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Common
Rings
w/ 1

$+$, $\cdot$ $(R, +, 0)$ abelian group.
 $(R, \cdot, 1)$ comm. monoid
 $\cdot$ dist. over $+$.

$(\mathbb{Z}_n, +, \cdot, 0, 1)$

$\mathbb{Z}/n\mathbb{Z}$

Def. R is an ~~int~~ integral domain
if it satisfies the zero divisor property:
 $ab=0 \Rightarrow a=0 \vee b=0$.

A field $\forall x \neq 0 \exists y \quad xy=1$ $(R \setminus \{0\}, \cdot, 1)$
is a group.

Lemma A field is an int. dom.

Pf. $ab=0, a \neq 0$

$$\underline{b} = 1 \cdot b = (a^{-1}a)b = a^{-1}(ab) = a^{-1}0 = \underline{0}$$

$P \rightarrow (Q \vee R)$

P is true }
 Q is false }

$\rightarrow R$ is true

(Let's prove $a \cdot 0 = 0 \forall a$. $0+0=0$)

$$\underline{a \cdot 0} = a(0+0) = \underline{a \cdot 0} + \underline{a \cdot 0} \quad \text{left cancel } +$$
$$+(-a \cdot 0) \quad +(-a \cdot 0)$$

$$\underline{0 = a \cdot 0}$$

(2) R is ~~an~~ an integral domain iff

$$\forall a, b, c \ (a \neq 0) \quad ab = ac \Rightarrow b = c$$

PF $\Rightarrow R$ is an int. dom. $+ \nexists ab = ac$

$$ab - ac = 0$$

$$a(b - c) = 0 \quad \text{int-dom} \Rightarrow b - c = 0$$
$$\underline{b = c}.$$

$\Leftarrow$ WTS R is an int dom

$$ab = 0 \quad + \quad a \neq 0.$$

$$ab = a \cdot 0 = \text{ranc.} \Rightarrow b = 0.$$

Any subring. $\left(\begin{array}{l} \text{closed under } +, \cdot \\ + \text{ contains } 1 \end{array} \right)$

of a field or int-domain is again an int-domain

$\mathbb{Z}$ is ~~an~~ an int. dom. , $\mathbb{R}, \mathbb{Q}$, field.

Def. A ring hom. $\varphi: R \rightarrow S$. R, S rings.

$$\varphi(a+b) = \varphi(a) + \varphi(b)$$

$$\varphi(ab) = \varphi(a) \varphi(b)$$

$$\varphi(1_R) = 1_S.$$

a ring hom is automatically a group hom

$$\varphi(0_R) = 0_S$$

$$\varphi(-a) = -\varphi(a)$$

(3)

Given a ring hom. $\varphi: R \rightarrow S$

$$\text{Ker } \varphi = \{x \in R \mid \varphi(x) = 0_S\}.$$

We know $\text{Ker } \varphi \leq R$ (and normal).

if $a, b \in \text{Ker } \varphi$ then $\varphi(ab) = \varphi(a)\varphi(b) = 0 \cdot 0 = 0$.

so it's a subring.

$\text{Ker } \varphi$ has the properties that ~~take~~

absorption
properties

→ makes $\text{Ker } \varphi$ into an ideal.
 $\forall a \in \text{Ker } \varphi, \forall r \in R, ra \in \text{Ker } \varphi.$

Ex Does $\mathbb{Z} \leq \mathbb{R}$ have this property.

$\pi \in \mathbb{R}, 2 \in \mathbb{Z}$ $2\pi \notin \mathbb{Z}$. so $\mathbb{Z}$ does not.

Prop ~~a~~ if ~~I is an ideal~~
 R is an ideal of R .
 $\{0_S\}$ is an ideal of R .

if I is an ideal of R , and $1 \in I$, then $I = R$. ✓

interested in proper ideals.

(4) $\S$ F is a field. Then the only ideals are $\{0\}$ and F .

Pf. I is an ideal WTS $I = \{0\}$ or $I = F$.

$\S I \neq \{0\}$. $\exists x \in I, x \neq 0$.

F is a field $x^{-1} \in F$. absorb

$1 = x^{-1} \cdot x \in I$. So $\forall r \in F$

$r = r \cdot 1 \in I$. So $F = I$. □

What are the ideals of the integers $\mathbb{Z}$.

remember an ideal is a subgroup, and a subgroup is a subgroup.

$$\langle n \rangle = n\mathbb{Z} = \{x \mid \exists z \in \mathbb{Z} \ x = n \cdot z\}$$

this an ideal. take $x \in n\mathbb{Z}$, take any $y \in \mathbb{Z}$.

$$\exists z \in \mathbb{Z} \ x = n \cdot z$$

$$y \cdot x = y \cdot n \cdot z = (yz) \cdot n \in n\mathbb{Z} \quad \square$$

⑤. ~~ideals of~~
Recall $\{\text{Kernels of a group hom}\} = \{\text{normal subgps.}\}$
gp theory

ring theor $\{\text{Kernels of a ring hom}\} = \{\text{proper. ideals.}\}$

I ^{proper} ideal of R $I \subsetneq R$ $1 \notin I$.

wfs $R/I \leftarrow$ is ring. we know it's a group $\checkmark$
 $I \triangleleft R$

$$(a+I)(b+I) = ab+I.$$

show this operation is well-defined. (extra credit)

$$\varphi: R \rightarrow R/I \quad r \mapsto r+I$$

$$\text{Ker } \varphi = I$$

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Let $R, a \in R$.

$n\mathbb{Z}$

Define $Ra = \{x \mid \exists r \in R, x = r \cdot a\}$.

Prop Ra is an ideal of R .

principal idl

Pf.

$$\begin{aligned} r_1 a + r_2 a &= (r_1 + r_2) a \\ r(r_1 a) &= (rr_1) a \end{aligned}$$

princ gen.

$$\{0\} = 0 \cdot R, \quad R = 1 \cdot R$$

~~The~~ $\mathbb{Z}$ has ~~that~~ the property that every ideal is principally gen.

A ring w/ this property has a name.

Principal Ideal Domain aka PID

$\mathbb{Z}$ are a PID

if we take a finite set. $a_1, \dots, a_n$

$$\underline{a_1 R + \dots + a_n R} = \left\{ x \mid \begin{aligned} &\exists r_1, \dots, r_n \in R \\ &x = r_1 a_1 + \dots + r_n a_n \end{aligned} \right\}$$

is an ideal.

$\uparrow$ lin. combination

$$\textcircled{7} \quad x, y \in a_1 R + \dots + a_n R = I$$

$$x = r_1 a_1 + \dots + r_n a_n \quad r_i \in R$$

$$y = s_1 a_1 + \dots + s_n a_n \quad s_i \in R$$

$$x + y = (r_1 + s_1) a_1 + \dots + (r_n + s_n) a_n \in I$$

$r \in R$

$$rx = \cancel{r} r(r_1 a_1 + \dots + r_n a_n)$$

$$= (rr_1) a_1 + \dots + (rr_n) a_n \in I.$$

$\square$

An ideal of the form $a_1 R + \dots + a_n R$ is called a finitely gen. ideal.

prin-gen $\Rightarrow$ f.g.

PID satisfies every ideal is f.g.

A domain satisfying that every ideal is f.g. is called noetherian domain

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Example Start w/ a ring and take

$R[x]$ is the set of polynomials w/ coeff from ring R .

a monomial. is a term of the form $\underline{ax^n}$ some $a \in R$
some $n \in \mathbb{N} \setminus \{0\}$

a polynomial is of the form

$$\underline{f(x) = a_0 + a_1x + \dots + a_nx^n}$$

we typically assume that ~~$a_n \neq 0$~~ $a_n \neq 0$.

$$\deg f = n$$

a_n is called the leading coeff

a_0 is called the constant term

$f(x) + g(x)$ term wise. collect like terms.

$$(ax^n)(bx^m) = abx^{n+m}$$

foil

Ex.

$\mathbb{Z}_4$

$$f(x) = 1 + 2x + x^3$$

$$g(x) = 2 + 2x^2$$

$$2x \cdot 2 \stackrel{\text{in } \mathbb{Z}_4}{=} 0$$

$$f(x)g(x) = (1 + 2x + x^3)(2 + 2x^2) =$$

$$2 + 2x^2 + \cancel{4x} + \cancel{4x^3} + 2x^3 + 2x^5$$

$$\underline{= 0}$$

$$\boxed{2 + 2x^2 + 2x^3 + 2x^5}$$

$\mathbb{Z}_4$

$$(2x^2)(2x^4) = 0.$$

$$\underline{\deg(fg) \neq \deg f + \deg g}$$

$\mathbb{Z}_4[x]$ not an int. domain.

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$$\hat{x} = 1 \cdot x^n$$

Prop R is an int dom. iff $R[x]$ is an int. dom

$$\text{iff } \forall f, g \neq 0 \quad \deg(fg) = \deg f + \deg g$$

Thm $R[x]$ PID? iff R is a field
 $R[x]$ noetherian domain?

$\mathbb{Z}, \mathbb{Q}, \mathbb{R}, \mathbb{C}, \mathbb{Z}_n$

$R[x]$

never a domain $R \times S = \{(a, b) \mid a \in R, b \in S\}$ ops coord. wise
 $(1, 0)(0, 1) = (0, 0)$

$\varphi: R[x] \rightarrow R \quad \varphi(f(x)) = f(0) \quad \varphi$ is a ^{surj.} ring hom.

$\mathbb{Z}[x]$ not a PID

$\mathbb{Z}[x_1, x_2, \dots]$
not noetherian

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$$\underline{\mathbb{R}[x]}$$

$$(x^2+1)\mathbb{R}$$

$$\begin{array}{l} \text{roots } x^2+1 \\ \pm i \end{array}$$

$$\mathbb{R}[x] / \underbrace{(x^2+1)\mathbb{R}}_I$$

$$\approx \underline{\mathbb{C}}$$

$$(x+i)^2 = x^2 + i = -1 + i$$

Galois
Theorem