

Math 415

③ if $n > 4$, $2^n > n^2$ $n \in \mathbb{Z}$

Basis: $n=5$, $2^5 > 5^2$ true

Inductive: assume $2^k > k^2$

(show $2^{k+1} > (k+1)^2$)

$$2^{k+1} = 2 \cdot 2^k = 2^k + 2^k > k^2 + k^2$$

$$\begin{array}{c} 2 \cdot 2^k \\ \textcircled{2^k} \textcircled{2^k} \end{array} \quad k^2 + 2k + 1$$

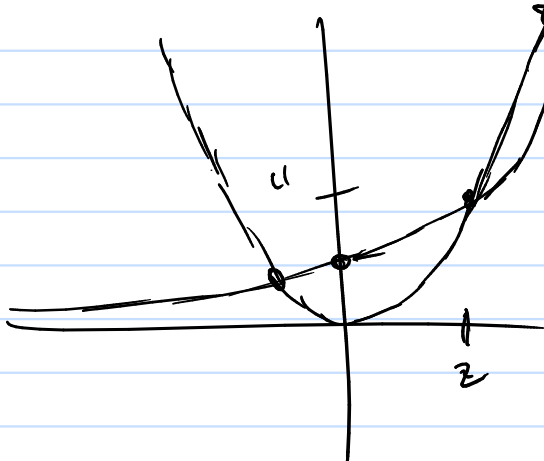
$$2^{k+1} > k^2 + k^2 > k^2 + 2k + 1$$

$$\frac{k^2 > 2k + 1}{\uparrow}$$

if $x > 4$, $2^x > x^2$ $x \in \mathbb{R}$

$$2^x - x^2 > 0$$

$$f(x) = 2^x - x^2$$



B.S.P

ch 11

11.1 (2, 4, 11)

11.2C example 11.8 but do ref, irref, sym, antisym, asym, and trans

(2) 8, (12)

also do antisym.

11.3 (2, 7, 8)

11.4 (2, 3)

Equiv. Relations

R on set A is an equiv. relation if it is

- ① reflexive
- ② symmetric
- ③ transitive

Ex for functions that are polynomials with real coeff.

Define a relation R such that $R = \{ (f, g) \mid f \text{ and } g \text{ have same degree} \}$

(ex) $(4x^2 - 2x^3 + 1) R (\pi x^2 - 2x^2) \in$

Properties ① reflexive? $\forall f (f R f)$

all real coeff polynomials have the same degree as themselves. true.

② irreflexive? $\forall f (f \not R f)$ False counterexample $(x^c) R (x^c)$

③ symmetric? $\forall f, \forall g (f R g \rightarrow g R f)$ true.

④ antisym? $\forall f_1, \forall f_2 (f_1 R f_2 \wedge f_2 R f_1 \rightarrow f_2 = f_1)$
 $\forall f_1, \forall f_2 (f_2 \neq f_1 \rightarrow \neg (f_1 R f_2 \wedge f_2 R f_1))$

⑤ asymmetric? $\forall f_1, \forall f_2 (f_1 R f_2 \rightarrow f_2 \not R f_1)$

(6) transitive $\forall t_1, \forall t_2, \forall t_3 (t_1 R t_2 \wedge t_2 R t_3 \rightarrow t_1 R t_3)$

true.

R is ref., sym, and trans. So R is an equiv. relation

Equiv. Classes

is a set that contains all elements related to a representative of the class for an Equiv. Relation

Notion: [representative] \mathbb{R}

leave off if "everyone" knows what relation you are talking about.

(ex) $\underline{\underline{\mathbb{Z}[X^2+1]}}_{\mathbb{R}} = \{ p(x) \mid p \text{ is a polynomial w/ real coeff and } p \in \mathbb{R}(X^2+1) \}$
same degree polynomials

$$= \{ p(x) \mid p(x) = ax^2 + bx + c \wedge a, b, c \in \mathbb{R} \wedge a \neq 0 \}$$

(ex) $R = \{ (a, b) \mid a \equiv_n b \}$ on the set \mathbb{Z}

ref? $\forall a (a R a)$

for all ints is $a \equiv_n a$?

sym?

$$a \equiv_n b \rightarrow b \equiv_n a$$

$$n \mid (a-a) \quad 0 \quad n \mid 0$$

True.

\rightarrow For all ints a, b if $n \mid (b-a) \rightarrow n \mid (a-b)$?

$$\text{if } nk = (b-a) \rightarrow (a-b) = -nk = n(-k)$$

True

trans? $\forall a, b, c (aRb \wedge bRc \rightarrow aRc)$

$$a \equiv_n b \wedge b \equiv_n c \rightarrow a \equiv_n c$$

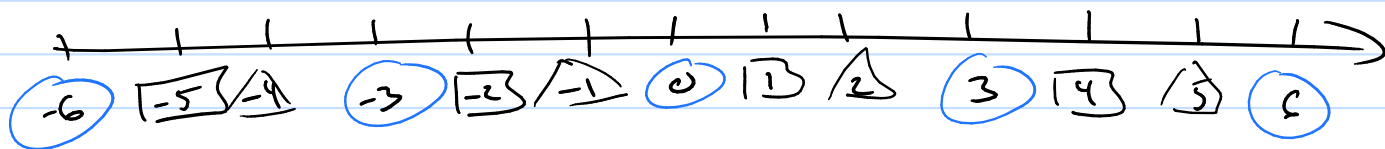
$$n \mid (b-a) \wedge n \mid (c-b)$$

$$\text{so } n \mid (c-b) + (b-a)$$

$$n \mid (c-a) \text{ is } a \equiv_n c$$

thm.

Equiv Classes:



$$[0]_{\text{div by } 3} = \{ \dots, -6, -3, 0, 3, 6, \dots \}$$

$$[1]_{\text{div by } 3} = \{ \dots, -5, -2, 1, 4, 7, \dots \}$$

$$[2]_{\text{div by } 3} = \{ -7, -4, -1, 2, 5, 8, \dots \}$$

Thm R is an equiv. relation on A .

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PF Case 1 $[a]_R = [b]_R \Rightarrow a R b$

Case 2 $a R b \Rightarrow [a]_R = [b]_R$

Sketch

Case 1?

$([a]_R = [b]_R) \rightarrow a R b$ Goal!

Note:

$[a]_R = \{e \mid a R e\}$

$[b]_R = \{e \mid e R b\}$
what $a \in \{e \mid e R b\}$ Goal!