

1.

Prop 103: Let \tilde{N} be a Euclidian function on A . Define $N(a) = \min\{\tilde{N}(ba) \mid b \in A \setminus \{0\}\}$. Then N is a Euclidian Function.

Proof: Euclidean norm \tilde{N} be an Euclidean domain.

1. Then,

$$N(1) = \min\{\tilde{N}(x) : x \in A, x \neq 0\} \quad (1)$$

2. For $b \in A \setminus \{0\}$ we have

$$b \text{ is a unit} \iff \tilde{N}(b) = \tilde{N}(1). \quad (2)$$

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Proof. (1) follows from the second property of \tilde{N} as follows:

$$\forall a \in D, a \neq 0 \quad \tilde{N}(1) \leq \tilde{N}(1a) = \tilde{N}(a) \quad (3)$$

To prove (2) suppose $b \in \tilde{N}$ is a unit. Then,

$$\tilde{N}(1) \leq \tilde{N}(u) \leq \tilde{N}(bb^{-1}) = \tilde{N}(1). \quad \text{So } \tilde{N}(b) = \tilde{N}(1) \quad (4)$$

Conversely, suppose $\tilde{N}(1) = \tilde{N}(b)$. Se divide ! by u , we have $1 = bq + r$ for some $q, r \in D \quad \ni \quad r = 0$ or $\tilde{N}(r) < \tilde{N}(u)$. Since $\tilde{N}(u) = \tilde{N}(1)$ is minimum, $r = 0$. So, $1 = bq$. So, b is a unit. The proof is complete.

2.

a.

Suppos e A is a UFD with the field F , Then a non-constant polynomial p_1 in $A[x]$ is irreducible iff it's irreducible in $F[x]$ and the gcd of the coefficient of p_1 is 1.

Proof: First note that the gcd of the coefficients of p_1 is 1 since, otherwise, we can factor out some element $c \in A$ from the coefficients of p_1 to write $p_1 = cp'_1$, contradicting the irreducibility of p_1 . Next, suppose $p_1 = p_2p_3$ for some non-constant polynomials p_2, p_3 in $F[x_1, \dots, x_n]$. Then, for some $d \in A$, the polynomial dp_2 has coefficients in A and so, by factoring out the gcd q of the coefficients, we write $dp_2 = qp'_2$. Do the same for p_3 and we can write $p_1 = cp'_2p'_3$ for some $c \in F$. Now, let $c = a/b$ for some $a, b \in A$. Then $bp_1 = ap'_2p'_3$. From this, using the proposition, we get:

$$(b) \supset \gcd(\text{cont}(bp_1)) = (a).$$

That is, b divides a . Thus, $c \in R$ and then the factorization $p_1 = cp'_2p'_3$ constitutes a contradiction to the irreducibility of p_1 .

For the other side. If p_1 is irreducible over F , then either it's irreducible over A or it contains a constant polynomial as a factor.

b.

Suppose A is a UFD with the field F , $p_1 p_2 \in \mathbb{Q}(A)[X] \setminus \{0\}$. Then $\text{cont}(p_1 p_2) = \text{cont}(p_1) \text{cont}(p_2)$.

Proof: Clearly, $\text{cont}(p_1 p_2) \subset \text{cont}(p_1) \text{cont}(p_2)$. If \mathfrak{p} is a prime ideal containing $\text{cont}(p_1 p_2)$, then $p_1 p_2 \equiv 0$ modulo \mathfrak{p} . Since $A/\mathfrak{p} [x_1, \dots, x_n]$ is a polynomial ring over an integral domain and thus is an integral domain, this implies either $p_1 \equiv 0$ or $p_2 \equiv 0 \pmod{\mathfrak{p}}$. Hence, either $\text{cont}(p_1)$ or $\text{cont}(p_2)$ is contained in \mathfrak{p} . Since $\sqrt{\text{cont}(p_1 p_2)}$ is the intersection of all prime ideals that contain $\text{cont}(p_1 p_2)$ and the choice of \mathfrak{p} was arbitrary, $\text{cont}(p_1) \text{cont}(p_2) \subset \sqrt{\text{cont}(p_1 p_2)}$

We now prove the "moreover" part. Factoring out the gcd's from the coefficients, we can write $p_1 = ap'_1$ and $p_2 = bp'_2$ where the gcd's of the coefficients of p'_1, p'_2 are both 1. Clearly, it is enough to prove the assertion when p_1, p_2 are replaced by p'_1, p'_2 ; thus, we assume the gcd's of the coefficients of p_1, p_2 are both 1.

We have that if $\gcd(a, b) = \gcd(a, c) = 1$, then $\gcd(a, bc) = 1$

(The proof of the lemma is not trivial but is by elementary algebra.) We argue by induction on the sum of the numbers of the terms in f, g ; that is, we assume the proposition has been established for any pair of polynomials with one less total number of the terms. Let $(c) = \gcd(\text{cont}(p_1 p_2))$; i.e., c is the gcd of the coefficients of $p_1 p_2$. Assume $(c) \neq (1)$; otherwise, we are done. Let p'_1, p'_2 denote the highest-degree terms of p_1, p_2 in terms of lexicographical monomial ordering. Then $p'_1 p'_2$ is precisely the leading term of $p_1 p_2$ and so c divides the (unique) coefficient of $p'_1 p'_2$ (since it divides all the coefficients of $p_1 p_2$). Now, if c does not have a common factor with the (unique) coefficient of p'_1 and does not have a common factor with that of p'_2 , then, by the above lemma, $\gcd(c, \text{cont}(p'_1 p'_2)) = (1)$. But c divides the coefficient of $p'_1 p'_2$; so this is a contradiction. Thus, either c has a common factor with the coefficient of p'_1 or does with that of p'_2 ; say, the former is the case. Let $(d) = \gcd(c, \text{cont}(p'_1))$. Since d divides the coefficients of $p_1 p_2 - p'_1 p_2 = (p_1 - p'_1) p_2$, by inductive hypothesis, $(d) \supset \gcd(\text{cont}((p_1 - p'_1) p_2)) = \gcd(\text{cont}(p_1 - p'_1)) \gcd(\text{cont}(p_2)) = \gcd(\text{cont}(p_1 - p'_1))$. Since (d) contains $\text{cont}(p'_1)$, it contains $\text{cont}(p_1)$; i.e., $(d) = (1)$, a contradiction.

If $\gcd(\text{cont}(p_1 p_2)) = (1)$, then there is nothing to prove. So, assume otherwise; then there is a non-unit element dividing the coefficients of $p_1 p_2$. Factorizing that element into a product of prime elements, we can take that element to be a prime element π . Now, we have:

$$(\pi) = \sqrt{(\pi)} \supset \sqrt{\text{cont}(p_1 p_2)} \supset \text{cont}(p_1) \text{cont}(p_2) \quad (5)$$

Thus, either (π) contains $\text{cont}(p_1)$ or $\text{cont}(p_2)$; contradicting the gcd's of the coefficients of p_1, p_2 are both 1. \square

3.

Eclidean Algorithm : $\gcd(a, b) = \gcd(b, a \bmod b)$

$$\begin{aligned} \gcd(X^6 + 3X^5 + 7X^4 + 12X^3 + 15X^2 + 9X + 9, X^4 + 6X^3 + 13X^2 + 12X + 3) = \gcd(\\ X^4 + 6X^3 + 13X^2 + 12X + 3, -3X^5 - 6X^4 + 12X^2 + 9X + 9) = \gcd(\\ -3X^5 - 6X^4 + 12X^2 + 9X + 9, 12X^4 + 51X^3 + 48X^2 + 18X + 9) = \gcd(\\ 12X^4 + 51X^3 + 48X^2 + 18X + 9, 6.75X^3 + 24X^2 + 13.5X + 11.25) = \gcd(\\ 6.75X^3 + 24X^2 + 13.5X + 11.25, \frac{25}{3}X^3 + 24X^2 - 6X - 11) = X^2 + 3X + 3 \end{aligned}$$

4.

Basic theorem on symmetric polynomials: For a symmetric polynomial F over any domain $f \in F(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n)$, there exists a polynomial $g(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n) \in F[x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n]$ such that $f = g(\sigma_1, \sigma_2, \dots, \sigma_n)$, that is, can be tabulated by the basic symmetric polynomial polynomial.

$$p(x_1, x_2, x_3) = x_1^2 + x_1^2 x_2 + x_1 x_2 x_3$$

$$Q = \sum_{\sigma \in \mathcal{S}_3} \sigma(p)$$

$$\begin{aligned} x_1 (x_1 + x_1 x_2 + x_2 x_3) &= x_1 (\sigma_2(x_1 x_2 x_3) - x_1 x_3 + x_1) \\ &= \sigma_1(x_1) (\sigma_2(x_1 x_2 x_3) - \sigma_2(x_1 x_3) + \sigma_1(x_1)) \end{aligned}$$

$$\sigma_1 = x_1 + x_2 + x_3$$

$$\sigma_2 = x_1 x_2 + x_2 x_3 + x_3 x_1$$

$$\sigma_3 = x_1 x_2 x_3$$

$$x_1^2 + x_1^2 x_2 + x_1 x_2 x_3$$

$$x_1^2 x_2 + x_1^2 x_2^2 + x_3^2 = \frac{\sigma_1^2 - 2\sigma_2 + \sigma_3}{3}$$

$$x_1^2 x_2 + x_1 x_2^2 + x_2^2 x_3 + x_2 x_3^2 + x_3^2 x_1 + x_3 x_1^2 = \sigma_1 \sigma_2 - 3\sigma_3$$

$$p(x_1, x_2, x_3) + p(x_2, x_3, x_1) + p(x_3, x_1, x_2)$$

$$= \sigma_1^2 - 2\sigma_2 + \cancel{3\sigma_3} + \sigma_1 \sigma_2 - \cancel{3\sigma_3} = \sigma_1^2 - 2\sigma_2 + \sigma_1 \sigma_2$$

$$\Rightarrow \tilde{Q} = \frac{\sigma_1^2 - 2\sigma_2 + \sigma_1 \sigma_2}{3}$$