

Algebraic number theory - Fermat last theorem an elementary proof

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Abstract

in this paper we will provide a simple proof the Fermat conjecture using a very elementary proof where that $(z,p)=1$.

1 introduction

let x,y,z three positive integers and p is an odd prime and $(p,z) = 1$, suppose that

$$x^p + y^p = z^p \quad (1)$$

Lemma 1 (Fermat little theorem). $(\forall p \in \mathbb{P}) : \forall n \in \mathbb{N} : n^p \equiv n[p]$

Proof. we know that $(\mathbb{Z}/p\mathbb{Z}, +, \cdot)$ field if and only if p is a prime ; suppose that p is a prime so $(\mathbb{Z}/p\mathbb{Z}, +, \cdot)$ is a field ; $\therefore (\mathbb{Z}/p\mathbb{Z} - \{0\}, \cdot)$ is an abelian group , such that $\text{card}(\mathbb{Z}/p\mathbb{Z} - \{0\}) = p-1$ therefore $(\forall a \in \mathbb{Z}/p\mathbb{Z} - \{0\}) a^{p-1} = 1$ that give us the lemma. \square

Lemma 2. (*gauss theorem corollary*) $(\forall p \in \mathbb{P})(\forall k \in \mathbb{N}) : 0 < k < p : p \mid C_p^k$

2 The demonstration principle

Proof. We have that (using **lemma 1**)

$$x^p + y^p + z^p \equiv x + y + z[p]$$

$$\implies 2z^p \equiv x + y + z[p] \text{ then } 2^p z^{p^2} \equiv (x + y + z)^p[p]$$

\therefore

$$2^p z \equiv \sum_{k=0}^p C_p^k (x + y)^{p-k} z^k[p]$$

as a consequence of **lemma 2**, we have that :

$$2^p z \equiv (x + y)^p + z^p \Leftrightarrow 2^p z \equiv (x + y)^p + z$$

$$\Leftrightarrow z(2^p - 1) \equiv \sum_{k=0}^p C_p^k x^{p-k} y^k[p]$$

again using **lemma 2** : we will find that

$$z(2^p - 1) \equiv x^p + y^p[p]$$

$$\therefore z(2^p - 1) \equiv z[p]$$

using gauss theorem

$\therefore (z, p) = 1$ we could subtract z , therefore :

$$2^p \equiv 1[p] \text{ , and while that } p > 2 \text{ we have } (p, 2) = 1 \text{ so}$$

using lemma 1 : we will have that : $2^p \equiv 2^{p-1}[p]$ therefore

$$: p = 1$$

hence! contradiction.

the equation (1) Have no solution .QED. \square

Corollary 2.1. $\forall x, y, z \in \mathbb{Z}_*^3 : \forall n \in \mathbb{N}; n > 3 \text{ and } (n, z) = 1 \text{ the equation (1) have no solution.}$

Proof. suppose that there exist an integer $n > 3$ satisfy

$$x^n + y^n = z^n \tag{2}$$

for non-null integers x, y, z

case 1 if n is a prime , that's impossible because we proved that (1) have no solution ; **case 2**

if n is not a prime , $\exists p \in \mathbb{P} : p|n \implies (p, q) \in \mathbb{P} \cdot \mathbb{Z} :$

$n = pq \implies (x^q)^p + (y^q)^p = (z^q)^p \therefore (1)$ have a solution;
absurd. \square

3 References

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