

§1 Lecture 2019-09-09

Theorem 1.1

Suppose $f : A \rightarrow B$ and $g : B \rightarrow C$ are surjective then $g \circ f : A \rightarrow C$ is surjective

Proof: $c \in C$

since $g : B \rightarrow C$ there exists $b \in B$ s.t. $g(b) = c$ since $f : A \rightarrow B$ is surjective, exists $a \in A$ s.t. $f(a) = b$

thus $(g \circ f)(a) = g(f(a)) = g(b) = c$

Definition 1.2. A function $g : b \rightarrow A$ is inverse to function $f : A \rightarrow B$ if:

$$f \circ g = 1_B$$

$$g \circ f = 1_A$$

$$A \xrightarrow{f} B \xrightarrow{g} C$$

$$A \xrightarrow{f} B \xrightarrow{g} A$$

$$g \circ f = 1_A$$

$$B \xrightarrow{g} A \xrightarrow{f} B$$

$$f \circ g = 1_B$$

Note 1.3. They say f and g are invertible, use notation f^{-1} for inverse of f

Theorem 1.4

Let $f : A \rightarrow B$ be a map: f is invertible if and only if f is a bijection

$$P \Leftrightarrow Q$$

$$P \Leftarrow Q$$

$$P \Rightarrow Q$$

Proof that f is invertible means f is a bijection:

let $g = f^{-1}$ f is surjective since for all $b \in B$

we have $f(g(b)) = f \circ g(b) = 1_B(b) = b$

f is injective since if $f(a_1) = f(a_2) \Rightarrow g(f(a_1)) = g(f(a_2))$

injective: if $f(a_1) = f(a_2)$, then $a_1 = a_2$

Proof that f is a bijection means f is invertible define $f^{-1} : B \rightarrow A$ thus:

for each $b \in B$, there exists $a \in A$ s.t. $f(a) = b$ and a is unique with this property (by injectivity)

define $f^{-1}(b) = a$ then $f \circ f^{-1}(b) = f(f^{-1}(b)) = f(a) = b$ $f^{-1} \circ f(a) = f^{-1}(f(a)) = f^{-1}(b)$

so $f \circ f^{-1} = 1_B$

Definition 1.5 (Equivalence Relation). Equivalence Relation on a set X is a relation $R \subset X \times X$

R is reflexive $(x, x) \in R$ for all $x \in X$
 is symmetric $(x, y) \in R \rightarrow (y, x) \in R$
 is transitive $(x, y) \in R$ and $(y, z) \in R \rightarrow (x, z) \in R$

Note 1.6. Usually denote equiv relations by $x \sim y$ instead of $(x, y) \in R$

or $x = y$
 $x \equiv y$

Definition 1.7. A partition of X is a collection of disjoint nonempty subsets of X whose union is X

Example 1.8

$\{X_k : k \in K\}$ $x_i \cap x_j = \emptyset$ for $i \neq j$
 $\{1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 0\} = \{1, 4, 5\} \cup \{6\} \cup \{9\} \cap \{2, 3, 7, 8, 0\}$
 $X = X_1 \cup X_2 \cup X_3 \cup X_4$

§1.1 Creating a partition

let x be a set with equivalence relation \sim for $y \in X$, let $[y] = \{x \in X : x \sim y\}$
 $[y]$ is the equivalence class represented by y

Theorem 1.9

Theorem 1.25: The equivalence classes of an equivalence relation (\sim) form a partition of X .

Proof:

1. each equiv class is nonempty since $y \in [y]$
2. equiv classes are either disjoint or equal since if $y \in [a]$ and $y \in [b]$
 then $[a] \subset [b]$ since $c \in [a] \Rightarrow c \sim a \Rightarrow^{transitivity} c \sim y \Rightarrow^{transitivity} c \sim b \Rightarrow c \in [b]$
 similarly $[b] \subset [a]$
3. $X = \cup_{x \in X} [x]$

Conversely, given a partition of X you can define an equivalence relation by declaring $x \sim y \Rightarrow x, y$ lie in the same part of the partition

Note 1.10. An equivalence relation is a disguised version of a partition

Definition 1.11. Definition: congruence modulo n equivalence relation on Z

$a \equiv_n b$ if n divides $(b - a)$ i.e. $b - a = mn$ for some $m \in Z$ do NOT use $(a \equiv b(mod n))$
 EX. \equiv_2 partition

$\{-4, -2, 0, 2, \cdot\}$
 $\{-3, -1, 1, 3, \cdot\}$

Proof: \equiv_n is equiv relation

$$1. a \equiv_n a \text{ since } n|(a - a)$$

$$2. (a \equiv_n b) \Rightarrow (b \equiv_n a) \text{ since } n|(b - a) \text{ then } n|(a - b)$$

$$3. a \equiv_n b \text{ and } b \equiv_n c \text{ then } a \equiv_n c$$

$$n|(b - a) \text{ and } n|(c - b) \text{ so } n|(b - a) + (c - b)$$