

18/11/23 CH 14 Rings & Modular Arithmetic

14.1 The ring structure

Def 14 Let  $R$  be a non empty set on which we have 2 closed binary operation denoted by "+" and "•".

The  $(R, +, \cdot)$  is a ring if for all  $a, b, c \in R$ , the following conditions are satisfied.

- 1)  $a+b = b+a$  {commutative law for  $+$ }
- 2)  $a+(b+c) = (a+b)+c$  {Associative law for  $+$ }
- 3)  $\exists$  an element  $z \in R$  such that Existence of an identity for  $+$   
 $a+z = z+a = a$
- 4) For each  $a \in R$ ,  $\exists$  an element  $b \in R$  with  
 $a+b = b+a = z$  {Existence of inverse element}
- 5)  $a \cdot (b \cdot c) = (a \cdot b) \cdot c$  {Associative law of  $\cdot$ }
- 6)  $a \cdot (b+c) = a \cdot b + a \cdot c$  } Ass Distributive laws of  
 $(b+c) \cdot a = b \cdot a + c \cdot a$  }  $\cdot$  over  $+$

Ex 14.1 Is  $(\mathbb{Z}, +, \cdot)$  is a ring

Let  $a, b, c \in \mathbb{Z}$

- 1)  $a+b = b+a$ ; for any integer
- 2)  $(a+b)+c = a+(b+c)$
- 3)  $a+0 = 0+a = a$
- 4)  $a+b = 0$   
 $a = -b$
- 5)  $a \cdot (b \cdot c) = (a \cdot b) \cdot c$
- 6)  $a(b+c) = ab + ac$

Ex 14.2 Let  $M_2(\mathbb{Z})$  denote the set of all  $2 \times 2$  matrices with integer entries. In  $M_2(\mathbb{Z})$ , 2 matrices are equal if their corresponding entries are equal in  $\mathbb{Z}$ . Here we define  $+$  and  $\cdot$  by

$$\begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} e & f \\ g & h \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} a+e & b+f \\ c+g & d+h \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} e & f \\ g & h \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} ae+bg & af+bh \\ ce+dg & cf+dh \end{bmatrix}$$

check if  $(M_2(\mathbb{Z}), +, \cdot)$  is a ring or not.

Soln Let  $A, B \in M_2(\mathbb{Z})$

$$1) A = \begin{bmatrix} a_1 & b_1 \\ c_1 & d_1 \end{bmatrix}, B = \begin{bmatrix} a_2 & b_2 \\ c_2 & d_2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned} A+B &= \begin{bmatrix} a_1+a_2 & b_1+b_2 \\ c_1+c_2 & d_1+d_2 \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} a_2+a_1 & b_2+b_1 \\ c_2+c_1 & d_2+d_1 \end{bmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

$$= B+A$$

commutative law for  $+$  satisfied

$$2) \text{ let } A, B, C \in M_2(\mathbb{Z})$$

$$3) A + Z_2 = A$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} a_1 & b_1 \\ c_1 & d_1 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} a_1 & b_1 \\ c_1 & d_1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$Z = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow \text{there is an annihilator for identity for } +$$

Ans - Yes it is

(a) If  $ab = ba \forall a, b \in R$ , then the ring is called commutative ring.

(b) The ring  $R$  is said to have no proper divisor of zero if for all  $a, b \in R$ ,  $ab = 0 \Rightarrow a = 0$  or  $b = 0$  {where  $0$  is the additive identity}

Eg -  $(\mathbb{Z}, +, \cdot)$  has no proper divisor of  $3$

because

$$a \cdot b = 0 \text{ when either } a = 0 \text{ or } b = 0$$

"  $(M_2(\mathbb{Z}), +, \cdot)$  has proper divisor of  $3$

Eg -

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

there exists  $(3)$

(c) If there exists an element  $u \in R$  such that  $u \neq 0$  and  $ua = a = a u \forall a \in R$  then we call  $u$  as a unity or multiplicative identity

Eg for  $(\mathbb{Z}, +, \cdot)$

$u = 1 \leftarrow$  Multiplicative identity

$$1 \cdot a = a \cdot 1 = a$$

Ex-14.3

Consider the set  $\mathbb{Z}$  with the binary operations  $\oplus$  and  $\otimes$  which are defined by

$$x \oplus y = x + y - 1 \quad \text{and} \quad x \otimes y = x + y - xy$$

check whether  $(\mathbb{Z}, \oplus, \otimes)$  is a ring or not.

Soln (i) To check  $x \oplus y = y \oplus x$

$$LHS = x \oplus y = x + y - 1 = y + x - 1 = y \oplus x$$

$\Rightarrow$  Commutative property holds

$$\begin{aligned} x \oplus (y \otimes z) &= x \oplus (y + z - 1) = x + (y + z - 1) - 1 \\ &= x + y + z - 1 = (y \oplus z) + x - 1 \\ &= (x \oplus y) \otimes z \end{aligned}$$

$\Rightarrow$  holds

$$(3) x \oplus z = x$$

$$x + z - 1 = x$$

$$z = 1$$

$$(4) x \oplus y = 1$$

$$x + y - 1 = 1$$

$$x + y = 2$$

$$xy = 2 - x$$

$$(5) x \otimes (y \oplus z) = x + (y \otimes z) - x(y \otimes z)$$

$$= x + (y + z - yz) - x(y + z - yz)$$

$$\begin{aligned} (x \otimes y) \otimes z &= (x + y - xy) \otimes z \\ &= (x \otimes y) + z - (x \otimes y)z \\ &= x + y - xy + z - (x + y - xy)z \end{aligned}$$

$\vdash$  "

$$x \otimes (y \otimes z) = (x \otimes y) \oplus (x \otimes z)$$

Multiplicative unity.

$$x \otimes a = x$$

$$x + a - ax = x$$

$$a(1-x) = 0$$

$$a \neq 0, a = 0$$

6/14/3 Let  $R$  be a ring with unity  $u$ .  
 If  $a \in R$  and  $b \in R$  such that  $ab = ba = u$ .  
 Then  $b$  is called multiplicative inverse of  $a$  and  
 $a, b$  are called unit of  $R$ .

Def 14.4 Let  $R$  be a commutative ring with  
 unity. Then

- (a)  $R$  is called an integral domain if  $R$  has  
 no proper divisor of zero.
- (b)  $R$  is called a field if every non-zero element  
 of  $R$  is a unit.

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Ex (14.1) Determine whether or not, each of the  
 following sets of no. is a ring under  
 ordinary addition & multiplication.

(a)  $R$  = the set of positive integers & zero.

soln This is not a ring as the additive inverse  
 does not exist.

(b)  $R = \{ kn ; k \text{ is a fixed +ve integer} \& n \in \mathbb{Z} \}$

(1)  $\forall a, b \in R$

$$a + b = b + a$$

(2)  $\forall a, b, c \in R$

$$a + (b + c) = (a + b) + c$$

$$3 \times a = kn$$

$$kn + z = kn$$

$n -$

→ It is a ring

$$(c) R = \{a + b\sqrt{2} ; a, b \in \mathbb{Z}\}$$

Sol " Yes, it is a ring.

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(Ex 14.1)

- ⑥ Define the binary operations  $\oplus$  &  $\odot$  on  $\mathbb{Z}$  by  $x \oplus y = x+y$   
 $x \odot y = x+y - 3xy$  for all  $x, y \in \mathbb{Z}$ . Explain why  
 $(\mathbb{Z}, \oplus, \odot)$  is not a ring.

(1) Closure property

$$\text{if } x, y \in \mathbb{Z} \text{ then } x+y - 3xy \text{ & } x+y - 7 \text{ both } \in \mathbb{Z}$$

$$(2) \text{ Commutative } " \text{ wrt add"} \\ x \oplus y = x+y - 3xy = y+x - 3yx = y \oplus x$$

(3) Associative " w.r.t add"

$$\begin{aligned} x \oplus (y \oplus z) &= x \oplus x + (y \oplus z) - 7 \\ &= x + (y+z+7) - 7 \\ &= x+y+z-14 \\ &= (x \oplus y) \oplus z \end{aligned}$$

(4) Identity element

~~$x \oplus y$~~  If  $z$  is the zero element,

$$x \oplus z = x$$

$$x+z-7 = x$$

$$\boxed{z = 7} \leftarrow \text{exists.}$$

(5) Inverse element

$$x \oplus y = z$$

$$x+y-7 = z$$

$$x+y = 14$$

$$\boxed{y = 14 - x} \text{ exists}$$

(6) commutative property of  $\oplus$   
Associative

$$\begin{aligned} x \oplus (y \oplus z) &= x + (y \oplus z) - 3x(y \oplus z) \\ &= x + (y + z - 3yz) - 3x(y + z - 3yz) \\ &= (x \oplus y) \oplus z \end{aligned}$$

(7) Distributive.

$$\begin{aligned} x \oplus (y \oplus z) &= (x \oplus y) \oplus (x \oplus z) \\ &= x \oplus (y + z - 7) \\ &= x + (y + z - 7) - 3x(y + z - 7) \\ &= 2x + y + z - 3xy - 3xz - 7 \end{aligned}$$

$\therefore y(x \oplus y) \oplus (x \oplus z)$

As  $x \oplus (y \oplus z) \neq (x \oplus y) \oplus (x \oplus z)$  so

It is not a ring.

Q (12) (b) S.T.  $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 8 \end{bmatrix}$  is a unit in the ring  $M_2(\mathbb{Q})$  but not a unit in  $M_2(\mathbb{Z})$

Sol<sup>n</sup>  $\mathbb{Q} \rightarrow$  rational no.s

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 8 \end{bmatrix} \quad A^{-1} = \frac{1}{2} \begin{bmatrix} 8 & -2 \\ -3 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$|A| = 8 - 6 = 2 \quad = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & -1 \\ -3/2 & 1/2 \end{bmatrix}$$

As all the entries of  $A^{-1}$ , are rational nos but not integers so  $A$  is a unit in the ring  $M_2(\mathbb{Q})$  but not in  $M_2(\mathbb{Z})$ .

Theorem 14.2.1 In any ring  $(R, +, \circ)$

- the zero element  $\bar{z}$  is unique &
- the additive inverse of each ring element is unique

Theorem 14.2.2 The cancellation laws of addition &  $a, b, c \in R$  holds

$$(a) a+b = a+c \Rightarrow b = c$$

$$(b) b+a = c+a \Rightarrow b = c$$

Theorem 14.2.3 For any ring  $(R, +, \circ)$  and any

$$a \in R, a\bar{z} = \bar{z}a = \bar{z}$$

Theorem 14.2.4 Given a ring  $(R, +, \circ)$  for all  $a, b \in R$

$$(a) -(-a) = a$$

$$(b) a + (-b) = (-a) + b = -(a - b)$$

$$(c) (-a)(-b) = ab$$

Theorem 14.2.5 For a ring  $(R, +, \circ)$

(a) if  $R$  is a unity, then it is unique &

(b) if  $R$  has a unity &  $x$  is a unit of  $R$ , then the multiplicative inverse of  $x$  is unique.

Theorem 14.2.6 Let  $(R, +, \circ)$  be a commutative ring with unity. Then  $R$  is an integral domain iff  $\forall a, b, c \in R$  where  $a \neq \bar{z}$ ,  $ab = ac \Rightarrow b = c$

Ex 14.2

② If  $a, b \& c$  are any elements in a ring  $(R, +, \circ)$  P.T.

$$(a) a(b - c) = ab - (ac)$$

$$= ab - ac$$

$$(b) (b - c)a = ba - (ca)$$

$$= ba - ca$$

Proof

|  |   |
|--|---|
| $(a) a(b - c) = a(b + (-c))$ $= ab + a(-c)$ $= ab + (-ac)$ $= ab - (ac)$ $= ab - ac$ | $(b) (b - c)a$ $= (b + (-c))a$ $\cancel{= b}$ |
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④ P.T. a unit in a ring  $R$  cannot be a proper divisor of zero.

Let ~~If~~  $ab = 0$   $\xrightarrow{(i)}$   
 where  $a \neq 0$  &  $b \neq 0$   $\xrightarrow{(ii)}$

If the above 2 cases satisfy then, it has  
 proper divisor of zero.

Let  $u$  be a unity of  $R$  & let  $x$  be unit.

Hence there is an element  $y$ . s.t.  $xy = yx = u$

If ~~also~~  $xw = 0$ ; ( $0$  is zero of  $R$ )

$$y(xw) = y0 = 0 \quad \&$$

$$y(xw) = (yx)w = uw = w$$

Def<sup>n</sup>

- 1) C
- 2) A
- 3) I
- 4) J

Eg - (1)  
 (2)  
 (3)  
 (4)

If

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 is call

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Find  
sel<sup>n</sup> o

Z

$w = 3$ , so  $x$  is not a proper divisor of zero.

## 6/1/24 Ch 16 - Group Theory

### Def<sup>n</sup> 6.1 Group Theory

- 1) Closure Property
- 2) Associative property
- 3) Identity element exists
- 4) Inverse " "

} If these 4 properties satisfy them  $Z$  is called a group.

Eg -  $(Z, +)$  : Is a group

$(R, +)$  : "

$(Q, +)$  : "

$(C, +)$  : "

↳ w.r.t add<sup>n</sup>  $Z, R, Q, C$  are group

If  $a * b = b * a$

then the group is called abelian group or commutative

Def<sup>n</sup> 16.2 For every group  $G$ , the no. of elements in  $G$  is called the order of  $G$  & is denoted by  $|G|$

Eg 16.2.  $(Z_n, +)$

↳ modulus set of  $n$

$$Z_n = \{0, 1, 2, \dots, n-1\}$$

Find the order of  $Z_4$  & inverse of each element in  $Z_4$

sol<sup>n</sup> order of  $Z_4 (Z_4, +)$  is 4

$$Z_4 = \{0, 1, 2, 3\}$$

| $+$ | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
|-----|---|---|---|---|
| 0   | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 1   | 1 | 2 | 3 | 0 |
| 2   | 2 | 3 | 0 | 1 |
| 3   | 3 | 0 | 1 | 2 |

← operation of  $n$

of  $Z_4$  under (+)  
with all its  
elements.

\* Inverse element of  $x$  = after operation with  
which element  $x$  becomes "0"

$$\text{Inverse of } 0 = 0$$

$$" " 1 = 3$$

$$" " 2 = 2$$

$$" " 3 = 1$$

non empty  
set

Def 16.3 Let  $G$  be a group &  $\emptyset \neq H \subseteq G$ .  
If  $H$  is a group under the binary operation  
of  $G$  then we call  $H$  is a subgroup of  $G$ .

Theorem 16.2 If  $H$  is a non-empty subset of  
a group  $G$  then  $H$  is a subgroup of  $G$  if &  
only if

(a) for all  $a, b \in H$ ,  $ab \in H$  {closure property}

(b) for all  $a \in H$ ,  $a^{-1} \in H$  {multiplication holds}

Theorem 16.3 If  $G$  is a group &  $\emptyset \neq H \subseteq G$ ,  
with  $H$  is finite then  $H$  is a subgroup of  $G$  iff  
 $H$  is closed under the binary operation of  $G$ .

HW Ex

### Exercise 16.1

① For each of the following sets, determine whether or not the set is a group under the stated binary operation.

(a)  $\{-1, 1\}$  w.r.t multiplication

i) closure property

$$-1 \times 1 = -1 \in G$$

ii) associative property holds

$$(-1) \times 1 = -1$$

$$1 \times 1 = 1$$

1 is the identity element.

$$(-1) \times (-1) = 1$$

-1 is the inverse of -1

1 is " " " " 1

(b)  $\{-1, 1\}$  w.r.t add

$$-1 + 1 = 0 \notin G$$

closure property doesn't hold

(c)  $\{10^n, n \in \mathbb{Z}\}$  under add

$$G = \{10^n, n \in \mathbb{Z}\}$$

$$a, b \in G, a + b \in G$$

$$a + (b + c) = (a + b) + c$$

holds.

HW Ex 16.1, e/b

Sol" Is the set  $\mathbb{Z}$  not a group under subtraction?

(i)  $a, b \in \mathbb{Z}$

$$\Rightarrow a - b \in \mathbb{Z} \quad \text{Closure property holds.}$$

(2)  $1, 2, 3 \in \mathbb{Z}$

$$\Rightarrow (1-2)-3 = -4$$

$$1 - (2-3) = 2$$

Associative property doesn't hold

(iii) If  $G$  is a group let  $H = \{ a \in G, ag = ga \mid g \in G \}$ . P.T.  $H$  is a subgroup of  $G$ .

Sol" Let  $e \in G$  is the identity element in  $G$ .

$\forall a \in G, ea = ae$  that means

$e \in H$ , so  $H$  is non-empty  $\rightarrow$  (i)

(ii) Let  $x, y \in H$

$$\begin{aligned} (xy)g &= x(yg) = x(gy) = (xg)y \\ &= (gx)y = g(xy) \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow x, y \in H$$

Closure property satisfies.

(iii)  $xy \in H$

$$x \in H$$

$$xg^{-1} = g^{-1}x$$

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

$$g^{-1}x^{-1} = x^{-1}g$$

$$\Rightarrow x^{-1} \in H$$