

Transitive:

if $a \leq b$ & $b \leq c$ then $a \leq c$

$$a \leq b \Rightarrow (a, b) \in (\text{diag UP}) \Rightarrow (a, b) \in \text{diag} \Rightarrow (a, b) = (m, m)$$

$$\text{or } (a, b) \in P \Rightarrow a \cdot a \leq b \rightarrow (1)$$

$a = b = m$
Since $a = b$ & $b \leq c$
 $a \leq c$
we are done

$$b \leq c \Rightarrow (b, c) \in (\text{diag UP}) \Rightarrow (b, c) \in \text{diag} \Rightarrow (b, c) = (m, m)$$

$$\text{or } (b, c) \in P \Rightarrow b \cdot b \leq c \rightarrow (2)$$

$b = c = m$
 $a \leq b$
 $a \leq c$
we are done

From (1) & (2)

$$a \cdot a \leq b, b \cdot b \leq c$$

$$a^2 \leq b \Rightarrow a^2 \cdot b \leq b^2 \quad (b \in \mathbb{N})$$

$$a^4 \leq b^2 \quad (a^2 \leq b, a^2 \leq b)$$

$$b^2 \leq c \Rightarrow a^4 \leq c \quad [\text{since } a^4 \geq a^2]$$

$$a^2 \leq a^4 \leq c$$

$$m = a, a^2 \leq c$$

$$\text{Hence } a \leq c$$

\therefore it is transitive.

$\therefore (\mathbb{N}, \leq)$ is partially ordered.

Let $m=2$ & $n=3$

Check comparability $2 \leq 3$ or $3 \leq 2$

$$2^2 \leq 3$$

$$3^2 \leq 2$$

false

false

Hence, \leq not comparable on \mathbb{N}

\therefore not totally ordered only partially ordered

HW-3

$$\textcircled{1} \quad \text{diag} := \{(m, m) : m \in \mathbb{N}\}$$

$$P := \{(m, n) \in \mathbb{N} \times \mathbb{N} : m \cdot m \leq n\}$$

$$m \leq n \Leftrightarrow (m, n) \in (\text{diag} \cup P)$$

Reflexivity:- (check)

$$m \leq m$$

$$(m, m) \in \text{diag}$$

$$(m, m) \in (\text{diag} \cup P)$$

Hence it is reflexive

Antisymmetry:- (check)

if $a \leq b$ & $b \leq a$ then $a = b$

$$a \leq b \Rightarrow (a, b) \in (\text{diag} \cup P)$$

$$(a, b) \in \text{diag} \text{ or } (a, b) \in P$$

if $(a, b) \in \text{diag}$ then $(a, b) = (m, m)$

$$a = m, b = m$$

$$\Rightarrow a = b = m$$

$a = b$, we are done

if $(a, b) \in P$ then $a \cdot a \leq b \rightarrow \textcircled{1}$

$$b \leq a \Rightarrow (b, a) \in (\text{diag} \cup P)$$

$$(b, a) \in \text{diag} \text{ or } (b, a) \in P$$

if $(b, a) \in \text{diag}$ then $(b, a) = (m, m)$

$$b = m \wedge a = m$$

$$\Rightarrow a = b = m$$

$a = b$ we are done

if $(b, a) \in P$, then $b \cdot b \leq a \rightarrow \textcircled{2}$

From $\textcircled{1}$ & $\textcircled{2}$

$$a \cdot a \leq b, b \cdot b \leq a$$

Since $b \in \mathbb{N}$

$$a \cdot a \cdot a \leq a \cdot a \cdot b \leq b \cdot b$$

$$a \cdot a \cdot a \leq a$$

$$a \cdot a \leq 1$$

$$a^3 \leq 1$$

$$a = 0 \text{ or } a = 1$$

$$\Leftrightarrow ab = 0$$

$$a \cdot a \leq b$$

$$a \cdot a \cdot b \leq b \cdot b$$

$$a \cdot a \cdot b \leq a$$

$$ab \leq 1 \text{ (by cancellation)}$$

$$a, b \in \mathbb{N} \Rightarrow a \cdot b \in \mathbb{N} \text{ (by Peano's arithmetic)}$$

$$a \cdot b \in \mathbb{N} \wedge ab \leq 1$$

$$\text{or } ab = 1 \Rightarrow a = b = 1 \text{ (done)}$$

$$\text{if } a = 0$$

$$b \cdot b \leq a$$

$$b \cdot b \leq 0$$

$$\Rightarrow b = 0$$

$$\text{if } b = 0$$

$$a \cdot a \leq b$$

$$a \cdot a \leq 0$$

$$\Rightarrow a = 0$$

$$a = b = 0$$

Hence anti symmetric

② $(-1)a = -a \quad \forall a \in \mathbb{Z}$
 $a = m/n$ where $\begin{cases} (m, n) \in \mathbb{N} \times \mathbb{N} \\ a \neq 0 \end{cases}$ s.t. $a+n = m$
 $a = m/n$ since $a \in \mathbb{Z}$

$-1 = 0/1$
 $a = a/0$

$$\begin{aligned} (-1) \times_{\mathbb{Q}} a &= (0/1) \times_{\mathbb{Q}} (m/n) \\ &= \left[(0 \times_{\mathbb{Z}} m) + (1 \times_{\mathbb{Z}} n) \right] / \left[(1 \times_{\mathbb{Z}} m) + (0 \times_{\mathbb{Z}} n) \right] \\ &= (0 + n) / [m + 0] \quad \left[\begin{array}{l} \text{By Peano mult'n} \\ \text{extended to } \mathbb{N} \text{ integers} \\ 0 \times n = 0 \end{array} \right] \\ &= n / m \quad \left[\begin{array}{l} \text{By integer add'n} \\ 0 + n = n + 0 = n \end{array} \right] \\ &= -(m/n) \quad \left[\begin{array}{l} \text{By def'n} \\ -(a/b) = b/a \end{array} \right] \\ &= -a \end{aligned}$$

$-(m/n) = n/m$

Compute: $n/m + m/n = (n+m) / m + n/n$
 $= (m+n/n) / (m+n/n) \quad [m+n = n+m]$
 $= 0 \quad [a/a = 0]$

Hence n/m is additive inverse of m/n

$-a$ is additive inverse of a ,

③ $(-1)a = -a \quad \forall a \in \mathbb{Q}$

$(-1) = (-1)/1$

$a = m/n$

$$\begin{aligned} (-1) \times_{\mathbb{Q}} a &= ((-1)/1) \times_{\mathbb{Q}} (m/n) \\ &= (-1 \times_{\mathbb{Z}} m) / 1 \times_{\mathbb{Z}} n \\ &= (-m) / n \quad \left[\begin{array}{l} \text{By Question 2 \&} \\ \text{By multiplication} \\ 1 \times_{\mathbb{Z}} n = n \end{array} \right] = -(m/n) \\ &= -a \end{aligned}$$

Compute

$$\begin{aligned} (-m)/n + m/n &= \frac{(-m) \times_{\mathbb{Z}} n + (m \times_{\mathbb{Z}} n)}{n \times_{\mathbb{Z}} n} \\ &= \frac{-mn + mn}{n \times_{\mathbb{Z}} n} \\ &= 0 / n \times_{\mathbb{Z}} n \\ &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

Hence $(-m)/n = -(m/n)$
 i.e. additive inverse of m/n

⑧ Given: $x, y \in \mathbb{R}$ $x < y$
 To prove: $\exists q$ s.t. $x < q < y$

Proof: $x < y \Rightarrow y - x \in \mathbb{R}^+$

$$y - x > 0$$

$$\frac{1}{y - x} > 0$$

By Archimedean property

$$\exists n \in \mathbb{N} \text{ s.t. } n > \frac{1}{y - x}$$

Fix $\epsilon > 0$

$\exists n \in \mathbb{N}$ s.t. $n > \frac{1}{y - x}$

$$nx > \frac{1}{y - x}$$

$$y > \frac{1}{y - x}$$

$$y - x > 0$$

$$(y - x)n > 1$$

$$ny - nx > 1$$

Since $ny - nx > 1$

$\exists m \in \mathbb{Z}$ s.t. m lies b/w nx & ny

$$y - x > 0$$

$$n(y - x) > 0$$

$$ny > nx$$

$$ny > m > nx$$

$$n \in \mathbb{N} \text{ \& } n \neq 0$$

$$y > \frac{m}{n} > x$$

$$x < \frac{m}{n} < y$$

$$\therefore m \in \mathbb{Z} \text{ \& } n \in \mathbb{N}$$

$$q = m/n \in \mathbb{Q}$$

Hence $\exists q$ s.t. $x < q < y$

⑦ Given: (F, \leq) be an ordered field having LUB.

$$A \subseteq F$$

$$-A := \{-x \mid x \in A\}$$

To prove: $\sup(-A)$ exists &
 $\inf(A) = -\sup(-A)$

Proof: Let α be the $\inf(A)$

ie $\nexists \alpha' > \alpha$ s.t.

$$(i) \forall x \in A \quad x > \alpha$$

$$-A := \{-x \mid x \in A\} \quad \text{for every } \alpha' > \alpha, \exists x \in A \text{ s.t. } x < \alpha'$$

$$(i) \forall x \in A \quad x > \alpha \Rightarrow \alpha < x$$

$$\alpha$$

$$x - \alpha > 0$$

$$\underbrace{x + (-x)}_0 - \alpha > -x$$

$$-\alpha > -x$$

$$\forall x \in A \quad -\alpha > -x$$

$$\Rightarrow \forall -x \in -A$$

$$\text{ie } \forall y \in -A \quad -\alpha > y$$

$$(ii) \text{ for every } \alpha' > \alpha, \exists x \in A \text{ s.t. } x < \alpha'$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{for every } -\alpha' < -\alpha, \exists -x \in -A \text{ s.t. } -x > -\alpha'$$

$$\text{for every } \alpha'' < -\alpha, \exists y \in -A \text{ s.t. } y > \alpha''$$

$$\text{Hence (i) } \forall y \in -A, -\alpha > y$$

$$(ii) \text{ for every } \alpha'' < -\alpha, \exists y \in -A \text{ s.t. } y > \alpha''$$

Hence $-\alpha$ is the $\sup(-A)$

$$\sup(-A) = -\alpha$$

$$-(\sup(-A)) = \alpha$$

$$\inf(A) = -(\sup(-A))$$

⑤ for two sets α, β

$$\alpha \leq \beta \Leftrightarrow \begin{cases} \alpha = \beta \\ \alpha \subsetneq \beta \end{cases}$$

To prove: \leq is a total order

Proof: \leq is reflexive

$$\alpha \leq \alpha \Leftrightarrow \alpha = \alpha \text{ or } \alpha \subsetneq \alpha$$

$$\alpha = \alpha \quad \alpha \subsetneq \alpha$$

$$\forall x \in \alpha, x \in \alpha$$

$$\forall x \in \alpha, x \in \alpha$$

$\alpha = \alpha$ [By defn of equality]

\leq is antisymmetric

$$\alpha \leq \beta \text{ \& \> } \beta \leq \alpha \Rightarrow \alpha = \beta$$

\Downarrow

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$$\alpha = \beta \text{ or } \alpha \subsetneq \beta \quad \beta = \alpha \text{ or } \beta \subsetneq \alpha$$

if $\alpha = \beta$ (we are done)

$$\text{if } \alpha \subsetneq \beta \Rightarrow \exists x \in \beta \text{ s.t. } x \notin \alpha$$

$$\text{but } \beta \leq \alpha$$

$$\beta = \alpha \text{ \& \> } \forall x \in \beta, x \in \alpha$$

contradiction

$$\beta \subsetneq \alpha, \forall x \in \beta, x \in \alpha$$

contradiction

Hence $\alpha \subsetneq \beta$ cannot occur.

Hence $\alpha = \beta$

\leq is transitive

$$\alpha \leq \beta \text{ \& \> } \beta \leq \gamma \Rightarrow \alpha \leq \gamma$$

\Downarrow

\Downarrow

$$\alpha = \beta \text{ or } \alpha \subsetneq \beta$$

$$\beta = \gamma \text{ or } \beta \subsetneq \gamma$$

$$\text{if } \alpha = \beta \Rightarrow \beta \leq \gamma \Rightarrow \alpha \leq \gamma \text{ (we are done)}$$

$$\text{if } \alpha \subsetneq \beta \Rightarrow \beta = \gamma \text{ or } \beta \subsetneq \gamma$$

$$\text{if } \beta = \gamma$$

$$\Rightarrow \alpha \subsetneq \gamma \Rightarrow \alpha \leq \gamma \text{ (we are done)}$$

$$\text{if } \beta \subsetneq \gamma$$

$$\alpha \subsetneq \beta \text{ \& \> } \beta \subsetneq \gamma \Rightarrow \alpha \subsetneq \gamma \Rightarrow \alpha \leq \gamma \text{ (we are done)}$$

Hence \leq is transitive

reflexive, antisymmetric & transitive.

Comparability: either $\alpha \leq \beta$ or $\beta \leq \alpha$

if $\alpha \leq \beta \Rightarrow \forall x \in \alpha, x \in \beta$

suppose not

$\forall x \in \alpha, \exists x_0 \in \alpha, x_0 \notin \beta$

$\Rightarrow \exists y \in \beta$ if $x_0 \in \beta$

Claim: $x_0 > y, \forall y \in \beta$

Proof: suppose not

$\exists y_0 \in \beta$ s.t. $y_0 > x_0$

$\Rightarrow x_0 \in \beta$ (By CII)

Contradiction

$\forall y \in \beta, x_0 > y, x_0 \in \alpha$

$\Rightarrow \forall y \in \beta, y \in \alpha$ (By CII)

Hence $\beta \subseteq \alpha$.

\therefore either $\alpha \leq \beta$ or $\beta \leq \alpha$,

Hence reflexive, anti symmetric, transitive &
comparable

$\Rightarrow \leq$ is totally ordered.