ the set

$\hat{a} = \{b \in S : b \sim a\}$ is the equivalence class of a .

e.g. $a \sim b$ if $a \equiv b \pmod{5}$ is an equivalence relation on \mathbb{Z} .

$\hat{3} = \{b \in \mathbb{Z} : b \equiv 3 \pmod{5}\}$ ← This can also be a congruence class
 $= \{\dots, -7, -2, 3, 8, 13, 18, \dots\}$

You would observe $\hat{3} \cap \hat{1} = \emptyset$

Proposition :

Let \sim be an equivalence relation on a set S .

(i) For $a \in S$ we have $a \in \hat{a}$

Pf: This is true because $a \sim a$ by reflexivity

(ii) For $a, b \in S$ the following three conditions are equivalent:

a) $b \in \hat{a}$

b) $\hat{a} \cap \hat{b} \neq \emptyset$

c) $\hat{a} = \hat{b}$

6.2.3

Proof by implications

$$a \Rightarrow b \Rightarrow c,$$

Proof: $(a) \Rightarrow (b)$:

Suppose $b \in \hat{a}$. By (i) $b \in \hat{b}$

so $\hat{a} \cap \hat{b} \neq \emptyset$ because it contains b

$(b) \Rightarrow (c)$:

Suppose $\hat{a} \cap \hat{b} \neq \emptyset$ and take $c \in \hat{a} \cap \hat{b}$

so $c \in \hat{a}$, so $c \sim a$, and $c \in \hat{b}$ so $c \sim b$.

We want to prove $\hat{a} = \hat{b}$.

First $\hat{a} \subseteq \hat{b}$. Take $d \in \hat{a}$, so $d \sim a$.

By symmetry $c \sim a$ implies $a \sim c$

By transitivity, $d \sim a$, $a \sim c$ then $d \sim c$

By transitivity, $d \sim c$, $c \sim b$ then $d \sim b$

Hence $d \in \hat{b}$

Second $\hat{b} \subseteq \hat{a}$. Swap a and b in $\hat{a} \subseteq \hat{b}$ argument.

Therefore $\hat{a} = \hat{b}$ so proved $(b) \Rightarrow (c)$

$(c) \Rightarrow (a)$:

Suppose $\hat{a} = \hat{b}$. By (c) $b \in \hat{b}$ so $b \in \hat{a}$.

6.2.4

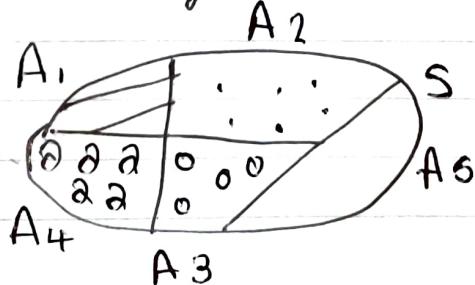
Let \sim be an eq rel on a non empty set S .

Then each element of S belongs to a unique equivalence class.

e.g. $\hat{3}$ and $\hat{-2}$ from before are the same set yet have different equivalence classes

6.2.5

A partition of a set S is a collection of non-empty subsets of S such that each element of S belongs to exactly one of the subsets.



e.g partitions of S

Equivalence classes can be seen as partitions

e.g from partition diagram

Define relation \sim on S by $a \sim b$ if $a, b \in A_i$ for some $i \in \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5\}$

6.2.6 -

Any element belonging to a given equivalence class is called a representative of that class

6.2.7 example of congruence classes

$$\emptyset \cup \overset{\circ}{1} \cup \overset{\circ}{2} \cup \overset{\circ}{3} \cup \overset{\circ}{4} = \mathbb{Z}$$

L16

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$\mathbb{Z}_5 = \{\bar{0}, \bar{1}, \bar{2}, \bar{3}, \bar{4}\}$ Notation for congruence ...

Interesting

interesting paragraph at end of notes for L15 about equivalence classes

Given $m \in \mathbb{N}$ we write \mathbb{Z}_m for the set of congruence classes mod m .

e.g. $Z_m = \{0, 1, \dots, m-1\}$

Define $\hat{1} + \hat{2}$ in \mathbb{Z}_5

$$T = \{ \dots, -9, -4, 1, 6, 11, \dots \}$$

$$\mathbb{Z} = \{ \dots, -8, -3, 2, 7, 12, \dots \}$$

This is more difficult than it seems.

* Lemma 6.3.2

$$a = c, b = d$$

$$\overbrace{a+b} = \overbrace{c+d}$$

$$\text{Therefore } \hat{a} + \hat{b} = \hat{a+b}$$

$$-\overbrace{b}^{\uparrow} = -\overbrace{b}^{\uparrow}$$

$$\hat{a} + \hat{b} = \hat{b} + \hat{a}$$

Zs addition and multiplication tables

For example in \mathbb{Z}_4 $\hat{2} \cdot \hat{2} = \hat{0}$. Therefore
 $\hat{2}$ is a zero divisor in \mathbb{Z}_4

In general \hat{n} is a zero divisor in \mathbb{Z}_m if
 $\hat{n} \cdot \hat{k} = \hat{0}$ for some $k \in \{1, 2, 3, \dots, m-1\}$

6.3.5 All squares are congruent to 0 or $1 \pmod{4}$
 $0 \pmod{4}$ or $1 \pmod{4}$

Proof:

$$\text{if } n \equiv 0 \pmod{4} \quad n^2 = 0 \cdot 0 = 0 \pmod{4}$$

$$\text{if } n \equiv 1 \pmod{4} \quad n^2 = 1 \cdot 1 = 1 \pmod{4}$$

$$\text{if } n \equiv 2 \pmod{4} \quad n^2 = 2 \cdot 2 = 4 \pmod{4} = 0 \pmod{4}$$

$$\text{if } n \equiv 3 \pmod{4} \quad n^2 = 3 \cdot 3 = 9 \pmod{4} = 1 \pmod{4}$$

6.3.7 If $n \in \mathbb{N} \equiv 3 \pmod{4}$ Then n cannot be
expressed as the sum of two squares
This is proved in 6.3.8

6.3.9

$$\text{if } a \equiv b \pmod{m}$$

then $a^n \equiv b^n \pmod{m}$ for any $n \in \mathbb{N}$

e.g find $2^{27} \pmod{15}$ without $x > 100$

(means find $x \in \{0, 1, 2, \dots, 14\}$)

(means find remainder of $2^{27} / 15$).

$$2^2 = 4 \quad 2^3 = 8 \quad 2^4 = 16 \quad 16 \equiv 1 \pmod{15}$$

$$2^{27} = 2^{(4+6)+3} = (2^4)^6 \cdot 2^3 = (1)^6 \cdot 8 = 8 \pmod{15}$$

Remainder = 8

$\pmod{15}$ remainder

value

$x^{\text{odd}} = x$ in this rule
when negative.

6.3.12

$$5 \mid (8^{4n+2} + 4^{2n})$$

$$8 \equiv 3 \pmod{5}$$

$$8^2 = 3^2 = 9 \equiv 4 \pmod{5}$$

$$8^{4n+2} = 8^{2(2n+1)} = (-1)^{2n+1} = -1 \pmod{5}$$

$$4^2 = 16 \equiv 1 \pmod{5}$$

$$4^{2n} = (4^2)^n = 1^n = 1 \pmod{5}$$

$$8^{4n+2} + 4^{2n} \equiv 0 \pmod{5}$$

Therefore no remainder when divided by 5 so
it is divisible

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6.4 Constructing Number Systems

If we have 2 sets A and B. We call the set of all ordered pairs, the cartesian product is denoted as $A \times B$

$$A \times B = \{(a, b) : a \in A, b \in B\}$$

If $A = B$ you may also write it as A^2

Define a relation \sim on \mathbb{N}^2 by

$$(a, b) \sim (c, d) \text{ if } a+d = b+c :$$

R: $(a, b) \sim (c, d) \Leftrightarrow a+b = c+d$ which is true

reflexivity proof

Symmetry: If $(a, b) \sim (c, d)$, so that $a+d = b+c$
Then $(c, d) \sim (a, b)$ because $c+b = d+a$

Transitivity: Suppose $(a, b) \sim (c, d)$ and
 $(c, d) \sim (e, f)$. Then $a+d = b+c$ and
 $c+f = d+e$.

We want to show $(a, b) \sim (e, f)$ ($a+f = b+e$)

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Find } (a+d)+f &= (b+c)+f = b+(c+f) \\ &= b+(d+e) \text{ cancel } d \end{aligned}$$

$(a+f) = (b+e)$ is then transitive

$$\begin{aligned} \overbrace{(a, b)}^{\sim} &= \{(c, d) \in \mathbb{N}^2 : (a, b) \sim (c, d)\} \\ &= \{(c, d) \in \mathbb{N}^2 : a+d = b+c\} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{For } a \in \mathbb{N} \quad \overbrace{(a+1, 1)}^{\sim} &= \{(c, d) \in \mathbb{N}^2 : a+1+d = 1+c\} \\ &= \{(c, d) \in \mathbb{N}^2 : a+d = c\} \\ &= \{(a+d, d) \in \mathbb{N}^2 : d \in \mathbb{N}\} \end{aligned}$$

Natural
Numbers:

This can
then be
shown
as an
equivalence
relation

$$\begin{aligned}
 \widehat{(a,b)} + \widehat{(c,d)} &= \widehat{(a+c, b+d)} \\
 \widehat{(a,b)} \cdot \widehat{(c,d)} &= \widehat{(a-b)(c-d)} = \widehat{(ac+bd, ad+bc)} \\
 -\widehat{(a,b)} &= \widehat{(b,a)} \quad \text{Therefore } \widehat{(a,b)} - \widehat{(c,d)} \\
 &= \widehat{(a,b)} + \widehat{(-c,d)}
 \end{aligned}$$

Rational Numbers -

$$\mathbb{Z}^* = \mathbb{Z} \setminus \{0\}$$

$$\frac{a}{b} = \frac{c}{d} \Leftrightarrow ad = bc$$

On $\mathbb{Z} \times \mathbb{Z}^*$ define a relation \sim

$(a,b) \sim (c,d)$ if $ad = bc$, $a,c \in \mathbb{Z}$, $b,d \in \mathbb{Z}^*$

Reflexivity: $(a,b) \sim (a,b) \Leftrightarrow ab = ba$ which is true so it is reflexive

Symmetry: Suppose $(a,b) \sim (c,d)$. Then $ad = bc$ so $(c,d) \sim (a,b)$: $cb = da$. Therefore this is true and symmetric.

Transitivity: Suppose $(a,b) \sim (c,d)$ and $(c,d) \sim (e,f)$ where $a,c,e \in \mathbb{Z}$ $b,d,f \in \mathbb{Z}^*$. Then $ad = bc$ and $cf = de$. We want $(a,b) \sim (e,f)$

$$\begin{aligned}
 (ad)f &= (bc)f \\
 &= b(cf) = b(de), \text{ so } af = be \\
 \text{because } d &\neq 0
 \end{aligned}$$

General rule:

$xy = xz$ where $x,y,z \in \mathbb{Z}$ and $x \neq 0$. Then $y = z$.

Equivalence
relation

$$\widehat{(a,b)} = \{(c,d) \in \mathbb{Z} \times \mathbb{Z}^* : ad = bc\}$$

Working

$$(\hat{a}, \hat{b}) + (\hat{c}, \hat{d}) = (\hat{(ad+bc)}, \hat{bd}) \quad [\frac{\hat{a}}{b} + \frac{\hat{c}}{d} = \frac{\hat{ad} + \hat{bc}}{\hat{bd}}]$$

$$(\hat{a}, \hat{b}) \cdot (\hat{c}, \hat{d}) = (\hat{ac}, \hat{bd}) \quad [\frac{\hat{a}}{b} \cdot \frac{\hat{c}}{d} = \frac{\hat{ac}}{\hat{bd}}]$$

$$-(\hat{a}, \hat{b}) = (-\hat{a}, \hat{b}) \text{ so } (\hat{a}, \hat{b}) - (\hat{c}, \hat{d}) = (\hat{a}, \hat{b}) + (-\hat{c}, \hat{d})$$

$$(\hat{a}, \hat{b})^{-1} = (\hat{b}, \hat{a}) \text{ for } a, b \in \mathbb{Z}^*$$

Now we have division.

$$\frac{(\hat{a}, \hat{b})}{(\hat{c}, \hat{d})} = (\hat{a}, \hat{b}) \cdot (\hat{c}, \hat{d})^{-1}$$

Real Numbers and Complex number systems can then further be created.

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L18

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7.1 Polynomial Arithmetic

A (real) polynomial in the indeterminate x is an expression:

$$a_0 + a_1x + a_2x^2 + \dots + a_nx^n$$

where $n \in \mathbb{N}$ and a_0, a_1, \dots, a_n are called coefficients of polynomials.

These polynomials may be represented by $f(x)$ or $g(x)$.
The zero polynomial is written as 0.

7.1.14

If $f(x) = a_0 + a_1x + \dots + a_nx^n$ if $a_n \neq 0$ then n is the degree of $f(x)$, $\deg f(x)$ and a_nx^n is its highest term.

The zero polynomial has no degree or highest term.

Constant polynomial - Only a_0

Linear polynomial - $a_0 + a_1x$

Quadratic polynomial - $a_0 + a_1x + a_2x^2$
etc.

Polynomials over \mathbb{Z} = Integral polynomials

over \mathbb{Q} = Rational polynomials

over \mathbb{C} = Complex polynomials.

Polynomials are not thought of as functions.
Therefore use a X and call it indeterminate.

$$\text{e.g. } f: \mathbb{Z}_2 \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}_2$$

$$f(0) = 0 \\ g(0) = 0^2 = 0$$

$$f(1) = 1 \\ g(1) = 1^2 = 1$$

Therefore if polynomials are taken as functions. Then this doesn't work

$$\deg(f(x)g(x)) = \deg f(x) + \deg g(x)$$

$$f(x) = q(x)g(x) + r(x) \quad \begin{matrix} \text{Dividing} \\ \text{Quotient} \end{matrix} \quad \begin{matrix} \text{remainder} \\ \text{Divisor} \end{matrix}$$

$\text{e.g. } 3x+2 \longdiv{6x^3 + 7x^2 + 4x - 1}$ $q(x) = 2x^2 + x + \frac{2}{3}$ $g(x) = 3x + 2$ $r(x) = -\frac{7}{3}$	$\frac{2x^2 + x + \frac{2}{3}}{6x^3 + 7x^2 + 4x - 1}$ $\underline{6x^3 + 4x^2}$ $3x^2 + 4x - 1$ $\underline{3x^2 + 2x}$ $2x - 1$ $\underline{2x + \frac{4}{3}}$ $-\frac{7}{3}$	$\frac{6x^3}{3x} = 2x^2$ $\frac{3x^2}{3x} = x$ $\frac{2x}{3x} = \frac{2}{3}$
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Lemma 7.1.19

$f(x), g(x)$ polynomials non-zero. $\deg f(x) \geq \deg g(x)$

$$f(x) = a_0 + a_1 x + \dots + a_m x^m$$

$$g(x) = b_0 + b_1 x + \dots + b_n x^n$$

$$h(x) = \frac{a_m}{b_m} x^{m-n}$$

Then either

$$* f(x) = h(x)g(x)$$

$$* \deg(f(x) - h(x)g(x)) < \deg f(x)$$

Proof of 7.1.19

$$h(x)g(x) = \frac{am}{bn} x^{m-n} (bnx^n + bn-1x^{n-1} + \dots + b_1x + b_0)$$

$$= am x^m + \frac{amb_{n-1}}{bn} x^{m-1} + \frac{amb_{n-2}}{bn} x^{m-2} \dots + \frac{amb_0}{bn} x$$

so

$$f(x) - h(x)g(x)$$

$$= -(am x^m + \frac{amb_{n-1}}{bn} x^{n-1} + \dots + \frac{amb_0}{bn} x^{m-n})$$

$$= (am - \frac{amb_{n-1}}{bn}) x^{m-1} + \dots$$

Therefore either $f(x) - h(x)g(x) = 0$ if all coefficients vanish or the polynomial has $\deg(1)$ at $m-1$.

Division
of
polynomials

Theorem 7.1.10

$$f(x) = q(x)g(x) + r(x)$$

* either $r(x) = 0$

* or $\deg r(x) < \deg g(x)$

Proof:

"Existence"

Suppose $g(x) | f(x)$ then $f(x) = q(x)g(x)$ for some polynomial $q(x)$. This also covers $f(x) = 0$ and $g(x) \deg(0)$.

Hence $f(x) \neq 0$ so $m = \deg f(x)$, $n = \deg g(x)$.

This can then be proved by generalised induction on m .

($m=0$) step $q(x)=0$, $r(x)=f(x)$ is true
($m>1$):

$$f_0(x) = q_0(x)g(x) + r_0(x)$$

either $r_0(x) = 0$
 $\deg r_0(x) < n$

If $m < n$ then $q(x) = 0$ $r(x) = f(x)$
 otherwise choose $h(x)$ Lemma 7.1.9
 and define $f_0(x) = f(x) - h(x)g(x)$
 either 1) $f_0(x) = 0$ or 2) $\deg f_0(x) < m$

If 1) $q(x) = h(x)$ and $r(x) = 0$

If 2) Induction hypothesis implies polynomials $q_0(x)$ and $r_0(x)$ satisfying 7.0.3

$$\begin{aligned} f(x) &= f_0(x) + h(x)g(x) \\ &= q_0(x)g(x) + r_0(x) + h(x)g(x) \\ &= (q_0(x) + h(x))g(x) + r_0(x) \end{aligned}$$

Hence

$$f(x) = q(x)g(x) + r(x)$$

If $q(x) = q_0(x) + h(x)$
 and $r(x) = r_0(x)$

So this holds by induction.

"Uniqueness"

$q(x)$ and $r(x)$ unique

Suppose

$$f(x) = q_j(x)g(x) + r_j(x)$$

either $r_j(x) = 0$ or $\deg r_j(x) < \deg g(x)$

$j = 1, 2$.

$$r_j(x) = f(x) - q_j(x)g(x)$$

$$\begin{aligned} r_1(x) - r_2(x) &= (f(x) - q_1(x)g(x)) - (f(x) - q_2(x)g(x)) \\ &= q_2(x)g(x) - q_1(x)g(x) \end{aligned}$$

Prove by contradiction $r_1(x) \neq r_2(x)$

$$\deg(r_1(x) - r_2(x)) =$$

$$\deg(q_2(x) - q_1(x)) + \deg g(x) > \deg g(x) = n$$

On the other hand

$$\deg(r_1(x) - r_2(x)) < \deg g(x)$$

This is then impossible for both statements to be true. $\therefore r_1(x) = r_2(x)$

$$\text{Therefore } q_1(x) = q_2(x)$$

□

L19

MATH 111 L197.2 Hcf and Euclidean revisited

There are only finite possible factors of a number.
 However there are infinite factors of a polynomial.

If $d(x)$ is a factor of $f(x)$ so that:

$$f(x) = d(x)g(x)$$

then:

$$f(x) = r d(x) \cdot \frac{1}{r} g(x) \text{ for some non-zero } R$$

$\deg d(x) \leq \deg f(x)$ so there are infinite factors
 as above

r and r have infinite possibilities or
 $d(x)$ and $g(x)$ could then have infinite
 possibilities.

Approaches to develop a theory

$p(x) \sim q(x)$ if $p(x) = r q(x)$ for some $r \in \mathbb{R} \setminus \{0\}$

Alternatively choose a monic polynomial (leading term 1)

Remember there will be no highest factor because of the infinite issue.

7.2.1

Given $f(x)$ and $g(x)$ a polynomial $d(x)$ is the $\text{hcf}(f(x), g(x))$ if

- * $d(x)$ is a common factor of $f(x)$ and $g(x)$
- * any other common factor of $f(x)$ and $g(x)$ is also a factor of $d(x)$

(Makes no claim for uniqueness)

if $c(x)$ and $d(x)$ are both hcf's then $c(x) | d(x)$
so that $d(x) = q(x)c(x)$ and
 $\deg c(x) + \deg q(x) > \deg c(x)$
on the other hand $d(x) | c(x)$ so $\deg c(x) = \deg d(x)$

7.2.2 A polynomial linear combination of two polynomials can also be formed.

e.g. Let $f(x) = x^2 + x - 6$ $g(x) = x^3 - 5x + 2$

$$(x^2 + 1)f(x) - (x+1)g(x) = (x^2 + 1)(x^2 + x + 6) - (x+1)(x^3 + 5x + 2)$$

form $d(x) = h(x)f(x) + k(x)g(x)$

$$= 4x - 8 = \text{plc of } f(x) \text{ and } g(x)$$

having chose $h(x) = x^2 + 1$ $k(x) = -x - 1$

Lemma
7.2.4

$$4x - 8 = (x^2 + 1)f(x) - (x+1)g(x)$$

7.2.5

$$x - 2 = (\frac{1}{4}x^2 + \frac{1}{4})f(x) - (\frac{1}{4}x + \frac{1}{4})g(x)$$

Therefore $f(2) = 2^2 + 2 = 0$ $g(2) = 2^3 - 10 + 2 = 0$
so $x - 2$ is the highest common factor
as it is a plc and a common factor of $f(x)$
and $g(x)$

7.2.7

7.2.8 e.g

$$f(x) = 6x^3 + 20x^2 + 7x - 12$$

$$g(x) = 6x^5 + 8x^4 - 27x^3 - 4x^2 + 35x - 15$$

$\deg f(x) < \deg g(x)$ so

$$\begin{array}{r}
 x^2 - 2x + 1 \\
 \hline
 6x^3 + 20x^2 + 7x - 12 \quad | 6x^5 + 8x^4 - 27x^3 - 4x^2 + 35x - 15 \\
 \underline{6x^5 + 20x^4 + 7x^3 - 12x^2} \\
 \hline
 \underline{-12x^4 - 34x^3 + 8x^2 + 35x} \\
 \hline
 \underline{-12x^4 - 40x^3 - 14x^2 + 24x} \\
 \hline
 6x^3 + 22x^2 + 11x - 15 \\
 \hline
 6x^3 + 20x^2 + 7x - 12 \\
 \hline
 2x^2 + 4x - 3
 \end{array}$$

$$g(x) = (x^2 - 2x + 1) f(x) + 2x^2 + 4x - 3$$

Now divide $f(x)$ by $r(x)$

$$\begin{array}{r}
 3x + 4 \\
 \hline
 2x^2 + 4x - 3 \quad | 6x^3 + 20x^2 + 7x - 12 \\
 \underline{6x^3 + 12x^2 - 9x} \\
 \hline
 \underline{8x^2 + 16x - 12} \\
 \hline
 0
 \end{array}$$

Last non-zero remainder = hcf so

$$\text{hcf} = 2x^2 + 4x - 3$$

to rewrite as ptc

$$2x^2 + 4x - 3 = g(x) - (x^2 - 2x + 1) f(x)$$

7.2.9
e.g