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$f: S \rightarrow S$ is injective
then f need not be surjective
unless S is a finite set.

Ex. $f: N \rightarrow N$

$1 - f(n) = n+1$ is injective
but not surjective.

$$\text{ran } f = \{2, 3, \dots\} \subseteq N$$

$$2 g(n) = 2^n$$

R is an integral domain

$K = \text{Frac}(R)$ fraction field or
quotient field of R

$$= \left\{ \frac{a}{b} : a \in R, b \in R^* = R \setminus \{0\} \right\}$$

$$a + \frac{c}{d} = \frac{ad + bc}{bd} - \text{num}$$

$$\frac{a}{b} + \frac{c}{d} = \frac{ad+bc}{bd} - \text{sum}$$

$$\frac{a}{b} \cdot \frac{c}{d} = \frac{ac}{bd} - \text{product}$$

$K = \text{Frac}(R)$ is a field.

$i: R \rightarrow K$ defined by

$i(a) = \frac{a}{1}$ is an injective ring homo:

$$\Rightarrow i(a+b) = \frac{a+b}{1} = \frac{a}{1} + \frac{b}{1} = i(a) + i(b)$$

$$\rightarrow i(ab) = \frac{ab}{1} = \frac{a}{1} \cdot \frac{b}{1} = i(a) \cdot i(b)$$

$$i(1) = \frac{1}{1} = 1. \quad a \in \ker i$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{0-a}{1} = \frac{a}{1} \Rightarrow a=0$$

R is embedded in K .

$$\begin{array}{ccc} K & \xrightarrow{\sim} & K \\ i \swarrow & & \searrow i \\ R & & \end{array}$$

Fraction field is unique.

FACT. $f: R \rightarrow R$ is also of informal domain. K is its quotient field. Thus $\exists! f^*: K \rightarrow K$ auto s.t. $f^*(a) = f(a) \forall a \in R$. f^* is the extension of f .

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 R & \xrightarrow{f} & R \\
 i \downarrow & \circ g & \downarrow i' \\
 K & \xrightarrow{f^*} & K
 \end{array}$$

$i \circ f = f^* \circ i$

Polynomial functions and polynomials

$K = R, C(\text{or } Q)$, $f: R \rightarrow R$

$$f(t) = q + q_1 t + \dots + q_n t^n, q, q_1 \in R$$

$t \in R$, is called a poly function over R .

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a poly of t

$a_n \neq 0$, called the leading coeff of f and $n = \deg f$.

$n=0$, $f(t)$ is a constant function
 $= q_0$

$n=1$, $f(t) = q_0 + q_1 t$ — linear

$n=2$, $f(t) = q_0 + q_1 t + q_2 t^2$ — quadratic poly

and so on.

Polynomial over a commutative ring R with identity 1.

$R[t]$, $f(t) = q_0 + q_1 t + \dots + q_n t^n$

where $t \notin R$, t is called

"indeterminate". $f(t)$ is called
a poly with coeffs $q_0 \dots q_n \in R$.

$a_n \neq 0$, $n = \deg f(t)$

↑ the leading coeff.

More precisely :

$$\text{Pol}_R = \left\{ f: \text{N} \cup \{0\} \rightarrow R \quad \begin{array}{l} \text{s.t.} \\ f(n) \neq 0 \quad \text{for} \\ \text{finitely many} \\ n. \end{array} \right\}$$

such f is finite

$$f = (a_0, a_1, \dots, a_m, 0, \dots, 0)$$

$$g = (b_0, b_1, \dots, b_m, 0, \dots, 0)$$

$$f+g \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} (a_0 + b_0, a_1 + b_1, \dots, a_m + b_m, 0, \dots, 0)$$

$$fg = (c_0, c_1, \dots, c_k, 0, \dots, 0)$$

$$c_0 = g^{b_0}, \quad c_1 = g^{b_1} + q^{b_0}$$

$$c_2 = g^{b_2} + q_1^{b_1} + q^2 b_0$$

⋮

$$c_k = g^{b_k} + q_1^{b_{k-1}} + \dots + q_{k-1}^{b_1} + q_k^{b_0}$$

$$= \sum_{i+j=k} a_i b_j$$

$\left(\text{Pol}_R, +, \circ \right)$ is a commutative
 ring which identity:
 $i+j=k$

$$0_{\text{Pol}_R} = (0, 0, \dots, 0, \dots, 0, \dots)$$

$$0 : \text{NU}_{\{0\}} \rightarrow R$$

$$1_{\text{Pol}_R} = (1, 0, \dots, 0, \dots)$$

$$f \cdot 1 = f = f \cdot f.$$

$$t : \text{NU}_{\{0\}} \rightarrow R.$$

$$t(0) = 0, \quad t(1) = 1, \quad t(n) = 0 \quad \forall n \geq 2$$

$$t = (0, 1, 0, \dots, 0, \dots, 0) \in \text{Pol}_R.$$

$$t^2 = (0, 0, 1, 0, \dots, 0, \dots, 0)$$

$$t^3 = (0, 0, 0, 1, 0, \dots, 0, \dots, 0)$$

$$t^n = \underbrace{(0, 0, \dots, 0)}_n, 1, 0, \dots, 0$$

$$\begin{aligned} f &= (a_0, a_1, a_2, \dots, a_n, 0, \dots, 0) \\ &= a_0(1, 0, \dots, 0, \dots) + a_1(0, 1, 0, \dots, 0) \\ &\quad + a_2(0, 0, 1, \dots, 0) \\ &\quad \vdots \\ &\quad + a_n(\underbrace{0, \dots, 0}_n, 1, 0, \dots, 0) \end{aligned}$$

$$+ \infty = \dots$$

$$\begin{aligned} f &= (a_0, a_1, a_2, \dots, a_n, 0, \dots, 0) \\ &= a_0 + a_1 t + a_2 t^2 + \dots + a_n t^n + 0, \dots, 0 \\ &= a_0 + a_1 t + a_2 t^2 + \dots + a_n t^n \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Pol}_R = R[t] \quad t = (0, 1, 0, \dots, 0)$$

$$f = t \cdot$$

Let R be a subring of a commutative ring D , $\Gamma \subseteq D$

Let R be a ring and $S = R[t]$

Define a map $f_S : S \rightarrow S$

by $f_S(x) = f(x) = \underbrace{a_0 + a_1 x + \dots + a_n x^n}_{\in S}$

for $x \in S$
where $f = a_0 + a_1 t + \dots + a_n t^n$, $a_0, \dots, a_n \in R$

f_S is a function.

For $c \in S$, define

$\text{ev}_c : R[t] \rightarrow S$ by

$\text{ev}_c(f) = f(c) = f(c)$. Then ev_c is

a ring homomorphism, called the evaluation map or homomorphism. It need not be injective: $\text{ev}_c(f) = 0 = f(c)$

$\nRightarrow f$ is the zero poly.

Ex $\alpha = \sqrt{2}$, $R = \mathbb{Z}$.

$$\mathbb{Z}[t] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$$

$$ev_\alpha(f) = f(\alpha), \quad \text{im}(ev_\alpha) = \mathbb{Z}[\alpha]$$

$$= q_0 + q_1\alpha + \cdots + q_n\alpha^n$$

$$q_0, \dots, q_n \in \mathbb{Z}$$

called the ring generated by α & \mathbb{Z}

& $\mathbb{Z}[\alpha]$ is a subring of \mathbb{R}

R subring of S , a commutative ring?

$$x \in S, \quad ev_x : R[t] \rightarrow R$$

$$ev_x(f) = f(x)$$

$\text{im}(ev_x)$ is a subring of S

" $R[\alpha]$ " and is called the subring of S generated by R and α .

$$\mathbb{Z}[\alpha] = \{a+b\alpha : a, b \in \mathbb{Z}\}$$

$$\rightarrow \{a - bi : a, b \in \mathbb{Z}\} - \text{the ... of}$$

$\mathbb{Z}[i] = \{a+bi : a, b \in \mathbb{Z}\}$ — ring of Gaussian integers

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

$\mathbb{Z}[\alpha], \mathbb{Z}[i], \mathbb{Z}[\sqrt{-5}]$ are integral domains. $\mathbb{Z}[\sqrt{-5}]$ is not a UFD (unique factorization domain)

$$6 = 2 \cdot 3 = (1+\sqrt{-5})(1-\sqrt{-5})$$

are irreducible in $\mathbb{Z}[\sqrt{-5}]$

$$\text{ex: } \mathbb{Z}[\epsilon] \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$$

| PID (Principal ideal domain)
 \mathbb{R} is an integral domain &
 I is an ideal of \mathbb{R} , then

of \tilde{R} , then

$R = (a)$, singly
generated
principal
ideal

Thm R is a PID
 $\Rightarrow R[t]$ is a PID

$R[t]$, $C[t]$, $Q[t]$
↑ real ↓ complex ↓ rational

R is a commutative ring with 1
 J is an ideal of R . If $1 \in J$
 $\Rightarrow J = R = (1)$

$a \in R$ $a = 1 \cdot a \in \underline{J}$ $= D$

$$a \in K \quad a = 1 \cdot a \in J$$

$$R \subseteq J \subseteq R \Rightarrow J = R$$

$$\text{ev}_\alpha : \mathbb{Z}[t] \rightarrow R$$

$\text{ev}_\alpha(f) = f(\alpha)$ is a ring homomorphism. $\ker(\text{ev}_\alpha) = I$ is an ideal of $\mathbb{Z}[t]$

$$f \in \ker(\text{ev}_\alpha) \Rightarrow f(\alpha) = 0$$

$$I = (t^2 - 2) = \{ g(t)(t^2 - 2) \mid d = \sqrt{2} \}$$

$$t^2 - 2 \in \ker(\text{ev}_\alpha)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{ev}_\alpha(t^2 - 2) &= (\alpha^2 - 2) = f(\alpha) \\ &= 2 - 2 \\ &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

Ex p prime $F = K = \mathbb{Z}/p\mathbb{Z}$ is a

$$\text{field} \Rightarrow K^* = \mathbb{Z}/p\mathbb{Z}^* - \{0\}$$

is a group with $p-1$ elements
 $\rightarrow 1, -1, \zeta$

$$a \in \mathbb{Z}/p\mathbb{Z} - \{0\}$$

$$a^{p-1} \equiv 1 \pmod{p}$$

$$\text{So } a^p \equiv a \pmod{p}$$

$$f(t) = t^p, \quad f(t), g(t) \in \mathbb{Z}_p[t]$$

$$g(t) = t$$

$$f(t) \neq g(t) \quad \text{as } \deg f(t) = p \\ \deg g(t) = 1$$

$$\text{Claim } f(a) = g(a) \quad \forall a \in \mathbb{Z}$$

$$a \in \mathbb{Z} - \{0\} \quad a^p = 0 = g(a) \quad \mathbb{Z}/p\mathbb{Z}$$

$$a \in \mathbb{Z}_p - \{0\} \quad a^p \equiv a \pmod{p}$$

$$f(a) = g(a).$$

$$f(t) = t^p, g(t) = t \quad \text{are not}$$

equal poly but
functions $f, g: \mathbb{Z}_p \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}$

equal " "
as functions $f, g : \mathbb{P} \rightarrow \mathbb{T}$
they are equal.

K is a field, $f(t) = f \in K[t]$

Def. $\alpha \in K$ is a root or zero
of $f(t)$ iff $f(\alpha) = 0$.

$Z(f) =$ the set of roots of f
in K .

The zero set $Z(f)$ may be
empty. Ex. $f(t) = t^2 + 1 \in \mathbb{R}[t]$

Then $Z(f) = \emptyset$

Thm Euclidean Algorithm:

$f(t), g(t) \in K[t] - \{0\}$

non-zero polynomials in t 's coeff
in K , a field. Then there are
unique $q(t)$ and $r(t)$ poly in $K[t]$

st. $f(t) = q(t)g(t) + r(t)$,

where $n < \deg r(t) < \deg g(t)$

where $0 \leq \deg r(t) < \deg g(t)$
or $r(t)$ is the zero poly
 $g(t)$ is called the quotient and
 $r(t)$ is called the remainder.

Note. The deg of the zero poly
is not defined.

as $\alpha \in K$ is a root of $f(t) \in K[t]$
 $\Rightarrow t - \alpha$ divides $f(t) \nexists$.
 $f(t) = g(t)(t - \alpha)$ for
some $g(t) \in K[t]$

\Rightarrow Assume $f(\alpha) = 0$.

Using Euclidean alg with
 $g(t) = t - \alpha$, we get

$$\boxed{f(t) = g(t)(t - \alpha) + r(t)}$$

where $r(t), g(t) \in K[t]$
and $0 \leq \deg r(t) < \deg(t - \alpha)$

and $0 \leq i < n$

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$$\deg r(t) < l$$
$$\Rightarrow \deg r(t) = 0, \quad r(t) = q, \quad q \in K$$

↑
const poly

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Now } o = f(\alpha) &= g(\alpha)(\alpha - \alpha) + r(\alpha) \\ &= o + r(\alpha) \end{aligned}$$

$$o = r(\alpha) = q$$

$$\Rightarrow (t - \alpha)g(t) = f(t)$$

that is $t - \alpha$ divides $f(t)$

Conversely, suppose $f(t) = (t - \alpha)g(t)$
for some $g(t) \in K[t]$

then $f(\alpha) = (\alpha - \alpha)g(\alpha) = 0$
i.e. α is a root of f

Theorem (Rational root theorem)

$$f(t) = q_0 + q_1 t + \dots + q_n t^n \in \mathbb{Z}[t]$$

$=$ $n - t^n$

$$f(t) = q + q_1 t + \dots + q_n t^n$$

$q_1, \dots, q_n \in \mathbb{Z}$, $q_n \neq 0$

If $r = \frac{c}{d} \in \mathbb{Q}$, $(c, d) = 1$,

then $c | q_n$ & $d | q_0$

Or $f(t) \in \mathbb{Z}[t]$ is monic poly

i.e. $q_n = 1$, then $f(t)$ has no rational root.

Proof $f(t) = q + q_1 t + \dots + q_{n-1} t^{n-1} + t^n$, $n \geq 1$

If $r = \frac{c}{d}$, $(c, d) = 1$ is a root of

$f(t)$, then $\frac{c}{d} | 1$ & $d | q$

$c = 1, -1$, not possible.

Ex $f(t) = t^2 - 2$ has no rational root.

$$r = \frac{a}{b}, (a, b) = 1$$

$$a^2 - 2 = 0 \Rightarrow a^2 = 2b^2$$

$$\frac{a}{b^2} - 2 = 0 \Rightarrow a = 2b$$

$$2 | 8b^2 = a^2$$

$$2 | a \Rightarrow$$

$$a = 2^m$$

$$2b^2 = a^2 = 4^m$$

$$b^2 = 2^m, 2 | b$$

$$2 | b$$

2 is a common factor
of a & b

FACT K is a field. G is a
finite subgroup of $K^* = K - \{0\}$.
Then G is cyclic.

Cov $\mathbb{Z}_p^* = \mathbb{Z}_p - \{0\}$ is a
cyclic group.

Γ is a finite field

E_x F is a finite "..."
 Then the product of nonzero
 elements of F must be -1 .
 $a_0 = 0, a_1 \dots a_{d-1} \in F^*$, $|F| = d$

Then $a_1 a_2 \dots a_{d-1} = -1$

$(p-1)! = -1 \pmod{p}$ Wilson's
 Thm.

\mathbb{Z}_p , $[1][2] \dots [p-1] = [-1]$

$[1 2 \dots p-1] = [-1]$

$(p-1)! = -1 \pmod{p}$
prime

p is prime $\Rightarrow p \mid 1 + (p-1)!$

K is a field.

$K[t]$ is a commutative ring with 1

$1 = 1 + at + at^2 + \dots$

$1/(K[t])^* = K^*$

$$U(K[t]) = \cap$$

R is a commutative ring with
 $V(R^*) = \{a \in R^* : \exists b \in R^* \text{ s.t. } ab = \frac{1}{ba}\}$

is a subring of R , called
 the ring of units.

$$f(t) = q_0 + \dots + q_n t^n$$

$$g(t) = b_0 + \dots + b_m t^m$$

$$f(t)g(t) = 1. \quad \text{then } q_0 b_0 = 1$$

$$f \in U(K[t]) = K^*$$

Thm $J \subseteq K[t]$ ideal of $K[t]$

(1) if J is the zero ideal, then
 $J = (0)$

(2) If J is a nonzero ideal of
 $K[t]$, then $J = (f(t))$ where
 $f(t)$ is a poly in J of smallest

degree.

Thm $f_1 \dots f_m \in K[t]$, not all are
zero poly

$J = (f_1 \dots f_m)$, the ideal
generated by $f_1 \dots f_m$:

$$= \{g_1 f_1 + \dots + g_m f_m, g_1, \dots, g_m \in K[t]\}$$

Then $J = (g)$, g is
the gcd of $f_1 \dots f_m$.

Def. g is a greatest common divisor
of $f_1 \dots f_m$ iff

(i) $g | f_i$ for $i = 1 \dots m$

(ii) if $h | f_i \forall i$, then

$$h | g$$