

INTEGERS

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ABSTRACT. This article contains Z Notation definitions for concepts related to the integers, \mathbb{Z} . It has been type checked by *f*UZZ.

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1. INTRODUCTION

The integers \mathbb{Z} are built-in to Z Notation. This article provides definitions for some related objects so that they can be used and type checked in formal Z specifications.

2. EXPONENTIATION

Let $x \in \mathbb{Z}$ and $n \in \mathbb{N}$. Then x raised to the exponent n is the product of x multiplied by itself n times, with the convention that for $n = 0$ the result is 1. Let $\text{exp}(x, n)$ denote the result.

$$\begin{array}{|l} \text{exp} : \mathbb{Z} \times \mathbb{N} \rightarrow \mathbb{Z} \\ \hline \forall x : \mathbb{Z} \bullet \text{exp}(x, 0) = 1 \\ \forall x : \mathbb{Z}; n : \mathbb{N}_1 \bullet \text{exp}(x, n) = x * \text{exp}(x, n - 1) \end{array}$$

Example.

$$\text{exp}(5, 2) = 25$$

Remark.

$$\begin{array}{|l} \forall x : \mathbb{Z} \bullet \\ \text{exp}(x, 0) = 1 \end{array}$$

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Remark.

$$\forall x : \mathbb{Z} \bullet \\ \exp(x, 1) = x$$

Remark.

$$\forall x : \mathbb{Z}; n, m : \mathbb{N} \bullet \\ \exp(x, n + m) = \exp(x, n) * \exp(x, m)$$

Remark.

$$\forall x, y : \mathbb{Z}; n : \mathbb{N} \bullet \\ \exp(x * y, n) = \exp(x, n) * \exp(y, n)$$

Exponentiation is normally denoted x^n but Z Notation cannot reproduce that. Instead we use the infix operator notation that is common to programming languages such as FORTRAN and Python. Define the notation $x ** n = \exp(x, n)$.

$$(- ** -) == \exp$$

Example.

$$5 ** 2 = 25$$

3. DIVISIBILITY

This section defines *divisibility* of integers.

Given integers x and y we say that x *divides* y if there is some integer q such that $qx = y$.

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| <i>Divides</i> | |
| $x, y, q : \mathbb{Z}$ | |
| $q * x = y$ | |

Let *divides* denote the divisibility relation between integers where $(x, y) \in \textit{divides}$ means that x divides y .

$$\textit{divides} == \{ \textit{Divides} \bullet x \mapsto y \}$$

Remark.

$$\textit{divides} \in \mathbb{Z} \leftrightarrow \mathbb{Z}$$

We introduce the usual infix notation $x \mid y$ to denote that $(x, y) \in \textit{divides}$.

$$(- \mid -) == \textit{divides}$$

Example. The integer 7 divides 42 because $6 * 7 = 42$.

$$7 \mid 42$$

Remark. Every integer x divides 0 because $0 * x = 0$.

$$\forall x : \mathbb{Z} \bullet x \mid 0$$

4. DIVISORS

Let x be a nonzero integer that divides the integer y . We say that x is a *divisor* of y .

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| <i>Divisor</i> | |
| <i>Divides</i> | |
| $x \neq 0$ | |

Let the relation $(x, y) \in is_divisor_of$ denote that x is a divisor of y .

$$is_divisor_of == \{ Divisor \bullet x \mapsto y \}$$

Let the set $divisors(y)$ denote the set of all divisors of the integer y .

$$divisors == (\lambda y : \mathbb{Z} \bullet \{ x : \mathbb{Z} \mid (x, y) \in is_divisor_of \})$$

Remark.

$$divisors \in \mathbb{Z} \rightarrow \mathbb{P} \mathbb{Z}$$

Example. The integer 6 has the following divisors.

$$divisors(6) = \{-6, -3, -2, -1, 1, 2, 3, 6\}$$

Let the set $positive_divisors(y)$ denote the set of all positive divisors of the integer y .

$$positive_divisors == (\lambda y : \mathbb{Z} \bullet divisors(y) \cap \mathbb{N}_1)$$

Remark.

$$positive_divisors \in \mathbb{Z} \rightarrow \mathbb{P} \mathbb{N}_1$$

Example. The integer 6 has the following positive divisors.

$$positive_divisors(6) = \{1, 2, 3, 6\}$$

5. PRIME NUMBERS

An integer p is *prime* if it is greater than one and only has one and itself as positive divisors.

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| <i>Prime</i> | |
| $p : \mathbb{Z}$ | |
| $p > 1$ | |
| $positive_divisors(p) = \{1, p\}$ | |

- p is greater than 1.
- 1 and p are the only positive divisors of p .

Example. *The integer 2 is prime.*

let $p == 2 \bullet$
 Prime

Let *primes* denote the set of all primes.

$primes == \{ Prime \bullet p \}$

Remark.

$primes \subset \mathbb{N}_1$

Example. *The natural numbers 2, 3, 5, and 7 are primes.*

$\{2, 3, 5, 7\} \subseteq primes$

6. ADDITION OF INTEGER SEQUENCES

Let l be a natural number and let x and y be two integer sequences of length l . Their sum $z = x + y$ is the integer sequence of length l defined by pointwise addition of the terms in x and y .

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| <i>AddIntegerSequences</i> | _____ |
| $l : \mathbb{N}$ | |
| $x, y, z : \text{seq } \mathbb{Z}$ | |
| $l = \#x = \#y$ | |
| $z = (\lambda i : 1 .. l \bullet x\ i + y\ i)$ | |

- The sequence z is defined by pointwise addition of the sequences x and y .

Let the function $add_int_seq(x, y) = z$ be the sum of two equal-length integer sequences.

$add_int_seq == \{ AddIntegerSequences \bullet (x, y) \mapsto z \}$

Remark. *Addition is a partial function on the set of all pairs of integer sequences.*

$add_int_seq \in \text{seq } \mathbb{Z} \times \text{seq } \mathbb{Z} \rightarrow \text{seq } \mathbb{Z}$

We introduce the usual infix notation $x + y = add_int_seq(x, y)$.

$(_ + _) == add_int_seq$

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