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Chapter 1

Classes

1.1 poly.ratfunc – rational function

- **Classes**
 - **RationalFunction**

A rational function is a ratio of two polynomials.

Please don't expect this module is useful. It just provides an acceptable container for polynomial division.

1.1.1 RationalFunction – rational function class

Initialize (Constructor)

RationalFunction(numerator: *polynomial*, denominator: *polynomial*=1)
→ *RationalFunction*

Make a rational function with the given **numerator** and **denominator**. If the **numerator** is a **RationalFunction** instance and **denominator** is not given, then make a copy. If the **numerator** is a kind of polynomial, then make a rational function whose numerator is the given polynomial. Additionally, if **denominator** is also given, the denominator is set to its value, otherwise the denominator is 1.

Attribute

numerator :
polynomial.

denominator :
polynomial.

Operations

operator	explanation
A==B	Return whether A and B are equal or not.
str(A)	Return readable string.
repr(A)	Return string representing A's structure.

Methods

1.1.1.1 `getRing` – get rational function field

`getRing(self)` → **RationalFunctionField**

Return the rational function field to which the rational function belongs.

Bibliography