

* Relations

* Equivalence Classes

* Properties

8.4 $A = \{a, b, c\}$ & $B = \{1, 2, 3, 4\}$

$$R_1 = \{(a, 2), (a, 3), (b, 1), (b, 3), (b, 4)\}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Is } (1, b) \in R_2 & \quad \times \\ (3, b) \in R_2 & \quad \times \end{aligned}$$

$$R_2 = \{(1, b), (1, c), (2, a), (2, b), (3, c), (4, a), (4, c)\}$$

R on A , where $x R y$ if for some $n \in B$

$$x R_1 n \text{ \& } n R_2 y$$

" x is related to y , if there's an $n \in B$ bridging them"

Ans Ask 9 questions

$$(R \subseteq A \times A)$$

• Is $(a, a) \in R$? $n \in B$ $(b, a) \in R$? $(c, a) \in R$?
 $(a, n) \in R_1$ & $(n, a) \in R_2$

• Is $(a, b) \in R$? $(b, b) \in R$? **NO!** $(c, b) \in R$?
 $(a, m) \text{ \& } (m, b)$ $m \in B$ $(b, l), (l, b)$ \times
 $\in R_1 \quad \in R_2$

$(a, c) \in R$? $(b, c) \in R$? $(c, c) \in R$?

$(b, k), (k, c)$ \cdot
 $\in R_1 \quad \in R_2$

Example

$$A = \mathbb{Z}, \quad B = \mathbb{Z}_{>0} = \mathbb{N}$$

$$R_1 = \{(\underline{x}, \underline{n}) \mid \underline{n} = \underline{|x|}\} \subseteq \mathbb{Z} \times \mathbb{N}$$

$$R_2 = \{(n, x) \mid x = -n\} \subseteq \mathbb{N} \times \mathbb{Z}$$

R on \mathbb{Z} similarly as before i.e.

$x R y$ if for some $n \in \mathbb{N}$ $x R_1 n$ & $n R_2 y$

Question 1: Is $(-1, 3) \in R$?

2: Is $(-1, -1) \in R$?

Answer: (1) Suppose it was i.e. $-1 R 3$

$-1 R_1 n$ and $\underline{n R_2 3}$ for some $n \in \mathbb{N}$

$$\rightarrow (-1, n) \in R_1 \sim n = |-1| = 1 \sim X$$

$$\rightarrow (n, 3) \in R_2 \sim -n = 3, \quad n = -3 \sim X$$

Contradiction! Hence $(-1, 3) \notin \underline{R}$.

$$(2) \quad -1 R -1 \sim -1 R_1 m \text{ \& } m R_2 -1$$

$m = |-1|$ $-m = -1$
 $m = 1$

i.e. for $m=1, -1, R_1, 4, R_2, -1$

Hence $(-1, -1) \in \underline{\underline{R}}$.

Properties — reflexive
— symmetric
— transitive

- R Relation on lines in \mathbb{R}^3

$l_1 \text{ R } l_2$ if they're NOT parallel &
do NOT intersect
(skew lines)

* Reflexive? NO!

if reflexive $\sim \mid R \mid \sim \mid$ NOT parallel to \mid
and doesn't intersect \mid

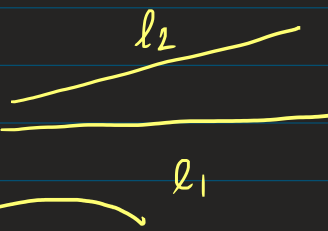

BUT l is parallel to itself

ℓ intersect itself at infinitely many points.

* Symmetric? YES

saying $l_1 \checkmark R l_2 \rightsquigarrow l_1 \nmid l_2$ are skew lines
 $\rightsquigarrow l_2 \nmid l_1$ are skew lines
 $\rightsquigarrow l_2 R l_1 \checkmark$

* Transitive?


 $l_2 R l_1 \quad l_1 R l_2$
 \rightsquigarrow
 BUT $l_2 \nmid l_2$ 

If a relation is symmetric but NOT reflexive, it cannot be transitive ($a R b, b R a$ but! $a \nmid a$)

(8.10) $|A| = 4$ what is $\max |R|$ st $\underline{R} \cap \underline{R}^{-1} = \emptyset$
 $A = \{a, b, c, d\}$

$$R \subseteq A \times A$$

$$A \times A = \{ \overset{x}{(a,a)}, \overset{x}{(b,b)}, \overset{x}{(c,c)}, \overset{x}{(d,d)} \} \cup \{ \overset{\checkmark}{(a,b)}, \overset{x}{(b,a)} \}$$

$$\cup \{ \overset{\checkmark}{(a,c)}, \overset{x}{(c,a)} \} \cup \{ \overset{\checkmark}{(a,d)}, \overset{x}{(d,a)} \}$$

$$\cup \{(\overset{\times}{b}, \overset{\checkmark}{c}), (\overset{\checkmark}{c}, \overset{\times}{b})\} \cup \{(\overset{\times}{b}, \overset{\checkmark}{d}), (\overset{\checkmark}{d}, \overset{\times}{b})\} \\ \cup \{(\overset{\times}{c}, \overset{\checkmark}{d}), (\overset{\checkmark}{d}, \overset{\times}{c})\} \quad \checkmark$$

So $|R| \leq 6$ hence $\max |R| = \underline{\underline{6}}$

Equivalence Classes

(8.32)

$$A = \{a+b\sqrt{2} \mid a, b \in \mathbb{Q} \text{ \& } a+b\sqrt{2} \neq 0\} \quad \checkmark$$

$$x \underset{=}{R} y \quad \text{if} \quad \boxed{\frac{x}{y} \in \mathbb{Q}}$$

* Reflexive

$$\frac{x}{x} = 1 \in \mathbb{Q}$$

* Symmetric

$$\frac{x}{y} \in \mathbb{Q} \Rightarrow \frac{y}{x} = \frac{1}{x/y} \in \mathbb{Q}$$

* Transitive

$$\frac{x}{y}, \frac{y}{z} \in \mathbb{Q}; \quad \frac{x}{z} = \frac{x}{y} \cdot \frac{y}{z} \in \mathbb{Q}$$

Equivalence Class

$$r \in A, \quad [r]$$

$$\begin{aligned}
[a+b\sqrt{2}] &\stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \{x \in A \mid x R \underline{a+b\sqrt{2}}\} \\
&= \{x \in A \mid \boxed{\frac{x}{a+b\sqrt{2}}} \in \mathbb{Q} \setminus \{0\}\} \\
&= \{x \in A \mid \underbrace{\frac{x}{a+b\sqrt{2}}}_{\text{def}} = k, \quad k \in \mathbb{Q} \setminus \{0\}\} \\
&= \{x \in A \mid \underbrace{x = k(a+b\sqrt{2})}_{\text{algebra}}, \quad k \in \mathbb{Q} \setminus \{0\}\} \\
&= \{x \in A \mid \underbrace{x = k(a+b\sqrt{2})}_{\text{rewriting}}, \quad k \in \mathbb{Q} \setminus \{0\}\} \\
&= \{k(a+b\sqrt{2}) \mid k \in \mathbb{Q} \setminus \{0\}\} //
\end{aligned}$$

I $[a+b\sqrt{2}]$ when $a, b \neq 0$

II $[b\sqrt{2}]$ where $b \neq 0$ ($a=0$)

III $[a]$ where $a \neq 0$ ($b=0$)

Claim: II is just $[\sqrt{2}]$

III is just $[1]$

I encapsulates many distinct classes

$$[1+\sqrt{2}] = \{k(1+\sqrt{2}) \mid k \in \mathbb{Q} \setminus \{0\}\}$$

$$[2] = \{2k \mid k \in \mathbb{Q} \setminus \{0\}\} = \mathbb{Q} \setminus \{0\} = [1]$$

$$[3\sqrt{2}] = \{3\sqrt{2} \cdot k \mid k \in \mathbb{Q} \setminus \{0\}\} = [\sqrt{2}]$$

$$\underbrace{[a]}_{[1]}, \underbrace{[b\sqrt{2}]}_{[\sqrt{2}]}, \underbrace{[a+b\sqrt{2}]}_{a,b,c,d \neq 0}, \underbrace{[c+d\sqrt{2}]}_{a,b,c,d \neq 0}$$

When is $[a+b\sqrt{2}] = [c+d\sqrt{2}]$

$$\Leftrightarrow c+d\sqrt{2} \in [a+b\sqrt{2}]$$

$$\Leftrightarrow c+d\sqrt{2} = k(a+b\sqrt{2}) \text{ for some } k \in \mathbb{Q} \setminus \{0\}$$

$$\Leftrightarrow c+d\sqrt{2} = ka + kb\sqrt{2}$$

$$\Leftrightarrow c = ka, \quad d = kb$$

$$\Leftrightarrow \frac{a}{c} = \frac{b}{d} \quad \left(= \frac{1}{k} \right)$$

Hence $[a+b\sqrt{2}] \neq [c+d\sqrt{2}]$ when

$$a, b, c, d \neq 0$$

iff

$$\frac{a}{c} \neq \frac{b}{d}$$

$$[1+\sqrt{2}] = \{k(1+\sqrt{2}) \mid k \in \mathbb{Q} \setminus \{0\}\}$$

$$[2+4\sqrt{2}] = \{l(2+4\sqrt{2}) \mid l \in \mathbb{Q} \setminus \{0\}\}$$

We will show $[1+\sqrt{2}] \subseteq [2+4\sqrt{2}]$ ✓

and $[2+4\sqrt{2}] \subseteq [1+\sqrt{2}]$ ✓

$$x \in [2+4\sqrt{2}], \quad x = l(2+4\sqrt{2})$$

$$= 2l(1+\sqrt{2})$$

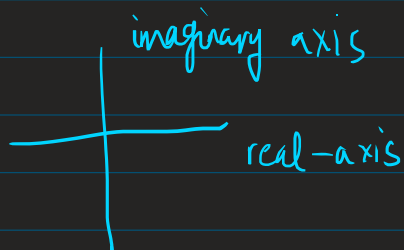
$$\in [1+\sqrt{2}] \quad \checkmark$$

$$y \in [1+\sqrt{2}], \quad y = k(1+\sqrt{2})$$

$$= \frac{k}{2}(2+4\sqrt{2})$$

$$\in [2+4\sqrt{2}]$$

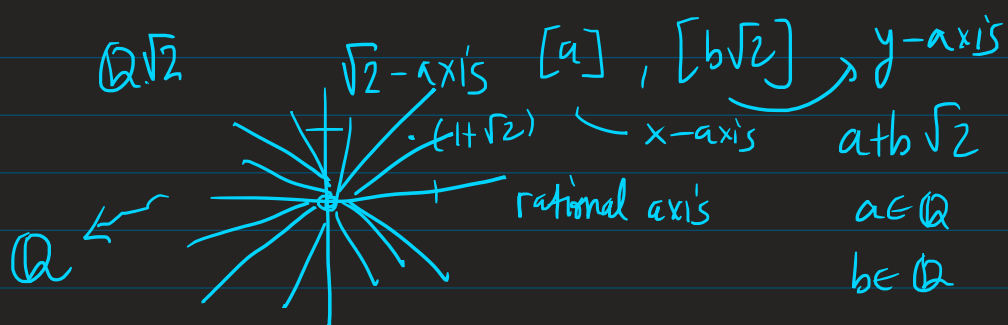
\mathbb{C}



$a+bi$

$a \in \mathbb{R}, b \in \mathbb{R}$

A



$$k(a+b\sqrt{2})$$

$$\frac{a}{c} \neq \frac{b}{d}$$

$$y = mx$$