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Ex. (P. 109 in chap. 3)

Show
$$\sum_{k=0}^n \binom{n}{k}^2 = \binom{2n}{n}$$

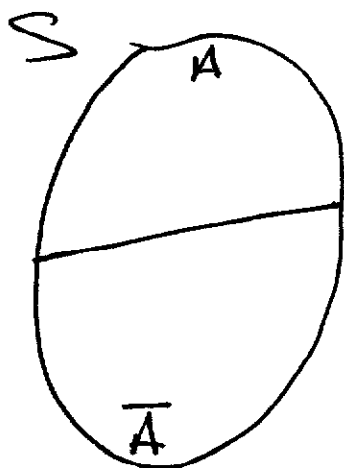
Proof:

Let $|S| = 2n$, and $A \subseteq S$ with $|A| = n$.

obviously R.H.S is the # of n -element subsets of S :

$$\{B \subseteq S \mid |B| = n\}$$

To construct $B \subseteq S$ with $|B| = n$, we perform one of the following $(n+1)$ mutually exclusive subtasks.



k	<u># elements in A</u>	<u># elements in $\bar{A}$</u>	<u># ways</u>
0	0	n	$\binom{n}{0} \cdot \binom{n}{n}$
1	1	$n-1$	$\binom{n}{1} \cdot \binom{n}{n-1}$
2	2	$n-2$	$\binom{n}{2} \cdot \binom{n}{n-2}$
$\vdots$	$\vdots$	$\vdots$	$\vdots$
$n-1$	$n-1$	1	$\binom{n}{n-1} \cdot \binom{n}{1}$
n	n	0	$\binom{n}{n} \cdot \binom{n}{0}$

By the addition principle we have the number of $R \subseteq S$ with $|R| = n$ is:

$$\sum_{k=0}^n \binom{n}{k} \cdot \binom{n}{n-k} = \sum_{k=0}^n \binom{n}{k} \cdot \binom{n}{k}$$

$$= \sum_{k=0}^n \binom{n}{k}^2 = \text{LHS.}$$

$$\therefore \text{LHS} = \text{RHS}$$



Chap. 4: Direct Proof

many theorems are of the form

$$P \Rightarrow Q.$$

A direct proof of $P \Rightarrow Q$ proceeds by assuming P to be true and showing Q is true as a consequence. we can use

- Previous thms.
- Axioms
- valid inference rules
(like $(P \wedge (P \Rightarrow Q)) \rightarrow Q$ m.p.)

Defn

let $a, b \in \mathbb{Z}$. we say a divides b iff there exists $k \in \mathbb{Z}$ such that $b = ak$.

notation: $a|b$ read "a divides b"

also say: a is a divisor of b , b is a multiple of a

Remark:

we did not define $a|b$ to mean

$$\frac{b}{a} \in \mathbb{Z}$$

although this is equivalent.

Ex.

$$2 \mid 18 \quad \text{since} \quad 18 = 2 \cdot 6$$

$$5 \mid 75 \quad \text{since} \quad 75 = 5 \cdot 15$$

$$-5 \mid 75 \quad \text{"} \quad 75 = (-5)(-15)$$

$$5 \mid -75 \quad \text{"} \quad -75 = 5(-15)$$

$$-5 \mid -75 \quad \text{"} \quad -75 = -5(15)$$

$$3 \nmid 19 \quad \text{"} \quad 19 \neq 3k \text{ for all } k \in \mathbb{Z}$$

$$\neg(\exists k : 19 = 3k) = \forall k : 19 \neq 3k$$

Facts

- $1 \mid b$ for all $b \in \mathbb{Z}$ ($\kappa = b$)
- $b \mid b$ " " $b \in \mathbb{Z}$ ($\kappa = 1$)
- $a \mid 0$ " " $a \in \mathbb{Z}$ ($\kappa = 0$)
- $0 \nmid b$ unless $b = 0$ ($\kappa = \text{any int}$)

Theorem

for all $a, b, c \in \mathbb{Z}$: if $a \mid b$ and $b \mid c$,
then $a \mid c$.

Proof:

Let $a, b, c \in \mathbb{Z}$. Assume $a \mid b$ and $b \mid c$.

Then

$$a \mid b \iff b = \kappa_1 a \text{ for some } \kappa_1 \in \mathbb{Z}$$

$$b \mid c \iff c = \kappa_2 b \text{ for some } \kappa_2 \in \mathbb{Z}$$

Therefore

$$c = k_2 b = k_2 (k_1 a) = (k_2 k_1) a.$$

Since $k_2 k_1 \in \mathbb{Z}$, we have

$$a \mid c.$$



note

we've used some facts:

- equals can be substituted for equals.
- assoc. law for $\mathbb{Z}$.
- closure of $\mathbb{Z}$ under multiplication.

Recall the Axiom

well ordering Prop. of $\mathbb{N}$ (also true for $\mathbb{Z}_{\geq 0}$)

every non-empty subset of $\mathbb{N}$ contains a least element.

Recall

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Theorem (Division Algorithm)

For any $a, b \in \mathbb{Z}$ with $b > 0$, there exist unique $q, r \in \mathbb{Z}$ such that

$$a = qb + r \quad \text{and} \quad 0 \leq r < b$$

we used W.O.P to prove

(1) existence of $q, r \in \mathbb{Z}$

and left as exercise

(2) uniqueness of $q, r \in \mathbb{Z}$.

Proof of (2)

Assume

$$a = q_1 b + r_1 \quad \text{and} \quad 0 \leq r_1 < b$$

$$\text{and} \quad a = q_2 b + r_2 \quad \text{and} \quad 0 \leq r_2 < b$$

we must show $r_1 = r_2$ and $q_1 = q_2$

The 2 eqns imply

$$q_1 b + r_1 = q_2 b + r_2$$

$$\therefore (q_1 - q_2)b = r_2 - r_1$$

If $r_1 < r_2$, then $0 \leq r_1 < r_2 < b$, hence

$$0 < r_2 - r_1 < b$$

$$\therefore 0 < (q_1 - q_2)b < b$$

$$\therefore 0 < q_1 - q_2 < 1$$

Since $q_1 - q_2$ is an int, this is impossible. $\therefore r_1 < r_2$ is impossible.

Similarly $r_2 < r_1$ is also impossible.
The only possibility left is $\boxed{r_1 = r_2}$.

$$\therefore (q_1 - q_2)b = r_2 - r_1 = 0 \Rightarrow q_1 - q_2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{q_1 = q_2}.$$

Ex.

for any $n \in \mathbb{Z}$ there exists a unique k and r s.t.

$$n = 2k + r \text{ and } 0 \leq r < 2$$

Thus either $r=0$ or $r=1$, showing that every int. is one of two forms

• $n = 2k$ (called even)

or
• $n = 2k + 1$ (" odd)

Thus

$$E = \{2k \mid k \in \mathbb{Z}\}$$

$$O = \{2k + 1 \mid k \in \mathbb{Z}\}$$

satisfy $E \cap O = \emptyset$ and $E \cup O = \mathbb{Z}$,
i.e. they form a partition of $\mathbb{Z}$.

Ex. replace 2 by 3 :

we get a partition of $\mathbb{Z}$ into

3 Parts

name

$$\bullet \{3k \mid k \in \mathbb{Z}\} \quad [0]_3$$

$$\bullet \{3k+1 \mid k \in \mathbb{Z}\} \quad [1]_3$$

$$\bullet \{3k+2 \mid k \in \mathbb{Z}\} \quad [2]_3$$

Defn

Two integers a, b are said to have the same Parity iff they have same remainder on division by 2.

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we can define an arithmetic
on the Partition $\{ \text{Even}, \text{Odd} \}$
as follows

a	b	+	x
E	E	E	E
E	O	O	E
O	E	O	E
O	O	E	O

Exercise

Prove that this arithmetic is
consistent

For instance: if $a \in O, b \in E$
then there exist $k_1, k_2 \in \mathbb{Z}$ s.t.

$$a = 2k_1 + 1$$

$$b = 2k_2$$

Then

$$a + b = (2k_1 + 1) + 2k_2 = 2(k_1 + k_2) + 1 \in O$$

and

$$a \cdot b = (2k_1 + 1) \cdot 2k_2 = 2(k_2 \cdot (2k_1 + 1)) \in E$$

Then

for any $n \in \mathbb{Z}$:

(1) if n is even, then n^2 is even.

and

(2) if n is odd, then n^2 is odd.

Actually the converses of (1), (2) are also true. why

Recall: implication $P \rightarrow Q$

converse: $Q \rightarrow P$

contrapositive: $\sim Q \rightarrow \sim P$

Recall: $P \rightarrow Q = \neg Q \rightarrow \neg P$

since $\neg \text{Odd} = \text{Even}$ and $\neg \text{Even} = \text{Odd}$

contrapos. of (1) = converse of (2)

" " (2) = " " (1)

simpler form of theorem

Thm

for all $n \in \mathbb{Z}$:

n is even $\iff n^2$ is even.