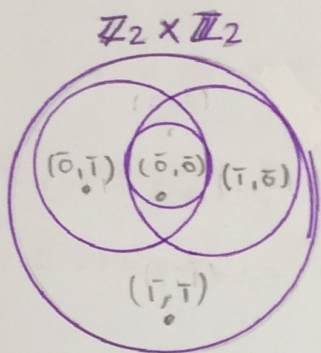


③ Find all the maximal and prime ideals of $\mathbb{Z}_2 \times \mathbb{Z}_2$



Ideals (trivial)

$\{(0,0)\}$

$\mathbb{Z}_2 \times \mathbb{Z}_2$

other possible ideals

$\{(0,0), (0,1)\}$ ✓

$\{(0,0), (1,0)\}$ ✓

$\{(0,0), (1,0), (0,1)\}$ ✗
not closed under +

$(1,1)$ is a unit so, if $(1,1)$ is an ideal then the ideal is the whole ring $\mathbb{Z}_2 \times \mathbb{Z}_2$

If R and S are rings and
 I ideal of R
 J ideal of S
 $I \times J$ ideal of $R \times S$

maximal

$\{(0,0), (0,1)\}$

$\{(0,0), (1,0)\}$

not maximal

$\{(0,0)\}$

$\mathbb{Z}_2 \times \mathbb{Z}_2$

HW 7 #6
 R is comm.
 $w/ 1 \neq 0$

Prime

$\{(0,0), (0,1)\}$

$\{(0,0), (1,0)\}$

not prime

$\mathbb{Z}_2 \times \mathbb{Z}_2$

$I = \{(0,0)\} \leftarrow (0,1)(1,0) = (0,0)$
 not in I not in I in I

P is a prime ideal in R if:

- P is an ideal
- $P \neq R$
- For every $a, b \in R$ if $ab \in P$ then $a \in P$ or $b \in P$

* Ideals of $\mathbb{Z}_2 = \{0, 1\}$ are $\{0\}$ and \mathbb{Z}_2

HW 7

5

Let R be a commutative ring w/ $1 \neq 0$

Then $\{0\}$ is a prime ideal iff R is an int. dom.

proof:

(\Leftarrow) Suppose R is an int. domain

$\{0\}$ is always an ideal let's show it's prime.

$\{0\} \neq R$ since R has at least two elements: 0 and 1

Suppose $a, b \in R$ and $ab \in \{0\}$

so $ab = 0$. Since R is an int. dom,

either $a = 0$ or $b = 0$.

so $a \in \{0\}$ or $b \in \{0\}$. So $\{0\}$ is prime.

$R \cong R/\{0\}$
 \uparrow
Int. dom.
So, $\{0\}$ is prime

(\Rightarrow) Suppose $\{0\}$ is prime

Suppose $ab = 0$ where $a, b \in R$

Then $ab \in \{0\}$

since $\{0\}$ is prime, $a \in \{0\}$ or $b \in \{0\}$

so either $a = 0$ or $b = 0$

so, R is an integral domain. \square

How to make a finite field of size p^n where p is prime

- ① Find an irreducible poly $f(x) \in \mathbb{Z}_p[x]$ of degree n
- ② let $E = \mathbb{Z}_p[x] / \langle f(x) \rangle$

HW #8

① construct a field of size 8.

$$8 = 2^3 \leftarrow n=3$$

\uparrow
 $p=2$

* Goal find an irreducible poly $f(x)$ in $\mathbb{Z}_2[x]$ of degree 3

Possibilities

- $x \cdot x^3 + 1$
- $x \cdot x^3 = x \cdot x \cdot x$
- $x \cdot x^3 + x^2 + x + 1$
 $\uparrow (x+1)(x^2+1)$
- $x \cdot x^3 + x = x(x^2+1)$
- $x \cdot x^3 + x + 1$
- $x \cdot x^3 + x^2 + 1$ (boxed)
- $x \cdot x^3 + x^2 + x$
 $\uparrow x(x^2+x+1)$
- $x \cdot x^3 + x^2$
 $\uparrow = x^2(x+1)$

$$x^3 + \bar{a}x^2 + \bar{b}x + \bar{c}$$

where $\bar{a}, \bar{b}, \bar{c} = \bar{0}, \bar{1}$

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} x^3 + \bar{1} \leftarrow \bar{0}^3 + \bar{1} = \bar{1} \\ \bar{1}^3 + \bar{1} = \bar{2} = \bar{0} \end{array} \right\} x^3 + \bar{1} \text{ has a root in } \mathbb{Z}_2 \text{ so its reducible in } \mathbb{Z}_2$$

$$f(x) = x^3 + x^2 + \bar{1}$$

$$f(\bar{0}) = \bar{0} + \bar{0} + \bar{1} = \bar{1} \neq \bar{0}$$

$$f(\bar{1}) = \bar{1}^3 + \bar{1}^2 + \bar{1} = \bar{3} = \bar{1} \neq \bar{0}$$

So f has no roots in \mathbb{Z}_2

since $\deg(f) = 3$, f is irreducible in \mathbb{Z}_2

so $I = \langle x^3 + x^2 + \bar{1} \rangle$ is maximal. Thus,

$$E = \mathbb{Z}_2[x] / I \text{ is a field.}$$

$F = \text{Field}$

An ideal $\langle f(x) \rangle \neq \{0\}$ is maximal in $F[x]$ iff $f(x)$ is irreducible over F

$$E = \{(a+bx+cx^2)+I \mid a,b,c \in \mathbb{Z}_2\}$$

$$= \{ \bar{0}+I, \bar{1}+I, x+I, (x+\bar{1})+I, x^2+I, (x^2+\bar{1})+I, (x^2+x)+I, (x^2+x+\bar{1})+I \}$$

side note:

deg 1 irr

$$x+\bar{1}$$

$$x$$

deg 2 irr

$$x^2+x+\bar{1}$$

deg 3 irr

$$x^3+x+\bar{1}$$

$$x^3+x^2+\bar{1}$$

Don't worry about HW 3 only HW 3 #6 *

HW #7

② ideals in $\mathbb{Z}_8 = \{\bar{0}, \bar{1}, \bar{2}, \bar{3}, \bar{4}, \bar{5}, \bar{6}, \bar{7}\}$

$$\langle \bar{x} \rangle = \langle -\bar{x} \rangle$$

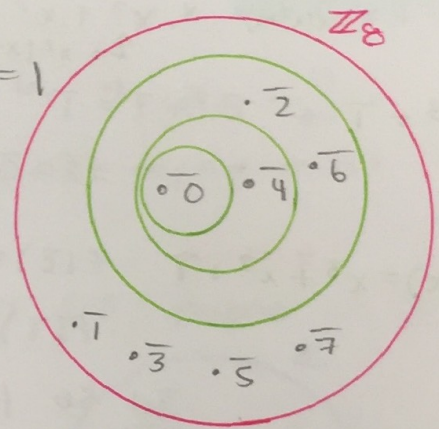
$$\langle \bar{x} \rangle = \mathbb{Z}_n \text{ iff } \gcd(n, x) = 1$$

$$\langle \bar{0} \rangle = \{\bar{0}\}$$

$$\langle \bar{1} \rangle = \mathbb{Z}_n = \langle \bar{3} \rangle = \langle \bar{5} \rangle = \langle \bar{7} \rangle$$

$$\langle \bar{2} \rangle = \{\bar{0}, \bar{2}, \bar{4}, \bar{6}\} = \langle \bar{6} \rangle$$

$$\langle \bar{4} \rangle = \{\bar{0}, \bar{4}\}$$



ideals of \mathbb{Z}_8

maximal	prime
$\{\bar{0}, \bar{2}, \bar{4}, \bar{6}\}$	$\{\bar{0}, \bar{2}, \bar{4}, \bar{6}\}$

possible prime

no $\{\bar{0}\} \leftarrow \bar{2} \cdot \bar{4} \in \{\bar{0}\}$ and \mathbb{Z}_8 is not an int-dom
not in $\{\bar{0}\}$

no $\{\bar{0}, \bar{4}\} \leftarrow \bar{2} \cdot \bar{2} = \bar{4} \in \{\bar{0}, \bar{4}\}$
↑↑
not in $\{\bar{0}, \bar{4}\}$

Final:

- Subring or not
- Ring or not
- units in a ring
- mult./add. identities
- int. domain or not
- HW 3 #6
- homomorphic or not
- iso. or not?
- $R \cong S$ or not

$* \langle x \rangle = \{rx \mid r \in R\}$

- ideal or not
- finding all ideals of a ring
- calculating R/I and doing calculations in R/I
- maximal or prime?
- make finite fields
- is all poly irr.
- Proofs about all objects in class
- kernel

$\bullet S \not\subseteq R$
 means $S \subseteq R$ is not true
 $\bullet S \subsetneq R$ means $S \subseteq R$ but $S \neq R$

HW 7 #4

Is $6\mathbb{Z}$ maximal in \mathbb{Z} ? Is it prime?

$6\mathbb{Z} = \{\dots, -12, -6, 0, 6, 12, \dots\}$

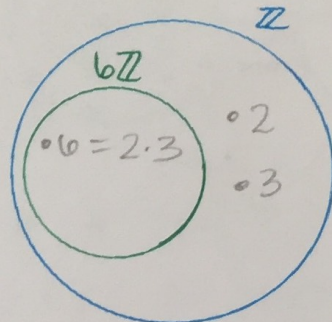
$3\mathbb{Z} = \{\dots, -12, -9, -6, -3, 0, 3, 6, 9, 12, \dots\}$

since $6\mathbb{Z} \subsetneq 3\mathbb{Z} \subsetneq \mathbb{Z}$, $6\mathbb{Z}$ is not maximal
 or $6\mathbb{Z} \subseteq 2\mathbb{Z} \subseteq \mathbb{Z}$

Facts about \mathbb{Z}

- ideals of \mathbb{Z}
 $\{0\}, \mathbb{Z}, 2\mathbb{Z}, 3\mathbb{Z}, \dots$ i.e. $n\mathbb{Z}, n \geq 0$
- max. ideals of \mathbb{Z}
 $p\mathbb{Z}, p$ is prime
- Prime ideals of \mathbb{Z}
 $\{0\}, p\mathbb{Z}, p$ prime

prime
 Is $6\mathbb{Z}$ prime in \mathbb{Z}



$2, 3 \notin 6\mathbb{Z}$ but
 $2 \cdot 3 = 6 \in 6\mathbb{Z}$

so $6\mathbb{Z}$ is not prime in \mathbb{Z}

Review:

I is prime in R

① I is an ideal of R

② $I \neq R$

③ For every $a, b \in R$

if $ab \in I$, then $a \in I$ or $b \in I$

Contrapositive

If $a \notin I$ and $b \notin I$ then $ab \notin I$

HW 7 #7

Give an example of a prime ideal that's not maximal.

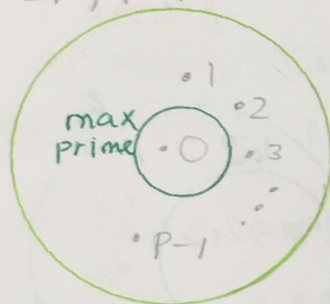
EX 1: $\{0\}$ is prime in \mathbb{Z} , but not maximal since $\{0\} \subseteq 2\mathbb{Z} \subseteq \mathbb{Z}$

EX 2: There's no ex. #2 \therefore

field

↓

\mathbb{Z}_p , p prime

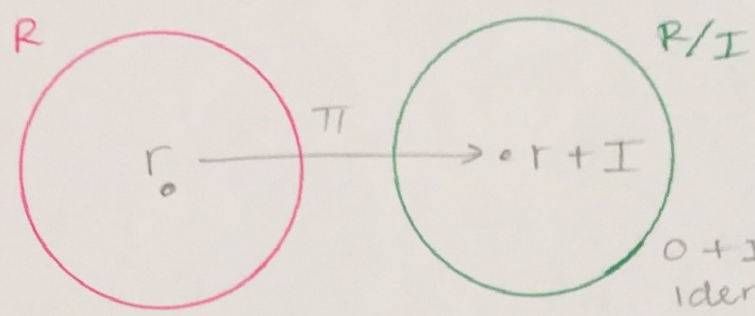


HW 6 #4

R is a ring, I is an ideal of R

$$\pi: R \rightarrow R/I$$

$\pi(r) = r + I$, π is an onto ring homo.



$0 + I$ is the additive identity in R/I

Proof: Let $x, y \in R$, then

$$\pi(x + y) = (x + y) + I = (x + I) + (y + I) = \pi(x) + \pi(y)$$

$$\pi(xy) = xy + I = (x + I)(y + I) = \pi(x)\pi(y)$$

onto: yes.

consider a coset $r + I \in R/I$ where $r \in R$

Then $\pi(r) = r + I$

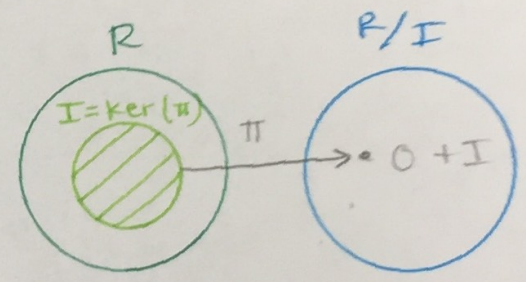
$$\ker(\pi) = I$$

pf: (1) suppose $i \in I$

$$\text{Then } \pi(i) = i + I \stackrel{\uparrow}{=} 0 + I$$

since $i - 0 \in I$

so $i \in \ker(\pi)$, so $I \subseteq \ker(\pi)$



(2) Suppose $x \in \ker(\pi)$

$$\text{Then } \pi(x) = 0 + I$$

$$\text{so, } x + I = 0 + I$$

Thus, $x = x - 0 \in I$

$$\text{so } \ker(\pi) \subseteq I \quad \square$$

when is π 1-1?

π is 1-1 iff $\ker(\pi) = \{0\}$

$$\text{iff } I = \{0\}$$

HW 5

④ (a) let I be an ideal of \mathbb{Z}_n

I is a subgroup of \mathbb{Z}_n under $+$

4550 $\left[\begin{array}{l} \mathbb{Z}_n \text{ is a cyclic group under } + \\ \text{so } I \text{ is a cyclic subgroup of } \mathbb{Z}_n \text{ under } + \end{array} \right.$

So, $I = \langle \bar{a} \rangle$ for some $\bar{a} \in \mathbb{Z}_n$

cyclic subgroup
generated by \bar{a}

$$\text{Thus, } I = \langle \bar{a} \rangle = \{ \bar{0}, \bar{a}, \bar{a} + \bar{a}, \bar{a} + \bar{a} + \bar{a}, \dots, \underbrace{\bar{a} + \bar{a} + \dots + \bar{a}}_{n \text{ times}} \}$$

$$= \{ \bar{0}, \bar{a}, \bar{2a}, \bar{3a}, \dots, \bar{(n-1)a} \}$$

$$= \{ \bar{a} \cdot \bar{r} \mid \bar{r} \in \mathbb{Z}_n \}$$

