Some Class Random Examples

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Chapter 1

1.1 homework 5a Part4

Question 1: Page 102, problem 17

p is a prime, $p \equiv 1 \pmod{4}$, prove that there exist $a, b \in \mathbb{Z}$, such that $a^2 + b^2 = p$

Solution:

 $p \equiv 1 \pmod{4}$, so there exist $x, x^2 \equiv -1 \pmod{p}$, then $p \mid (x^2 + 1)$ in \mathbb{Z} , then $p \mid (x + i)(x - i)$ in $\mathbb{Z}[i]$, but $p \nmid (x + i), p \nmid (x - i)$, so p is a pirme element in Euclidean domain $\mathbb{Z}[i]$, so p is reducibel in $\mathbb{Z}[i]$.

 $\exists z_1, z_2 \in \mathbb{Z}[i], p = z_1 z_2$, so let's cosider the norm of p, $N(p) = p^2 = N(z_1)N(z_2)$, since $z \in \mathbb{Z}[i]$ is a unit(reversible) if and only if N(z) = 1, $N(z_1) = N(z_2) = p$.

We have $z_1 = a + bi$ with $a, b \neq 0$. And the statement that the norm of z_1 is p is exactly the statement that $a^2 + b^2 = p$

So we have shown that $p \equiv 1 \pmod{4}$ means that p can be written as a sum of two squares (in a completely nonconstructive way). \diamond

Note:-

- the norm of an element in $\mathbb{Z}[i]$ means $N(a+bi)=a^2+b^2$
- Euler's Creterion: p is an odd prime, $a \in \mathbb{Z}, (a, p) = 1$

$$a^{\frac{p-1}{2}} \equiv \begin{cases} 1 & \pmod{p}, \text{ if there exist an integer } x \text{ such that } x^2 \equiv a \pmod{p}, \\ -1 & \pmod{p}, \text{ if there is no such integer.} \end{cases}$$

So since $p \equiv 1 \pmod{4}$, we have $-1^{\frac{p-1}{2}} \equiv 1 \pmod{p}$, so there exist $x, x^2 \equiv -1 \pmod{p}$.

Question 2: Page 102, problem 18

证明环 $\mathbb{Z}[i]$ 的不可约元,在相伴意义下,只有以下三种:

(1) 1+i; (2) a+bi, $a,b \in \mathbb{Z}$, $a^2+b^2 \equiv 1 \pmod{4}$ 为素数; (3) $p \equiv 3 \pmod{4}$ 为素数.

Solution:

 $\alpha \in \mathbb{Z}[i]$ 不可约,因此 α 是素元, $\alpha\mathbb{Z}[i]$ 是素理想, $\alpha\mathbb{Z}[i] \cap \mathbb{Z} = (p) = p\mathbb{Z}$ 是 \mathbb{Z} 的素理想,因此 $\alpha \mid p$.故 α 不可约可以推出 α 是素数在 $\mathbb{Z}[i]$ 中的因子.

反之,若 $\alpha \mid p$,由于p是有理素数,那么 $\overline{\alpha} \mid p$,所以有 $p = \alpha \overline{\alpha} r, r \in \mathbb{Z}[i]$, let's consider the norm of $p, N(p) = p^2 = N(\alpha)N(\alpha)N(r)$,若 α 非平凡,那么 $N(\alpha) = p$, $p = \alpha \overline{\alpha}$, $N(\alpha) = p$,由于 α 在 $\mathbb{Z}[i]$ 中不可约.

因此, $\alpha \in \mathbb{Z}[i]$ 不可约 if and only if α 是素数p的非平凡因子.

p = 2 = (1+i)(1-i), i(1+i) = i-1 = -(1-i), N(i) = 1, 1+i与1-i在 $\mathbb{Z}[i]$ 中相伴, $\alpha = 1+i$.

 $p \equiv 1 \pmod{4}$, so there exist integer a, b, such that $a^2 + b^2 = p = (a + bi)(a - bi)$, 故 $\alpha = a + bi$.

 $p\equiv 3\pmod 4$,若存在 $a,b\in \mathbb{Z}$, 使得 $p=a^2+b^2$,根据下面的小定理,有 $p\mid a$ and $p\mid b$, 因此矛盾,故 $\alpha=p\equiv 3\pmod 4$

Theorem 1.1.1

Let p be a prime. If $p \equiv 3 \pmod{4}$, $p \mid a^2 + b^2$, then $p \mid a$ and $p \mid b$.

证明: Using Fermats Little Theorem: $a^p \equiv a \pmod{p}$, $b^p \equiv b \pmod{p}$.

Since $p \equiv 3 \pmod 4$, we have $a^{p+1} + b^{p+1} \equiv a^2 + b^2 \equiv 0 \pmod p$. Because $4 \mid p+1$, we can write p+1=4k, so $a^{4k}+b^{4k}=a^{4k}+(b^2)^{2k}\equiv a^{4k}+(-a^2)^{2k}\equiv 2a^{4k}\pmod p$.

由于 $p \nmid 2$, $p \mid a^{4k}$, so $p \mid a$, 同理 $p \mid b$.

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Question 3: 5a-1

F is a field, $R = \{f(x) \in F[x] | f(x) = a_0 + \sum_{i=2}^n a_i x^i \}$. Prove that $R \not\in F[x]$ 的子环; $x^2, x^3 \not\in F[x]$ 但不是素元(so R is not UFD).

Solution:

子环验证略.

To prove that x^2 , x^3 are irreducibel in R, just consider the deg. x^2 , x^3 are not prime, $x^2 \mid x^3 \cdot x^3$, $x^2 \nmid x^3$ and $x^3 \mid x^2 \cdot x^4$, $x^3 \nmid x^4$, $x^3 \nmid x^2$

Question 4: 5a-2

R为UFD, P为R的非零素理想,证明: P中有素元.

Solution:

P is nonzero, so $\exists a \in P, a \neq 0, a$ is irreversibel. Since R is UFD, $a = a_1...a_n, a_i$ is irreducibel. Since P is prime, $a_k \in P, k \in \{1, ..., n\}$. Since R is UFD, a_k is prime. \diamond

Note:-

- 诺特环的同态像是诺特环.
- (Hilbert基定理) R为交换诺特环, 那么R[x]为诺特环.
- 非诺特环的UFD: $F[x_1, x_2, ..., x_n, ...]$

Question 5: 5a-4

R is UFD, $ab=c^n, a, b, c \in R^*, n \in \mathbb{N}_+$, a, b are coprime, prove that there exist $u, v, f, g \in R$, u, v are invertibel, such that $a=uf^n, b=vg^n$.

Solution:

- (i) If a or b is invertibel, WLOG, a is invertibel, then $a = a \cdot 1^n$, $b = 1 \cdot c^n$.
- (ii) If a and b are irreversibel, then c^n is irreversibel, since R is UFD, so $ab = (a_1...a_n)(b_1...b_m) = c^n = (c_1...c_t)^n$, where a_i, b_i, c_s are irreducibel.

使用相同的相伴代表元,由于a,b互素,因此没有不可逆的公因子,所以 $a=ud_1^{e_1}...d_n^{e_n}$,u可逆, $b=vd_{n+1}^{e_{n+1}}...d_{n+s}^{e_{n+s}}$,v可逆,因此 $a=uf^n$, $b=vg^n$. \diamondsuit

Question 6: 5a-5

求 $x^2 + 2 = y^3$ 所有整数解.

Solution:

 $(x + \sqrt{-2})(x - \sqrt{-2}) = y^3$ in $\mathbb{Z}[\sqrt{-2}]$.

- $\mathbb{Z}[\sqrt{-2}]$ is UFD.
- $x + \sqrt{-2}$, $x \sqrt{-2}$ 无不可逆公因子

If $x + \sqrt{-2} = a_1...a_n$, $y = b_1...b_m$, then $x - \sqrt{-2} = \overline{a_1}...\overline{a_n}$, a_i, b_j are irreducibel, since the fractorization is unique, 2n = 3m, so n = 3t, m = 2t.

 $x + \sqrt{-2}, x - \sqrt{-2}$ 互素,因此, $x + \sqrt{-2} = (a + bi)^3 = a^3 - 6ab + (3ab - 2b^3)\sqrt{-2}$, then $b(3a - 2b^2) = 1$, so $b \in U(\mathbb{Z}[\sqrt{-2}]) = \{1, -1\}$.

b = 1, then a = 1, x = -5, y = 3, or a = -1, x = 5, y = 3.

b = 1, no solution.

So, all solutions are: a = 1, x = -5, y = 3, or a = -1, x = 5, y = 3.

Claim 1.1.1

 $\mathbb{Z}[\sqrt{-2}]$ is UFD.

证明: 思路: 证明 $\mathbb{Z}[\sqrt{-2}]$ 是ED, 从而是UFD.

 $\forall \alpha, \beta \in \mathbb{Z}[\sqrt{-2}], \ \alpha\beta^{-1} = u + v\sqrt{-2}, u, v \in \mathbb{Q}, \ \text{choose} \ a, b \in \mathbb{Z}, \alpha\beta^{-1} = u + v\sqrt{-2} = (a + b\sqrt{-2}) + [(u - a) + (v - b)\sqrt{-2}], |a - u| \leq \frac{1}{2}, |v - b| \leq \frac{1}{2}.$

So $\alpha=\beta(a+b\sqrt{-2})+\beta[(u-a)+(v-b)\sqrt{-2}]$, since $\alpha-\beta(a+b\sqrt{-2})=\beta[(u-a)+(v-b)\sqrt{-2}]\in\mathbb{Z}[\sqrt{-2}]$, let $q=a+b\sqrt{-2}, r=\beta[(u-a)+(v-b)\sqrt{-2}]\in\mathbb{Z}[\sqrt{-2}]$, then $\alpha=\beta q+r, q, r\in\mathbb{Z}[\sqrt{-2}]$, $\delta(r)=N(r)=N(\beta)N((u-a)+(v-b)\sqrt{-2})=N(\beta)[(u-a)^2+2(v-b)^2]\leqslant N(\beta)\frac{3}{4}< N(\beta)$, so $\mathbb{Z}[\sqrt{-2}]$ is ED, thus UFD.\$\displas\$

Claim 1.1.2

 $x + \sqrt{-2}, x - \sqrt{-2}$ 无不可逆公因子

证明: 若有 $a \in \mathbb{Z}[\sqrt{-2}]$ 不可约, $a \mid x + \sqrt{-2}, x \mid x - \sqrt{-2}$, 那么 $a \mid 2\sqrt{-2}$.

由于UFD中,不可约元是素元,所以 $a \mid \sqrt{-2}, a = \pm \sqrt{-2}, \ \mathbb{Q}\sqrt{-2} \nmid x + \sqrt{-2}, \ \mathbb{A}$ 盾,因此没有不可逆的公因子。 \diamond

Question 7: 5a-6

R[x]是PID \iff R是域.

Solution:

(⇒): R[x]是PID, x在R[x]中不可约 ⇔ (x)是极大理想⇒ $R[x]/(x) \cong R$ 为域.

(⇐): *R*是域, 同高代方法.

Question 8: 5a-7

R is ED, prove that $\forall a \in R, a \neq 0$, a is invertibel $\iff \delta(a) = \min \delta(R^*)$

Solution:

(⇒): a is invertibel, ab = 1, $\forall r \in R^*, r = (rb)a, \delta(a) \leq \delta(r)$.

 (\Leftarrow) : $\delta(a) = \min \delta(R^*)$, 1 = aq + r, r = 0, a is invertibel.