

# WEEK 1

## Natural Numbers & Their Operation

# Numbers keep a count of objects, i.e., 1, 2, 3, 4...

# 0 to represent no objects at all.

# Natural numbers :  $\mathbb{N} = \{0, 1, 2, 3, \dots\}$

• sometimes  $\mathbb{N}_0$  is used to emphasize 0 is included.

### Operations -

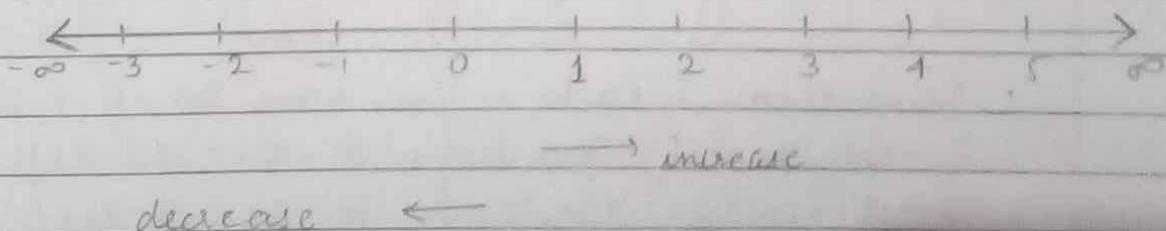
# Addition, Subtraction, Multiplication, Division

• Which of these always produce a natural no. as the answer?

### Subtraction :

- ①  $5 - 6$  is not a natural no. (subtraction fails)
- Extend the natural no. with -ve nos.
- $-1, -2, -3, \dots$
- INTEGERS :  $\mathbb{Z} = \{\dots, -3, -2, -1, 0, 1, 2, 3, \dots\}$

### Number Line -



## \* MULTIPLICATION & EXPONENTIATION

②  $7 \times 4$  - make 4 groups of 7

$$\rightarrow m \times n = \underbrace{m + m + \dots + m}_{n \text{ times}}$$

$\rightarrow$  NOTATION :  $m \times n$ ,  $m \cdot n$ ,  $mn$

$\rightarrow$  Multiplication is repeated addition.

$\rightarrow$  Sign rule for multiplying negative nos.

$$\therefore -m \times n = -(m \cdot n)$$

$$\therefore -m \times -n = m \cdot n$$

$$\rightarrow m \times m = m^2 \quad - m \text{ squared}$$

$$\rightarrow m \times m \times m = m^3 \quad - m \text{ cubed}$$

$$\rightarrow m^k = \underbrace{m \times m \times m \times \dots \times m}_{k \text{ times}} \quad - m \text{ to the power } k$$

# Multiplication is repeated addition.

Exponentiation is repeated multiplication.

## \* DIVISION

③  $\rightarrow$  You have 20 mangoes to distribute to 5 friends  
How many do you give to each of them?

$\cdot$  Give them 1 each. You have  $20 - 5 = 15$  left

$\cdot$  Another round. You have  $15 - 5 = 10$  left

$\cdot$  Third round. You have  $10 - 5 = 5$  left

• Fourth round. You have  $5 - 5 = 0$  left  
 $\therefore 20 \div 5 = 4$

$\rightarrow$  Division is repeated subtraction.

$\rightarrow$  What if you had only 19 mangoes to start with?

$\cdot$  After distributing 3 to each, you have 4 left.

$\cdot$  Can't distribute another round.

$\cdot$  The quotient of  $19 \div 5$  is 3

$\cdot$  The remainder of  $19 \div 5$  is 4

$$\therefore 19 \bmod 5 = 4$$

## \* FACTORS

④  $\rightarrow$  a divides b if  $b \bmod a$  is 0  
 $\therefore a \mid b$

$\therefore b$  is a multiple of a  $\therefore b$  is divisible by a

$$\rightarrow 4 \mid 20, 7 \mid 63, 32 \mid 1024, \dots \quad a \mid b \rightarrow 4 \mid 16$$

$$\rightarrow 4 \nmid 19, 9 \nmid 100$$

$\rightarrow$  a is a factor of b if  $a \mid b$

$\rightarrow$  Factors occur in pairs : factors of 12 are  $\{1, 12\}, \{2, 6\}, \{3, 4\}$

$\rightarrow$  ... unless the no. is a perfect square : factors of 36 are  $\{1, 36\}, \{2, 18\}, \{3, 12\}, \{4, 9\}, \{6\}$

## ★ PRIME NUMBERS

(5) → p is prime if it has only 2 factors {1, p}  
• 1 is not a prime no. - only one factor.

→ Prime numbers are 2, 3, 5, 7, 11, 13, ...

• Sieve of Eratosthenes - remove multiples of p.

→ Every No. can be decomposed into prime factors.

$$\rightarrow 12 = 2 \times 2 \times 3 = 2^2 \times 3$$

$$\rightarrow 126 = 2 \times 3 \times 3 \times 7 = 2 \times 3^2 \times 7$$

→ This decomposition is unique - Prime Factorisation.

## Summary

• N : natural number = {0, 1, 2, 3, ...}

• Z : integers = {-3, -2, -1, 0, 1, 2, 3, ...}

• Arithmetic Operations : +, -, ×, ÷,  $m^n$

• Quotient, remainder, a mod b

• Divisibility, a/b

• Factors

• Prime Numbers & Prime Factorisation

## RATIONAL NUMBERS

### # Division

→ Cannot represent  $19 \div 5$  as integer

→ Fractions :  $3\frac{1}{5}$

→ Rational Numbers :  $\frac{p}{q}$ , p and q are integers

• Numerator 'p', denominator 'q',  $q \neq 0$

• Use Q to denote rational no.s

→ The same no. can be written in many ways

$$\cdot \frac{3}{5} = \frac{6}{10} = \frac{30}{50} \dots$$

→ Useful to add, subtract, compare rational no.s

$$\cdot \frac{3}{5} + \frac{3}{4} = \frac{12}{20} + \frac{15}{20} = \frac{27}{20}$$

$$\cdot \frac{3}{5} < \frac{3}{4} \text{ because } \frac{12}{20} < \frac{15}{20}$$

→ Representation is not unique

$$\cdot \frac{3}{5} = \frac{6}{10} = \frac{30}{50} \dots$$

→ Reduced form :  $\frac{p}{q}$ , where p, q have no common factors

• Reduced form of  $\frac{18}{60}$  is  $\frac{3}{10}$

→ Greatest common divisor :  $\gcd(18, 60) = 6$

• Recall prime factorisation

$$18 = 2 \cdot 3 \cdot 3, \quad 60 = 2 \cdot 2 \cdot 3 \cdot 5$$

• Common prime factors are 2, 3

• Can find  $\gcd(m, n)$  more efficiently

## # Density

→ For each integer, we have a next integer and a previous integer

→ For  $m$ , next is  $m+1$ , previous is  $m-1$

→ Next : No integer between  $m$  and  $m+1$

Previous : No integer between  $m-1$  and  $m$ .

→ Not possible for rationals

• Between any 2 rationals we can find another one.

• Suppose,  $\frac{m}{n} < \frac{p}{q}$

Their average  $\left(\frac{m+p}{n+q}\right)/2$  lies b/w them.

→ Rationals are dense, integers are discrete.

Summary

- $\mathbb{Q}$  : rational no.s
- $\frac{p}{q}$ , where p, q are integers
- Representation is not unique

→ Reduced form,  $\gcd(p, q) = 1$

→ Rationals are dense -

$\frac{p}{q} = \frac{n \cdot p}{n \cdot q}$

can't talk of next or prev.

## REAL AND COMPLEX NO.s

### # Beyond Rationals

→ Rational numbers are dense

• B/w any 2 rationals we can find another one

→ Is every point on the number line a rational no?

→ For an integer  $m$ , its square is  $m^2 = m \cdot m$

→ Square root of  $m$ ,  $\sqrt{m}$ , is  $r$  such that  $r \cdot r = m$

→ Perfect squares : 1, 4, 16, 9, 25, 36, 49, ..., 256

→ Square roots : 1, 2, 4, 3, 5, 6, 7, ..., 16

→ What about integers that are not perfect squares?

→  $\sqrt{2}$  cannot be written as  $\frac{p}{q}$

→ Yet, we can draw a line of length  $\sqrt{2}$   
• Diagonal of a square whose sides have length 1.

→  $\sqrt{2}$  is irrational

→ Real Numbers :  $\mathbb{R}$  - all rational & irrational no.s

→ Like rationals, real no.s are dense

• If  $r < r'$ , then  $\left(\frac{r+r'}{2}\right)$  lies b/w  $r$  &  $r'$ .

## # Beyond Reals

→ Some well known irrationals

$$\Rightarrow \pi = 3.1415927\ldots$$

$$\Rightarrow e = 2.7182818\ldots$$

→ Can we stop with real no.s?

→ What about  $\sqrt{-1}$

→ For any real number  $r$ ,  $r^2$  must be +ve -  
(law of signs for multiplication)

→  $\sqrt{-1}$  is a complex number

## Summary

→ Real no.s extend rational no.s

→ Typical irrational no.s - sq. root of integers  
that are not perfect sq.

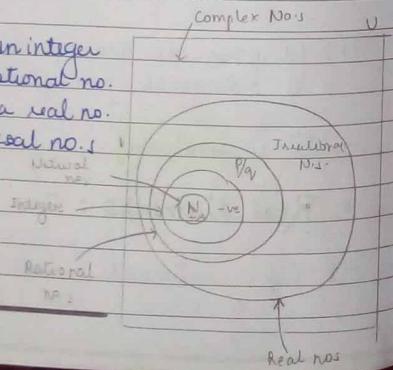
→ Real numbers are dense like rationals.

• Every natural no. is an integer

• Every integer is a rational no.

• Every rational no. is a real no.

• Complex no. extend real no.s



## SET THEORY

### # Sets

→ A set is a collection of items

→ Days of the week : {Sun, Mon, Tue, Wed, Thu, Fri, Sat}

→ Factors of 24 : {1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 8, 12, 24}

→ Prime no.s below 15 : {2, 3, 5, 7, 11, 13}

→ Sets may be infinite

→ Different types of numbers :  $\mathbb{N}$ ,  $\mathbb{Z}$ ,  $\mathbb{Q}$ ,  $\mathbb{R}$

→ No requirement that members of a set have uniform type.

→ Sets of objects in a painting

→ Sets of objects in a room

### # Order, Duplicates, Cardinality

→ Sets are unordered

→ {Kohli, Dhoni, Pujara}

→ {Pujara, Kohli, Dhoni}

→ Duplicates don't matter

→ {Kohli, Dhoni, Pujara, Dhoni}

→ Cardinality : number of items in a set

→ For finite sets, count the items

→ {1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 8, 12, 24} has cardinality 8.

→ What about infinite sets?

- Is  $\mathbb{Q}$  bigger than  $\mathbb{Z}$ ?
- Is  $\mathbb{R}$  bigger than  $\mathbb{Q}$ ?

## # Describing Sets, Membership

→ Finite sets can be listed out explicitly

- $\{ \text{Kohli, Pujara} \}$
- $\{ 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 8, 12, 24 \}$

→ Infinite sets cannot be listed out

- $\mathbb{N} = \{ 0, 1, 2, \dots \}$  is not formal notation

→ Not every collection of items is a set

- Collection of all sets is not a set
- Russell's Paradox

→ Items in a set are called elements.

- Membership:  $x \in X$ ,  $x$  is an element of  $X$
- $5 \in \mathbb{Z}$ ,  $\sqrt{2} \notin \mathbb{Q}$

## # Subsets

→  $X$  is a subset of  $Y$

if Every element of  $X$  is also an element of  $Y$

→ NOTATION:  $X \subseteq Y$

→ Examples

- $\{ \text{Kohli, Pujara} \} \subseteq \{ \text{Kohli, Pujara, Dhoni} \}$
- $\mathbb{N} \subseteq \mathbb{Z}, \mathbb{Z} \subseteq \mathbb{Q}, \mathbb{Q} \subseteq \mathbb{R}$

→ Every set is a subset of itself:  $X \subseteq X$

•  $X = Y$  if and only if  $X \subseteq Y$  and  $Y \subseteq X$

→ Proper Subset:  $X \subseteq Y$  but  $Y \neq X$

- Notation:  $X \subset Y$  or  $X \subsetneq Y$
- $\mathbb{N} \subset \mathbb{Z}, \mathbb{Z} \subset \mathbb{Q}, \mathbb{Q} \subset \mathbb{R}$

## # The Empty Set & The Power Set

→ The empty set has no elements -  $\emptyset$

→  $\emptyset \subseteq X$  for every set  $X$

• Every element of  $\emptyset$  is also in  $X$

→ If set can contain other sets

→ POWERSET - set of subsets of a set

•  $X = \{ a, b \}$

• Powerset is  $\{ \emptyset, \{a\}, \{b\}, \{a, b\} \}$

→ Set with  $n$  elements has  $2^n$  subsets

•  $X = \{ x_1, x_2, x_3, \dots, x_n \}$

• In a subset, either include or exclude each  $x_i$

•  $2$  choices per element,  $2 \cdot 2 \cdot 2 \cdots 2 = 2^n$  subsets

$n$  times

## # Subsets & Binary Numbers

- $X = \{x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n\}$
- $n$  bit binary numbers
  - 3 bits : 000, 001, 010, 011, 100, 110, 111
- Digit  $i$  represents whether  $x_i$  is included in a subset
  - $X = \{a, b, c, d\}$
  - 0101 is  $\{b, d\}$
  - 0000 is  $\emptyset$  and 1111 is  $X$
- $2^n$   $n$  bit binary numbers.

# Construction Of Subsets And Set Operations

## # Constructing Subsets

### \* Set Comprehension (Set Builder Form)

- The subset of even integers
  - $\{x \mid x \in \mathbb{Z}, x \bmod 2 = 0\}$

- Begin with an existing set,  $\mathbb{Z}$
- Apply a condition to each element in that set
  - $x \in \mathbb{Z}$  such that  $x \bmod 2 = 0$
- Collect all the elements that match the condition

### → EXAMPLES

- The set of perfect squares
  - $\{m \mid m \in \mathbb{N}, \sqrt{m} \in \mathbb{N}\}$

- The set of rationals in reduced form
  - $\{\frac{p}{q} \mid p, q \in \mathbb{Z}, \gcd(p, q) = 1\}$

### \* Intervals

- Integers from -6 to +6 :  $\{z \mid z \in \mathbb{Z}, -6 \leq z \leq 6\}$
- Real numbers between 0 and 1
- Closed Interval  $[0, 1]$  - include endpoints

- $\rightarrow \{x | x \in \mathbb{R}, 0 < x \leq 1\}$
- $\rightarrow$  Open Interval  $(0, 1)$  - exclude endpoints
- $\rightarrow \{x | x \in \mathbb{R}, 0 \leq x < 1\}$
- $\rightarrow$  Left open  $[0, 1]$
- $\rightarrow \{x | x \in \mathbb{R}, 0 < x \leq 1\}$
- $\rightarrow$  Right open  $[0, 1)$
- $\rightarrow \{x | x \in \mathbb{R}, 0 \leq x < 1\}$

## # Union, Intersection, Complement

- $\rightarrow$  Union - combine  $X$  and  $Y$   
 $X \cup Y$   
 $\{a, b, c\} \cup \{c, d, e\} = \{a, b, c, d, e\}$
- $\rightarrow$  Intersection - elements common to  $X$  and  $Y$   
 $X \cap Y$   
 $\{a, b, c, d\} \cap \{d, a, e, f\} = \{a, d\}$
- $\rightarrow$  Set Difference - elements in  $X$  that are not in  $Y$ ,  
 $X - Y$  or  $X \setminus Y$   
 $\{a, b, c, d\} - \{a, d, e, f\} = \{b, c\}$

- $\rightarrow$  Complement - elements not in  $X$ ,  $\bar{X}$  or  $X^c$ 
  - $\rightarrow$  Define complement relative to larger set, universe
  - $\rightarrow$  Complement of prime nos. in  $\mathbb{N}$  are composite nos.

## Summary

- $\rightarrow$  Sets are a standard way to represent collections of mathematical objects.
- $\rightarrow$  Sets may be finite or infinite
- $\rightarrow$  Can carve out interesting subsets of sets
- $\rightarrow$  Set operations: union, intersection, difference, complement.

# SETS : Examples

## # Set Comprehension

→ square of the even integers  $\{0, 4, 16, 36, 64, \dots\}$   
 $\{x^2 \mid x \in \mathbb{Z}, x \bmod 2 = 0\}$

• Generate Elements drawn from existing set  
 $-2, -1, 0, 1, 2, 3, \dots$

• Filter select elements that satisfy a constraint  
 $-2, 0, 2, 4, 6, \dots$

• Transform Modify selected elements  
 $4, 16, 36, \dots$

## → More Filters

• Rationals in reduced form  
 $\{\frac{p}{q} \mid p/q \in \mathbb{Q}, \gcd(p, q) = 1\}$

• Reals in interval  $[-1, 2]$   
 $\{x \mid x \in \mathbb{R}, -1 \leq x \leq 2\}$

→ cubes of first 5 natural numbers

$$Y = \{n^3 \mid n \in \{0, 1, 2, 3, 4\}\}$$

→ cube of first 500 natural numbers?

$$Y = \{n^3 \mid n \in \{0, 1, 2, \dots, 498, 499\}\}$$

→ Use set comprehension to define first 500 nat. nos

$$X = \{n \mid n \in \mathbb{N}, n \leq 500\}$$

→ Now a more readable version.

$$X = \{n \mid n \in \mathbb{N}, n \leq 500\}$$

$$Y = \{n^3 \mid n \in X\}$$

## # Perfect Squares

→ Integers whose square root is also an integer  
 $\{z \mid z \in \mathbb{Z}, \sqrt{z} \in \mathbb{Z}\}$

→ All squares are positive, so this is the same as  
 $\{n \mid n \in \mathbb{N}, \sqrt{n} \in \mathbb{N}\}$

→ Alternatively, generate all the perfect squares  
 $\{n^2 \mid n \in \mathbb{N}\}$

→ Extend the definition to rationals

•  $\frac{9}{16} = (\frac{3}{4})^2$  is a square.  $\frac{1}{2} \neq (\frac{p}{q})^2$  for any  $p, q$

•  $\{q \mid q \in \mathbb{Q}, \sqrt{q} \in \mathbb{Q}\}$  or  $\{q^2 \mid q \in \mathbb{Q}\}$

## COUNTING PROBLEMS

- # In a class, 30 students took Physics, 25 took Biology, and 10 took both. 5 took neither. How many students are there in class?

- Draw sets for Physics (P) & Biology (B)

- 10 students are in P ∩ B

- This leaves 20 students in P \ B. (Took Physics but didn't take Biology)

- likewise 15 students in B \ P (Took Biology but not Physics)

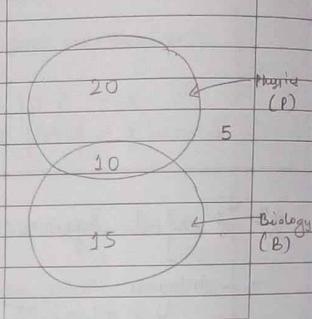
- 5 students in P ∪ B

(In the class but neither took Physics nor Biology.)

$$\rightarrow \text{Class Strength} = 20 + 10 + 15 + 5 = 50$$

- # In a class of 55 students, 32 students took Physics, 21 students took both Physics and Biology, and 7 took neither.

How many students took Biology but not Physics?



$$\text{Solution: } 55 = x + 11 + 21 + 7$$

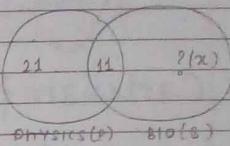
$$55 = x + 39$$

$$x = 55 - 39$$

$$x = 16$$

$\therefore 16$  students took Biology but not Physics.

$U = 55$  students



- # In a class of 60 students, 35 students took Physics, 30 took Biology, and 10 took neither. How many took both Physics and Biology?

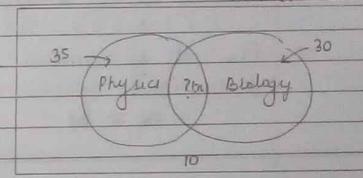
$$P \cup B = n(P) + n(B) - n(P \cap B)$$

$$P \cup B = 60 - 10 = 50$$

$$n(P) = 35$$

$$n(B) = 30$$

$$\therefore n(P) + n(B) = 35 + 30 = 65$$



$$\therefore P \cap B = 65 - 50 = 15$$

Summary:  $\Rightarrow$  Set notation is useful way to concisely describe collection of objects

$\Rightarrow$  Set comprehension combines generators, filters & transformations to produce new sets from old.

$\Rightarrow$  Venn diagrams can be useful to workout problems involving sets.

# RELATIONS

## # Cartesian Product

$$A \times B = \{ (a, b) \mid a \in A, b \in B \}$$

→ Pair up elements from A and B

$$\begin{aligned} \rightarrow A &= \{0, 1\}, \quad B = \{2, 3\} \\ \rightarrow A \times B &= \{(0, 2), (0, 3), (1, 2), (1, 3)\} \end{aligned}$$

→ In a pair, the order is important

$$\rightarrow (0, 1) \neq (1, 0)$$

→ For sets of numbers, visualize product as two dimensional space

$$\rightarrow \mathbb{N} \times \mathbb{N}$$

## # Binary Relations

→ Select some pairs from the Cartesian product

→ Combine cartesian product with set comprehension

$$\rightarrow \{(m, n) \mid (m, n) \in \mathbb{N} \times \mathbb{N}, n = m + 1\}$$

$$\rightarrow \{(0, 1), (1, 2), (2, 3), \dots, (17, 18), \dots\}$$

→ Pairs  $(d, n)$  where d is a factor of n

$$\rightarrow \{(d, n) \mid (d, n) \in \mathbb{N} \times \mathbb{N}, d | n\}$$
$$\rightarrow \{(1, 1), \dots, (2, 82), \dots, (14, 56), \dots\}$$

→ BINARY RELATION  $R \subseteq A \times B$

→ Notation:  $(a, b) \in R, a R b$

## # More Relations

→ points at a distance 5 from (0, 0)

→ Distance from (0, 0) to (a, b) is  $\sqrt{a^2 + b^2}$

$$\rightarrow \{(a, b) \mid (a, b) \in \mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R}, \sqrt{a^2 + b^2} = 5\}$$

$$\rightarrow \{(0, 5), (5, 0), (3, 4), (-3, -4), \dots\}$$

→ A circle with centre at (0, 0)

→ Rationals in reduced form

→ A subset of  $\mathbb{Q}$

$$\cdot \left\{ \frac{p}{q} \mid (p, q) \in \mathbb{Z} \times \mathbb{Z}, \gcd(p, q) = 1 \right\}$$

→ ... but also a relation on  $\mathbb{Z} \times \mathbb{Z}$

$$\cdot \{(p, q) \mid (p, q) \in \mathbb{Z} \times \mathbb{Z}, \gcd(p, q) = 1\}$$

## # Types of Binary Relations

→ Identity Relation  $I \subseteq A \times A$

$$\rightarrow I = \{(a, b) \mid (a, b) \in A \times A, a = b\}$$

$$\rightarrow I = \{(a,a) \mid (a,a) \in A \times A\}$$

$$\rightarrow I = \{(a,a) \mid a \in A\}$$

### → Reflexive Relations

$$\rightarrow R \subseteq A \times A, I \subseteq R$$

$$\rightarrow \{(a,b) \mid (a,b) \in N \times N, a, b > 0, a|b\}$$

.  $a|a$  for all  $a > 0$

### → Symmetric Relations

$$\rightarrow (a,b) \in R \text{ if and only if } (b,a) \in R$$

$$\rightarrow \{(a,b) \mid (a,b) \in N \times N, \gcd(a,b) = 1\}$$

$$\rightarrow \{(a,b) \mid (a,b) \in N \times N, |a-b| = 2\}$$

### → Transitive Relations

$$\rightarrow \text{If } (a,b) \in R \text{ and } (b,c) \in R \text{ then } (a,c) \in R$$

$$\rightarrow \{(a,b) \mid (a,b) \in N \times N, a|b\}$$

. If  $a|b$  and  $b|c$  then  $a|c$

$$\rightarrow \{(a,b) \mid (a,b) \in R \times R, a \leq b\}$$

. If  $a \leq b$  &  $b \leq c$  then  $a \leq c$

### → Antisymmetric Relations

$$\rightarrow \text{If } (a,b) \in R \text{ and } a \neq b, \text{ then } (b,a) \notin R$$

$$\rightarrow \{(a,b) \mid (a,b) \in R \times R, a \leq b\}$$

. If  $a \leq b$  then  $b \neq a$

$$\rightarrow M \subseteq P \times P \text{ relates mothers to children}$$

. If  $(p,c) \in M$  then  $(c,p) \notin M$

## # Equivalence Relations

→ Reflexive, symmetric & transitive

→ same remainder modulo 5

$$\rightarrow 7 \bmod 5 = 2, 22 \bmod 5 = 2$$

→ If  $a \bmod 5 = b \bmod 5$  then  $(b-a)$  is a multiple of 5

$$\rightarrow \mathbb{Z} \bmod 5 = \{(a,b) \mid a, b \in \mathbb{Z}, (b-a) \bmod 5 = 0\}$$

→ Divides integers into 5 groups based on remainder when divided by 5

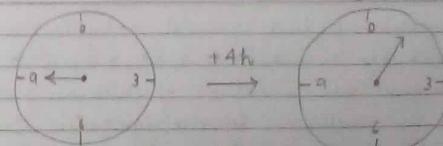
→ An equivalence relation partitions a set

→ Group of equivalent elements are called Equivalence classes.

### \* Measuring Time

Clock displays hours modulo 12

2:00 am is equivalent to 2:00 pm



## # Beyond Binary Relations

- Cartesian products of more than two sets
- Pythagorean triplets
  - Square on the hypotenuse is the sum of the squares on the opp. sides.
  - $\{(a,b,c) \mid (a,b,c) \in \mathbb{N} \times \mathbb{N} \times \mathbb{N}, a,b,c > 0, a^2 + b^2 = c^2\}$
- Corners of squares
  - A corner is a point  $(x,y) \in \mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R}$
  - $((x_1, y_1), (x_2, y_1), (x_1, y_2), (x_2, y_2))$  are related if they are four corners of a square.
  - For instance :
    - $((0,0), (0,2), (2,2), (2,0))$
    - $((0.5,0), (0,0.5), (0.5,1), (1,0.5))$
- $\text{sq} \subset \mathbb{R}^2 \times \mathbb{R}^2 \times \mathbb{R}^2 \times \mathbb{R}^2$

SUMMARY : → Cartesian products generate n-tuples from n-sets  
→  $(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n) \in X_1 \times X_2 \times \dots \times X_n$

- A relation picks out a subset of Cartesian product
- Properties of relations : Reflexive, Symmetric, Transitive, Asymmetric.
- Equivalence relation partitions a set.

## FUNCTIONS

- A rule to map inputs to outputs
- convert  $x$  to  $x^2$ 
  - The rule  $x \rightarrow x^2$
  - Give it a name :  $\text{sq}(x) = x^2$
  - Input is a parameter
- Need to specify the input and output sets
  - Domain : Input set
    - domain ( $\text{sq}$ ) =  $\mathbb{R}$
  - Codomain : Output set of possible values
    - codomain ( $\text{sq}$ ) =  $\mathbb{R}$
  - Range : Actual values that the output can take
    - range ( $\text{sq}$ ) =  $\mathbb{R}_{\geq 0} = \{r \mid r \in \mathbb{R}, r \geq 0\}$
- $f: X \rightarrow Y$ , domain of  $f$  is  $X$ , codomain is  $Y$

## # Functions & Relations

- Associate a relation  $R_f$  with each function  $f$
- $R_{\text{sq}} = \{(x,y) \mid x, y \in \mathbb{R}, y = x^2\}$ 
  - Additional notation :  $y \sqsubseteq x$
- $R_f \subset \text{domain}(f) \times \text{range}(f)$

- Properties of  $R_f$ 
  - defined on the entire domain
    - for each  $x \in \text{domain}(f)$ , there is a pair  $(x, y) \in R_f$
  - Single Valued
    - for each  $x \in \text{domain}(f)$ , there is exactly one  $y \in \text{codomain}(f)$  such that  $(x, y) \in R_f$
- Drawing  $f$  as a graph is plotting  $R_f$ .

## # Lines

- $f(x) = 3.5x + 5.7$ 
  - 3.5 is the slope
  - 5.7 is intercept where line crosses y-axis when  $x=0$
- Changing the slope and intercept produce different lines
  - $f(x) = 3.5x - 1.2$
  - $f(x) = 2x + 5.7$
  - $f(x) = -4.5x + 2.5$
- In all these cases
  - Domain =  $\mathbb{R}$
  - codomain = Range =  $\mathbb{R}$

## # More Functions

$$\rightarrow x \rightarrow \sqrt{x}$$

- Is this a function?
  - $5^2 = (-5)^2 = 25$
  - $\sqrt{25} =$  gives two options
  - By convention take the square root
- What is the domain?
  - Depends on codomain
  - Negative no.s do not have real sq. roots
  - If codomain is  $\mathbb{R}$ , domain is  $\mathbb{R}_{\geq 0}$
  - If codomain is the set  $C$  of complex no.s, domain is  $\mathbb{R}$ .

## # Types Of Functions (on the basis of mapping)

- Injective : Different inputs produces diff outputs (one-one)
  - If  $x_1 \neq x_2$ ,  $f(x_1) \neq f(x_2)$
  - $f(x) = 3x + 5$  is injective
  - $f(x) = 7x^5$  is not; for any  $a$ ,  $f(a) = f(-a)$
- Surjective : Range is the codomain - (onto)
  - For every  $y \in \text{codomain}(f)$ , there is an  $x \in \text{domain}(f)$  such that  $f(x) = y$
  - $f(x) = -7x + 10$  is surjective
  - $f(x) = 5x^2 + 3$  is not surjective for codomain  $\mathbb{R}$
  - $f(x) = 7\sqrt{x}$  is not surjective for codomain  $\mathbb{R}$ .

→ Bijective : 1-1 correspondence between domain and codomain.

- Every  $x \in \text{domain}(f)$  maps to a distinct  $y \in \text{codomain}$ .
- Every  $y \in \text{codomain}(f)$  has a unique pre-image  $x \in \text{domain}(f)$  such that  $y = f(x)$ .

### THEOREM

A function is bijective if and only if it is injective and surjective.

→ From the definition, if a function is bijective it is injective and surjective.

→ Suppose a function  $f$  is injective and surjective.

- Injectivity guarantees that  $f$  satisfies the first condition of bijection.
- Surjectivity says every  $y \in \text{codomain}(f)$  has a pre-image. Injectivity guarantees this pre-image is unique.

## # Bijections & Cardinality

- For finite sets, we can count the items
- What if we have two large sacks filled with marbles?
  - Do we need to count the marbles in each sack?

- Pull out marbles in each sack pairwise, one from each sack.
- Do both sets become empty simultaneously?
- Bijection between the marbles in the sacks.

→ For infinite sets

- No. of lines is the same as  $\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R}$
- Every line  $y = mx + c$  is determined uniquely by  $(m, c)$  and vice versa.

→ For every pair of points  $(x_1, y_1)$  and  $(x_2, y_2)$ , there is a unique line passing through both points.

→ No. of lines is same as cardinality of  $\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R}$

→ Does this show that  $(\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R}) \times (\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R}) = \mathbb{R}^2 \times \mathbb{R}^2$  has the same cardinality as  $\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R}$ ?

→ The correspondence is not a bijection - many pairs of points describe the same line.

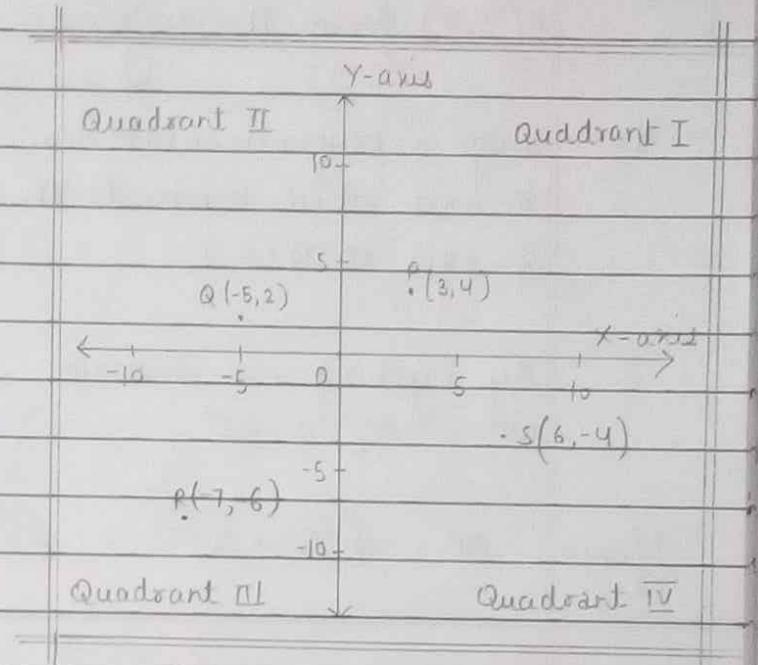
Summary: A fn is given by a rule mapping inputs to outputs.

- Define the domain, codomain & range.
- Associate a relation  $R_f$  with each fn  $f$ .
- Properties of fn : Injective (one-one), Surjective (onto)
- Bijections : injective & surjective
- A bijection establishes that domain & codomain have same cardinality.

# WEEK 2

## Rectangular Co-ordinate System

- The horizontal line is called X-axis.
- The vertical line is called Y-axis.
- The point of intersection of these two lines is called origin.
- Any point on the co-ordinate plane can be represented by an ordered pair  $(x, y)$ .
- For example,  $P(3, 4)$ ,  $Q(-5, 2)$ .
- The coordinate axes split the coordinate plane into four quadrants and two axes.



- |                           |                       |
|---------------------------|-----------------------|
| → Quadrant I : $(+, +)$   | → X-axis : $(\pm, 0)$ |
| → Quadrant II : $(-, +)$  | → Y-axis : $(0, \pm)$ |
| → Quadrant III : $(-, -)$ | → Origin : $(0, 0)$   |
| → Quadrant IV : $(+, -)$  |                       |

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## Distance Formula

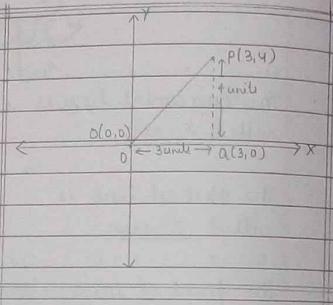
### # DISTANCE OF A POINT FROM ORIGIN

Goal : To find the distance of point  $P(3,4)$  from the origin.

1. Drop a perpendicular on  $x$ -axis which intersects the  $x$ -axis at  $Q(3,0)$ .

2. By Pythagorean Theorem,  
$$OP^2 = OQ^2 + PQ^2$$

$$\text{Hence, } OP = \sqrt{OQ^2 + PQ^2} = \sqrt{3^2 + 4^2} = 5$$



### # DISTANCE BETWEEN ANY 2. POINTS

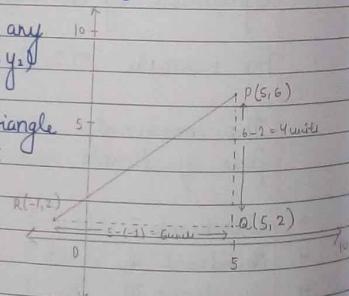
Goal : To find the distance between any two points  $P(x_1, y_1)$  and  $R(x_2, y_2)$

1. Construct a right-angled triangle with right angle at point  $Q(x_1, y_1)$

2. By Pythagoras Theorem,

$$PR^2 = PQ^2 + QR^2$$

$$\therefore PR = \sqrt{(x_2 - x_1)^2 + (y_2 - y_1)^2}$$



Distance Formula

## Section Formula

Given that, the point  $P$  cuts the line segment  $AB$  in the  $m:n$  ratio. Our goal is to find the coordinates of  $P$ .

Let the co-ordinates of  $A$  and  $B$  are  $(x_1, y_1)$  and  $(x_2, y_2)$ , respectively.

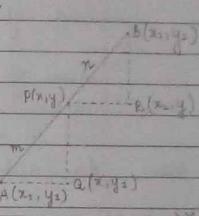
Assume that  $P$  has no the coordinates  $(x, y)$ .

Observe the  $\triangle AQP \sim \triangle PRB$ ,  
Hence,

$$\frac{m}{n} = \frac{AP}{PB} = \frac{AQ}{PR} = \frac{PQ}{BR}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{m}{n} = \frac{x - x_1}{x_2 - x} = \frac{y - y_1}{y_2 - y}$$

$$\therefore x = \frac{mx_2 + nx_1}{m+n}, \quad y = \frac{my_2 + ny_1}{m+n}$$



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## Area of a Triangle

Goal : To find the area of  $\triangle ABC$  with known coordinates.

Let the coordinates of the vertices be  $A(x_1, y_1)$ ,  $B(x_2, y_2)$  &  $C(x_3, y_3)$ .

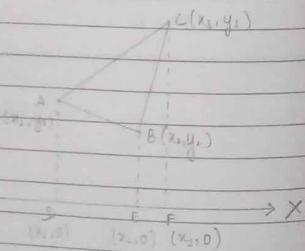
$$\text{Area of } \triangle ABC = \text{Area of trap. } ADFC - \text{Area of trap. } ADEB - \text{Area of trap. } BEFC$$

$$\text{Now, Area of } (ADFC) = \frac{1}{2} (AD + CF) \times DF = \frac{1}{2} (y_1 + y_3)(x_3 - x_1)$$

$$\text{Area of } (AEB) = \frac{1}{2} (AD + EB) \times DE = \frac{1}{2} (y_1 + y_2)(x_2 - x_1)$$

$$\text{Area of } (BEFC) = \frac{1}{2} (BE + CF) \times EF = \frac{1}{2} (y_2 + y_3)(x_3 - x_2)$$

$$\text{Thus, Area of } (\triangle ABC) = \frac{1}{2} |x_1(y_2 - y_3) + x_2(y_3 - y_1) + x_3(y_1 - y_2)|$$



## Slope of A Line

Goal : To find the slope of a line, given on a coordinate plane

1. Identify two points on the line, say,  $A(x_1, y_1)$  and  $B(x_2, y_2)$ .

2. Construct a right angled triangle with a right angle at the point  $M(x_2, y_2)$ .

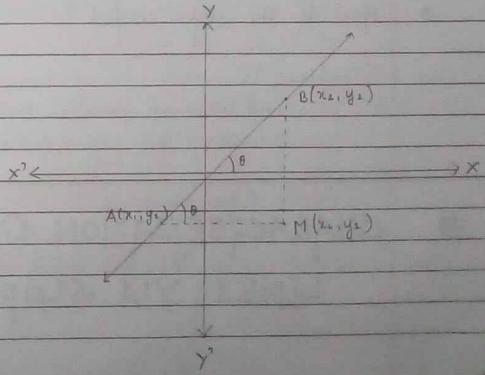
3. Define

$$m = \frac{MB}{AM} = \frac{y_2 - y_1}{x_2 - x_1} = \tan \theta$$

The 'm' is called slope of a line.

4.  $\theta$  is called the inclination of line with positive x-axis, measured in anti-clockwise direction.

$$0^\circ \leq \theta \leq 180^\circ$$



- Observe that the lines parallel to  $x$ -axis have inclination of  $0^\circ$ .  
Hence the slope  $m = \tan 0 = 0$

- The inclination of a vertical line is  $90^\circ$ .  
Hence, the slope  $m$  is undefined.

Definition : If  $\theta$  is the inclination of a line  $l$ , then  $\tan \theta$  is called the slope or gradient of line  $l$ .

If  $\theta \neq 90^\circ$ , then  $m = \tan \theta$

For obtuse,

$$m = \tan(180 - \theta) = -\tan \theta = \frac{y_2 - y_1}{x_2 - x_1}$$

- # Can a slope of a line uniquely determine a line?  
→ No, it can't uniquely determine the line.

- # How is the slope useful?

→ To explore :

- Conditions of parallel lines
- Conditions for perpendicular lines.

## # CHARACTERIZATION OF PARALLEL LINES VIA SLOPE

Let  $l_1$  and  $l_2$  be two non-vertical lines with slopes  $m_1$  and  $m_2$  with inclinations  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$  resp.

- If  $l_1$  is parallel to  $l_2$ , then  $\alpha = \beta$

It is clear that  $\tan \alpha = \tan \beta$

Hence,  $m_1 = m_2$

- Assume,  $m_1 = m_2$ . Then  $\tan \alpha = \tan \beta$

Since  $0^\circ \leq \theta \leq 180^\circ$ ,  $\alpha = \beta$ .

Therefore,  $l_1 \parallel l_2$ .

Two non vertical lines  $l_1$  and  $l_2$  are parallel if and only if their slopes are equal.

## # CHARACTERIZATION OF PERPENDICULAR LINES VIA SLOPE

Let  $l_1$  and  $l_2$  be two non-vertical lines with slopes  $m_1$  and  $m_2$  with inclinations  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$  resp.

- If  $l_1$  is perpendicular to  $l_2$ , then  $90^\circ + \alpha = \beta$

Now,  $\tan \beta = \tan(90^\circ + \alpha) = -\cot \alpha = -1/\tan \alpha$

Hence,  $m_2 = -1/m_1 \Rightarrow m_1 m_2 = -1$

- Assume  $m_1 m_2 = -1$ . Then  $\tan \alpha \tan \beta = -1$

$\tan \alpha = -\cot \beta = \tan(90^\circ + \beta)$  or  $\tan(90^\circ - \beta)$

∴ Hence,  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$  differ by  $90^\circ$  which proves  $l_1$  is perpendicular to  $l_2$ .

Two non-vertical lines  $l_1$  and  $l_2$  are perpendicular if and only if  $m_1 m_2 = -1$ .

## ANGLES B/W TWO LINES

Let  $l_1$  and  $l_2$  be two non-vertical lines with slopes  $m_1$  and  $m_2$  with inclinations  $\alpha_1$  and  $\alpha_2$  respectively.

Suppose  $l_1$  and  $l_2$  intersect and let  $\phi$  and  $\theta$  be the adjacent angles formed by  $l_1$  and  $l_2$ .

Now,  $\theta = \alpha_2 - \alpha_1$ , for  $\alpha_1, \alpha_2 \neq 90^\circ$

Then,  $\tan \theta = \tan(\alpha_2 - \alpha_1)$

$$\Rightarrow \tan \theta = \frac{\tan \alpha_2 - \tan \alpha_1}{1 + \tan \alpha_2 \tan \alpha_1} = \frac{m_2 - m_1}{1 + m_1 m_2}$$

Now,  $\tan \phi = \tan(180 - \theta) = -\tan \theta = -\left(\frac{m_2 - m_1}{1 + m_1 m_2}\right)$

## COLLINEARITY OF POINTS

Consider 3 points A, B and C.

If Slope of AB = Slope of BC (common point B)

Then, the three points A, B & C are collinear.

## Representation of a Line

- How to represent a line uniquely?
- Given a point, how to decide whether the point lies on a line?

In other words, for a given line  $l$ , we should have a definite expression that describes the line in terms of coordinate plane.

If the coordinates of a given point P, satisfy the expression for the line  $l$ , then the point P lies on the line  $l$ .

## # HORIZONTAL & VERTICAL LINES

**Horizontal Lines:** A line is a horizontal line only if it is parallel to X-axis.

To locate such a line, we need to specify the value it takes on Y-axis.

That is, the expression for such a line is of the form  $y = a$

These all points that lie on this line are of the form  $(x, a)$ .

Vertical lines: A line is a vertical line only if it is parallel to  $y$ -axis.

- To locate such a line we need to specify the value it takes on  $x$ -axis.
- That is, the expression for such a line is of the form  $x = b$ .
- Then, all points that lie on this line are of the form  $(b, y)$ .

## # EQUATION OF LINE

### (1) Point Slope Form

For a non-vertical line  $l$ , with slope  $m$  and a fixed point  $P(x_0, y_0)$  on the line, can we find the equation (algebraic representation) of the line?

Let  $Q(x, y)$  be an arbitrary point on line  $l$ . Then, the slope of the line is given by

$$m = \frac{y - y_0}{x - x_0}$$

$$\Rightarrow y - y_0 = m(x - x_0)$$

Any point  $P(x, y)$  is on line  $l$ , if and only if the coordinates of  $P$  satisfy the above equation.

### (2) Two point Form

Let the line  $l$  pass through the points  $P(x_1, y_1)$  and  $Q(x_2, y_2)$ .

Assume that  $R(x, y)$  is an arbitrary point on the line  $l$ .

Then, the points  $P, Q$  &  $R$  are collinear.

Hence, Slope of  $PR$  = Slope of  $PQ$

$$\therefore \frac{y - y_1}{x - x_1} = \frac{y_2 - y_1}{x_2 - x_1}$$

$$\Rightarrow y - y_1 = \frac{y_2 - y_1}{x_2 - x_1} (x - x_1)$$

Any point  $R(x, y)$  is on line  $l$ , if and only if, the coordinates of  $R$  satisfy the above equation.

### (3) Slope - Intercept Form

→ Let a line  $l$  with slope  $m$  cut  $y$ -axis at  $c$ . Then  $c$  is called  $y$ -intercept of the line  $l$ . That is, the point  $(0, c)$  lies on the line  $l$ .

→ By Point Slope Form,  $y - c = mx \Rightarrow y = mx + c$

→ Let a line  $l$  with slope  $m$  cut  $x$ -axis at  $d$ . Then  $d$  is called  $x$ -intercept of the line  $l$ . That is, the point  $(d, 0)$  lies on the line  $l$ .

By point slope form,  $y = m(x-d)$

#### (7) Intercept Form

Suppose a line makes  $x$ -intercept at  $a$  and  $y$ -intercept at  $b$ . Then the two points on the line are  $(a, 0)$  &  $b, 0$   $(0, b)$ .

Using two point form,

$$y-0 = \frac{b-0}{0-a} (x-a)$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{\frac{x}{a} + \frac{y}{b} = 1}$$

## WEEK 3

### General Equation of Line

#### Different forms of Equation of Line

#### Representation

1.	Slope - Point Form	$m = \frac{y - y_0}{x - x_0}$
2.	Slope - Intercept Form	(a) $y = mx + c$ (b) $y = m(x-d)$
3.	Two Point Form	$\frac{y - y_1}{x - x_1} = \frac{y_2 - y_1}{x_2 - x_1}$
4.	Intercept Form	$\frac{x}{a} + \frac{y}{b} = 1$
5.	Normal Form	$x \cos \omega + y \sin \omega = p$

#### General Form Of Line Equation

$$Ax + By + C = 0$$

#### (1) Slope - point form

$$m = \frac{y - y_0}{x - x_0} \Rightarrow mx - mx_0 = y - y_0$$

$$\Rightarrow mx - y - mx_0 + y_0 = 0$$

Comparing with  $Ax + By + C = 0$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow m &= \frac{-A}{B} \\ \Rightarrow y_0 - mx_0 &= \frac{-C}{B} \end{aligned}$$

### (2) Slope Intercept Form

$$y = mx + c$$

$$\Rightarrow mx - y + c = 0$$

$$y = m(x - d) \Rightarrow y = mx - md$$

$$\Rightarrow mx - y - md = 0$$

Comparing with  $Ax + By + C = 0$ ,

$$m = \frac{-A}{B}, \quad c = \frac{-C}{B} \quad \text{or} \quad d = \frac{-C}{A}$$

### (3) Two Point Form

$$\frac{y - y_1}{x - x_1} = \frac{y_2 - y_1}{x_2 - x_1} \Rightarrow (y - y_1)(x_2 - x_1) = (x - x_1)(y_2 - y_1)$$

$$\Rightarrow x_2 y - x_1 y = x(y_2 - y_1) - x_1 y_2 + x_1 y_1$$

$$\Rightarrow y(x_2 - x_1) - x(y_2 - y_1) - x_1 y_2 + x_1 y_1 = 0$$

Comparing with  $Ax + By + C = 0$

$$\frac{y_2 - y_1}{x_2 - x_1} = \frac{-A}{B}, \quad y_1 + \frac{A}{B} x_1 = \frac{-C}{B}$$

### 4. Intercept Form

$$\frac{x}{a} + \frac{y}{b} = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow bx + ay = ab$$

$$\Rightarrow bx + ay - ab = 0$$

Comparing with  $Ax + By + C = 0$

$$a = \frac{-C}{A}, \quad b = \frac{-C}{B}$$

## # Conditions for A Parallel & Perpendicular Line

If the lines given are  $a_1 x + b_1 y + c_1 = 0$   
and  $a_2 x + b_2 y + c_2 = 0$

the, for the lines to be PARALLEL,

$$a_1 b_2 = a_2 b_1$$

and, for the lines to be PERPENDICULAR,

$$a_1 a_2 + b_1 b_2 = 0$$

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## # DISTANCE OF A POINT FROM A LINE

Goal : To find the distance of a point  $P(x_1, y_1)$  from the line  $l$  having equation  $Ax + By + C = 0$

$\therefore$  For  $A, B \neq 0$ , using intercept form,

$$x\text{-intercept} = -\frac{C}{A}$$

$$y\text{-intercept} = -\frac{C}{B}$$

$$\text{Area } (\Delta PQR) = \frac{1}{2} (QR \times PM)$$

$$= PM = \frac{2}{QR} \text{ Area } (\Delta PQR)$$

$$\text{Area } (\Delta PQR) = \frac{1}{2} \left| x_1 \left( -\frac{C}{B} \right) - \frac{C}{A} \left( y_1 + \frac{C}{B} \right) \right| = \frac{1}{2} \frac{|C|}{|AB|} |Ax_1 + By_1 + C|$$

$$QR = \sqrt{\frac{C^2 + C^2}{A^2 + B^2}} = \frac{|C|}{|AB|} \sqrt{A^2 + B^2}$$

$$\text{thus, } \frac{PM}{QR} = \frac{2 \text{ Area } (\Delta PQR)}{QR} = \frac{|Ax_1 + By_1 + C|}{\sqrt{A^2 + B^2}}$$

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## # DISTANCE B/W TWO PARALLEL LINES

Let  $l_1$  and  $l_2$  be two parallel lines with slopes  $m$ .

$l_1 : y = mx + c_1$ . Comparing with general form, we get  $x\text{-intercept at } (-\frac{c_1}{m})$ .

$l_2 : y = mx + c_2$ . Comparing with general form, we get  $A = -m$ ,  $B = 1$  and  $C = -c_2$ .

By using distance of a point from a line formula, where point is  $(-\frac{c_1}{m}, 0)$ , we get

$$\frac{|A(-\frac{c_1}{m}) + B(0) + C|}{\sqrt{A^2 + B^2}} = \frac{|c_1 - c_2|}{\sqrt{1 + m^2}}$$

For general form,  $m = -\frac{A}{B}$ ,  $c_1 = -\frac{C_1}{B}$  and  $c_2 = -\frac{C_2}{B}$

then

$$d = \frac{|c_1 - c_2|}{\sqrt{A^2 + B^2}}$$

## # Distance of a set of Points from a line

Apart from perpendicular distance, we can also talk about the distance which is parallel to  $y$ -axis.

Consider the set of points  $\{(x_i, y_i) | i = 1, 2, \dots, n\}$  and a line with equation  $y = mx + c$ .

Then the squared sum of the distance of set of points from the line is defined as

$$SSE = \sum_{i=1}^n (y_i - mx_i - c)^2$$

## # Least Squares Motivation

- In general, this raises the following question
- Given, a set of points, how to find the line that fits the given set of points?
- In other words, what is the equation of the best fit line for given set of points?

In other words, if I need to find the equation of line  $y = mx + c$ , then the question can be reframed into two questions.

- What is the value of  $m$  &  $c$  that best fits the given set of points?
- What is the meaning of best fit?

BEST FIT : Given a set of  $n$  points,  $\{(x_i, y_i) | i = 1, 2, \dots, n\}$  define

$$SSE = \sum_{i=1}^n (y_i - mx_i - c)^2$$

Find the value of  $m$  &  $c$  that minimizes SSE.

# Week 4

## Quadratic Function

- A quadratic function is described by an equation of the form

$$f(x) = ax^2 + bx + c, \text{ where } a \neq 0$$

Quadratic Term      Linear Term      Constant Term

- The graph of any quadratic function is called PARABOLA.

### IMPORTANT OBSERVATIONS

- All parabolas have an axis of symmetry. That is, if the graph paper containing the graph of parabola is folded along the axis of symmetry, the position of parabola on either sides will exactly match each other.
- The point at which the axis of symmetry intersects the parabola is called the vertex.
- The y-intercept of a quadratic function is c.

Let  $f(x) = ax^2 + bx + c$ , where  $a \neq 0$

- The y-intercept :  $y = a(0)^2 + b(0) + c = c$
- The eqn of axis of symmetry :  $x = -b/2a$
- The x-coordinate of vertex :  $\frac{-b}{2a}$

### Maximum & Minimum Values

The y-coordinate of the vertex of a given quadratic function is the minimum or maximum value attained by the function.

The graph of a quadratic function  $f(x) = ax^2 + bx + c$ , where  $a \neq 0$  is:

- Opens up and has a minimum value, if  $a > 0$ .
- Opens down and has maximum value, if  $a < 0$ .
- The range of a quadratic function is

$$\mathbb{R} \cap \{f(x) | f(x) \geq f_{\min}\} \text{ or}$$

$$\mathbb{R} \cap \{f(x) | f(x) \leq f_{\max}\}$$

### Slope of a Quadratic Function

$$\text{Slope of } f = 2ax + b$$

Slope denotes the rate of change of y with respect to x.

Hence, slope = 0 means the fn has either maximum or minimum which happens when

$$2ax + b = 0 \Rightarrow x = -\frac{b}{2a}$$

## Roots of Equations & Zeros of Functions

The solution to a quadratic equation are called roots of the equation.

One method for finding the roots of a quadratic eqn is to find zeros of the related quadratic fn.

Observe that the zeros of a function are x-intercepts of its graph and these are the solutions of related eqn as  $f(x) = 0$  at these points.

# WEEK 5

## Quadratic Equations

### # Solutions of A Quadratic Equation Using Factorisation

#### \* Quadratic Function : Intercept Form

Let  $y = f(x) = a(x-p)(x-q)$ , where p and q represents x-intercepts for the function.

Then the form  $y = a(x-p)(x-q)$  is called the INTERCEPT FORM.

#### \* Intercept form to the Standard form

Changing intercept form to standard form requires us to use FOIL method which can be described as follows:

The product of 2 binomials is the sum of the products of the first (F) terms, the outer (O), the inner (I) and the last terms.

$$(ax+b)(cx+d) = \underbrace{ax \cdot cx}_{F} + \underbrace{ax \cdot d}_{O} + \underbrace{cx \cdot b}_{I} + \underbrace{b \cdot d}_{L}$$

Quick

Observations : → The product of coefficient of  $x^2$  and the constant is abcd.  
→ The product of two terms in the coefficient of  $x$  is also abcd.

Example : Write a quadratic eqn with roots  $\frac{2}{3}$  and -4, in the standard form.

# Recall: by standard form we mean  $ax^2 + bx + c = 0$ ;  $a, b, c \in \mathbb{Z}$

We have, by intercept form,  $(x - \frac{2}{3})(x + 4) = 0$

By Fact,

The standard form will be,

$$x^2 + 4x - \frac{2}{3}x - \frac{8}{3} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 + x\left(\frac{4-2}{3}\right) - \frac{8}{3} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 + \frac{10}{3}x - \frac{8}{3} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 3x^2 + 10x - 8 = 0$$

### \* Standard to Intercept Form

Example : Convert the fn  $f(x) = 5x^2 - 13x + 6$  to intercept form.

Solution:  $f(x) = 5x^2 - 13x + 6$   $\rightarrow$  standard form

$$\begin{aligned} &= 5x^2 - 10x - 3x + 6 \\ &= 5x(x-2) - 3(x-2) \\ &= (5x-3)(x-2) \\ &= 5\left(x-\frac{3}{5}\right)(x-2) \quad \rightarrow \text{intercept form} \end{aligned}$$

## # SOLUTIONS OF A QUADRATIC EQN USING SQUARE

\* Solving a quadratic Equation by Completing The Square method.

Example :  $x^2 + 10x = 24$

Observe that  $(x+a)^2 = x^2 + 2ax + a^2$ .

Using this, write 10 = 2×5 and add 25 on both the sides of the equation to get,

$$\begin{aligned} x^2 + 25 + 10x &= 24 + 25 \\ (x+5)^2 &= 49 \\ x+5 &= \pm \sqrt{49} \end{aligned}$$

Either  $x+5 = -7$  or  $x+5 = 7$   
 $\Rightarrow x = -12$  or  $x = 2$

## # Quadratic Formula

$$ax^2 + bx + c = 0$$

$$\begin{aligned} &\Rightarrow x^2 + \left(\frac{b}{a}\right)x + \frac{c}{a} = 0 \\ &\Rightarrow x^2 + \left(\frac{b}{a}\right)x = -\frac{c}{a} \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 + \left(\frac{b}{a}\right)x + \left(\frac{b}{2a}\right)^2 = \left(\frac{b}{2a}\right)^2 - \frac{c}{a}$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 + \left(\frac{b}{a}\right)x + \frac{b^2}{4a^2} = \frac{b^2}{4a^2} - \frac{c}{a}$$

$$\Rightarrow \left(x + \frac{b}{2a}\right)^2 = \frac{b^2 - 4ac}{4a^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow x + \frac{b}{2a} = \pm \sqrt{\frac{b^2 - 4ac}{4a^2}}$$

$$\Rightarrow x + \frac{b}{2a} = \frac{\pm \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a}$$

$$\Rightarrow x = \frac{-b \pm \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a}$$

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finding roots by Quadratic Formula

$$\text{discriminant}$$

$$D = \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}$$

If  $D > 0$ , 2 roots

$D < 0$ , no real root

$D = 0$ , 1 root (2 equal roots)

Value of Discriminant

Type & no. of roots

$$b^2 - 4ac > 0 \quad (\text{perfect square})$$

→ 2 real, rational roots

$$b^2 - 4ac > 0 \quad (\text{not perfect square})$$

→ 2 real, irrational roots

$$b^2 - 4ac = 0$$

→ 1 real root

$$b^2 - 4ac < 0$$

→ No real roots

## Summary of Concepts

METHOD	CAN BE USED	WHEN PREFERRED
Graphing	Occasionally	Best used to verify the answer found algebraically
Factoring	Occasionally	If constant term is 0 or factors are easy to find.
Completing the square	Always	Use when b is Even
Quadratic Formula	Always	Use when other methods fail.

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# WEEK 6

## Polynomials

### # What is a Polynomial?

A layman's Perspective : a polynomial is one kind of mathematical expression which is a sum of several mathematical terms.

→ Each term in this expression is called 'monomial' and the term can be a number, a variable or a product of several variables.

A Mathematician's Perspective : a polynomial is an algebraic expression in which the only arithmetic is addition, subtraction, multiplication and "natural" exponents of variables.

Example :  $4x^3 + 9x + 3 = 0$ ;  $2x + 1 = 8$  ... etc.

### # Why do we call them polynomials?

The word 'polynomial' is derived from two words  
Poly + Nominal  
many name/terms

- Each term is called monomial
- A polynomial having 2 terms is called binomial.

A polynomial with three terms is called trinomial.

Eg: A polynomial in 1 variable can be treated as,

$$a_n x^n + a_{n-1} x^{n-1} + \dots + a_1 x + a_0 = \sum_{m=0}^n a_m x^m$$

exponent  
variable  
coeff. of term

### # Identification of Polynomials

- Identify whether the following are polynomials or not.

1.  $x^5 + 4x + 2$  → Yes
2.  $x + x^{\frac{1}{2}}$  → No
3.  $x + y + xy + x^3$  → Yes

### # Types Of Polynomials

#### 1. Polynomials in one variable

Eg:  $x^4 + 1$

#### 2. Polynomials in two variables

Eg:  $x^4 + y^5 + xy$

#### 3. Polynomials in more than 2 variables

Eg:  $xyz + x^2 z^5$

3.  $p(x) = x^3 + 2x^2 + x$ ,  $q(x) = x^4 + 2x + 2$

$$p(x) = x^3 + 2x^2 + x + 0$$

$$q(x) = 0x^3 + x^2 + 2x + 2$$

$$p(x) + q(x) = x^3 + 3x^2 + 3x + 2$$

Thus, let  $p(x) = \sum_{k=0}^m a_k x^k$  and  $q(x) = \sum_{j=0}^n b_j x^j$

Then

$$p(x) + q(x) = \sum_{k=0}^{m+n} (a_k + b_k) x^k$$

3.  $p(x) = x^3 + 2x^2 + x$ ,  $q(x) = x^4 + 2x + 2$

$$p(x) = x^3 + 2x^2 + x + 0$$

$$-q(x) = -0x^3 - x^2 - 2x - 2$$

$$p(x) - q(x) = x^3 + x^2 - x - 2$$

Let  $p(x) = \sum_{k=0}^m a_k x^k$  and  $q(x) = \sum_{j=0}^n b_j x^j$

Then,

$$p(x) - q(x) = \sum_{k=0}^{m+n} (a_k - b_k) x^k$$

## # Subtraction of Polynomials

Ques.: Subtract the foll. polynomials :

1.  $p(x) = x^2 + 4x + 4$ ,  $q(x) = 10$

$$p(x) = x^2 + 4x + 4$$

$$-q(x) = 0x^2 - 0x - 10$$

$$p(x) - q(x) = x^2 + 4x - 6$$

2.  $p(x) = x^4 + 4x$ ,  $q(x) = x^2 + 1$

$$p(x) = x^4 + 0x^3 + 4x + 0$$

$$-q(x) = 0x^4 - 1x^2 - 0x - 1$$

$$p(x) - q(x) = x^4 - x^2 + 4x - 1$$

## # Multiplication of Polynomials

Ques.: Multiply the foll. polynomials .

1.  $p(x) = x^4 + x + 1$  and  $q(x) = 2x^3$

Sol'n:  $p(x) \cdot q(x) = (x^4 + x + 1)(2x^3)$   
 $= 2x^7 + 2x^4 + 2x^3$

2.  $p(x) = x^2 + x + 1$  and  $q(x) = 2x + 1$

$$\begin{aligned} p(x) \cdot q(x) &= (x^2 + x + 1)(2x + 1) \\ &= 2x^3 + x^2 + 2x^2 + x + 2x + 1 \\ &= 2x^3 + 3x^2 + 3x + 1 \end{aligned}$$

3.  $p(x) = a_2 x^2 + a_1 x + a_0$  &  $q(x) = b_1 x + b_0$

Defn:

$$\begin{aligned}
 p(x) \cdot q(x) &= (a_0x^3 + a_1x^2 + a_2x + a_3)(b_0x^3 + b_1x^2 + b_2x + b_3) \\
 &= a_0b_0x^6 + a_0b_1x^5 + a_0b_2x^4 + a_0b_3x^3 + a_1b_0x^5 + a_1b_1x^4 + a_1b_2x^3 + a_1b_3x^2 + a_2b_0x^4 + a_2b_1x^3 + a_2b_2x^2 + a_2b_3x + a_3b_0x^3 + a_3b_1x^2 + a_3b_2x + a_3b_3
 \end{aligned}$$

Let  $p(x) = \sum_{k=0}^m a_k x^k$  and  $q(x) = \sum_{j=0}^n b_j x^j$ , Then,

$$p(x) \cdot q(x) = \sum_{k=0}^{m+n} \sum_{j=0}^k (a_j b_{k-j}) x^k$$

Ques. Multiply  $p(x) = x^3 + x^2 + 1$  &  $q(x) = x^4 + 2x^3 + 1$ .

$$\text{defn } p(x) = \sum_{k=0}^m a_k x^k \quad \& \quad q(x) = \sum_{j=0}^n b_j x^j$$

$$p(x) \cdot q(x) = \sum_{k=0}^{m+n} \sum_{j=0}^k (a_j b_{k-j}) x^k$$

$k$	$a_k$	$b_j$	$k$	Coefficient	Calculations
0	1	1	0	$a_0 b_0$	1
1	1	2	1	$a_0 b_0 + a_1 b_1$	$1+2=3$
2	1	1	2	$a_0 b_2 + a_1 b_1 + a_2 b_0$	$1+2+1=4$
3			3	$a_0 b_3 + a_1 b_2 + a_2 b_1 + a_3 b_0$	$0+1+2+0=3$
4			4	$a_0 b_4 + a_1 b_3 + a_2 b_2 + a_3 b_1 + a_4 b_0$	$0+0+1+0+0=1$

The resultant polynomial is,

$$p(x) \cdot q(x) = x^4 + 3x^3 + 4x^2 + 3x + 1$$

## # Division of Polynomials

Division of a polynomial by a monomial

$$\frac{3x^2 + 4x + 3}{x} = 3x + 4 + \frac{3}{x}$$

Division of a polynomial by another polynomial

$$\frac{3x^2 + 4x + 3}{2x + 1} = ??$$

Let us divide,  $\frac{3x^2 + 4x + 1}{x+1}$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{3x^2 + 3x + 2 + 1}{x+1} = \frac{3x(x+1) + 1(x+1)}{(x+1)} = \frac{(3x+1)(x+1)}{x+1}$$

=  $3x+1$  Ans.

Ques. Divide  $p(x) = x^4 + 2x^3 + 3x^2 + 2$  by  $q(x) = x^2 + x + 1$

$$\begin{aligned}
 p(x) &= x^4 + 2x^3 + 3x^2 + 2 \\
 q(x) &= x^2 + x + 1
 \end{aligned}$$

$$= \frac{x^4 + x^3 + x^2}{x^2 + x + 1} - \frac{x^3 + x^2 + 3x + 2}{x^2 + x + 1} = x^2 + \frac{(-x^3 + x^2 + 3x + 2)}{x^2 + x + 1}$$

$$= (x^2) + \left( \frac{-x^3 - x^2 - x}{x^2 + x + 1} \right) + \left( \frac{x^2 + x + x^2 + 3x + 2}{x^2 + x + 1} \right) = x^2 - x + \frac{2x^2 + 4x + 2}{x^2 + x + 1}$$

$$= x^2 - x + \frac{2(x^2 + x + x + 1)}{x^2 + x + 1}$$

$$= x^2 - x + \frac{2(x^2+x+1)}{(x^2+x+1)} + \frac{2x}{x^2+x+1}$$

$$= \frac{x^2 - x + 2}{x^2 + x + 1} + \frac{2x}{x^2 + x + 1} \quad \text{Ans}$$

## # Algorithm for Division of Polynomials

$$\begin{array}{rcl} \text{Dividend} & \rightarrow & p(x) = x^2 - x + 2 + 2x \leftarrow \text{Remainder} \\ & \rightarrow & q(x) \qquad \qquad \qquad q(x) \\ \text{DIVISION} & & \text{Quotient} \end{array}$$

Step 1: Arrange the terms in descending order of the degree and add the missing exponents with 0 as coefficient.

**Step 2:** Divide the first term of the dividend by the first term of the divisor to and get the monomial.

Step 3: Multiply the monomial with divisor and subtract the result from the dividend.

**Step 4:** Check if the resultant polynomial has degree less than divisor. If true, with the remainder else Go to Step 2.

Question: Divide :  $\frac{2x^3 + 3x^2 + 1}{2x + 1}$  by long division method.

$$\begin{array}{r}
 x^2 + x - \frac{1}{2} \quad \text{Quotient} \\
 \overline{)2x^3 + 3x^2 + 1} \quad \text{Dividend} \\
 \underline{- 2x^3 + x^2} \\
 2x^2 + 1 \\
 \underline{- x^2 + 2x} \\
 \underline{- x + 1} \\
 \underline{- x - \frac{1}{2}} \\
 3\frac{1}{2} \quad \text{Remainder}
 \end{array}$$

$$\frac{2x^3 + 3x^2 + 1}{2x+1} = x^2 + x - \frac{1}{2} + \frac{3}{2(2x+1)}$$