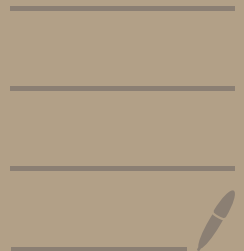


# Prime Ideal



Def.  $(R, +, \cdot)$  Ring.  $R$  is a integral Ring  $\Leftrightarrow$   
 $R \neq \{0\}$

$R$  is commutative

$\forall a, b \in R, (ab=0 \Rightarrow a=0 \text{ or } b=0)$

if  $a \neq 0, \exists b \neq 0, ab=0 \Rightarrow a$  is a zero divisor

Def.  $(R, +, \cdot)$  commutative  $\mathfrak{p} \triangleleft R$ ,  $\mathfrak{p}$  is a prime ideal  $\Leftrightarrow$

$\forall a, b \in R (ab \in \mathfrak{p} \Leftrightarrow a \in \mathfrak{p} \text{ or } b \in \mathfrak{p})$

$\mathfrak{p} \neq R$

Prop.  $\mathfrak{p} \triangleleft R$   $\mathfrak{p}$  is a prime ideal  $\Leftrightarrow R/\mathfrak{p}$  is a integral Ring

Proof. sufficiency:

$$(a+\mathfrak{p})(b+\mathfrak{p}) = ab+\mathfrak{p} = ba+\mathfrak{p} = (b+\mathfrak{p})(a+\mathfrak{p})$$

thus  $R/\mathfrak{p}$  is commutative

$$\text{suppose } (a+\mathfrak{p})(b+\mathfrak{p}) = 0+\mathfrak{p}$$

then  $ab \in \mathfrak{p}$

suppose  $a \notin \mathfrak{p}$

$$\text{then } a+\mathfrak{p} = 0+\mathfrak{p}$$

necessity:

suppose  $a, b \in R, ab \in \mathfrak{p}$

$$ab+\mathfrak{p} = (a+\mathfrak{p})(b+\mathfrak{p}) = 0+\mathfrak{p}$$

suppose  $a+\mathfrak{p} = 0+\mathfrak{p}$

then  $a \in \mathfrak{p}$

Def.  $(R, +, \cdot)$  commutative  $m \triangleleft R$ ,  $m$  is a maximal ideal  $\Leftrightarrow$   
 $m \neq R$   
 $\forall I \triangleleft R, (I \not\subseteq m \Rightarrow I = R)$

Prop.  $m \triangleleft R$ ,  $m$  is a maximal ideal  $\Leftrightarrow R/m$  is a field

Proof. sufficiency:

$m$  is a maximal ideal  $\Rightarrow R/m$  is a commutative Ring

suppose  $a+m \in R/m$  ( $a+m \neq 0+m$ )  $a \notin m$   
 $m + R \cdot a = (m, a)$

since  $m$  is maximum Ideal, so  $m + Ra = R$   
 where  $1 \in R$

thus  $1 \in m + Ra$

thus there exist  $b \in R$  s.t.  $ab+m=1$

necessity:

for an Ideal  $I \not\subseteq m$ , for  $a \in I \setminus m$

so  $a+m \neq 0+m$

thus  $\exists b \in R, ab+m=1+m$

thus  $\exists m \in m : 1 = ab+m$

thus for  $r \in R$

$$r = r(ab+m) = rab + rm \in Ib+m \subset I+I=I$$

$$I=R$$

Lemma.  $(R, +, \cdot)$  is a field,  $R$  is an integral Ring

Prop.  $(R, +, \cdot)$  commutative  $\Rightarrow$  every maximum Ideal is prime

Def.  $(R, +, \cdot)$  commutative,  $I \triangleleft R$ ,  $a, b \in R$   
 call  $a, b$  module  $I$  congruence, denoted as  $a \equiv b \pmod I$   
 if  $a - b \in I$

Prop  $a \equiv b \pmod I$ ,  $c \equiv d \pmod I \Rightarrow$   
 $a + c \equiv b + d \pmod I$   
 $ac \equiv bd \pmod I$   
 $a^n \equiv b^n \pmod I$

Prop. (Chinese Remainder Theorem)  
 $(R, +, \cdot)$  commutative  $(I_i)_{i=1}^n$  is a family of coprime ideal  
 for all  $a_1, \dots, a_n \in R \exists x \in R$  s.t.  
 $x \equiv a_1 \pmod{I_1}$   
 $\vdots$   
 $x \equiv a_n \pmod{I_n}$

Proof.  $I_1$  and  $I_j$  ( $j \neq 1$ ) are coprime  
 thus  $\exists b_j \in I_1, c_j \in I_j$  s.t.  $b_j + c_j = 1 \dots b_n + c_n = 1$   
 suppose  $x_1 = c_2 \dots c_n \in R$   
 then for  $j \neq 1$ :  $c_2 \dots c_j \dots c_n \equiv 0 \pmod{I_j}$   
 $\& \quad 1 - \prod_{i \neq 1} c_i = \prod (b_i + c_i) - \prod c_i \quad \textcircled{1}$   
 every term of  $\textcircled{1}$  contains at least one  $b_i$   
 thus,  $1 - \prod c_i \in I_1$   
 thus  $x_1 = c_2 \dots c_n \equiv 1 \pmod{I_1}$   
 similarly for  $x_2 \dots x_n$   
 suppose  $x = a_1 x_1 + \dots + a_n x_n$  where  $x_i \equiv 1 \pmod{I_i}$   
 $x_i \equiv 0 \pmod{I_j}$  if  $j \neq i$   
 such  $x$  satisfies  $x \equiv a_i \pmod{I_i}$

Prop. (equivalent to Chinese Remainder Theorem)

( $R, +, \cdot$ ) commutative  $(I_i)_{i=1}^n$  coprime

$$\text{I)} \quad \pi: R \rightarrow \prod_{i=1}^n (R/I_i)$$

$$\pi(a) = (a + I_1, \dots, a + I_n)$$

is a epimorphism.

particularly.  $R / \bigcap I_i \cong \prod (R/I_i)$

II)  $\pi$  is an isomorphism  $\Leftrightarrow \bigcap I_i = \{0\}$

Proof. (I)  $\pi(a) = 0 \Leftrightarrow \forall i, a + I_i = 0 + I_i$

$$\Leftrightarrow \forall i, a \in I_i$$

$$\Leftrightarrow a \in \bigcap I_i$$

according to the first theorem of homomorphism

$$R / \bigcap I_i \cong \prod (R/I_i)$$

thus  $\pi$  is an isomorphism  $\Leftrightarrow \pi$  is injective

$$\Leftrightarrow \ker(\pi) = \{0\}$$

$$\Leftrightarrow \bigcap I_i = \{0\}$$