

Category perspective = (Objects, functions between objects).

A set S is a collection of elements (in some universe). s.t. any
 x is exactly $\begin{cases} \in S & \text{In the set} \\ \notin S & \text{not in the set} \end{cases}$

A function f between sets A and B $f: A \rightarrow B$ is a rule

in which every element a in A is assigned exactly element in B , typically

$f(a)$, a^f , $a(f)$, a_f

Goal: add an operation or 2 to sets.

Q: ① how do we characterize objects?

② what are the functions.

Groups: the nicest object to study with only one operation.

Q: what is the simplest sets to study with only one operation?

Def: A (binary) operation on a set S is of the form:

$$\star: S \times S \rightarrow S \quad \text{go back to } S.$$

the operation satisfies the closure axiom (implicitly implied in definition)

Def: A magma is a set M equipped with a (binary) operation

$$\star: M \times M \rightarrow M \quad \text{that satisfying the closure axiom.}$$

Q: what is a good definition for a function between magmas?

(M, \star) is a magma.

(N, \cdot) is another magma

We say a function $f: M \rightarrow N$ preserves the binary operation (or, is a function between magmas) iff $f(a \star b) = f(a) \cdot f(b)$ ($a, b \in M$)

Q: Is the empty set a magma? Yes, maybe.

Groups: What are the prototypes / number system that groups were based on?

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

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

$\mathbb{R} = \text{real numbers}$.

Def: A group is a (nonempty) set G equipped with a binary operation

$+/\cdot: G \times G \rightarrow G$, satisfying

① Closure = if $a, b \in G \Rightarrow a \cdot b \in G$. (Implied Implicitly)

② Associativity = if $a, b, c \in G \Rightarrow (a \cdot b) \cdot c = a \cdot (b \cdot c)$

③ Identity = $\exists e \in G$, st. $\forall a \in G$, $a \cdot e = e \cdot a$.

④ Inverses = If $a \in G$, then $\exists b \in G$, st. $a \cdot b = b \cdot a = e$.

Def: A group is called commutative (or abelian) if the binary operation is commutative, i.e.

$$\oplus \quad a \cdot b = b \cdot a, \quad \forall a, b \in G.$$

Q: What are the functions between groups that preserve the group structure?

Def: Let (G, \star) and (H, \cdot) be two groups, we say that a map of sets

$f: G \rightarrow H$ is a group homomorphism iff $f(a \star b) = f(a) \cdot f(b) \quad \forall a, b$.

Q: Do we need to state $f(e_G) = e_H$? $f(a \star e_G) = f(a) \cdot f(e_G) = f(a) \Rightarrow f(e_G) = e_H$

Q: Is the identity unique in a group G ? $e \cdot e' = e = e'$

What questions about groups help us build intuition?

- What is the best way to describe the structure of a particular

- example of a group?

- How do we classify all groups?

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- How do we describe the possible homomorphism between groups?

Last time: we spoke about group homomorphisms as set functions.

$f: G \rightarrow H$ on the groups. $f(g_1 g_2) = f(g_1) f(g_2)$

we saw that for any homomorphism, $f(e) = e$. ~~but if $f(e) = f(a)$~~

~~the $(ba)c = b(ac) \Rightarrow c = b$ from associativity, the uniqueness of inverse depends on associativity~~

Examples:

Commutative examples:

$(\mathbb{Z}/\mathbb{R}/\mathbb{Q}/\mathbb{C}, +)$

$(\mathbb{R}_{m \times n}, +)$

commutative non-example:

(\mathbb{Z}, \cdot) 没有逆元.

(\mathbb{Q}, \cdot) 有问题

non-commutative example:

$\text{GL}_n(\mathbb{Q}) \hookrightarrow \mathbb{R}, \mathbb{R}_{m \times n}$

$\text{GL}_n(\mathbb{R}) \leftarrow$ 同时需要要求 $\det = \pm 1$

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Groups acting on sets:

Permutation groups:

$$N_n = \{1, 2, \dots, n\}$$

Define a permutation as a bijection of N_n , i.e., a 1-1 mapping
function of sets.

$$\{1, 2, \dots, n\} \xrightarrow{\sigma} \{1, \dots, n\}, \text{ s.t. } \sigma(a) = \sigma(b) \Rightarrow a = b.$$

or s.t. $\forall y \in N_n, \exists x \in N_n$, s.t. $\sigma(x) = y$.

The set of all permutations of N_n is denoted S_n "symmetric group"

Need to show it's a group

Operation: composition of functions

$$N_2 = \{1, 2\} \quad \begin{matrix} 1 \mapsto 1 & 1 \mapsto 2 \\ 2 \mapsto 2 & 2 \mapsto 1 \end{matrix} \quad \text{abelian!}$$

$$S_2 = \{\varepsilon, \sigma\} \quad \begin{array}{c|cc|c} & 0 & \varepsilon & \sigma \\ \hline \varepsilon & 0 & \varepsilon & \sigma \\ \sigma & \varepsilon & \sigma & 0 \end{array}$$

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"cycle notation" $(\overset{\leftarrow}{1}, \overset{\rightarrow}{2})$

In cycle notation, there are many different ways
to represent the same notation.

$$\text{N}_3 = \{123\} \quad \text{id}, (23), (12), (13), (123),$$

not commutative $(123) \circ (12) = (13)$

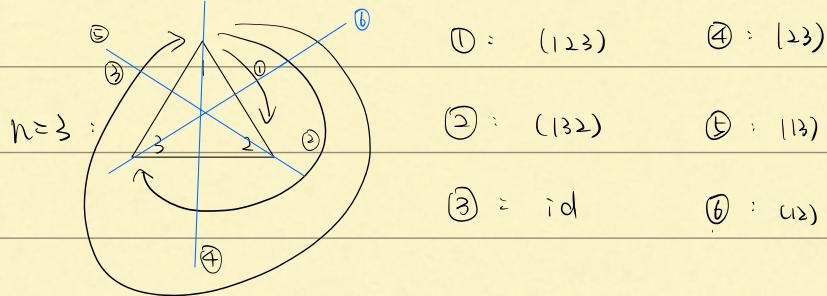
$$\begin{array}{c} \tau \circ \sigma \\ \neq \\ \tau \circ \sigma(x) = \tau(\sigma(x)) \end{array}$$

从右往左.

$$(12) \circ (13) = (23)$$

只有 S_3 交换的 $n \geq 3$ 时可以直用这个

Dihedral groups = rotations and reflections of a regular n-gon



$$D_3 \cong S_3$$

notation of $D_n = \langle \sigma, \tau \rangle$

rotation of $\frac{360^\circ}{n}$ degree one of the reflections

Example of creating new groups from old. group

Direct Product : $(G, \cdot), (H, *)$

$$G \times H = \{(g, h) \mid g \in G, h \in H\}$$

$$(G \times H, *) \quad (g, h) * (g', h') = (g \cdot g', h * h')$$

Exercise: $G \times H$ is a group.

Q: How can we tell that a group G is secretly a direct product?

Def: A subgroup H of (G, \cdot) is a (nonempty) subset of G that forms a group under \cdot .

Subgroup criterion: $H \leq G \Leftrightarrow$

① non-empty

② $a, b \in H \Rightarrow ab^{-1} \in H$

Proof of " \Leftarrow "

H nonempty $\Rightarrow \exists h \in H,$

$\Rightarrow hh^{-1} = e \in H \Rightarrow \text{封闭}$

Associativity 从 G 中继承.

$a=e, b=h \Rightarrow eh^{-1} = h \in H \Rightarrow \text{逆元}$

If $a, b \in H \Rightarrow b^{-1} \in H \Rightarrow a(b^{-1})^{-1} = ab \in H \Rightarrow \text{封闭性.}$

Def: If $f: G \rightarrow H$ is a group homomorphism, define

$$\ker(f) = \{g \in G \mid f(g) = e_H\} \quad \text{im}(f) = \{h \in H \mid \exists g \in G, f(g) = h\}$$

Prop: $\ker(f), \text{im}(f)$ are subgroups of G and H .

Def : $\text{Center}(H) = Z(H) = \{a \in H \mid ax = xa, \forall x \in H\}$

Exercise: $Z(H)$ is a subgroup of H .

$f: G \rightarrow H$

Note: the $\ker(f)$, If $g \in \ker(f)$, then $f(g) \cdot h = h \cdot f(g) \quad \forall h \in H$

$$\Rightarrow f(g) = h \cdot f(g) h^{-1} \quad \forall h \in H$$

$\forall h \in \text{im}(f)$, we have $fx = h$ for some x .

$$\Rightarrow f(g) = f(x)f(g)f(x)^{-1}$$

$$e_H = f(g) = f(xg^{-1})$$

$$\Rightarrow \forall x \in G, xgx^{-1} \in \ker(f) \text{ if } g \in \ker(f)$$

Def: A subgroup $H \leq G$ is called normal if $\forall g \in G$,

$$gHg^{-1} \subseteq H$$

Theorem : Every normal subgroup is the kernel of some group homomorphism.

$$N \trianglelefteq G, G \rightarrow H = \mathcal{G}/N.$$

Def: The order of G is $|G|$, the cardinality of underlying set.

A finite group : $|G| < \infty$. infinite ---

Q: What are all groups of order n ?

Groups of order 1: $\{e\}$

Groups of order 2: $\{e, x\}$

e	e	x
e	x	x
x	x	e

$$x^2 = x \text{ 不行}$$

Group of order 3:

Group of order 4: $\mathbb{Z}_{42}, \mathbb{Z}_{22} \times \mathbb{Z}_{22}$ / C_4 on $C_2 \times C_2$.

Group of order 5: \mathbb{Z}_{52} ↳ cyclic group of order n.

Group of order 6: $S_3 = D_3$.

Daf: a group G is generated by $S \subseteq G$ if $\forall g \in G$,

g can be written as a finite product of elements

in S or their inverses (写了 g 就不乘 g' 了)

$$D_n = \langle \sigma, \tau \mid \sigma^n = 1, \tau^2 = 1, \sigma\tau = \tau\sigma^{-1} \rangle$$

S_n is generated by all simple transpositions (i.e., 2-cycles)

Daf: the order of $g \in G$ is the smallest element n,

s.t. $g^n = e$ (if n exists) or infinite (if n doesn't exist)

Ex. $(\mathbb{Z}, +)$, 1 is a generator, infinite order.

Daf: An isomorphism between groups G, H , $f: G \xrightarrow{\sim} H$

or $G \cong H$ is a group homomorphism that is also

a set bijection.

Daf: A group is finitely generated if it can be generated by a finite set of generators.

Exs: D_n

All finite group.

non-Exs: $(\mathbb{Q}, +)$ is not finitely generated

Def: A cyclic group is a group that can be generated by 1 element.

$$G = \langle a \rangle = \{a^k \mid k \in \mathbb{Z}\}$$

Properties of cyclic groups:

- abelian.
- any 2 cyclic groups of the same order (either ∞ , not) are isomorphic.
- every subgroup of a cyclic group is cyclic.

Classification of cyclic groups:

$$\{\text{cyclic group}\} \Leftrightarrow \mathbb{N} \cup \{\infty\}$$

B. 被大小决定

Def: the order of $g \in G$ is the smallest element n ,

s.t. $g^n = e$ (if n exists) or infinite (if n doesn't exist)

E.x. $(\mathbb{Z}, +)$, 1 is a generator, infinite order.

Classify finite generated abelian groups:

"primary decomposition":

Thm: If G is finitely generated abelian group. Then

$$G \cong \mathbb{Z}^n \times \mathbb{Z}/p_1^{e_1} \mathbb{Z} \times \mathbb{Z}/p_2^{e_2} \mathbb{Z} \cdots \times \mathbb{Z}/p_m^{e_m} \mathbb{Z}$$

p_i are all primes (not necessarily distinct) $n \geq 0$,

(Up to rearranging, this is a unique decomposition)

Ex. Order 4:

$$(n=0) \left. \begin{array}{c} \mathbb{Z}/4\mathbb{Z} \\ \mathbb{Z}/2\mathbb{Z} \times \mathbb{Z}/2\mathbb{Z} \end{array} \right\} \Rightarrow \text{Thm tells us we're done.}$$

Another decomposition

$$G \cong \underbrace{\mathbb{Z}^n \times \mathbb{Z}_{m_1\mathbb{Z}} \times \mathbb{Z}_{m_2\mathbb{Z}} \times \cdots \times \mathbb{Z}_{m_n\mathbb{Z}}}_{m_1/m_{i+1}}$$

'free part of G ' the decomposition of G .

Group action

S_n = symmetric group on n letters acting on the set

$$N_n = \{1, \dots, n\}$$

Let S be a set, we can define

$\text{Sym}(S)$ = group of bijections on the set (under composition)

Cayley's Thm:

Every group G is isomorphic to a subgroup of the symmetric group acting on G .

Pf: To any element $g \in G$, we associate the function

$$f_g: G \rightarrow G, \quad x \mapsto gx$$

✓ need to show f_g is a bijection for $\forall g \in \text{Sym}(G)$

strategies: either show f_g is both injective and surjective

$f_{g^{-1}}$ satisfies $f_g \circ f_{g^{-1}} = id = f_e = f_{g^{-1}} \circ f_g$

Assuming $gx = f_g(x)$, $gy = f_g(y)$ for $x, y \in G$.

$gx = gy \Rightarrow x = y$, injective.

$\forall y \in G$, $f_g(g^{-1}y) = y \Rightarrow$ surjective. $\Rightarrow f_g$ bijection

Let $K = \{f_g \mid g \in G\} \subseteq \text{Sym}(G)$

Remains to check: K is a subgroup

strategies: { subgroup criterion

{ we can illustrate K as the image subgroup

inside of G of a group homomorphism.

Let $T: G \rightarrow \text{Sym}(G)$, $g \mapsto f_g$. 想证 $T(g) \circ T(h) = T(g \cdot h)$

if $x \in G$, $f_g \circ f_h(x) = f_g(hx) = ghx = f_{gh}(x)$

Conclude that T is a group homomorphism.

$\text{im}(T) = \{T(g) \mid g \in G\} = \{f_g \mid g \in G\} = K \Rightarrow K$ is a group.

But, is $K \leq G$? or equivalently, is T injective?

T is injective, since $f_g = f_{g'} \Leftrightarrow \forall x, gx = g'x \Rightarrow g = g'$.

Take away: All groups G act on some set S (worst case, $S = G$)

? 为什么呢.

$$G = S_3 \quad |G| = 6 \quad \text{Sym}(G) \subseteq S_6$$

Left group action: If G group S set, a ^{right} f $S \times G \rightarrow S$ left group action
is a function $f: G \times S \rightarrow S$ satisfying 2 properties:

$$(1) \quad f(e, s) = s$$

$$(2) \quad f(g, f(h, s)) = f(gh, s)$$

different notation: $\cdot: G \times S \rightarrow S$

$$(1) \quad e \cdot s = s$$

$$(2) \quad g \cdot (h \cdot s) = (gh) \cdot s$$

所以这里是一个 monoid homo?

Another way to think about group actions: $G \rightarrow \text{Fun}(S)$ ($s \xrightarrow{\text{fun}} S$)

satisfying (1) (2).

(这里提到3-嘴, group homo \subseteq monoid homo 的意义完全一样, 因为我们
们在定义时不需逆元这个条件).

If G does act on a set S , then G is a subgroup of

$\text{Sys}(S)$

(Q: does (1) and (2) imply that the image of any element

$g \in G$ under the map $G \rightarrow \text{Fun}(S)$ actually send g

to a bijection? i.e., $\subseteq \text{Sys}(S)$?)

G defines an equivalence relation on S :

$$x \sim_g y \Leftrightarrow y = gx \text{ for some } g \in G.$$

recall: equivalence

reflexive	√
symmetric	
transitive	

Def: If G is a group, acting on S , for any element $s \in S$,

let "G-orbit" of x , aka $Gx = \{g \cdot x \mid g \in G\}$

Exercise: The G -orbits form a partition of S .

Special Case: $H \leq G$, H acts on G .

If $x \in G$, then the H -orbits of x is $Hx = \{hx \mid h \in H\}$

\Rightarrow partition.

If G is a finite group, $G = H_1 \cup H_2 \cup \dots \cup H_n$.
↓ 不交并

If $x_i = e$, then $He = H$

We can show that $\forall x, y \in G$, $|Hx| = |Hy|$

↓ note: this + partition implies $|H| / |G| \forall H$

Define a function $Hx \rightarrow Hy$,

$$\begin{matrix} z & \mapsto & z^{-1}y \\ hx & & hy \end{matrix}$$

To see it's a bijection, Assume $z_1^{-1}y = z_2^{-1}y \Rightarrow z_1 = z_2 \Rightarrow$ 單

滿也單據. $\Rightarrow |Hx| = |Hy|$

Cor: $x^{|G|} = e$.

If $f: G \rightarrow H$ homo

$$\ker(f) = \{g \in G \mid f(g) = e\}$$

$$\text{im}(f) = \{h \in H \mid \dots\}$$

Every kernel is normal:

Def: A subgroup K is normal if $\forall g \in G$, $gKg^{-1} = K$.

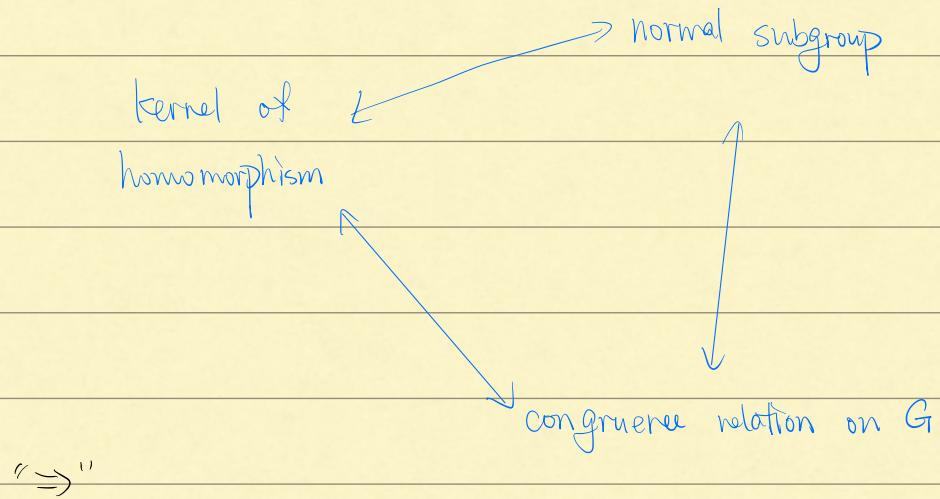
Theorem: if $K \leq G$, then $a \equiv b \pmod{K}$ defines a multiplicative

equivalence relation

$\Leftrightarrow \bar{a}\bar{b} \in k$.

$$a \equiv a' \pmod{k}, b \equiv b' \pmod{k} \Rightarrow ab \equiv a'b' \pmod{k}$$

Conversely, any congruence relation " \equiv " on G defines a normal subgroup.



" \Rightarrow ": If $a \equiv b \pmod{k}$, then $\bar{a}\bar{b} \in k \Rightarrow b \in k = \{ka \mid k \in k\}$

$$\Rightarrow \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{reflexive: } a\bar{a} = e \in k \\ \text{symmetric: } a \equiv b \Rightarrow \bar{a}\bar{b} \in k \Rightarrow \bar{b}\bar{a} \in k \Rightarrow b \equiv a \end{array} \right.$$

transitive: $a \equiv b, b \equiv c \Rightarrow \bar{a}\bar{b} \in k, \bar{b}\bar{c} \in k \Rightarrow \bar{a}\bar{c} \in k$. 至此还须用 normal 群

multiplicativity: if $a \equiv a', b \equiv b'$, $\Rightarrow a = a'k_1, b = b'k_2$.

想证 $ab \equiv a'b'$

$$ab = a'k_1b'k_2. \text{ 而 } b^{-1}k_1b' = k_3 \in k \Rightarrow k_1b' = b'k_3$$

$$\Rightarrow ab = a'b'k_3k_2 \Rightarrow ab \equiv a'b'.$$

" \Leftarrow ": Assume we have \equiv on G ,

Let K be the congruence class of 1.

i.e., $K = \{g \in G \mid g \equiv 1\}$ 下面 K normal sbgp.

① $\forall k_1, k_2 \in K, k_1 \equiv 1, k_2 \equiv 1 \Rightarrow k_1k_2 \equiv 1 \Rightarrow k_1k_2 \in K$. (由 \equiv) \Rightarrow closed.

反正很好证实 subgroup

下面 normal

$$\forall g \in G, k \in K, \bar{g}^{-1}kg \equiv \bar{g}^{-1}g \equiv 1 \in K.$$

So $\bar{g}^t K g = K$.

Def: If $K \trianglelefteq G$, $G/K = \{gK = Kg \mid g \in G\}$. $(gK) \cdot (hK) = gh \cdot K$.

↪陪集构成商集.

Note: $eK = K$, $(gK)^t = \bar{g}^t K$

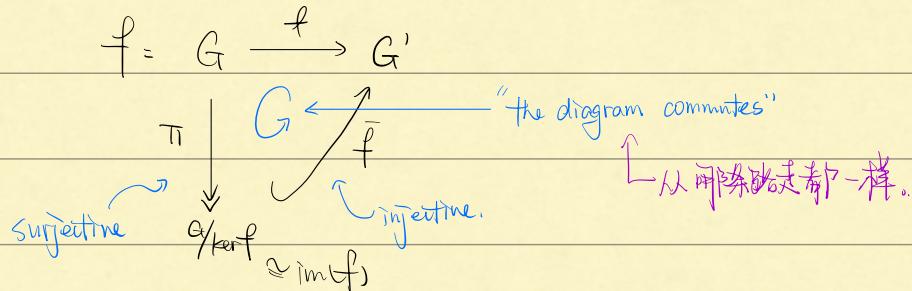
Examples of normal subgroups:

- $\{e\} \trianglelefteq G$
- $G \trianglelefteq G$
- center of the group
- 阿贝尔群的所有的子群

Ex: $S_3 = \{e, (13), (23), (12), (123), (132)\}$ ↪ index 2.
 $\Rightarrow \{e, (12)\}, \{e, (23)\}, \{e, (12)\}, \{e, (123), (132)\}, e, S_3$

Fundamental Theorem of Group Homomorphisms:

If $f: G \rightarrow G'$, it can be "uniquely factored" into $f = \bar{f} \circ \pi$



Corollary = Surjective group homomorphisms are in 1-1 bijection with normal subgroups of G

pf of fund thm

We'll prove this by showing $G/\ker(f) \cong \text{im}(f)$

$$G/\ker(f) \xrightarrow{i} \text{im}(f) \quad (k = \ker(f))$$

$$gk \xrightarrow{i} f(g) \quad \text{要先证这是 well-defined 且, 不要把两个东西送到同一地方去.}$$

Q: Is it well defined?

$$\text{if } g_1 k = g_2 k, \quad \stackrel{?}{\Rightarrow} f(g_1) = f(g_2) ?$$

$$g_1 K = g_2 K \Rightarrow g_2^{-1} g_1 K = K \Rightarrow g_2^{-1} g_1 \in K \quad \checkmark$$

$$f(g_1 g_2) = 1 \Rightarrow f(g_2) = f(g_2 g_2^{-1} g_1) = f(g_1)$$

Q: Is it a group homomorphism? ↗说的不是"而"是"且".

recall that f is group homo. " $i(g_1 k) i(g_2 k) = i(g_1 g_2 k)$ "

$$i(g_1 k) i(g_2 k) = f(g_1) f(g_2) = f(g_1 g_2) = g_1 g_2 k. \quad \stackrel{?}{=} \Leftrightarrow g_1 k g_2 = g_1 g_2 k \Leftrightarrow k = g_2 k g_2^{-1} \checkmark.$$

Q: Injective? Surjective?

$$\text{Inj: if } i(g_1 k) = i(g_2 k) \Leftrightarrow f(g_1) = f(g_2)$$

$$\text{应该乘左边的. } \xrightarrow{\text{乘左边}} \Leftrightarrow f(g_1 g_2^{-1}) = f(g_1 g_2) = e_A \Leftrightarrow g_1 g_2^{-1} \in K.$$

$$\Rightarrow g_1 g_2^{-1} k = k \Leftrightarrow g_1 k = g_2 k$$

$$\text{Suf: let } \forall y \in \text{im}(f), \exists x \in G, \text{ s.t. } f(x) = y$$

$i(xk) = f(x) = y \Rightarrow$ 对 $\text{im}(f)$ surjective. 相当于限制了领域.

$$\text{So } G/\ker(f) \cong \text{im}(f) \quad \left(\begin{array}{l} G \xrightarrow{\text{onto}} G/\ker(f) \\ g \mapsto gk \end{array} \right)$$

因为 $\text{im}(f) \hookrightarrow G'$ injective since $\text{im}(f) \leq G$.

$f(g) \mapsto f(g)$ 为 inclusion function.

First Isomorphism Theorem:

Let $K \leq G$.

$$\{ \text{subgroups of } G \text{ containing } K \} \xrightarrow{\text{1-1}} \{ \text{subgroups of } G/K \}$$

$$\rightarrow H \mapsto H/K$$

" \leftarrow " all elements of $G^{(H)}$ contained in cosets of S $\longleftrightarrow S \leq G/K.$

$$\text{If } H \trianglelefteq G, \text{ iff } H/K \trianglelefteq G/K. \Leftrightarrow G/H \cong G/K/H/K.$$

Second Isomorphism thm:

If $H \trianglelefteq G, K \trianglelefteq G,$

Then $HK = \{hk \mid h \in H, k \in K\}$ is a subgroup of G containing $K.$

HK is a normal subgroup of $H.$

$$HK/K \cong H/HK.$$

$$z \xrightarrow{\text{"choose" } z \text{ to be in } H.} z(HK)$$

pf of 2:

if zk is a coset of K in HK , if $z=hk$

The implicit claim by writing down the map $zk \mapsto z(HK)$

is that if $zk = hk$, then $zk = hk.$

① We will first show $HK \trianglelefteq G.$

- $1 \in HK$ since $1 \in H, 1 \in K.$

- if $hk \in HK$, then $(hk)^{-1} = k^{-1}h^{-1} \in K \cdot H = HK = hk$

Fact: $\forall h, hk = kh$

- Associativity inherited

- $h_1k_1h_2k_2 = h_1h_2k_1k_2 \in HK.$

$$\hookrightarrow hk = kh \Leftrightarrow hkh = khk.$$

② Now show $HK \trianglelefteq H$

$\forall x \in H \cap K \subseteq K, \forall g \in G, gxg^{-1} \in K.$

if $g \in H$, then $gxg^{-1} \in H \Rightarrow gxg^{-1} \in K \cap K, \forall g \in H.$

idea: $H/H \cap K \cong HK/K$ "HK" 的像大 (小?) subgp.

It remains to show this is an isomorphism

$$G \xrightarrow{G/K} H/K \text{ restrict to } H \Rightarrow \begin{array}{l} H \xrightarrow{\pi_H} G/K ? \pi(h) = hk \\ h \mapsto hk \end{array} \begin{array}{l} \pi(h) = hk \\ = h \in K \end{array} \leftarrow \text{"HK"-coset of } K.$$

If hkk is an HK -coset of K . $\Rightarrow hkk = hk$

$\Rightarrow \pi_H(h) = hkk$ So $\pi|_H$ is a surjective group homomorphism on HK/K .

By construction, $\ker(\pi) = K$,

Q: $\ker(\pi|_H) ? \leftarrow$ 既在 H 中, 又在 K 中

$$\hookrightarrow = H \cap K.$$

By fundamental of group homomorphism,

$$H/H \cap K \cong HK/K \leftarrow \text{RHS 为像的 image.}$$

pf of ① = skip, (去翻页之前的步骤) 2021.9.22.

Group Actions:

G acts on a set S if \exists a map $\circ: G \times S \rightarrow S$
 $(g, x) \mapsto g \circ x \in S.$

satisfies: ① $(1, x) \mapsto x$

$$\text{② } (g_1, (g_2, x)) = (g_1 g_2, x) \Leftrightarrow g_1 \circ (g_2 \circ x) = (g_1 g_2) \circ x.$$

Example: G acts on G by multiplication. $g \circ x = gx$

G acts on G by conjugation. $g \circ x = gxg^{-1}$

Dof: If G acts on S , then the G -orbit of $x \in S$.

$$Gx = \{gx \mid g \in G\}$$

Ex (cont): ① $Gx = \{gx \mid g \in G\}$

② $Gx = \{gxg^{-1} \mid g \in G\}$

The G -orbit of $x \in G$ (under conjugation) is its
conjugacy class.

We say an action of G on S is transitive if there
is only one orbit.

$$\Leftrightarrow \forall x, y \in S, \exists g, \text{ s.t. } gx = y.$$

Q: What if all conjugacy classes are singletons?

$S = G$, action = conjugation.

$$gx = gyg^{-1}, \Rightarrow \forall x, \forall g, \text{ if } gyg^{-1} = x \Rightarrow G \text{ abelian.}$$

\Rightarrow if x has conjugacy class of size 1,

$$\text{then } x \text{ is central} \Leftrightarrow x \in Z(G)$$

G acts on S , notation: GGS ,

If $x \in S$, the $\text{Stab}(x) = \{g \in G \mid gx = x\}$

\hookrightarrow normal subgroup of G .

Theorem: If G acts transitively on S , and $H = \text{Stab}(x)$

for some $x \in S$, then the action of G on S

is equivalent to action of G on the cosets of G/H .

First, we show that $\text{Stab}(x) \trianglelefteq G$.

- $\forall x \in S, e_G \in \text{Stab}(x)$
- if $g_1, g_2 \in \text{Stab}(x)$, $g_1 \circ x = x$, $g_2 \circ x = x$.
 $\Rightarrow (g_1 g_2) \circ x = x$.
- if $g \in \text{Stab}(x)$, $g \circ x = x$
 $x = e \circ x = (g^{-1} g) \circ x = g^{-1} \circ (g \circ x) = g^{-1} \circ x \Rightarrow g^{-1} \in \text{Stab}(x)$

Exercise: $\text{Stab} \trianglelefteq G$. → 这个好像不对，往下看

Def: We say that G acts on S, S' are equivalent if

$$\exists \text{ bijection } \begin{matrix} S \\ \downarrow \psi \\ S' \end{matrix}, \text{ s.t. } \psi(g \circ x) = g \circ (\psi(x))$$

\nearrow action on S \nwarrow action on S'

In the language of commutative diagrams:

If $g \in G$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} x & \xrightarrow{\quad g \circ x \quad} & \\ \downarrow & \curvearrowright & \downarrow \\ S & \xrightarrow{T_g} & S \\ \downarrow \psi & \curvearrowright & \downarrow \psi \\ S' & \xrightarrow{T_{g'}} & S' \\ x' & \xrightarrow{\quad g \circ x' \quad} & \end{array}$$

分割是 S, S' 上的 group action.

The diagram commutes. i.e. $T_g = \psi T_{g'} \psi^{-1}$

Orbit-Stabilizer Theorem:

If $|G| < \infty$ acting transitively on S , then

$$|S| = \underbrace{[G : \text{Stab}(x)]}_{\text{number of cosets of } H \text{ in } G}, \forall x \in S$$

$[G : H]$ = number of cosets of H in G .

If G acts on S but isn't transitive, and

G, S are both finite, then

$$|S| = \sum_{g \in G} [G : \text{Stab}(gx)] \quad \text{run over representatives of orbits.}$$

$\sum_{g \in G, x \in S}$

$$\text{Note: } \text{Stab}(gx) = \{h \in G \mid h \cdot gx = gx\}$$

$$\Rightarrow \{h \in G \mid g^{-1}hg \cdot x = x\}$$

$$= g \text{Stab}(x)g^{-1}$$

Theorem 1.10: Let $G \curvearrowright S$ transitively (G not necessarily finite) Let

$H = \text{Stab}(x)$ for some $x \in S$, then the action of G on S is

equivalent to the action of G acts on the set of cosets G/H .

反例: ($\text{Stab} \neq G$, 即 \nrightarrow transitively):

$$S_3 = G \quad S = \{(12), (13), (123)\}$$

Conjugation by $(23) = g$

$$(23)(12)(23) = (12). \Rightarrow G \text{ acts on } S \text{ transitively.}$$

$$\text{Stab}(12) \neq \text{Stab}(13)$$

Pf: Fix $x \in S$, Consider the map $f_x: G \rightarrow S$

$$g \mapsto g \cdot x$$

G acts transitively, so f_x is surjective.

Define the set of equivalent classes on G by $\bar{g} = \{a \in G \mid f_x(a) = f_x(g)\}$

$$\Leftrightarrow \{a \in G \mid g^{-1}a \cdot x = x\}$$

$$\Leftrightarrow \{g \in G \mid g^{-1}a \in \text{Stab}(x)\}$$

$$\Leftrightarrow \{g \in G \mid a \in g \text{Stab}(x)\}$$

Hence, f_x induces a bijection from $\overline{G} = \{\text{cosets of Stab}(x)\} \rightarrow S$

$$g \text{Stab}(x) \mapsto g \cdot x$$

To see that these bijections for $x \in S$ give an equivalence of action by G ,

we need to see:

$$\text{If } y \in G, \text{ then } y(g \text{Stab}(x)) = yg(\text{Stab}(x)) \mapsto yg \cdot x$$

$$f_x(yg \text{Stab}(x)) = yg \cdot x$$

$$f_x(y(f_x(g \text{Stab}(x)))) = y(g \cdot x)$$

Notation: $\text{Orb}(x) = \{gx \mid g \in G\} \subseteq S$ (orbit of x)

$$\text{Stab}(x) = \{g \in G \mid gx = x\} \subseteq G.$$

if G is S , G is finite,

$$S = \bigsqcup_{i=1}^n \text{Orb}(x_i) \quad \text{Orb 两两不相交.}$$

$$|\text{Orb}(x)| = [G : \text{Stab}(x)]$$

$$\hookrightarrow |S| = \sum_{i=1}^n [G : \text{Stab}(x)] \quad \text{Orbit - Stabilizer Thm}$$

Application to conjugation action of G on itself

$G \times G$ by conjugation,

$$\text{For } x \in G, \text{ Stab}(x) = \{g \in G \mid gxg^{-1} = x\}$$

$$= \{g \in G \mid gx = xg\}$$

= centralizer of x

$$\text{If } x \in Z(G), \text{ Stab}(x) = G$$

$$\text{If } G \text{ finite, } |G| = \sum_{i=1}^n [G : \text{Stab}(x_i)]$$

$$= |Z(G)| + \sum_{i=1}^n [G : \text{Stab}(x_i)] \leftarrow \text{Class equation}$$

How's such a class formula use? \rightarrow numer/combi

Thm: Any group G of prime power order has to have a non-trivial center

Pf: $|G| = p^k$ p prime.

$$p^k = |\mathcal{X}(G)| + \sum [G : \text{Stab}(x)]$$

\hookrightarrow p-power group \hookleftarrow 非 p 不能整除

Note: if G abelian, done.

if G not-abelian, $\exists y \in G$, $y \notin Z(G)$

then $[G : \text{Stab}(y)] > 1$. $\hookrightarrow \Rightarrow \exists z \in G$, s.t. $yz \neq yz$.

Sylow thm:

Assume G finite (not necessarily abelian)

(I) If p is a prime number, and $p^k \mid |G|$, then G contains a subgroup of order p^k

Def: A p -Sylow sbgp of G is any maximal p -power subgroup of G .

(II) ① Any p -Sylow subgroups are conjugate in G ($\forall P_1, P_2, \exists g, \text{s.t. } gP_1g^{-1} = P_2$).

② # of p -Sylow subgroups of G is

(a) $\equiv 1 \pmod{p}$

(b) divisor $[G : p]$ 除掉所有 p 不整除的那个数.

③ Any p -power subgroup is contained in some p -Sylow sbgp.

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Sketch of (I) :

Strategy: indet the size of $|G|$ \leftarrow only

base case: $|G|=1 \rightarrow$ true. $p^0 \mid |G|$

Strong induction: Assume true for any group G with size $< |G|$.

$$|G| = |\mathcal{Z}(G)| + \sum_{x \in G \setminus \mathcal{Z}(G)} |G : \text{Stab}(x)|$$

(Case 1: $p \nmid |\mathcal{Z}(G)|$)

Since $p \nmid |G| \Rightarrow \exists j$, s.t. $p \nmid |G : \text{Stab}(x_j)|$.

Recall, $G = \underbrace{|\text{Stab}(x_j)|}_{\hookrightarrow p^k} \cdot \underbrace{|G : \text{Stab}(x_j)|}_{\hookrightarrow p^{k-1}}$

$$\hookrightarrow p^k \mid |\text{Stab}(x_j)|$$

We're assuming $x_j \notin \mathcal{Z}(G) \Rightarrow \text{Stab}(x_j) \neq G$.

$$\Rightarrow |\text{Stab}(x_j)| < |G| \stackrel{?}{\Rightarrow} \text{归纳假设}$$

$\Rightarrow \frac{\downarrow}{\text{有}} p^k \text{ subgroup.} \Rightarrow G \text{ 也有.}$

(Case 2: $p \mid |\mathcal{Z}(G)|$)

Lemma: $p \mid |\mathcal{Z}(G)| \Rightarrow \mathcal{Z}(G)$ contains an element of

order p .

$z \in \mathcal{Z}(G)$, s.t. $z^p = 1$

$$\langle z \rangle = \{z^k \mid k \in \mathbb{Z}\} \leq G \quad (\text{因为在 center 里})$$

$$p^k \mid |G| \Rightarrow p^{k-1} \mid |G/\langle z \rangle|$$

$\Rightarrow G/\langle z \rangle$ has subgroup of order p^{k-1}

First isomorphism thm says $\exists H$ in G , is a subgroup

s.t. $H/\langle z \rangle$ can be the description of the group of
order p^{k-1}

$$\text{Conclusion: } |H| = [H : \langle z \rangle] |\langle z \rangle| = p^k$$

Thm: Suppose G group, $H, K \trianglelefteq G$, s.t. $H \cap K = \{e\}$

then $HK = \{hk \mid h \in H, k \in K\} \cong H \times K$

Recall: 2nd iso thm: $H/K_1 = H \times K/K$, $K_1 = H \cap K$

Pf: HK is a subgroup of G , (more generally, if H is in the normalizer of K in G , then HK is a subgroup of G).

$$HK \rightarrow H \times K$$

$$hk \rightarrow (h, k)$$

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b) need it to be well-defined, if $h_1 k_1 = h_2 k_2 \Rightarrow h_1^{-1} h_2 k_1 = k_2$.

well-defined.

$$\Rightarrow h_1^{-1} h_2 = k_2 k_1^{-1} \quad \text{if } H \cap K = \{e\}, \text{ so } h_1 = h_2, k_1 = k_2$$

$$\begin{matrix} \cap \\ H \\ \cap \\ K \end{matrix}$$

This argument proves that ψ is a bijection of sets.

To see ψ is an isomorphism,

$$\psi(h_1 k_1, h_2 k_2) ?$$

$$\psi(h_1 k_1) \psi(h_2 k_2) = (h_1, k_1)(h_2, k_2) = (h_1 h_2, k_1 k_2) = \psi(h_1 h_2, k_1 k_2)$$

want to show: $h_1 k_1 h_2 k_2 = h_1 h_2 k_1 k_2$.

$$\Leftrightarrow k_1 h_2 = h_2 k_1$$

$$k_1 h_2 k_1^{-1} \in H \quad (H \trianglelefteq G)$$

$$h_2 k_1^{-1} \in K$$

$$\Rightarrow \underbrace{k_1}_{\in H} \underbrace{h_2}_{\in H} \underbrace{k_1^{-1}}_{\in H} \underbrace{h_2^{-1}}_{\in H} = e \Rightarrow k_1 h_2 = h_1 k_2$$

$\Rightarrow \psi$ iso

Semidirect Product:

What if $H \trianglelefteq G$, but $K \trianglelefteq G$? $H \cap K = \{e\}$

Thinking about the proof of prov them we shall still use

the "set bijection" part $H \times K \rightarrow H \times K$. 但 $\psi(h_1k_1, h_2k_2) \neq \psi(h_1k_1)\psi(h_2k_2)$

\Rightarrow not group homomorphism.

$h_1k_1h_2k_2 = h_2k_2$ for some h_2, k_2 . only assuming H normal.

$$\begin{aligned} h_2 &= h_1(k_1h_2k_1^{-1}) \\ k_2 &= k_1k_2. \end{aligned}$$

↗ multiplication in $H \times K$.

在直积里, 这里是 commutes

For general semiproduct, we do not assume H, K in some G .

Assume H, K groups,

Q: Can we define a group G , s.t. $H \trianglelefteq G$, $H \cap K = \{e\}$

$$(h_1, k_1) \cdot (h_2, k_2) = (\underbrace{h_1 h_2 k_1^{-1}}, k_1 k_2)$$

$\Psi_K(h_2)$

Theorem: If H, K are groups, and ψ is a homomorphism

$$K \xrightarrow{\psi} \text{Aut}(H)$$

then define G to be the set $H \times K$ with multiplication

$$(h_1, k_1)(h_2, k_2) \mapsto (h_1 \psi(k_1)(h_2), k_1 k_2)$$

then $G = H \times_{\psi} K$.

Pf: Identity = $(1, 1)$

Associativity: $(h_1, k_1)(h_2, k_2)(h_3, k_3)$

$$= (h_1 \psi(k_1)(h_2), k_1 k_2)(h_3, k_3)$$

$$= (h_1 \psi(k_1)(h_2) \psi(k_1 k_2)(h_3), k_1 k_2 k_3)$$

$$= (h_1 \psi(k_1)(h_2 \psi(k_2)(h_3)), k_1 k_2 k_3)$$

$$= (h_1, k_1)(h_2 \psi(k_2)(h_3), k_1 k_2 k_3)$$

$$\text{Inverse} = (h_1, k_1)(h_2, k_2) = (h_1 \varphi(k_1)(h_2), k_1 k_2) = (1, 1)$$

$$\Rightarrow h_2 = \varphi(k_1^{-1})h_1^{-1}, \quad k_2 = k_1^{-1}$$

$$\Rightarrow (h_1, k_1)^{-1} = (\varphi(k_1^{-1})h_1^{-1}, k_1^{-1})$$

Exact Sequence =

A sequence of group homomorphisms

$$H \xrightarrow{\alpha} G \xrightarrow{\beta} K.$$

is called exact at G if $\text{im } \alpha = \ker \beta$.

This means: ① $\beta \circ \alpha(h) = 1, \forall h$

② if $\beta(g) = 1$ for some $g \in G$

$$\Rightarrow \exists h, \text{ s.t. } \alpha(h) = g$$

Notation:

$I \rightarrow G \xrightarrow{f} K$ is exact iff f is injective.

$H \xrightarrow{f} G \rightarrow K$ is exact iff f is surjective.

A short exact sequence (SES) is of the form:

$$I \rightarrow H \xrightarrow{\alpha} G \xrightarrow{\beta} K \rightarrow I$$

which is exact at H, G, K , i.e.

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} \alpha \text{ inj} \\ \beta \text{ surj} \\ \ker(\beta) = \text{im } (\alpha) \end{array} \right\}$$

Example: if $N \trianglelefteq G$, then \exists SES

$$I \longrightarrow N \xhookrightarrow{\text{embedding}} G \xrightarrow{g \mapsto gN} G/N \rightarrow I$$

if H, K , then \exists SES

$$| \longrightarrow H \hookrightarrow H \times K \longrightarrow K \rightarrow |$$

If H, K are groups and $\Psi: K \rightarrow \text{Aut}(H)$ is a group hom,

then $\exists \text{SES}$,

$$| \longrightarrow H \rightarrow H \rtimes_{\Psi} K \longrightarrow K \rightarrow |$$

Concrete examples: if \mathbb{F} field,

$$| \longrightarrow \underbrace{\text{SL}_2(\mathbb{F})}_{\det = 1} \longrightarrow \underbrace{\text{GL}_2(\mathbb{F})}_{(\det)^{-1} \text{ for } \mathbb{F}^*} \longrightarrow \mathbb{F}^* \longrightarrow |$$

"SES" 可以看成某种对半直积的推广。

$$\text{GL}_2(\mathbb{F}) \cong \text{SL}_2(\mathbb{F}) \times \mathbb{F}$$

$$0 \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}/2 \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}/4 \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}/2 \rightarrow 0. \text{ 是 SES, 但 } \mathbb{Z}/4 \text{ 不能写成}$$

$\mathbb{Z}/2 \oplus \mathbb{Z}/2$ 的半直积, 因为 $\mathbb{Z}/4$ 是 order 4 element 而非。

(abelian case: 半直积 = 直积)

Exercise: $D_4 = \text{symmetries of a square.}$

$$Q_8 = \{\pm 1, \pm i, \pm j, \pm k\}$$

$$i^2 = j^2 = k^2 = ijk = -1$$

$$\begin{cases} | \rightarrow C_2 \rightarrow D_4 \rightarrow C_2 \times C_2 \rightarrow 1 \\ | \rightarrow C_2 \rightarrow Q_8 \rightarrow C_2 \times C_2 \rightarrow 1 \end{cases}$$

可以被写成半直积吗?

Theorem: If $\begin{array}{c} H \hookrightarrow G \longrightarrow K \\ \downarrow \alpha \quad \downarrow \beta \\ | \xrightarrow{\varphi} H \xrightarrow{\gamma} G \xrightarrow{\delta} K \rightarrow | \end{array}$ is a SES, then

$G \cong H \times K$ if \exists a homomorphism $\varphi: G \rightarrow H$, s.t.

$$\varphi \circ \alpha(h) = h, \forall h \in H$$

Theorem: If $H \hookrightarrow G \xrightarrow{\beta} K$, then \exists map $\varphi: K \rightarrow \text{Aut}(H)$

s.t. $G \cong H \rtimes_{\varphi} K$ if \exists a group homomorphism $\gamma: K \rightarrow G$,

$$\text{s.t. } \beta \circ \gamma(k) = k$$

In the case of γ existing, $H \hookrightarrow G \xrightarrow{\beta} K$ is a split short exact sequence.

What is the criterion for a split SES to actually give a direct product?

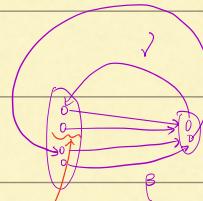
$\Leftrightarrow K$ needs to be normal and $\varphi: K \rightarrow \text{Aut}(H)$ must

be trivial (即为 $h_1 \varphi(k)(h_2) = h_2 \quad \forall k, h_1, h_2$, 且为正常)

Pf of semi-thm:

Strategy: $H \hookrightarrow G \xrightarrow{\beta} K$

$$\beta \circ \gamma(k) = k \Rightarrow \text{并不意味着 } \gamma \circ \beta = \text{id} \quad \text{这个情况有问题}$$



$$\varphi: K \rightarrow \text{Aut}(H)$$

$$\text{If } k \in K, h \in H, \gamma(k) \alpha(h) \gamma(k)^{-1} \in \alpha(H)$$

$\alpha(H)$ is normal in G

$$\gamma(k) \alpha(h) \gamma(k)^{-1} = \alpha(h')$$

想证有左性，我们直接把 φ 搞出来。

$$\varphi: K \rightarrow \text{Aut}(H)$$

$$k \mapsto (h \mapsto \underbrace{\alpha^{-1}(\gamma(k) \alpha(h) \gamma(k)^{-1})}_{\alpha \text{ well-defined 推出 } \varphi \text{ 好}})$$

Need to check: φ is an automorphism.

$$\varphi(k)(h_1, h_2) = \alpha^{-1}(\gamma(k) \alpha(h_1) \alpha(h_2) \gamma(k)^{-1})$$

$$= \alpha^{-1}(\gamma(k) \alpha(h_1) \alpha(h_2) \gamma(k)^{-1}) = \alpha^{-1}(\gamma(k) \alpha(h_1) \gamma(k)^{-1} \gamma(k) \alpha(h_2) \gamma(k)^{-1})$$

$$\Psi(b)(h_1) \Psi(b)(h_2) = \bar{\alpha}^1(\gamma(b)\alpha(h_1)\gamma(b)^{-1})\bar{\alpha}^1(\gamma(b)\alpha(h_2)\gamma(b)^{-1})$$

Since α is a group hom.

$$\alpha(\gamma(b)(h_1 h_2)) = \gamma(b)\alpha(h_1)\gamma(b)^{-1}\gamma(b)\alpha(h_2)\gamma(b)^{-1}$$

$$= \alpha(\Psi(b)(h_1)\Psi(b)(h_2))$$

$\Rightarrow \Psi(b)$ is hom

To show: $\Psi(b)$ is iso.

① injectivity: $\forall x \in H$ s.t. $\Psi(b)(x) = e$, $\forall k \in K$.

$$\Rightarrow \gamma(b)\alpha(x)\gamma(b)^{-1} = \alpha(e) = e.$$

$$\Rightarrow \gamma(b)\alpha(x) = \gamma(b)$$

$$\Rightarrow \alpha(x) = e_A$$

Since x is injective, $x = e_H$

Exercise: $\Psi(b)$ surjective.

前面證 $\Psi(b)$ 是滿的. \downarrow auto 17

Still need to show: Ψ is a hom i.e., $\Psi(b_1)\circ\Psi(b_2) = \Psi(b_1 b_2)$

$\forall h \in H$, $\Psi(b_1 b_2)(h)$ satisfies:

$$\alpha(\Psi(b_1 b_2)(h)) = \gamma(b_1 b_2)\alpha(h)\gamma(b_1 b_2)^{-1}$$

$$= \underbrace{\gamma(b_1)\gamma(b_2)}_{\parallel} \alpha(h) \gamma(b_2)^{-1} \gamma(b_1)^{-1}$$

$$= \gamma(b_1) \alpha(\Psi(b_2)(h)) \gamma(b_2)^{-1}$$

$$= \alpha(\gamma(b_1)(\gamma(b_2)(h)))$$

$$\Rightarrow \Psi(b_1 b_2) = \Psi(b_1) \circ \Psi(b_2)$$

α injective.

So we can construct the semi product $H \times_{\varphi} K$.

$H \times_{\varphi} K \xrightarrow{f} G$, and show it is a group iso.

$$(h, k) \mapsto \alpha(h)\gamma(k)$$

$$\text{NTS: } \begin{cases} \text{① } f((h_1, k_1)(h_2, k_2)) = f(h_1, k_1)f(h_2, k_2) \\ \text{② } \text{bijection} \end{cases}$$

$$\text{①: } f((h_1, k_1)(h_2, k_2))$$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} H & \xrightarrow{\alpha} & G & \xrightarrow{\gamma} & K \\ & & \parallel & & \end{array}$$

$$= f(h_1 \varphi(k_1)(h_2), k_1 k_2)$$

$$= \alpha(h_1) \varphi(k_1)(h_2) \gamma(k_1) \gamma(k_2)$$

$$= \underbrace{\alpha(h_1)}_{\text{11}} \underbrace{\alpha(\varphi(k_1)(h_2))}_{\text{11}} \gamma(k_1) \gamma(k_2)$$

$$= \alpha(h_1) \underbrace{\gamma(k_1)}_{\text{11}} \underbrace{\alpha(h_2) \gamma(k_1)}_{\text{11}} \gamma(k_1) \gamma(k_2)$$

$$= \alpha(h_1) \gamma(k_1) \alpha(h_2) \gamma(k_2)$$

$$= f(h_1, k_1) f(h_2, k_2)$$

$\Rightarrow f$ is homo, now to show isomorphism.

① Injective:

$$\text{Assume } f(h, k) = e.$$

$$\Rightarrow \alpha(h) \gamma(k) = e.$$

$$\Rightarrow \beta(\alpha(h) \gamma(k)) = \beta(e_G) = e_K$$

$$\alpha(h) e_H = e_H \Rightarrow h = e_H$$

$$\Rightarrow (\beta \circ \alpha)(h) \beta(\gamma(k)) = e_K$$

$$\left(\begin{array}{l} \text{im}(\beta) = \ker(\beta) \\ \Rightarrow \beta \circ \alpha(h) = e \end{array} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow e_K \neq e_K \Rightarrow h = e_H.$$

$$\Rightarrow (h, k) = (e, e)$$

② Surjective:

$\forall g \in G$, we need to show $\exists h, k$, s.t. $f(h, k) = g$

$$\alpha(h) \gamma(k) = g.$$

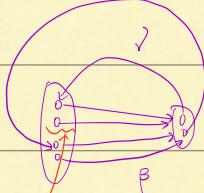
Working backward: f both side

$$\beta(\gamma(h)) \beta(\gamma(k)) = \beta(g)$$

$$\Rightarrow e_K k = \beta(g)$$

$$\Rightarrow k = \beta(g)$$

$$\Rightarrow \alpha(h) \gamma(\beta(g)) = g.$$



这个请解释清楚

回忆这个例子，虽然我们没有 $\gamma(\beta(g)) = g$ 这么强的条件，但我们知道

於是 β 与 $\gamma(\beta(g))$ 都在 $\gamma(g)$ 的 preimage 的集合里。可以理解为

"被平移后的 kernel"，而 $\alpha(h) \in \ker(\beta)$, $\alpha(h)$ 就是 $\gamma(g)$ 的 kernel 中元素

那末由 α 的 action，所以很有直觉

$$\Leftarrow \alpha(h) = g \gamma(\beta(g))^{-1} \text{ 及 } \gamma(\beta(g))^{-1} \text{ 存在 } h, \text{ 所以 } \alpha(h) \in \ker(\beta) \text{ 即可}$$

$$\nearrow \quad \Downarrow \quad \alpha(h) \in \ker(\beta) \Rightarrow g \gamma(\beta(g))^{-1} \in \ker(\beta)$$

$$\Leftarrow \beta(g \cdot \gamma(\beta(g)^{-1})) = e_k = \beta(g) \circ \beta(\gamma(\beta(g)^{-1}))$$

$$= \beta(g) \beta(g)^{-1}$$

$$\text{即得证. } \therefore h = \gamma(\beta(g))^{-1}$$

\Rightarrow Surjective.

Rings: 2 operations $+$ \cdot

$(\mathbb{Z}, +)$ is an abelian group

(\mathbb{Z}, \cdot) is a commutative monoid. \swarrow no inverse.

Def: A ring R is a set equipped with 2 operations $+$ \cdot and

2 identities $0, 1$, s.t.

① $(R, +)$ with identity 0 is an abelian group

② (R, \cdot) with identity 1 is a monoid \leftarrow 封闭, 结合率, 元素

③ Distributivity: for all $a, b, c \in R$,

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} a \cdot (b+c) = ab+ac \\ (b+c) \cdot a = ba+ca. \end{array} \right.$$

Subring: subset of a ring with a properties hold.

Ex: In any ring, we have the subring $\langle 0, 1 \rangle$

and R itself

Example: If S_1, S_2 are subrings of $R \Rightarrow S_1 \cap S_2$ is also a subring of R .

Pf: $0, 1 \in S_1 \cap S_2$.

if $a, b \in S_1 \cap S_2 \Rightarrow a, b \in S_1$,

$\Rightarrow a+b, ab, ba \in S_1$ S_2 similar

$\Rightarrow a+b, ab, ba \in S_1 \cap S_2$

So closure satisfied.

Example: $(\mathbb{Z}, +, \cdot)$ has no subrings

$\mathbb{Z} \subseteq Q \subseteq R \subseteq C$ as rings

Constructions of rings with other rings:

$\mathbb{Z}[x]$ ($R[x]$)

Through addition, there is an action of \mathbb{Z} defined on a ring R .

(Compute $\stackrel{\mathbb{Z}}{\downarrow} hr^{\mathbb{Z}}$)

Properties: if $a, b \in R$, then

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} (-a)(b) = -ab \\ a(-b) = -ab \\ (-a)(-b) = ab \end{array} \right.$$

Proposition (Subring Criterion):

$\forall R$ ring, $S \subseteq R$. S is a subring if

① $S \neq \emptyset$

$\textcircled{1} \quad s_1, s_2 \in S \Rightarrow s_1 s_2, \underset{\text{unnecessary.}}{s_2 s_1} \in S$

$\textcircled{2} \quad s_1, s_2 \in S \Rightarrow s_1 - s_2 \in S.$

Lemma: In any ring R , for $a, b, c \in R$,

$\textcircled{1} \quad a \cdot 0 = 0 \cdot a = 0$

$\textcircled{2} \quad (-a)b = -(ab) = a(-b)$

Pf of $\textcircled{2}$:

$$0 = 0 \cdot b \Rightarrow 0 = (a + (-a))b \Rightarrow -(ab) = (-a)b$$

Others are the same.

A ring is commutative if $\forall a, b \in R, ab = ba$,

A commutative ring R is an integral domain or order

if $\forall a, b \in R, ab = 0 \Rightarrow a = 0$ or $b = 0$

"no zero divisor" "has cancellation"

A division ring is a ring R in which every non-zero element has a multiplicative inverse.

A commutative division ring is a field skew field: non-commutative division ring.

Def: In a ring R , an element x is called unit if $\exists x^{-1} \in R$,

$$\text{s.t. } x \cdot x^{-1} = x^{-1} \cdot x = 1.$$

Example: \mathbb{Z} is an integ

Prop: R ring $\Rightarrow R[x]$ ring.

Pf: 0, 1 identities in $R[x]$

懶得写了... 把 $f(x)$ 写成 f 而已.

(Objects, Functions)

(Vector Space, linear Transformations)

(Groups, group homo)

(Rings, ring homo)

If R, S rings, $f: R \rightarrow S$ is a ring homomorphism iff

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

$$\textcircled{2} \quad f(ab) = f(a)f(b)$$

Q: What kind of structure does kernel of ring homomorphism have?

$$\text{Ker}(f) = \{r \in R \mid f(r) = 0\}$$

Note: It's generally not the case that $1 \in \text{ker}(f)$

We do not require $1 \neq 0$ for our ring

Example: $\mathbb{Z}/3$

Our definition of subring ^{should} require that the 0 stay the same.

Q: What about \mathbb{I} ?

一个很神奇的结论：对于环同态 ψ 而言，虽然我们有 $\psi(0)=0$ ，但 $\psi(1)=1$ 却不一定

$$\text{考虑 } \psi: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R}, \quad \psi(r) = (r, 0)$$

易知 \mathbb{R} 中的 1 是 1 ， $\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R}$ 中的 1 是 $(1, 1)$ ，但 $\psi(1) \neq (1, 1)$ 。

所以 → 与环中不一定是子环。

同时，还想甚至不是子环！只是子群而已！

$\text{Ker}(f)$ for a ring homomorphism is a normal subgroup of the abelian group

— multiplicative structure?

$$f: R \rightarrow R'$$

$$\text{Ker}(f) = \{r \in R \mid f(r) = 0\} \quad (-\text{if } 1 \notin \text{Ker}(f))$$

$$(\text{if } f(1) = 0 \Rightarrow f(x) = f(1)f(x) = 0 \Rightarrow f(x) = 0 \text{ trivial})$$

Q: What properties do kernels satisfy?

- $\text{Ker}(f)$ satisfies all ring properties except $1 \in \text{Ker}(f)$
- If $x \in \text{Ker}(f)$ and $r \in R$, then $f(rx) = f(x)f(r) = 0$
 $\Rightarrow xr \in \text{Ker}(f)$

Def: A (\geq -sided) ideal of a ring R is a subset of

implies normal

\downarrow
R that is a subgroup under addition and satisfies

If $a \in R$, $b \in I \Rightarrow ab, ba \in I$.

Examples. $\forall i$, R is always ideals.

"generated by 0" "generated by 1"

Q: Which rings only have \geq ideals?

\downarrow
generated by 1 element.

E.g. if R commutative, $\forall x \in R$, we can create the principle ideal

$$\text{generated by } x. \quad (x) = xR = \{xr \mid r \in R\}$$

Exercise: (x) is an ideal.

\downarrow
generated by 1 element.

Thm: Every ideal in \mathbb{Z} is principle.

Proposition: kernel \Leftrightarrow Ideal. $\boxed{\text{iff}}$

Pf: iff .

To any ideal $I \subseteq R$, we can construct the quotient ring.

R/I . Elements are of the form $a+I$.

$$(a+I) + (b+I) = a+b+I$$

$$(a+I) \cdot (b+I) = ab + \underbrace{aI + bI}_{\in I} + I$$

Identities are $(0+I)$ $(1+I)$ ← 因为虽然 1 不在 I 里, 但 $1+I$ 在 I 里了, $I=R$ 了.

Note: $x, y \in R$ are in the same coset if $\underline{x-y \in I}$.

Then we can define $a \equiv b \pmod{I}$ iff $a-b \in I$. 这里和 normal group 那部分应该对齐着

Example: $n\mathbb{Z} \subseteq \mathbb{Z}$ is a (principal) ideal, with quotient ring

$\mathbb{Z}/n\mathbb{Z}$. We can define $a \equiv b \pmod{n\mathbb{Z}}$

Note: There is a projection ring homomorphism $f: R \rightarrow R/I$

$$\ker(f) = I \quad r \mapsto r+I$$

Properties of ideals.

Lemma: If $I_1, I_2 \subseteq R$ ideals, then $I_1 \cap I_2$ is an ideal.

证明比较繁琐.

If R is a ring and $S \subseteq R$, we can take intersection of all ideals

containing S , namely, (S)

Example: $R = \mathbb{Z}[\sqrt{-5}] = \{a+b\sqrt{-5} \mid a, b \in \mathbb{Z}\}$

$$S = \{2, 1+\sqrt{-5}\}$$

} Intersection exists because R contains S .
 } It's an ideal by the previous lemma.
 Any ideal containing S will have to contain the ideal generated
 by S .

$\text{Q: } (S) = ?$

Assume S is finite. : $S = \{a_1, \dots, a_n\}$

For any $y_i, z_i \in R$, $\sum_{i=1}^n y_i a_i z_i \in (S)$

$$(S) = \sum_{i=1}^n y_i a_i z_i$$

For commutative ring: $(S) = \sum_{i=1}^n x_i a_i$.

Thm: If R is a commutative ring, then R is a field

iff R has only ideals (0) and R .

For non-commutative ring, R division ring \Leftrightarrow only have (0) , (1) .

Df: " \Rightarrow "

R field, I ideal $\Rightarrow I = \{0\}$ or $\exists x \in I, x \neq 0$.

R field $\Rightarrow x^{-1} \in R \Rightarrow x^{-1}x \in I \Rightarrow 1 \in I \Rightarrow I = R$.

\Leftarrow

$\forall a \in R$ non-zero, $a \notin (0)$. $\Rightarrow (a) = (1) \Rightarrow 1 \in (a)$

$\Rightarrow \exists x \in R, ax = x a = 1$.

$\Rightarrow R$ field.

Def: A ring homomorphism is $f: R \rightarrow R'$ satisfying

$$\{ f(a+b) = f(a) + f(b)$$

$$\left| \begin{array}{l} f(ab) = f(a)f(b) \\ f(1) = 1' \end{array} \right.$$

related issue: Does the defn of the subring need to
to require that the identity to be the
same with the full ring?

- Is the map $R \rightarrow R'$ $r \mapsto 0$ a ring homo?
- Is the zero-ring an allowed ring?

Overall issue: The ring axioms don't have to require that there's a
"1"

Summary Discussion: Do we want to preserve the structure (to have a
"1")?

$f: R \rightarrow R'$ a ring homomorphism.

$$\text{im}(f) = f(R) = \{r' \in R' \mid \exists r \in R, \text{ s.t. } f(r) = r'\}$$

Lemma: $\text{im}(f)$ is a subring of R'

Pf: $\text{im}(f)$ is an additive subgroup of R' .

$$\text{Since } f(1) = 1, \Rightarrow f(1 \cdot a) = f(1)f(a) \Rightarrow f(1)f(a) = f(a)$$

$$\text{for all } f(a) \in \text{im}(f) \rightarrow f(a)f(1) = f(a)$$

$f(1) = 1$ version: $f(1) = 1$ is the identity.

Here, we'd be assuming that subrings need to have the
same "1"

$$\text{If } f(a), f(b) \in \text{im}(f) \Rightarrow f(ab) = f(a)f(b) \in \text{im}(f)$$

Distributivity is inherited from R' .

R ring, $R \times R$ $(1,1) = 1_{R \times R}$, $(0,0) = 0_{R \times R}$.

Consider $\underbrace{(R, 0)}_{\in R \times R}$

$(1,0)$ is the "1"

Thm: If $f: R \rightarrow S$ a ring homomorphism, then $\ker(f)$

is an ideal, $\text{im}(f)$ is a subring of S , and

$$R/\ker(f) \cong \text{im}(f)$$

Equivalently, there is a unique decomposition of f into

a projection $R \rightarrow R/\ker(f)$ composed with an injection $R/\ker(f) \hookrightarrow S$,

s.t. the following diagram commutes

$$\begin{array}{ccc} R & \xrightarrow{f} & S \\ \pi \downarrow & \curvearrowright & \nearrow f \\ R/\ker(f) & & \end{array}$$

Theorem:

Let $f: R \rightarrow R'$ a surjective ring homomorphism, There is

a 1-1 correspondence of the set of additive subgroups

of R containing $\ker(f)$ with the set of subgroups of R'

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \ker(f) \subseteq H \subseteq R \Leftrightarrow f(H) \text{ is a subgroup of } R' \\ H \supseteq \ker(f) \text{ ideal iff } f(H) \text{ ideal} \end{array} \right.$$

If H is such an ideal, then the map $x+H \mapsto f(x)+f(H)$

gives an isomorphism of $R/H \cong R'/f(H)$

Pf: En sujt skip J ??!

Thm: Let R be a ring, S a subring, I an ideal of R .

Then $S+I = \{s+i \mid s \in S, i \in I\} \subseteq R$ is a subring of R containing I as an ideal.

Furthermore, $S \cap I$ is an ideal in S .

and $(S+I)/I \cong S/S \cap I$.

$$S+I \xrightarrow{\text{def}} S + (S \cap I)$$

Pf: $S+I$ is a subring of R containing I as an ideal:

if $x, y \in S+I$, $x = s_1 + i_1$, $y = s_2 + i_2$.

$$\Rightarrow x+y = s_1+s_2+i_1+i_2 \in S+I$$

$$\begin{aligned} xy &= (s_1+i_1)(s_2+i_2) \\ &= \underbrace{s_1s_2}_{\in S} + \underbrace{i_1s_2+s_1i_2+i_1i_2}_{\in I} \in S+I. \end{aligned}$$

if $s+i \in S+I$, then $-s-i \in S+I$

$\Rightarrow S+I$ subring.

To see I is an ideal,

$$I \subseteq S+I, \forall s+i \in S+I, (s+i)I = sI + iI = I.$$

Now we show $S \cap I$ is an ideal of S :

S, I are additive subgp of R . $\Rightarrow S \cap I$ is an additive subgp.

Since $S \cap I \subseteq S$, $S \cap I \subseteq S$.

NTS: If $s \in S$, $x \in S \cap I \Rightarrow sx \in S \cap I$.

$$s \in S, x \in S \cap I \Rightarrow sx \in S$$

$$\Rightarrow sx \in S \cap I.$$

NTS: Isomorphism.

We can apply the previous thm: $R/I \cong R/\langle f(x) \rangle$ if we can find

a good surjection ring homomorphism. $\xrightarrow{\text{Typically, projection map}}$

$R \xrightarrow{\pi} R/I$, restrict the domain to $S: \pi|_S$.

$$S \xrightarrow{\pi|_S} R/I. \quad \ker(\pi|_S) = S \cap I \quad \text{the kernel is the set of zero elements.}$$
$$S \xrightarrow{s+I} \frac{S+I}{I}$$
$$\text{im}(\pi|_S) = \frac{S+I}{I}$$

Then the map $S \xrightarrow{\pi|_S} \frac{S+I}{I}$

$$S \mapsto s+I$$

is a surjective ring hom.

$$f: R \rightarrow R'$$

$$x+H \mapsto f(x)+f(H)$$

$$R/H \cong R'/f(H)$$

So previous thm says: $\frac{S}{S \cap I} \cong \frac{S+I}{I}$

$$S+(S \cap I) \mapsto S+I$$

If D is a division ring, R a subring of D , then R cannot have zero divisors.

Pf: Assume $a, b \in R$, s.t. $ab=0$, and $a, b \neq 0$.

Since $a, b \neq 0$, and $a, b \in D$, $\exists a^{-1}, b^{-1}$ in D . (multiplicative inverse)

$$b = 1 \cdot b = a^{-1}ab = a^{-1} \cdot 0 = 0, \text{ contradiction.}$$

Q: If R is a ring with no 0-divisors, can it be embedded into

some division ring?

A: Not always. Counterexample: Pg 119, # 7-8

Q': If R is a commutative ring with no 0-divisors, can it be

embedded into some division ring?

A: Yes! In fact a field.

F: Field

R: Subring of F.

related question: what is the smallest subfield of F containing R?

Equivivalently, the field generated by R.

Claim: $F(R) = \{ab^{-1} \mid a, b \in R, b \neq 0\}$ is a subfield of F . 由 R commutative.

Pf: ① $ab^{-1} + cd^{-1} \stackrel{\frac{a}{b} + \frac{c}{d} = \frac{ad+bc}{bd}}{=} ab^{-1}dd^{-1} + cd^{-1}bb^{-1}$

$$= ab^{-1}(d^{-1}d + cbb^{-1})$$

commutative. $\Rightarrow ad(b^{-1}d^{-1}) + cb(b^{-1}d^{-1})$

$$= (ad + cb)(bd)^{-1}$$

$\mathbb{R} \quad \mathbb{R}$

\Rightarrow addition closed.

② $ab^{-1}cd^{-1} \stackrel{?}{=} (ac)(bd)^{-1}$

③ $\begin{cases} a=0, ab^{-1}=0 \\ a \neq 0, (ab^{-1})^{-1} = (ba)^{-1} \end{cases}$

④ $-(ab^{-1}) = (-a)b^{-1}$

We can conclude that $F(R)$ is a field. We know that $R \subseteq F(R)$

Is there any proper subfield of $F(R)$ that contains R ? No.

Pf of No: Assume $R \subseteq F' \subsetneq F(R)$

$$\Rightarrow \underbrace{\exists ab^{-1} \in F(R), ab^{-1} \notin F'}_{\substack{a,b \in R, \\ b \neq 0}} \stackrel{\text{field.}}{\downarrow} \underbrace{\begin{aligned} &a,b \in F' \\ &b \neq 0 \Rightarrow b^{-1} \in F' \\ &a,b^{-1} \in F' \Rightarrow ab^{-1} \in F' \end{aligned}}_{\text{contradiction}}$$

$F(R)$: the field generated by R , the smallest subfield

containing R .

Q: What if R (commutative w/out zero-divisor), isn't a priori a subring of a field?

Let R be an integral domain ($ac=bc \Rightarrow a=b$ if $c \neq 0$)

Let $R \times R - \{(0,0)\}$ be the product set, (a,b) where $a \in R, b \in R - \{0\}$.

$(\frac{a}{b}, \frac{c}{d}) \sim (c,d) \iff ad=bc$. This defines an equivalence relation

Let $F(R) = \frac{R \times R - \{(0,0)\}}{\sim}$

$$= \left\{ \frac{a}{b} \mid a \in R, b \in R - \{0\} \right\}$$

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

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

$F(R)$ is a commutative ring.

Theorem: Any integral domain can be embedded inside a field.

injective homomorphism

Prop: If there is an injective ring homomorphism of $R \hookrightarrow F$,

where F is a field, then $f: \bar{f} \circ i$

where $i: R \hookrightarrow F(R)$

$$\bar{f} = F(R) \hookrightarrow R$$

Idea: If an integral domain embeds inside a field F , so does

its fraction field.

Prop: If R is an integral domain, $F(R)$ is its fraction

field. Any injective ring homomorphism of R into a field F extends uniquely to an injective homomorphism

$$F(R) \rightarrow F$$

Pf: Let $f: R \rightarrow F$ injective ring homomorphism
 $r \mapsto f(r)$

Define $\tilde{f}: F(R) \rightarrow F$

$$(a,b) \mapsto \tilde{f}(a)\tilde{f}(b)^{-1}$$

well-defined: if $(a,b) \sim (c,d) \Leftrightarrow ad=bc$.

$$f(a)f(b)^{-1} = f(c)f(d)^{-1} \quad ?$$

这便是交换律。

$$\Leftrightarrow f(a)f(d) = f(c)f(b) \quad ?$$

Q: If R is a ring, what is the smallest subring of R ?

① If we do not require $1 \in R$, then the smallest ring is $\{0\}$.

② What if we do require $1 \in R$?

Candidate: The ring generated by 1 ?

若只考虑 R 中包含的最小的 ring 而非 subring 的话答案是 \mathbb{F}_2 .

Consider the map $\mathbb{Z} \hookrightarrow R$.

$$n \mapsto \underbrace{1_R + 1_R + \dots + 1_R}_{n \text{ 个}}$$

这里不嵌入整个 R , 而是 $\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R}$, $1_{\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R}} = (1_R, 1_R)$, 但包含

$$n \mapsto n \cdot 1_R.$$

对每两个元素。

Claim: image of c is the smallest subring of R .

Pf: if S is a subring, then since $1_R \in S$, any finite sum of 1_R will be contained in S by closure axiom. So $\text{im}(c) \subseteq S$.

Consider the surjective map $\mathbb{Z} \xrightarrow{c} \text{im}(c)$

So either

$$\begin{cases} \mathbb{Z} \cong \text{im}(c) & (\ker(c) = 0) \\ \mathbb{Z}/n\mathbb{Z} \cong \text{im}(c) & \mathbb{Z} \text{ 是 principal ideal domain.} \end{cases}$$

Q: What are the ideals of \mathbb{Z} ?

A: $(a, b) = (\gcd(a, b))$

→ any [前两个性质都对交换环成立]。

Thm: In any ring R , the smallest subring of R is either $\cong \mathbb{Z}$ or

$\cong \mathbb{Z}/m\mathbb{Z}$ for some m .

Def: For a ring R , m is called the characteristic of R . ($\mathbb{Z} \cong \mathbb{Z}/m\mathbb{Z}$)

Note: The subring of an integral domain is also an integral domain.

So for a integral domain, its character is either 0 or a

prime number (因为太 prime 才是 integral domain).

Continue from $F(R)$ 那里.

Prop: If R is an integral domain, $F(R)$ is its fraction field.

Any injective ring homomorphism of R into a field F extends uniquely to an injective homomorphism $F(R) \rightarrow F$

Pf: Let $f: R \rightarrow F$ injective ring homomorphism
 $r \mapsto f(r)$

Define $\tilde{f}: F(R) \rightarrow F$

$$(a, b) \mapsto f(a)f(b)^{-1}$$

这里和上章
一样的

well-defined: if $(a, b) \sim (c, d) \Leftrightarrow ad = bc$.

$$\begin{aligned} & f(a)f(b)^{-1} = f(c)f(d)^{-1} ? \quad \checkmark \text{ 这里要换元} \\ \Leftrightarrow & f(a)f(d) = f(c)f(b) ? \quad \checkmark \Rightarrow \text{well-defined.} \end{aligned}$$

ring-homomorphism:

$$f\left(\frac{a}{b} + \frac{c}{d}\right) = \tilde{f}\left(\frac{ad+bc}{bd}\right)$$

$$= f(ad)f(bd)^{-1}f(bc)f(d)^{-1}$$

$$= f(ad)f(bd)^{-1} + f(bc)f(d)^{-1}$$

$$= f(a)f(d)f(b)^{-1}f(d)^{-1} + f(b)f(c)f(b)^{-1}f(d)^{-1} \quad \checkmark \quad f(b)^{-1} = f(b^{-1})$$

$$\xrightarrow{\text{对加法成立}} = f(a)f(b)^{-1} + f(c)f(d)^{-1}$$

$$\underline{f}\left(\frac{a}{b} \cdot \frac{c}{d}\right) = f(a)c f(b)d^{-1}$$

$$= f(a)f(b)^{-1}f(c)f(d)^{-1}$$

对乘法成立 $\Rightarrow \underline{f}\left(\frac{a}{b}\right)\underline{f}\left(\frac{c}{d}\right)$

$$\underline{f}\left(\frac{a}{b}\right)=0 \Rightarrow f(a)f(b)^{-1}=0 \Rightarrow f(a)=0 \Rightarrow a=0.$$

Polynomial Rings:

Assume R is a commutative ring,

$$R[x] = \{a_n x^n + \dots + a_1 x + a_0 \mid a_i \in R\}$$

$R[x]$ is a commutative ring.

Another construction:

Let $R \subset S$ be 2 rings, R subring of S . Let $s \in S$

and define

$$R[s] = \{a_n s^n + \dots + a_1 s + a_0 \mid a_i \in R\}. \text{ 误卧槽, 这里真不和代数数/超越数}$$

Then $R[s]$ is a ring, but expression of $\text{有关系? 若 } s \text{ 是 } R \text{ 中的代数数, } R[s] \text{ 中形}$
 成数式只有上限型, 反之没有.

element in $R[s]$ may not be unique.

Example: $R = \mathbb{R}$, $S = \mathbb{C}$

$$R[i] = \{a+bi \mid a, b \in \mathbb{R}\} = \{a-bi^2\}$$

For polynomial rings, we have that if

$$a_n x^n + \dots + a_0 = b_m x^m + \dots + b_0,$$

then $a_i = b_i \quad \forall i$.

We can use $R[x]$ to study $R[s]$ for any $s \in S$, $R \subset S$.

$$\begin{cases} R[x] \hookrightarrow S \\ x \mapsto s \\ r \mapsto r. \end{cases}$$

Rename: $\forall s \in S, \exists \psi_s$.

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} R[x] \xrightarrow{\psi_s} S \\ r \mapsto r \\ x \mapsto s \end{array} \right.$$

$$\text{Im } (\psi_s) = R[s].$$

$$R[x] \xrightarrow{\psi_s} R[S] \text{ surjective.}$$

Heure, \exists ideal I in $R[x]$, st. $R[x]/I \cong R[S]$.

Example: R, C 这里的所谓的 ideal 就是 S 的最小多项式 ideal 吧.

$$C = R[i]$$

$$R[x] \longrightarrow R[i]$$

$$x \mapsto i$$

$\Rightarrow \exists$ an ideal in $R[x]$, $R[x]/(x^2+1) = R[i]$

$$R[x] \xrightarrow{\psi_i} R[i]$$

$$f(x) \mapsto f(i)$$

$$f \in \ker \Leftrightarrow f(i) = 0 \Leftrightarrow x^2 + 1 \mid f(x)$$

If $a_n s^n + \dots + a_0 = b_m s^m + \dots + b_0 \quad (a_i, b_i \in R)$

$$\Rightarrow a_n s^n + \dots + (a_m - b_m) s^m + \dots + (a_0 - b_0) \in I$$

Theorem: if R, S communitative rings, \exists a ring homomorphism

$\eta: R \rightarrow S$, if $s \in S$, then there is a unique extension

$$\eta: R[x] \rightarrow S, \text{ st. } \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \eta(r) = \eta(r) \\ \eta(x) = s. \end{array} \right.$$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} R & \xrightarrow{\gamma} & S \\ \downarrow & G & \nearrow \text{unique.} \\ R^{[x]} & & \end{array}$$

Pf 用这两个搞即可

Cor: If γ injective, then $R^{[x]}/I \cong R^S$ for some ideal I .

where $I \cap R = \{0\}$

Assume I is an ideal of $R^{[x]}$, s.t. $R \cap I = \{0\}$.

Q: Is there a converse to the Cor?

$R^{[x]} \xrightarrow{\pi} R^{[x]}/I$ projection map.

$$f(x) \mapsto f(x)+I.$$

$$\pi|_R, \ker(\pi) = I \quad \ker(\pi|_R) = I \cap R = \{0\}.$$

$\pi|_R$ is injective, this gives a subring relationship to $R \subset R^{[x]}/I$.

$$a \mapsto a+I.$$

$$\text{Let } S = x+I \in R^{[x]}/I.$$

$$\text{im}(\pi|_R)[S] \xrightarrow{\psi} R^{[x]}/I$$

ψ is surjective since R (inside of $R^{[x]}/I$, looks like $R+I$) and $x+I$ generate $R^{[x]}/I$.

$$\psi: r \mapsto r+I$$

$$S \mapsto x+I.$$

Since ψ sends elements of LHS to all the generators, it's surjective.

It is injective if $\text{im}(\pi|_R)[S] \ni x = a_n x^n + \dots + a_1 x + a_0$

Satisfies $\psi(x)=0$, then $\psi(x) = (a_n x^n + \dots + a_1 x + a_0) \in I$

Then $x=0$ since the difference between $a_n x^n + \dots + a_1 x + a_0$ and 0

are in I

If R is a subring of a commutative ring S and $s \in S$, then

we have

$$R[x] \xrightarrow{ev_s} S$$

$$r \longmapsto r$$

$$x \longmapsto s$$

$$f(x) \longmapsto f(s)$$

(Q: When is ev_s injective homomorphism?

$$ev_s \text{ is injective} \Leftrightarrow f(s) = 0 \Rightarrow f(x) = 0$$

Such s (for which ev_s is injective) is called transcendental over R

If s is not transcendental, i.e., ev_s is not injective, then

$$\exists f(x) \in R[x], f(x) \neq 0, f(s) = 0.$$

Then s is algebraic over R

$R \longmapsto R[x]$ is a ring homo whenever R is commutative ring.

Let $R' = R[x]$, commutative ring, we can use the same construction:

$R'[y] =$ polynomial in y with coef in $R' = R[x]$

= polynomials in x, y with coef in R

= $R[x, y]$.

Thm: For any commutative ring R and positive integer n ,

\exists a ring $R[x_1, \dots, x_n]$ with the following (universal)

property: If S is a ring, s.t. $\gamma: R \rightarrow S$, is a homomorphism,

and we have a set function $\{1, 2, \dots, n\} \xrightarrow{\varphi} S$
 $i \mapsto s_i$

Then there exist a unique extension of γ to a ring homo

$$R[x_1, \dots, x_n] \xrightarrow{\gamma_\varphi} S$$

$$x_i \mapsto s_i$$

$$r_0 x_1^2 x_3 \mapsto \underbrace{\gamma(r_0) \underbrace{s_1^2 s_3}_{\text{这里东西都没有S重映射.}}}$$

$$r \mapsto \gamma(r)$$

只靠确定 x_1, \dots, x_n 的位置即可.

If γ is injective $\Rightarrow R \subset S$, and so the image of $R[x_1, \dots, x_n] \subset S$.

γ_φ is injective iff s_1, s_2, \dots, s_n are algebraically independent over R .

algebraically independent: $\sum_R a_i s_1^{k_1} \cdots s_n^{k_n} = 0$ iff all coefficients are 0.

$$\deg: R[x] \longrightarrow \mathbb{Z}_{\geq 0} \cup \{-\infty\}$$

$$f(x) \mapsto \deg(f)$$

$$0 \mapsto -\infty$$

$$\deg(f+g) \leq \max(\deg(f), \deg(g))$$

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

If R has no zero divisors, then $\deg(fg) = \deg(f) + \deg(g)$

Thm: If R is an integral domain, then so is $R[x]$.

and the units of $R[x]$ are simply the units in R .

$$\textcircled{1} \quad fg = 0 \Rightarrow \deg(fg) = -\infty$$

$$\Rightarrow \deg f + \deg g = -\infty$$

$$\Rightarrow f = 0 \text{ or } g = 0$$

$$\textcircled{2} \quad fg = 1 \Rightarrow \deg f + \deg g = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \deg f = 0, \deg g = 0$$

$\Rightarrow f, g$ constants, units.

Cor: If R an integral domain, then $R[x_1, \dots, x_n]$ is an integral domain, its units are units of R

Pf: $R \rightarrow R[x_1] \rightarrow R[x_1, x_2] \rightarrow \dots \rightarrow R[x_1, \dots, x_n]$.

Division algorithm in $R[x]$:

Thm: Let $f(x), g(x) \in R[x]$ be nonzero polynomials, where R a commutative ring. Assume $g(x)$ has degree m with coefficient $b_m \in R$. Then there exist $k > 0$ and polynomials $q(x), r(x) \in R[x]$, s.t.

$$\deg(r) < \deg(g) \quad \text{and}$$

$$(b_m)^k f(x) = q(x)g(x) + r(x)$$

Cor: If $f(x) \in R[x]$ is nonzero and $a \in R$, then \exists a unique $q(x) \in R[x]$, s.t. $f(x) = (x-a)q(x) + f(a)$ \leftarrow just plug in a .

Cor: $(x-a) | f(x) \Leftrightarrow f(a) = 0$.

Pf: Case 1: $\deg(f(x)) < \deg(g(x))$

$$f(x) = 0 \cdot g(x) + f(x) \quad \begin{cases} f(x) = 0 \\ r(x) = f(x) \end{cases}$$

Case 2: $\deg(f(x)) \geq \deg(g(x))$

$$\begin{cases} f(x) = a_n x^n + \dots + a_1 x + a_0 \\ g(x) = b_m x^m + \dots + b_1 x + b_0 \end{cases}$$

Let $f_1(x) = b_m f(x) - a_m x^{n-m} g(x)$ 消掉最高项.

$$\deg f_1(x) < \deg f(x)$$

之而归耶，我有点懒得写了。

$$b_m f(x) = a_m x^{n-m} g(x) + f(x)$$

(对 f , 用 degree 归纳, 得 $b_m^k f(x) = g(x)g(x) + r(x)$ $\deg(r) < \deg(g)$)

$$b_m^{k+1} f(x) = b_m^k a_m x^{n-m} g(x) + b_m^k f(x)$$

$$= b_m^k a_m x^{n-m} g(x) + g(x)g(x) + r(x)$$

$$= (\underbrace{b_m^k a_m x^{n-m}}_{\text{新的 } g(x)} + g(x)) g(x) + r(x)$$

最开始的 b_m 应该是 $f(x) = b_m f(x) - a_m x^{n-m} g(x)$

这里出来形, 无法套娃套上;

主要因为不能作除法.

我们现应证之前 $f(x) = (x-a)g(x) + f(a)$ 的 uniqueness.

$$(x-a)g_1(x) + f(a) = (x-a)g_2(x) + f(a)$$

$$\Rightarrow (x-a)(g_1(x) - g_2(x)) = 0 \Rightarrow g_1(x) = g_2(x)$$

$\{\text{fields}\} \subseteq \{\text{PID}\} \subseteq \{\text{integral domain}\} \subseteq \{\text{commutative ring}\}$

Def: An integral domain is a P.I.D if every ideal is principle,

i.e, every ideal can be generated by a single element

Ex: F field has $(0), (1)$ ideals.

\mathbb{Z} (Bezout), $\mathbb{Z}[i]$.

Thm: If F a field, then $F[x]$ is a PID.

Pf: We can assume that $\exists f(x) \in I$, s.t. $\deg(f(x)) \geq 0$

This allows us to find $g(x) \in I$ has the smallest degree.

$\forall f \in I, f(x) = f(x)g(x) + r(x)$ 只能取 0.

$$\Rightarrow f = fg \Rightarrow I \supseteq (g) \Rightarrow I = (g)$$

Remark: If F field, $F[x_1, x_2]$ is not a PID.

$(x_1, x_2) \times$

If F a field, we can consider $F[u]$

$$F[x] \xrightarrow{\text{ev}_u} F[u]$$

$$x \mapsto u$$

$$F \mapsto F$$

$$\text{Ker}(\text{ev}_u) = I, \text{ s.t. } I \cap F = \{0\}$$

Thm: Let u be an algebraic number in F with minimal polynomial g

$$\text{Then } F[u] \cong F[x]/(g(x))$$

① $F[u]$ is a field if $g(x)$ is irreducible. 要补到甚至不模 integral domain.

if $g(x) = h_1(x)h_2(x)$, then either h_1 or h_2 a unit.

② $F[u]$ has zero divisor if $g(x)$ is reducible.

Pf: ① Ideals in $F[u] \cong F[x]/(g(x))$ are of the form $I/(g(x))$ where I is an ideal of $F[x]$ containing $(g(x))$. Since $F[x]$ PID, we can

$$\text{write } I = (f(x))$$

$$(f(x)) \supseteq (g(x)) \Rightarrow f(x) | g(x), \text{ since } g \text{ irreducible.}$$

$$1) f = \text{constant} \checkmark^{\text{unit.}} \Rightarrow (f) = F \Rightarrow (f)/(g) = (1)$$

$$2) f = g \Rightarrow (f) = (g) \Rightarrow (f)/(g) = (0)$$

② 更自然的

Thm: Let F be a field, $f(x)$ be a degree n polynomial in $F[x]$,

Then $f(x)$ has at most n distinct roots in F .

$$(f(a) = 0 \Leftrightarrow (x-a) | f(x))$$

渡 $\{r_i\}$ roots, 归纳证 $\prod(x-r_i) | f$, 那 f 最少有 n degree.

Thm: Any finite subgroup of the non-zero element of a field F is cyclic.

Lemma: $\exp(G) = G$ 有最大形 order, G cyclic $\Leftrightarrow \exp(G) = |G|$

Pf: Let G be a finite subgroup of F^\times .

$$\text{Let } f(x) = x^{\exp(G)} - 1$$

$f(x)$ has at most $\exp(G)$ roots in $F \Rightarrow$ has most $\exp(G)$ roots in G .

However, $\forall x \in G, f(x) = 0$ (definition of \exp) $\Rightarrow |G| \leq \exp(G)$

$\Rightarrow |G|$ cyclic.

Remark: The analogous statement does not hold for division rings

$$\{\pm 1, \pm i, \pm j, \pm k\} \subseteq \text{Quaternion ring.}$$

Community setting:

Fields \subseteq Euclidean domains \subseteq PID \subseteq UFD \subseteq Integral domain.

Def: An integral domain R is called a unique factorization domain if every nonzero nonunit element has a "unique" factorization into irreducible elements.

Def: x is irreducible if $x = ab \Rightarrow a$ or b unit.

"unique" factorization means unique up to units.

Example: \mathbb{Z} is a UFD. $25 = 5 \times 5 = -5 \times -5$

Non-Example: $\mathbb{Z}[\sqrt{-5}] = \{a+b\sqrt{-5} \mid a, b \in \mathbb{Z}\}$

$$6 = 2 \times 3 = (\underbrace{1+\sqrt{-5}}_{\text{irreducible}})(\underbrace{1-\sqrt{-5}}_{\text{irreducible}}) \text{ 不能被 up to a unit}$$

irreducible.

Consider a norm $\mathbb{Z}[\sqrt{5}] \xrightarrow{N} \mathbb{Z}$

$$a+b\sqrt{5} \mapsto a^2+5b^2.$$

$N(a)=1 \Leftrightarrow a$ a unit

$$N(2) = 4, \quad N(3) = 9, \quad N(1+\sqrt{5}) = 6.$$

Thm Any PID is a UFD.

Def: An integral domain R is called a Euclidean Domain if

$$\exists S: R \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}_{\geq 0}, \quad \forall a, b \neq 0 \in R, \quad \exists q, r \in R, \text{ s.t.}$$

$$a = bq + r, \quad \text{where } S(r) < S(b)$$

Thm: If R is an UFD, then $R[\alpha]$ an UFD

Def: An element is prime if $x|ab \Rightarrow x|a$ or $x|b$.

Claim: Every prime element is irreducible.

$$p = ab \stackrel{\substack{\text{not} \\ \downarrow \\ \text{unit}}}{\wedge} p|a \Rightarrow a = pk.$$

$$p = pkb \Rightarrow kb = 1 \Rightarrow b \text{ unit.}$$

If $a, b \in R$, $\gcd(a, b)$ exists if $\forall d$, $d|a \wedge d|b \Rightarrow d|ab$.

Thm: An integral domain R is an UFD iff

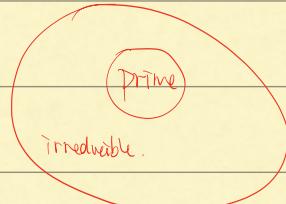
① R contains no infinite properly ascending chain of

principle ideals i.e. if $(a_1) \subseteq (a_2) \subseteq \dots \subseteq (a_n) \subseteq \dots$

then for large enough n , $(a_n) = (a_{n+1})$

② Every irreducible element is a prime.

不能拆为单位 $\xrightarrow{\quad} p|ab \Rightarrow p|a \vee p|b$



但在 UFD 上成立, 因为可以拆成唯一因数的乘积

Pf: "UFD \Rightarrow ①. ②/(③)"

Assume $(a_1) \subsetneq (a_2) \subsetneq \dots \subsetneq (a_n) \subsetneq \dots$

($(3) \nexists (9) \nexists (2) \nexists \dots$ 是被允许的)

$\forall i, (a_i) \supseteq (a_i) \Rightarrow a_i | a_i$

Since R UFD, factor a_i into $a_i = \prod p_i^{k_i}$, \neq

Let x be an irreducible element in R, s.t. $x | ab$.

if a/b unit $\Rightarrow \checkmark$

if $a = q_1 q_2 \dots q_n$

$b = q'_1 q'_2 \dots q'_m$

$\Rightarrow ab = \underbrace{q_1 q_2 \dots q_n}_{x \text{ must be one of them (UFD)}} \underbrace{q'_1 q'_2 \dots q'_m}$

x must be one of them (UFD)

①. ② \Rightarrow UFD.

Let $x \in R$.

i) x irreducible $\Rightarrow x$ has unique factorization.

ii) x not irreducible: $x = a_1 b_1$, where a_1, b_1 not units.

$x = a_1 b_1 \rightarrow a_1 = a_2 b_2 \rightarrow a_2 = a_3 b_3 \dots a_i b_i$ are all reducible.

$\Rightarrow (x) \subsetneq (a_1) \subsetneq (a_2) \subsetneq \dots$

By ①, $\exists a_i$, a_i irreducible. Let $p_i = a_i$

$\Rightarrow x = p_1 x_1$

$\Rightarrow x = p_1 p_2 \dots p_n x_n$, where x_n irreducible.

if $x = p_1 p_2 \dots p_n = q_1 q_2 \dots q_m$

对 n 归纳.

Base case: $n=1$, then $x = p_1 = q_1 \dots q_m \Rightarrow m=1$

$\Rightarrow p_1 = q_1 \Rightarrow$ factorization is unique.

Inductive Step: Assume any element that factors into $n-1$

irreducible elements has a unique factorization.

Since P_1 is irreducible, it is prime by 2.

$$P_1 \mid q_1 \cdots q_m \Rightarrow P_1 \mid q_i \text{ for some } i. \text{ WLOG, } i=1$$

$$\Rightarrow q_1 = P_1 k$$

$$X = P_1 \cdots P_n = q_1 \cdots q_m \Rightarrow Y = \underbrace{P_2 \cdots P_n}_{\substack{\uparrow \\ \text{unique.}}} = k q_2 \cdots q_m$$

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Thm: Any PID is a UFD.

Pf: WTS: PID satisfies ①. ②.

For ①, if $(a_1) \subseteq (a_2) \subseteq \cdots \subseteq (a_n) \subseteq \cdots$

$I = \bigcup_{i=1}^{\infty} (a_i)$ is a ideal. Let $I = (b)$

$\Rightarrow b \in (a_j) \text{ for some } j. \Rightarrow (b) \subseteq (a_j)$

$\Rightarrow (b) \subseteq (a_j) \subseteq (a_{j+1}) \subseteq I = (b) \Rightarrow (a_j) = (a_{j+1})$

So ① holds.

For ②: Let x be an irreducible element in R

$x \mid ab$. Consider (x) to contain is to divide.

x irreducible $\Rightarrow \exists I, \text{ s.t. } (x) \subseteq I \subseteq R$.

Assume $x \nmid a \Rightarrow a \notin (x) \Rightarrow (x) \nsubseteq (x, a) \Rightarrow (x, a) = (1) = R$.

$\Rightarrow c, d \in R, \text{ s.t. } ac + dx = 1$

$$\Rightarrow abc + dbx = b$$

$$\Rightarrow xkc + dbx = b$$

$$\Rightarrow x \mid b$$

Def: An integral domain R is called a Euclidean Domain if

$\exists S: R \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}_{\geq 0}$, $\forall a, b \neq 0 \in R$, $\exists q, r \in R$, s.t.

$$a = bq + r \quad , \text{ where } S(r) < S(b)$$

Example: ① \mathbb{Z} with $S(z) = |z|$

② \mathbb{F} field, $\mathbb{F}[x]$ with $S(f(x)) = 2^{\deg(f)}$

③ $\mathbb{Z}[i]$ with $S(a+bi) = a^2+b^2$

$$S(z_1)S(z_2) = S(z_1 z_2)$$

$$\text{if } z_1, z_2 \in \mathbb{Z}[i] \Rightarrow \frac{z_1}{z_2} = \alpha + \beta i \in \mathbb{Q}[i]$$

$$\Rightarrow \exists u, v \in \mathbb{Z}, \text{ s.t. } |u-\alpha|, |v-\beta| < \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\text{Let } q = u + vi, \quad z_1 = z_2 q + r.$$

$$r = z_1 - z_2 q$$

$$= z_2 ((u-\alpha) + (v-\beta)i)$$

$$S(r) = S(z_2) \left(\underbrace{(u-\alpha)^2}_{\leq \frac{1}{4}} + \underbrace{(v-\beta)^2}_{\leq \frac{1}{4}} \right) \\ \leq \frac{1}{2} S(z_2)$$

$$< S(z_2)$$

So $\mathbb{Z}[i]$ is an Euclidean Domain.

Q: For which (squarefree, negative) d , does the analogous proof holds for $\mathbb{Z}[i]$?

$$S(a+b\sqrt{d}) = x^2 - dy^2$$

Thm: Every Euclidean domain is a PID.

Pf: Let R be an Euclidean domain with S , I be an ideal of R .

If $I = (0)$, then I is principal

Assume I is nonzero:

Let $b \in I$, where $S(b)$ smallest.

If $a \in I$, then $\exists q, r \in R$, s.t. $a = bq + r$, where $S(r) < S(b)$

Since $a \in I$, $bq \in I \Rightarrow r \in I \Rightarrow r = 0$

$\Rightarrow \forall a \in I, a = bq \Rightarrow I = (b)$

Thm: R UFD $\Rightarrow R^{\text{fd}}$ UFD

Pf: Let R be an UFD. 我们在 UFD 里可以算 gcd.

Modules over ~~Rings~~ PIDs. (Vector Spaces over fields)

Modules, like Vector Spaces, are abelian groups

Let M be an (additive) abelian group.

Def: The set of endomorphisms on M

$\text{End}(M)$ consists of group homomorphism $M \rightarrow M$

就好像 automorphism 一样只不过这里用 homomorphism.

If $f \in \text{End}(M)$, then $f: M \rightarrow M$ and $f(x+y) = f(x) + f(y)$

Prop: $\text{End}(M)$ is a ring.

Pf: 封闭性显然, 只需证是 homomorphism.

Recall: All group $G \leq S_{|G|}$. Every group can be thought of an action on a set.

Q: Is every ring a subring of $\text{end}M$ of some abelian group M ?

Theorem: Yes.

Pf: If R is a ring, then let $M = \text{additive group } R$ (forget multiplicative structure)

If $r \in R$, let $f_r : M \rightarrow M$, $f_r(x) = r \cdot x$

Then $f_{r+y} = r(x+y) = rx+ry = f_r(x) + f_y(y)$

$\Rightarrow f_r \in \text{End}(M)$, but in particular, f_r allow us to use
 $r \in \text{End}(M)$

Define a map $R \rightarrow \text{End}(M)$

$$r \mapsto f_r$$

这里主要把 R 看成射影

$\text{End}(M)$ 里有高深 Cayley's Thm.

To show that this map is a ring homomorphism

$$\forall r_1, r_2 \in R, f_{r_1+r_2} = f_{r_1} + f_{r_2},$$

$$f_{r_1r_2} = f_{r_1} \circ f_{r_2}.$$

And this map is injective: suppose $f_s = f_r$,

$$\text{then } f_{s(1)} = s = r = f_{r(1)}. \text{ So } s = r.$$

So there is an injective ring homomorphism

$$R \longrightarrow \text{End}(M)$$

Def: If R is a ring, a (left) R -module is an abelian group M together with a map $R \times M \rightarrow M$, scalar product.

satisfying

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{① } r(x+y) = rx+ry \\ \text{② } (r+s)y = ry+sy \\ \text{③ } rsx = r(sx) \\ \text{④ } 1 \cdot x = x \end{array} \right. \quad \begin{array}{l} \text{?} \\ \text{两个方向的分配率} \\ \text{结合率} \\ \text{单位元法嘛...} \end{array}$$

If there is a homomorphism Ψ of $R \rightarrow \text{End}(M)$ for some abelian group M , then we can define the map

$$R \times M \rightarrow M$$

$$r(m) \mapsto \Psi(r)(m)$$

will satisfy ① ② ③ ④, hence M gets equipped with a left R -module structure.

Conversely, if M has a R -module structure, then we can define a map $f_r : M \rightarrow M$, $x \mapsto rx$, and deduce that

$$R \rightarrow \text{End}(M)$$

$r \mapsto f_r$ is a ring hom.

Def: right R -module.

From now on, all modules are left module.

Def: A submodule N of a module M is :

$N \leq M$ (as groups) and N is closed under the action of R , i.e.

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} x \in N, r \in R \Rightarrow rx \in N \\ x, y \in N \Rightarrow x+y \in N. \end{array} \right.$$

Submodule criterion: (Subspace criterion)

$$\forall r \in R, x, y \in N, \Rightarrow rx + y \in N$$

Lemma: Let M be an R -module:

① $r \cdot 0_M = 0_M, \forall r$. $\exists f_r : M \xrightarrow{\quad} M$ homomorphism.

$$f_r(m+m) \Rightarrow rm + r(m) = 0 \Rightarrow r(-m) = -rm$$

② $r \cdot (-m) = (-r) \cdot m = -(r \cdot m), \forall m, r$. $f_r = -f_{-r}$.

③ $0_R \cdot m = 0_M, \forall m$ $f_0 = 0$

Example: Linear transformations of vector space over a field.

Let $R=F$ field

Let $M=V$ be a vector field over F

Let $T: V \rightarrow V$ be a linear transformation:

Then $\begin{cases} T(v_1) + T(v_2) = T(v_1 + v_2) \\ \end{cases}$ ①

$$T(cv) = cT(v)$$
 ②

$$\textcircled{1} \Rightarrow T \in \text{End}(M)$$

$$\textcircled{2} \Rightarrow T \circ f_c = f_c \circ T, \quad \forall c \in F.$$

Then $F \xrightarrow{\Psi} \text{End } V$ $V \xrightarrow{f_c} V$ 这里我们已经有 V 是一个
vector space 了, 所以

$c \mapsto f_c$ is a ring homomorphism

• $\Psi(F) = \text{im}(\Psi) = \{f_c \mid c \in F\}$ is a subring of $\text{End } V$.

• $\Psi(F)[T] = \left\{ \sum_{i=0}^n f_{c_i} T^i \mid c_i \in F \right\}$ 这就好像相当于 $R[x] = \{a_0 + a_1 x + a_2 x^2 + \dots\}$

By ②, $\Psi(F)[T]$ is commutative.

$$F[x] \longrightarrow \Psi(F)[T] \hookrightarrow \text{End } V$$

$$\sum a_i x^i \longmapsto \sum f_{a_i} T^i$$

Altogether: we get the map $F[x] \rightarrow \text{End } V$

So V is a $F[x]$ module.

$$(a_n x^n + \dots + a_0)(v) = f_{a_n} \circ T^n(v) + \dots + f_{a_0} \circ v.$$