

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Then, } \left(\frac{a}{b} + \frac{c}{d}\right) + \frac{e}{f} &= \frac{ad+bc}{bd} + \frac{e}{f} \\ &= \frac{adf + bcf + ebd}{bdf} \\ &= \frac{a}{b} + \left[\frac{c}{d} + \frac{e}{f}\right]\end{aligned}$$

(7)

\* Existence of identity:

Let  $\frac{0}{b} \in F$  where  $b \neq 0$  is the identity element of  $F$ .

$$\text{If } \frac{c}{d} \in F, \text{ then } \frac{0}{b} + \frac{c}{d} = \frac{0+bc}{bd} = \frac{bc}{bd} = \frac{c}{d}$$

$$\frac{0}{b} + \frac{c}{d} = \frac{c}{d}$$

\* Existence of inverse:

Let  $\frac{a}{b} \in F$

Then,  $\exists$  an element  $-\frac{a}{b} \in F \Rightarrow$

$$\left(\frac{a}{b}\right) + \left(-\frac{a}{b}\right) = \frac{ab - ab}{b^2} = \frac{0}{b^2} = 0 = \frac{0}{b}$$

$\therefore -\frac{a}{b}$  is the inverse of  $\frac{a}{b}$ .

\* Commutative:

Let,  $\frac{a}{b}, \frac{c}{d} \in F$ .

$$\text{Then, } \frac{a}{b} + \frac{c}{d} = \frac{ad+bc}{bd} = \frac{cb+da}{db} = \frac{c}{d} + \frac{a}{b}$$

\* Associative property:

Let  $\frac{a}{b}, \frac{c}{d}, \frac{e}{f} \in F$

$$\begin{aligned}\left(\frac{a}{b} + \frac{c}{d}\right) + \frac{e}{f} &= \left(\frac{ad+bc}{bd}\right) + \frac{e}{f} \\ &= \frac{(ad+bc) \cdot f}{(bd) \cdot f} = \frac{a \cdot (cf) + b \cdot (df)}{b \cdot (df)} \\ &= \frac{a}{b} + \left[\frac{c}{d} + \frac{e}{f}\right]\end{aligned}$$

\* Existence of

$\frac{1}{1}$

\* Existence of

If  $\frac{a}{b}$

$\frac{b}{a}$  is the

commutative

Let,  $\frac{a}{b}$

Then,  $\frac{a}{c}$

\* Distributive

$\frac{a}{b} \cdot \left(\frac{c}{d}\right)$

$\frac{a}{b} \cdot \left(\frac{c}{d}\right)$

\* Step 4:

To

$f: D \rightarrow$

\*  $f$  is

\*  $f$  is

then

element of finite order.  
order of 1 is the characteristic of  $R$ . If 1 is of infinite order the characteristic (or) ring is zero.

Proof:

Suppose, the order of one is  $n$ .

Then,  $n$  is the least +ve integer  $\exists: n \cdot 1 = 0$ .

$$i) 1 + 1 + 1 + \dots + 1 \text{ (n times)} = 0.$$

Now, let  $a \in R$ .

$$\text{Then, } na = a + a + a + \dots + a \text{ (n times)}$$

$$= 1 \cdot a + 1 \cdot a + \dots + 1 \cdot a \text{ (n times)}$$

$$= a(1 + 1 + \dots + 1)$$

$$na = a \cdot 0 = 0.$$

Thus,  $na = 0 \forall a \in R$ .

Hence, the characteristic of a ring is  $n$ . If 1 is of infinite order.

Then, there is no +ve integer  $n$ ,  $\exists: n \cdot 1 = 0$ .

Hence, the characteristic of ring is zero. ①

### Unit - 5

Subring:

Let  $R$  be a ring and  $S$  is the subset of  $R$  if  $(S, +, \cdot)$  is itself a ring. Then  $S$  is called a subring of  $R$ .

Eg:

i)  $(\mathbb{Z}, +, \cdot)$  and  $(2\mathbb{Z}, +, \cdot)$  is a ring.

$\therefore 2\mathbb{Z} \subseteq \mathbb{Z}$ ,  $(2\mathbb{Z}, +, \cdot)$  is a subring of  $(\mathbb{Z}, +, \cdot)$



\* f is homomorphism!

$$f(a+b) = \frac{a+b}{1} \\ = \frac{a}{1} + \frac{b}{1} = f(a) + f(b)$$

(9)

$$f(ab) = \frac{ab}{1} = \frac{a}{1} \cdot \frac{b}{1} = f(a) \cdot f(b)$$

$\therefore f$  is homomorphism &  $f$  is an isomorphism.

$$\therefore D \cong F.$$

ie)  $D$  is embedded in  $F$ .

Hence the proof.

ii)  $(\mathbb{Q}, +, \cdot)$  and  $(\mathbb{Z}, +, \cdot)$  are Ring.

$\therefore \mathbb{Z} \subseteq \mathbb{Q}$   $(\mathbb{Z}, +, \cdot)$  is a subring of  $(\mathbb{Q}, +, \cdot)$

iii)  $(\mathbb{C}, +, \cdot)$  and  $(\mathbb{R}, +, \cdot)$  are rings.

$\therefore \mathbb{R} \subseteq \mathbb{C}$ ,  $(\mathbb{R}, +, \cdot)$  is a subring of  $(\mathbb{C}, +, \cdot)$

(21)

Theorem:

A necessary and sufficient condition that a subset  $S$  of a Ring  $R$  is a subring is that  $a, b \in S$

$$\Rightarrow a-b, ab \in S.$$

(or)

A non-empty subset of ring  $R$  is a subring iff  $a-b, ab \in S$ .

Proof:

Let  $S$  be a subring of  $R$ .

$\therefore S$  is itself is a ring under  $(+, \cdot)$

$\therefore S$  is a ring  $a, b \in S \Rightarrow ab \in S$  and  $b \in S \Rightarrow -b \in S$ .

$\therefore S$  is a group under  $'+'$ .

$\therefore a, -b \in S \Rightarrow a-b \in S$  [by closure with respect to  $'+'$ ].

$$\therefore a, b \in S \Rightarrow a-b \in S, ab \in S.$$

conversely,

$$\text{Let } a, b \in S \Rightarrow a-b, ab \in S.$$

$\therefore$  To p.T  $S$  is a subring of  $R$ .

$$\text{G.T } a, b \in S \Rightarrow a-b, ab \in S$$

$$\therefore a, a \in S \Rightarrow a-a=0 \in S.$$

$\therefore S$  is non-empty.

$$0, b \in S \Rightarrow 0-b \in S \Rightarrow -b \in S$$

$$a, -b \in S \Rightarrow a-(-b) \in S$$

$$\Rightarrow a+b \in S$$

$$\therefore a, b \in S \Rightarrow a+b \in S$$



3 The construction of the quotient field in an integral domain is motivated at every step. By the, well known behaviour of the field of rational numbers. 4

W.k.T, every element in  $\mathbb{Q}$  can be expressed as the quotient  $p/q$  where  $p, q \in \mathbb{Z}$  and  $q \neq 0$ .

Further, two fractions  $2/3$  &  $4/6$  represent the same rational numbers iff  $ab = bc$ .

$$\text{Also, } (a/b) + (c/d) = \frac{ad+bc}{bd}$$

$$(a/b) \cdot (c/d) = \frac{ac}{bd}$$

Thus, the element of  $\mathbb{Z}$  can be thought as fraction of the form  $a/1$ .

Theorem:

Any integral domain  $D$  can be embedded in a field  $F$ . And every element of  $F$  can be expressed as the quotient of two elements of  $D$ .

Proof:

The construction of the field of the quotient  $F$  of an integral domain ' $D$ ' is carried out in the following steps.

- i) Specify the elements of  $F$ .
- ii) Define addition & multiplication in  $F$ .
- iii) To prove  $F$  is a field under the operation.
- iv)  $D$  can be embedded in  $F$ .

\* Step 1:

Let  $D$  be an integral domain.

Suppose,  $S = \{a/b \mid a, b \in D, b \neq 0\}$ .

$\in S$  are

(ii)

consider, the equivalence class containing  $(a, b)$  and is defined by  $a/b$ .

$$\text{Let, } F = \{ a/b \mid (a, b) \in S \}.$$

(6)

\* Step 2:

$$\text{Let, } \frac{a}{b}, \frac{c}{d} \in F$$

$$\text{Define, } \frac{a}{b} + \frac{c}{d} = \frac{ad+bc}{bd}$$

$$\text{ii } \frac{a}{b} \cdot \frac{c}{d} = \frac{ac}{bd}$$

$$\text{clearly, } \frac{ad+bc}{bd} \cdot \frac{ac}{bd} \in F.$$

We show that the operation '+' & '.' are well defined

$$\text{Let } (a_1, b_1) \in \frac{a}{b} \text{ and } (c_1, d_1) \in \frac{c}{d}.$$

$$\therefore (a_1, b_1) \sim (a, b) \text{ and } (c_1, d_1) \sim (c, d)$$

$$a_1 b = b_1 a \text{ \& } c_1 d = d_1 c \text{ --- (1)}$$

$$\therefore a_1 b d d_1 = b_1 a d d_1 \text{ and } c_1 d b b_1 = d_1 c b b_1$$

$$a_1 b d d_1 + c_1 d b b_1 = d_1 c b b_1 + b_1 a d d_1$$

$$[a_1 d_1 + b_1 c_1] b d = [ad + bc] b_1 d_1$$

$$\frac{ad+bc}{bd} = \frac{a_1 d_1 + b_1 c_1}{b_1 d_1}$$

$$\therefore \frac{a}{b} + \frac{c}{d} = \frac{a_1}{b_1} + \frac{c_1}{d_1}$$

$\therefore '+'$  is well defined.

$$\text{Also, From (1) } a_1 b_1 c_1 d = b_1 a d_1 c.$$

$$\therefore (a c, b d) \sim (a_1 c_1, b_1 d_1)$$

$$\therefore \frac{a}{b} \cdot \frac{c}{d} = \frac{a_1}{b_1} \cdot \frac{c_1}{d_1}$$

$\therefore '.'$  is well defined.

\* Step 3:

To prove  $F$  is a field.

\* Associative property:

$$\text{Let } \frac{a}{b}, \frac{c}{d}, \frac{e}{f} \in F$$



$S$  is closed under addition.  
The other two laws, also satisfied.

$\therefore$  They are true in  $R$ .

Hence,  $S$  is a subring of  $R$ .

Theorem:

The intersection of two subrings of a ring  $R$  is a subring of  $R$ .

Proof:

Let  $R$  be ring and  $A, B$  be any two subrings of  $R$ .

To p.T

$A \cap B$  is a subring of  $R$ .

Let,  $a, b \in A \cap B$ .

Then  $a, b \in A$  and  $a, b \in B$ .

$\therefore A$  is a ring  $a-b, ab \in A$  [by prev. thm]

$\therefore B$  is a ring  $a-b, ab \in B$ .

$\therefore a-b, ab \in A \cap B$

(i)  $a, b \in A \cap B \Rightarrow a-b, ab \in A \cap B$ .

$\therefore A \cap B$  is a subring of  $R$ .

Field of quotients of an integral domain:

The field in which every element on  $F$  can be expressed as a quotient of two elements on an integral domain is called the field of quotients of an integral domain.

Note:

Here, we construct a field  $F$  which contains the given integral domain  $D$ .

For eg:

$\mathbb{Z}$  is contained in the field  $\mathbb{Q}$  and all the elements of  $\mathbb{Q}$  can be expressed as Quotient's of integer.

The construction domain is motivated by the behaviours of

w.r.t., every quotient  $p/q$

Further rational numbers

Also,  $(a/b)$

$(\frac{a}{b})$

Thus, of the form

Theorem:

Any

And every of two elements

Proof:

The construction of an integral domain in several steps,

i) Specify

ii) Define

iii) To prove

iv) D is

\* Step 1

Suppose

\* Existence of multiplicative identity:

$\frac{1}{1}$  is the identity of  $F$ .

\* Existence of multiplicative inverse:

If  $\frac{a}{b}$  is a non-zero element of  $F$  then,  $a \neq 0$ .

$\frac{b}{a}$  is the multiplicative inverse of  $\frac{a}{b}$ .

commutative with respect to  $\cdot$ .

Let,  $\frac{a}{b}, \frac{c}{d} \in F$ .

$$\text{Then, } \frac{a}{c} \cdot \frac{b}{d} = \frac{ac}{bd} = \frac{ca}{db} = \frac{c}{d} \cdot \frac{a}{b}$$

\* Distributive law:

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{a}{b} \cdot \left( \frac{c}{d} + \frac{e}{f} \right) &= \frac{a}{b} \cdot \left( \frac{cf + ed}{df} \right) \\ &= \frac{a(cf + ed)}{b(df)} \\ &= \frac{acf}{bdf} + \frac{aed}{bdf} = \frac{ac}{bd} + \frac{ae}{bf} \end{aligned}$$

$$\frac{a}{b} \cdot \left( \frac{c}{d} + \frac{e}{f} \right) = \frac{a}{b} \cdot \frac{c}{d} + \frac{a}{b} \cdot \frac{e}{f}$$

$\therefore F$  is a field.

\* Step 4:

To prove  $D \cong F$ .

$f: D \rightarrow F$  is defined by  $f(a) = \frac{a}{1} \in D$ .

\*  $f$  is 1-1:

$$f(a) = f(b) \Rightarrow \frac{a}{1} = \frac{b}{1} = a = b$$

$\therefore f$  is 1-1.

\*  $f$  is onto:

$$\text{Let } \frac{a}{1} = a \in F$$

Then,  $\exists$  an element,  $a \in D$   $\ni$   $f(a) = a$ .

$\therefore f$  is onto.

$\therefore f$  is bijection.



Define two elements  $(a, b) + (c, d) \in S$  are defined to be equivalent iff ~~ad = bc~~  $ad = bc$  (i.e.)  
 $(a, b) \sim (c, d)$  iff  $ad = bc$ . (5)

claim,

The symbol equivalence is an equivalence relation in  $S$ .

\* Reflexive:

Let  $a, b \in S$ .

$\because D$  is commutative ring.

$\therefore ab = ba \quad \forall a, b \in D$ .

$\therefore (a, b) \sim (a, b)$ .

\* Symmetric:

Let  $(a, b) \sim (c, d)$

Then,  $ad = bc$  (or)  $bc = ad$ .

$\Rightarrow cd = ba$  [by commutative]

$\Rightarrow (cd) \sim (a, b)$

$\therefore \sim$  is symmetric.

\* Transitive:

Let  $(a, b) \sim (c, d) \sim (e, f)$

then,  $ad = bc$  and  $cf = de$ .

where,  $a, b, c, d, e, f \in D$ .

Then,  $b \neq 0, d \neq 0, f \neq 0$ .

$(ad)(cf) = (bc)(de) \Rightarrow a(dc)f = b(cd)e$  [by associative]

$(dc)(af) = (cd)(be)$

$(dc)(af) = (dc)(be)$

$af = be$  (by left cancellation law)

$\Rightarrow (a, b) \sim (e, f)$

$\Rightarrow \sim$  is transitive

$\therefore \sim$  is an equivalence relation in  $S$ .

Consider, the defined by  $a/$

Let,  $F$

\* Step 2:

Let,  $\frac{a}{b}, \frac{c}{d}$

Define,  $\frac{a}{b} +$

is  $\frac{a}{b} + \frac{c}{d}$

clearly,  $ad$

we sh

Let  $(a, b)$

$\therefore (a, b)$

$a, b = b, a$

$\therefore a, b d$

$a, b d$

$[a, d]$

$a$

Also,  $F$

\* Step 3:

To

\* Asso

$[ \because A \text{ is dense in } M \text{ iff } A \text{ intersects with every open ball} ]$ .

Thus,  $A$  is dense in  $M$ .

Hence  $A$  is a countable dense subset of  $M$ .

$\therefore M$  is separable. Hence proved.

3) P.T. any bdd sequence in  $\mathbb{R}$  has a convergent subseq.

Sol:

Let  $(x_n)$  be a bdd seq in  $\mathbb{R}$  then  $\exists$  a closed interval  $[a, b]$   $\exists: x_n \in [a, b]$ .

Thus  $(x_n)$  is a seq in the compact m.s  $[a, b]$ ,  $[ \because \text{By Heine Borel thm} ]$

Since  $[a, b]$  is compact it<sup>x</sup> [has a convergent subseq]<sup>x</sup> is sequentially compact.

By the defn of sequentially compact  $(x_n)$  has a convergent subseq. Hence proved.

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