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Monoid homomorphism:  $M, N$  monoids

$$M \xrightarrow{f} N \begin{cases} f(e_M) = e_N \\ f(x, y) = f(x) \cdot f(y) \quad \forall x, y \in M. \end{cases}$$

A Monoid homomorphism which is bijective is called monoid isomorphism.

The following properties of monoid homomorphism can be proved:

$$1. f(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n) = f(x_1) f(x_2) \dots f(x_n)$$

$$2. f(x^n) = (f(x))^n \quad n \in \mathbb{N}.$$

$$3. x \in M^{\times} \Rightarrow f(x) \in N^{\times} \text{ and } f(x^{-1}) = f(x)^{-1}$$

$$f(x^n) = f(x)^n \quad \forall n \in \mathbb{Z}$$

Composition of a monoid homomorphism is also a homomorphism.

$$g \circ f : M \xrightarrow{f} N \xrightarrow{g} L$$

$f^{\times} : M^{\times} \rightarrow N^{\times}$  is a group homomorphism because  $M^{\times}, N^{\times}$  are groups.

$\text{Hom}(M, N) =$  set of all monoid homomorphisms from  $M$  to  $N \subseteq N^M$

$\text{End}(M, M) =$  set of all monoid homomorphisms from  $M$  to  $M \subseteq M^M$  (Endomorphism)

$(\text{End}(M), \circ)$  is a submonoid of  $M^M$

$\text{Aut}(M) =$  set of all isomorphism from  $M$  to  $M$   
 $\subseteq \text{End}(M)$

In fact,  $\text{End}(M)^{\times} = \text{Aut}(M)$

Given any monoid  $M$  which is bijective to a set  $X$  through a map  $f$ ,

$f: M \rightarrow X$  bijective

~~$f^{-1}(x)$~~  ~~////~~

For any  $x, y \in X$ ,  $f^{-1}(x), f^{-1}(y) \in M$ .

Define the binary operation in  $X$  as

$$x \cdot y = f(f^{-1}(x) f^{-1}(y))$$

For example:  $(\mathbb{R}, +) \rightarrow (0, 1)$

Example:  $\mathbb{P} =$  the set of all prime numbers

$$\mathbb{N}^{\times} \longrightarrow \mathbb{N}^{(\mathbb{P})}$$

( $p$  tuples with only finitely many elements are not zero)

$(n_p)_{p \in \mathbb{P}}$ ,  $n_p = 0$  for almost all  $p \in \mathbb{P}$ .

Define a map  $\phi$  as

$$(\mathbb{N}^{\times}, \cdot) \xrightarrow{\phi} (\mathbb{N}^{(\mathbb{P})}, +)$$

$$\eta = \prod_{p \in \mathbb{P}} p^{v_p(n)} \xrightarrow{\phi} \left( v_p(n) \right)_{p \in \mathbb{P}}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \phi(m \cdot n) &= \phi(n) + \phi(m) = \left( v_p(n) \right)_{p \in \mathbb{P}} + \left( v_p(m) \right)_{p \in \mathbb{P}} \\ &= \left( v_p(n) + v_p(m) \right)_{p \in \mathbb{P}} \\ &= \left( v_p(mn) \right)_{p \in \mathbb{P}} \end{aligned}$$

Also note that  $\phi$  is invertible.

$$\prod_{p \in \mathbb{P}} p^{\alpha_p} \xleftarrow{\phi^{-1}} \left( \alpha_p \right)_{p \in \mathbb{P}} \Rightarrow \phi \text{ is automorphism}$$

For any monoid factorial  $M \cong M^{\times} \times (\mathbb{N}^{(I)}, +)$  for some  $I$ .  
 ↙ bijective

$$\varepsilon(x) \prod_{p \in \mathbb{P}} p^{v_p(x)} = x \longmapsto \left( \varepsilon(x), v_p(x) \right)$$

Also there is monoid automorphism between

$$\left( \mathbb{Z}^{\times}, \cdot \right) \longrightarrow \left( \mathbb{Z}^{\times}, \cdot \right) \times \left( \mathbb{N}^{(\mathbb{P})}, + \right) \\ \left( \{ \pm 1 \}, \cdot \right)$$

$$z = \varepsilon(z) \prod_{p \in \mathbb{P}} p^{v_p(z)} \longrightarrow \left( \varepsilon(z), v_p(z) \right)_{p \in \mathbb{P}}$$

isomorphism

Monoid automorphism between

$$\left( \mathbb{Z}^{\times} \times \mathbb{Z}^{(\mathbb{P})}, \cdot \right) \longrightarrow \left( \mathbb{Q}^{\times}, \cdot \right)$$

Note  $x \in \mathbb{Q}$ , then

$$x = \frac{a}{b} = \frac{\varepsilon(a) \prod_{p \in \mathbb{P}} p^{v_p(a)}}{\varepsilon(b) \prod_{p \in \mathbb{P}} p^{v_p(b)}}$$

$$\left( \varepsilon(x), \left( v_p(x) \right)_{p \in \mathbb{P}} \right) \longrightarrow \varepsilon(x) \prod_{p \in \mathbb{P}} p^{v_p(x)} \quad v_p(x) \in \mathbb{Z}$$

Another example:

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$$X \text{ any set } (\mathcal{P}(X), \cup) \longrightarrow (\mathcal{P}(X), \cap)$$

$$A \longrightarrow (X - A)$$

↪ monoid automorphism.

$$(\mathbb{R}, +) \longrightarrow (\mathbb{R}_+^*, \cdot) \text{ monoid}$$

let  $a \in \mathbb{R}, a > 0, a \neq 1$ , then

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} x \longrightarrow a^x \\ \log_a y \longleftarrow y \end{array} \right\} \text{ monoid automorphism}$$

Another example:  $((\text{End}(\mathbb{N}), +), \circ) \cong (\mathbb{N}, +)$

$$\phi \longrightarrow \phi(1)$$

$$(\text{Aut}(\text{Id}_{\mathbb{N}}, +), \circ) \cong \{1\}$$

More isomorphism examples:

$$((\text{End}(\mathbb{N}^*), \cdot), \circ) \cong (\mathbb{N}^{\mathbb{P}}, \cdot)$$

$$((\text{Aut}(\mathbb{N}^*), \cdot), \circ) \cong (\mathbb{N}^{\mathbb{P}}, \cdot) \cong \mathcal{S}(\mathbb{P})$$

$$\phi \longrightarrow \phi|_{\mathbb{P}}$$

↪ Permutation on  $\mathbb{P}$ .

$$\phi: \mathbb{N}^* \longrightarrow \mathbb{N}^*$$

Category:  $\mathcal{C}$  Consists of data

(a) objects  $\text{obj}(\mathcal{C})$  objects need not be sets

(b)  $X, Y \in \text{obj}(\mathcal{C})$  there is a set  $\text{Hom}_{\mathcal{C}}(X, Y)$

Its elements are called morphisms in  $\mathcal{C}$ .

(c)  $X, Y, Z \in \text{obj}(\mathcal{C})$ , there is a map

$$\text{Hom}_{\mathcal{C}}(X, Y) * \text{Hom}_{\mathcal{C}}(Y, Z) \longrightarrow \text{Hom}_{\mathcal{C}}(X, Z)$$

$$(\phi, \psi) \longmapsto \psi \circ \phi$$

which satisfies

A.  $\forall X \in \text{obj}(\mathcal{C}) \exists \text{id}_X \in \text{Hom}_{\mathcal{C}}(X, X)$

$$\text{id}_X \circ \phi = \phi, \quad \phi \circ \text{id}_X = \phi$$

B. Operation in  $(\mathcal{C})$  is associative

↳ Composition

Examples: (1) Category of sets: objects are sets

(2) Category of monoids: objects are monoids

$\text{Hom}_{\mathcal{C}}(X, Y)$ : set of monoid homomorphisms.