

# GTLA Lecture 11.08.2020

## Osmosis Topics

- Sets
- Functions
- Relations
- Equivalence relations
- Orders
- The integers
- Cardinalities

## The binomial theorem

Let  $n \in \mathbb{Z}_{\geq 0}$  and  $k \in \{0, 1, \dots, n\}$ .

Define

$$\binom{n}{k} = \frac{n!}{k!(n-k)!}$$

Theorem Assume  $xy = yx$ .

$$(a) \binom{n}{k} = \binom{n-1}{k-1} + \binom{n-1}{k} \text{ if } k \in \{1, \dots, n-1\}$$

$$\binom{n}{0} = 1 \text{ and } \binom{n}{n} = 1.$$

$$(b) (x+y)^n$$

$$= \binom{n}{0} x^n y^0 + \binom{n}{1} x^{n-1} y + \dots + \binom{n}{n-1} x y^{n-1} + \binom{n}{n} y^n$$

(c) Let  $S$  be a set of cardinality  $n$ .

$$\binom{n}{k} = \# \text{ of subsets of } S \text{ (cardinality } k)$$

$$(d) e^{x+y} = e^x e^y$$

Sketch of (c) A term  $x^{n-k} y^k$  in

$$(x+y)^n = \underbrace{(x+y)(x+y)\cdots(x+y)}_{n \text{ factors}}$$

comes from choosing  $k$  factors to contribute  $y$  and the others contribute  $x$ .

$$(x+y)^3 = (x+y)(x+y)(x+y)$$

$$\begin{aligned} &= xxx + xxy + xyx + yxx \\ &\quad + xyy + yxy + yyx \\ &\quad + yyy \end{aligned}$$

Corollary  $\binom{n}{k} \in \mathbb{Z}$ .

$$\frac{n!}{k!(n-k)!} \in \mathbb{Z}_{>0}$$

$$e^{x+y} = 1 + (x+y) + \frac{1}{2!} (x+y)^2 + \frac{1}{3!} (x+y)^3 + \dots$$

=

$$+ x + y$$

$$+ \frac{1}{2!} (x^2 + 2xy + y^2)$$

$$+ \frac{1}{3!} (x^3 + 3x^2y + 3xy^2 + y^3)$$

⋮

=

$$+ x + y$$

$$+ \frac{1}{2!} x^2 + xy + \frac{1}{2!} y^2$$

$$+ \frac{1}{3!} x^3 + \frac{1}{2!} x^2y + \frac{1}{2!} xy^2 + \frac{1}{3!} y^3$$

⋮

$$= e^x + e^x y + e^x \frac{1}{2!} y^2 + e^x \frac{1}{3!} y^3 + \dots$$

$$= e^x \left( 1 + y + \frac{1}{2!} y^2 + \frac{1}{3!} y^3 + \dots \right)$$

$$= e^x e^y$$

So

$$e^{x+y} = e^x e^y$$

## The integers

Existence of  $\gcd(a, b)$

Proposition Let  $a, b \in \mathbb{Z}_{>0}$ . Then there exists  $l \in \mathbb{Z}_{>0}$  such that

$$l\mathbb{Z} = a\mathbb{Z} + b\mathbb{Z}$$

Proof Assume  $a, b \in \mathbb{Z}_{>0}$ .

To show! There exists  $l \in \mathbb{Z}_{>0}$  such that  $l\mathbb{Z} = a\mathbb{Z} + b\mathbb{Z}$ .

Let  $l = \min(\mathbb{Z}_{>0} \cap (a\mathbb{Z} + b\mathbb{Z}))$ .

To show!  $l\mathbb{Z} = a\mathbb{Z} + b\mathbb{Z}$

To show! (a)  $\mathbb{Z}_{>0} \cap (a\mathbb{Z} + b\mathbb{Z}) \neq \emptyset$

(b) If  $S \subseteq \mathbb{Z}_{>0}$  and  $S \neq \emptyset$

then there exists a unique minimal element in  $S$ .

(a) Since  $a \in \mathbb{Z}_{>0}$  and

$$a = a \cdot 1 + b \cdot 0 \in a\mathbb{Z} + b\mathbb{Z}$$

then  $a \in \mathbb{Z}_{>0} \cap (a\mathbb{Z} + b\mathbb{Z})$ .

So  $\mathbb{Z}_{\geq 0} \cap (a\mathbb{Z} + b\mathbb{Z}) \neq \emptyset$ .

(b) Assume  $S \subseteq \mathbb{Z}_{\geq 0}$  and  $S \neq \emptyset$ .

To show: There exist a unique minimal element in  $S$ .

Since  $S \neq \emptyset$  then there exists  $a \in S$ .

If  $D \in S$  then  $D = \min(S)$

If  $D \notin S$  and  $1 \in S$  then  $1 = \min(S)$

If  $0, 1 \notin S$  and  $2 = 1+1 \in S$  then  $2 = \min(S)$

If  $0, 1, 2 \notin S$  and  $3 \in S$  then  $3 = \min(S)$

⋮

This has to stop before the  $n^{\text{th}}$  step since  $a \in S$  and

$$a = 1 + 1 + \dots + 1.$$

A poset, or partially ordered set,  
is a set  $S$  with a relation  
 $\leq$  such that

(a) If  $x \in S$  then  $x \leq x$

(b) If  $x, y, z \in S$  and  $x \leq y$  and  $y \leq z$   
then  $x \leq z$

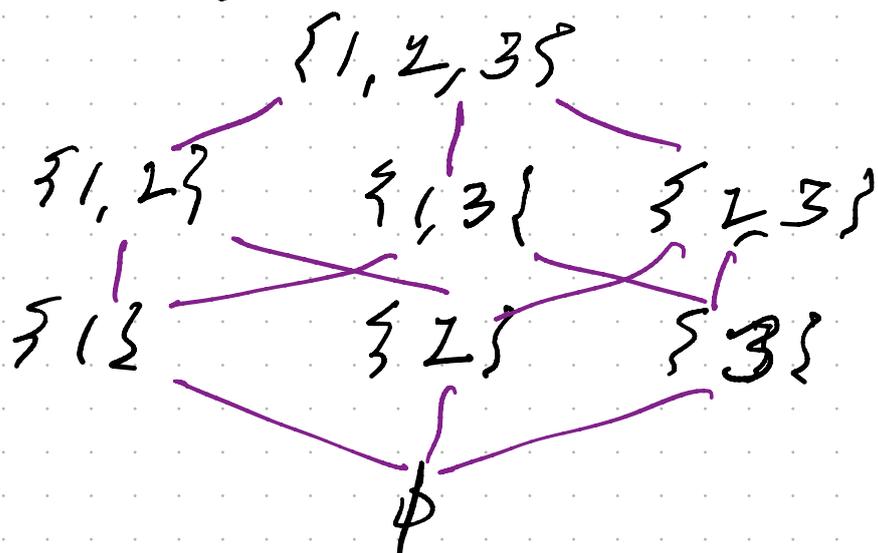
(c) If  $x, y \in S$  and  $x \leq y$  and  $y \leq x$   
then  $x = y$ .

A total order also satisfies

(d) If  $x, y \in S$  then  $x \leq y$  or  $y \leq x$ .

Example

$S = \{ \text{subsets of } \{1, 2, 3\} \}$   
ordered by inclusion.



If  $x = \{1\}$  and  $y = \{3\}$   
then  $x \not\subseteq y$  and  $y \not\subseteq x$

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The integers  $\mathbb{Z}$ .

Ordered commutative ring.

①  $\mathbb{Z}$  is a set.

②  $\mathbb{Z} \times \mathbb{Z} \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}$   
 $(a, b) \mapsto a + b$  addition

③  $\mathbb{Z} \times \mathbb{Z} \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}$   
 $(a, b) \mapsto ab$  multiplication

④  $x \leq y$  if there exists  $n \in \mathbb{Z}, n > 0$   
such that  $x + n = y$ .

which satisfy

$(F_1), \dots, (F_5), (P_1), \dots, (P_4), (D_F)$  and  $(D_F)$

$$\mathbb{Z}_{>0} = \{1, 1+1, \cancel{1+1+1}, \dots\}$$

$$= \{1, 2, 3, \dots\} \quad \underline{\text{add}}$$

$$\mathbb{Z}_{\geq 0} = \{0, 1, 2, 3, \dots\}$$

with  $D+x = x$  and  $x \neq D \leq x$ .

$$\mathbb{Z} = \{\dots, -3, -2, -1, 0, 1, 2, 3, \dots\}$$

with

$$-x + x = 0$$

$\mathbb{Z}_{>0}$  is the free monoid without identity generated by 1.

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Prop  $\mathbb{Z}$ , addition

Let  $k \in \mathbb{Z}$ . Then there exists a unique function  $f: \mathbb{Z} \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}$  such that

- (a) If  $x, y \in \mathbb{Z}$  then  $f(x+y) = f(x) + f(y)$
- (b)  $f(1) = k$ .

One of  $a, b, \text{ or } c$  satisfies  
 $x$  is divisible by 3

or

$x$  is divisible by 4

or

$x$  is divisible by 5.

$$K[x] = \left\{ a_0 + a_1x + \dots + a_lx^l \mid \begin{array}{l} l \in \mathbb{Z}_{\neq 0} \\ \text{and} \\ a_0, \dots, a_l \in K \end{array} \right\}$$

Polynomial with coefficients in  $K$