

# Arithmetic

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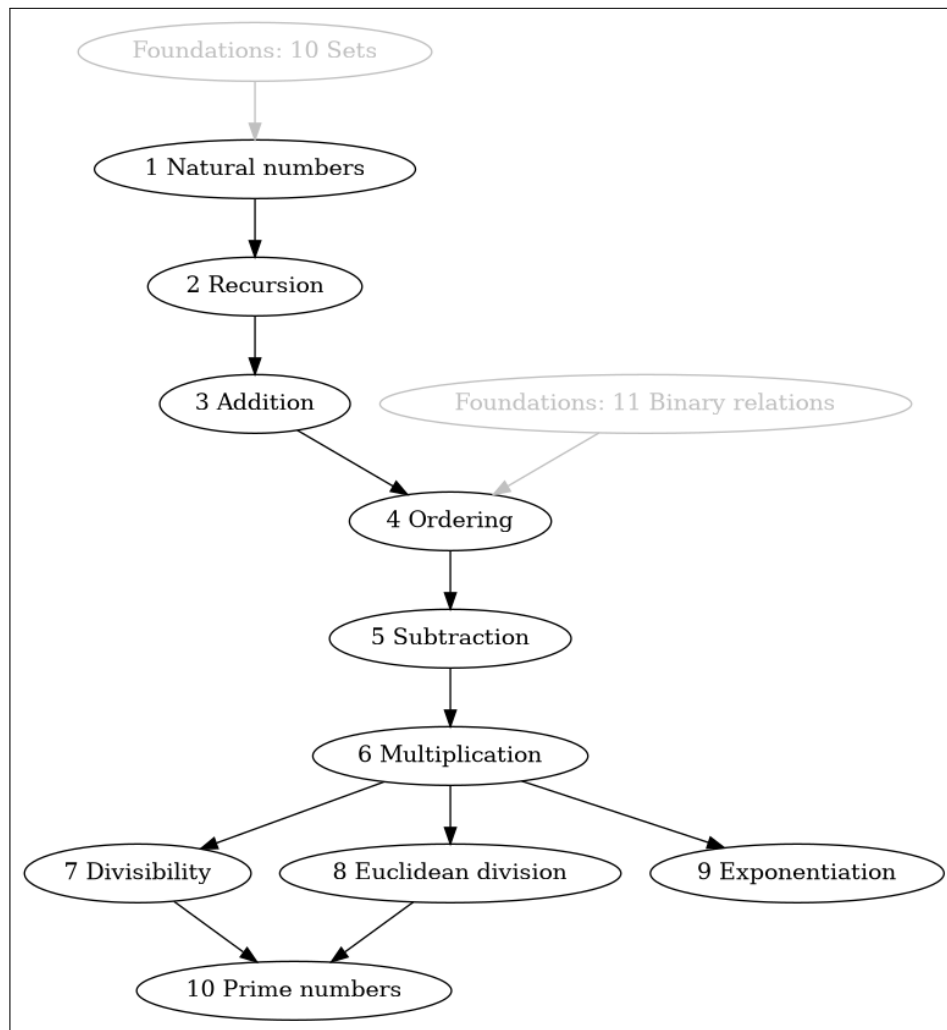
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## Introduction

This is a library providing basic notions of natural numbers arithmetic. It introduces the natural numbers on the basis of the Peano Axioms (chapter 1) and uses Dedekind’s Recursion Theorem (chapter 2) to define common arithmetical operations on them. A first example of such operations is given by addition (chapter 3), on the basis of which the standard ordering on the natural numbers is defined (chapter 4) and also a (partial) subtraction operation (chapter 5). Another example of arithmetical operations is provided by multiplication (chapter 6) which is further used to define the notions of divisibility (chapter 7) and Euclidean division (chapter 8). Moreover, an exponentiation operation is defined (chapter 9) and the notion of prime numbers is introduced (chapter 10).

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# Chapter 1

## Natural numbers

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### 1.1 The language of Peano Arithmetic

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**Signature 1.1.** A natural number is an object.

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**Definition 1.2.**  $\mathbb{N}$  is the class of natural numbers.

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**Signature 1.3.** 0 is a natural number.

Let zero stand for 0. Let  $n$  is nonzero stand for  $n \neq 0$ .

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**Signature 1.4.** Let  $n$  be a natural number.  $\text{succ}(n)$  is a natural number.

Let the direct successor of  $n$  stand for  $\text{succ}(n)$ .

## 1.2 The Peano Axioms

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**Axiom 1.5.** Let  $n, m$  be natural numbers. If  $\text{succ}(n) = \text{succ}(m)$  then  $n = m$ .

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**Axiom 1.6.** There exists no natural number  $n$  such that  $\text{succ}(n) = 0$ .

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**Axiom 1.7.** Let  $\Phi$  be a class. Assume  $0 \in \Phi$  and for all natural numbers  $n$  if  $n \in \Phi$  then  $\text{succ}(n) \in \Phi$ . Then  $\Phi$  contains every natural number.

## 1.3 Immediate consequences

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**Proposition 1.8.** Let  $n$  be a natural number. Then  $n = 0$  or  $n = \text{succ}(m)$  for some natural number  $m$ .

*Proof.* Define  $\Phi = \{n' \in \mathbb{N} \mid n' = 0 \text{ or } n' = \text{succ}(m') \text{ for some natural number } m'\}$ .  $0 \in \Phi$  and for all  $n' \in \Phi$  we have  $\text{succ}(n') \in \Phi$ . Hence every natural number is contained in  $\Phi$ . Thus  $n = 0$  or  $n = \text{succ}(m)$  for some natural number  $m$ .  $\square$

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**Proposition 1.9.** Let  $n$  be a natural number. Then  $n \neq \text{succ}(n)$ .

*Proof.* Define  $\Phi = \{n' \in \mathbb{N} \mid n' \neq \text{succ}(n')\}$ .

(1) 0 belongs to  $\Phi$ .

(2) For all  $n' \in \Phi$  we have  $\text{succ}(n') \in \Phi$ .

Proof. Let  $n' \in \Phi$ . Then  $n' \neq \text{succ}(n')$ . If  $\text{succ}(n') = \text{succ}(\text{succ}(n'))$  then  $n' = \text{succ}(n')$ . Thus it is wrong that  $\text{succ}(n') = \text{succ}(\text{succ}(n'))$ . Hence  $\text{succ}(n') \in \Phi$ . Qed.

Therefore every natural number is an element of  $\Phi$ . Consequently  $n \neq \text{succ}(n)$ .  $\square$

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**Proposition 1.10.**  $\mathbb{N}$  is a set.

*Proof.* Define  $f(n) = \text{succ}(n)$  for  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ . Then  $f$  is a map from  $\mathbb{N}$  to  $\mathbb{N}$ . Hence we can take a subset  $X$  of  $\mathbb{N}$  that is inductive regarding 0 and  $f$ . Then  $0 \in X$  and for all  $n \in X$  we have  $\text{succ}(n) \in X$ . Hence  $X$  contains every natural number. Thus we have  $\mathbb{N} \subseteq X$  and  $X \subseteq \mathbb{N}$ . Therefore  $\mathbb{N} = X$ . Consequently  $\mathbb{N}$  is a set.  $\square$

## 1.4 Additional constants

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**Definition 1.11.**  $1 = \text{succ}(0)$ .

Let one stand for 1.

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**Definition 1.12.**  $2 = \text{succ}(1)$ .

Let two stand for 2.

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**Definition 1.13.**  $3 = \text{succ}(2)$ .

Let three stand for 3.



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**Definition 1.14.**  $4 = \text{succ}(3)$ .

Let four stand for 4.

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**Definition 1.15.**  $5 = \text{succ}(4)$ .

Let five stand for 5.

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**Definition 1.16.**  $6 = \text{succ}(5)$ .

Let six stand for 6.

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**Definition 1.17.**  $7 = \text{succ}(6)$ .

Let seven stand for 7.

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**Definition 1.18.**  $8 = \text{succ}(7)$ .

Let eight stand for 8.

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**Definition 1.19.**  $9 = \text{succ}(8)$ .

Let nine stand for 9.

# Chapter 2

## Recursion

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**Definition 2.1.** Let  $a$  be an object and  $f$  be a map. Let  $\varphi$  be a map from  $\mathbb{N}$  to  $\text{dom}(f)$ .  $\varphi$  is recursively defined by  $a$  and  $f$  iff  $\varphi(0) = a$  and  $\varphi(\text{succ}(n)) = f(\varphi(n))$  for every  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ .

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**Theorem 2.2 (Dedekind).** Let  $A$  be a set and  $a \in A$  and  $f : A \rightarrow A$ . Then there exists a  $\varphi : \mathbb{N} \rightarrow A$  that is recursively defined by  $a$  and  $f$ .

*Proof.* Define

$$\Phi = \left\{ H \in \mathcal{P}(\mathbb{N} \times A) \mid \begin{array}{l} (0, a) \in H \text{ and for all } n \in \mathbb{N} \text{ and all } x \in A \text{ if } (n, x) \in H \text{ then} \\ (\text{succ}(n), f(x)) \in H \end{array} \right\}.$$

Let us show that  $\bigcap \Phi \in \Phi$ .

Proof.

(1)  $\bigcap \Phi \in \mathcal{P}(\mathbb{N} \times A)$ .

Proof. We have  $\mathbb{N} \times A \in \Phi$ . Hence  $\Phi$  is nonempty. Any element of  $\bigcap \Phi$  is contained

in every element of  $\Phi$ . Hence any element of  $\bigcap \Phi$  is contained in  $\mathbb{N} \times A$ . Thus  $\bigcap \Phi \subseteq \mathbb{N} \times A$ .  $\bigcap \Phi$  is a set. Hence  $\bigcap \Phi$  is a subset of  $\mathbb{N} \times A$ . Qed.

(2)  $(0, a) \in \bigcap \Phi$ .

Indeed  $(0, a) \in \mathbb{N} \times A \in \Phi$ .

(3) For all  $n \in \mathbb{N}$  and all  $x \in A$  if  $(n, x) \in \bigcap \Phi$  then  $(\text{succ}(n), f(x)) \in \bigcap \Phi$ .

Proof. Let  $n \in \mathbb{N}$  and  $x \in A$ . Assume  $(n, x) \in \bigcap \Phi$ . Then  $(n, x)$  is contained in every element of  $\Phi$ . Hence  $(\text{succ}(n), f(x))$  is contained in every element of  $\Phi$ . Thus  $(\text{succ}(n), f(x)) \in \bigcap \Phi$ . Qed. Qed.

Let us show that for any  $n \in \mathbb{N}$  there exists an  $x \in A$  such that  $(n, x) \in \bigcap \Phi$ .

Proof. Define  $\Psi = \{n \in \mathbb{N} \mid \text{there exists an } x \in A \text{ such that } (n, x) \in \bigcap \Phi\}$ .

(1) 0 is contained in  $\Psi$ . Indeed  $(0, a) \in \bigcap \Phi$ .

(2) For all  $n \in \Psi$  we have  $\text{succ}(n) \in \Psi$ .

Proof. Let  $n \in \Psi$ . Take an  $x \in A$  such that  $(n, x) \in \bigcap \Phi$ . Then  $(\text{succ}(n), f(x)) \in \bigcap \Phi$ . Hence  $\text{succ}(n) \in \Psi$ . Indeed  $f(x) \in A$ . Qed. Qed.

Let us show that for all  $n \in \mathbb{N}$  and all  $x, y \in A$  if  $(n, x), (n, y) \in \bigcap \Phi$  then  $x = y$ .

Proof. (a) Define  $\Theta = \{n \in \mathbb{N} \mid \text{for all } x, y \in A \text{ if } (n, x), (n, y) \in \bigcap \Phi \text{ then } x = y\}$ .

(1)  $\Theta$  contains 0.

Proof. Let us show that for all  $x, y \in A$  if  $(0, x), (0, y) \in \bigcap \Phi$  then  $x = y$ . Let  $x, y \in A$ . Assume  $(0, x), (0, y) \in \bigcap \Phi$ .

Let us show that  $x, y = a$ . Assume  $x \neq a$  or  $y \neq a$ .

Case  $x \neq a$ .  $(0, x), (0, a)$  are contained in every element of  $\Phi$ . Then  $(0, x), (0, a) \in \bigcap \Phi$ . Take  $H = (\bigcap \Phi) \setminus \{(0, x)\}$ .

Let us show that  $H \in \Phi$ . (1)  $H \in \mathcal{P}(\mathbb{N} \times A)$ .

(2)  $(0, a) \in H$ .

(3) For all  $n \in \mathbb{N}$  and all  $b \in A$  if  $(n, b) \in H$  then  $(\text{succ}(n), f(b)) \in H$ .

Proof. Let  $n \in \mathbb{N}$  and  $b \in A$ . Assume  $(n, b) \in H$ . Then  $(\text{succ}(n), f(b)) \in \bigcap \Phi$ . We have  $(\text{succ}(n), f(b)) \neq (0, x)$ . Hence  $(\text{succ}(n), f(b)) \in H$ . Qed. End.

Then  $(0, x)$  is not contained in every member of  $\Phi$ . Contradiction. End.

Case  $y \neq a$ .  $(0, y), (0, a)$  are contained in every element of  $\Phi$ . Then  $(0, y), (0, a) \in \bigcap \Phi$ . Take  $H = (\bigcap \Phi) \setminus \{(0, y)\}$ .

Let us show that  $H \in \Phi$ . (1)  $H \in \mathcal{P}(\mathbb{N} \times A)$ .

(2)  $(0, a) \in H$ .

(3) For all  $n \in \mathbb{N}$  and all  $b \in A$  if  $(n, b) \in H$  then  $(\text{succ}(n), f(b)) \in H$ .

Proof. Let  $n \in \mathbb{N}$  and  $b \in A$ . Assume  $(n, b) \in H$ . Then  $(\text{succ}(n), f(b)) \in \bigcap \Phi$ . We have  $(\text{succ}(n), f(b)) \neq (0, y)$ . Hence  $(\text{succ}(n), f(b)) \in H$ . Qed. End.

Then  $(0, y)$  is not contained in every member of  $\Phi$ . Contradiction. End. End. End.

Qed.

(2) For all  $n \in \Theta$  we have  $\text{succ}(n) \in \Theta$ .

Proof. Let  $n \in \Theta$ . Then for all  $x, y \in A$  if  $(n, x), (n, y) \in \bigcap \Phi$  then  $x = y$ . Consider a  $b \in A$  such that  $(n, b) \in \bigcap \Phi$ . Then  $(\text{succ}(n), f(b)) \in \bigcap \Phi$ .

Let us show that for all  $x, y \in A$  if  $(\text{succ}(n), x), (\text{succ}(n), y) \in \bigcap \Phi$  then  $x = f(b) = y$ . Let  $x, y \in A$ . Assume  $(\text{succ}(n), x), (\text{succ}(n), y) \in \bigcap \Phi$ . Suppose  $x \neq f(b)$  or  $y \neq f(b)$ .

Case  $x \neq f(b)$ . Take  $H = (\bigcap \Phi) \setminus \{(\text{succ}(n), x)\}$ .

(a)  $H \in \mathcal{P}(\mathbb{N} \times A)$ .

(b)  $(0, a) \in H$ . Indeed  $(0, a) \in \bigcap \Phi$  and  $(0, a) \notin \{(\text{succ}(n), x)\}$ .

(c) For all  $m \in \mathbb{N}$  and all  $z \in A$  if  $(m, z) \in H$  then  $(\text{succ}(m), f(z)) \in H$ .

Proof. Let  $m \in \mathbb{N}$  and  $z \in A$ . Assume  $(m, z) \in H$ . Then  $(m, z) \in \bigcap \Phi$ . Hence  $(\text{succ}(m), f(z)) \in \bigcap \Phi$ .  $(\text{succ}(m), f(z)) \neq (\text{succ}(n), x)$ . Therefore  $(\text{succ}(m), f(z)) \in H$ . Qed.

Thus  $H \in \Phi$ . Therefore every element of  $\bigcap \Phi$  is contained in  $H$ . Consequently  $(\text{succ}(n), x) \in H$ . Contradiction. End.

Case  $y \neq f(b)$ . Take a class  $H$  such that  $H = (\bigcap \Phi) \setminus \{(\text{succ}(n), y)\}$ .

(a)  $H \in \mathcal{P}(\mathbb{N} \times A)$ .

(b)  $(0, a) \in H$ . Indeed  $(0, a) \in \bigcap \Phi$  and  $(0, a) \notin \{(\text{succ}(n), y)\}$ .

(c) For all  $m \in \mathbb{N}$  and all  $z \in A$  if  $(m, z) \in H$  then  $(\text{succ}(m), f(z)) \in H$ .

Proof. Let  $m \in \mathbb{N}$  and  $z \in A$ . Assume  $(m, z) \in H$ . Then  $(m, z) \in \bigcap \Phi$ . Hence  $(\text{succ}(m), f(z)) \in \bigcap \Phi$ .  $(\text{succ}(m), f(z)) \neq (\text{succ}(n), y)$ . Therefore  $(\text{succ}(m), f(z)) \in H$ . Qed.

Thus  $H \in \Phi$ . Therefore every element of  $\bigcap \Phi$  is contained in  $H$ . Consequently  $(\text{succ}(n), y) \in H$ . Contradiction. End.

Hence it is wrong that  $x \neq f(b)$  or  $y \neq f(b)$ . Consequently  $x = f(b) = y$ . End.

Therefore  $\text{succ}(n) \in \Theta$  (by a). Qed. Qed.

Define  $\varphi(n) = \text{"choose } x \in A \text{ such that } (n, x) \in \bigcap \Phi \text{ in } x"$  for  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ .

(1) Then  $\varphi$  is a map from  $\mathbb{N}$  to  $A$  and we have  $\varphi(0) = a$ .

(2) For all  $n \in \mathbb{N}$  we have  $\varphi(\text{succ}(n)) = f(\varphi(n))$ .

Proof. Let  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ . Take  $x \in A$  such that  $\varphi(n) = x$ . Then  $(n, x) \in \bigcap \Phi$ . Hence  $(\text{succ}(n), f(\varphi(n))) = (\text{succ}(n), f(x)) \in \bigcap \Phi$ . Thus  $\varphi(\text{succ}(n)) = f(\varphi(n))$ . Qed.  $\square$

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**Proposition 2.3.** Let  $A$  be a set and  $a \in A$  and  $f : A \rightarrow A$ . Let  $\varphi, \varphi' : \mathbb{N} \rightarrow A$ . Assume that  $\varphi$  and  $\varphi'$  are recursively defined by  $a$  and  $f$ . Then  $\varphi = \varphi'$ .

*Proof.* Define  $\Phi = \{n \in \mathbb{N} \mid \varphi(n) = \varphi'(n)\}$ .

(1)  $\Phi$  contains 0. Indeed  $\varphi(0) = a = \varphi'(0)$ .

(2) For all  $n \in \Phi$  we have  $\text{succ}(n) \in \Phi$ .

Proof. Let  $n \in \Phi$ . Then  $\varphi(n) = \varphi'(n)$ . Hence  $\varphi(\text{succ}(n)) = f(\varphi(n)) = f(\varphi'(n)) = \varphi'(\text{succ}(n))$ . Qed.

Thus  $\Phi$  contains every natural number. Consequently  $\varphi(n) = \varphi'(n)$  for each  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ .  $\square$

# Chapter 3

## Addition

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### 3.1 Definition of addition

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**Lemma 3.1.** There exists a  $\varphi : \mathbb{N} \times \mathbb{N} \rightarrow \mathbb{N}$  such that for all  $n \in \mathbb{N}$  we have  $\varphi(n, 0) = n$  and  $\varphi(n, \text{succ}(m)) = \text{succ}(\varphi(n, m))$  for all  $m \in \mathbb{N}$ .

*Proof.* Take  $A = [\mathbb{N} \rightarrow \mathbb{N}]$ . Define  $a(n) = n$  for  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ . Then  $A$  is a set and  $a \in A$ .

[skipfail on] Define  $f(g) = \lambda n \in \mathbb{N}. \text{succ}(g(n))$  for  $g \in A$ . [skipfail off]

Then  $f : A \rightarrow A$ . Indeed  $f(g)$  is a map from  $\mathbb{N}$  to  $\mathbb{N}$  for any  $g \in A$ . Consider a  $\psi : \mathbb{N} \rightarrow A$  such that  $\psi$  is recursively defined by  $a$  and  $f$  (by theorem 2.2). Define  $\varphi(n, m) = \psi(m)(n)$  for  $(n, m) \in \mathbb{N} \times \mathbb{N}$ . Then  $\varphi$  is a map from  $\mathbb{N} \times \mathbb{N}$  to  $\mathbb{N}$ .

(1) For all  $n \in \mathbb{N}$  we have  $\varphi(n, 0) = n$ .

Proof. Let  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ . Then  $\varphi(n, 0) = \psi(0)(n) = a(n) = n$ . Qed.

(2) For all  $n, m \in \mathbb{N}$  we have  $\varphi(n, \text{succ}(m)) = \text{succ}(\varphi(n, m))$ .

Proof. Let  $n, m \in \mathbb{N}$ . Then  $\varphi(n, \text{succ}(m)) = \psi(\text{succ}(m))(n) = f(\psi(m))(n) = \text{succ}(\psi(m)(n)) = \text{succ}(\varphi(n, m))$ . Qed.  $\square$

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**Lemma 3.2.** Let  $\varphi, \varphi' : \mathbb{N} \times \mathbb{N} \rightarrow \mathbb{N}$ . Assume that for all  $n \in \mathbb{N}$  we have  $\varphi(n, 0) = n$  and  $\varphi(n, \text{succ}(m)) = \text{succ}(\varphi(n, m))$  for all  $m \in \mathbb{N}$ . Assume that for all  $n \in \mathbb{N}$  we have  $\varphi'(n, 0) = n$  and  $\varphi'(n, \text{succ}(m)) = \text{succ}(\varphi'(n, m))$  for all  $m \in \mathbb{N}$ . Then  $\varphi = \varphi'$ .

*Proof.* Define  $\Phi = \{m \in \mathbb{N} \mid \varphi(n, m) = \varphi'(n, m) \text{ for all } n \in \mathbb{N}\}$ .

(1)  $0 \in \Phi$ . Indeed  $\varphi(n, 0) = n = \varphi'(n, 0)$  for all  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ .

(2) For all  $m \in \Phi$  we have  $\text{succ}(m) \in \Phi$ .

*Proof.* Let  $m \in \Phi$ . Then  $\varphi(n, m) = \varphi'(n, m)$  for all  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ . Hence  $\varphi(n, \text{succ}(m)) = \text{succ}(\varphi(n, m)) = \text{succ}(\varphi'(n, m)) = \varphi'(n, \text{succ}(m))$  for all  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ . Qed.

Thus  $\Phi$  contains every natural number. Therefore  $\varphi(n, m) = \varphi'(n, m)$  for all  $n, m \in \mathbb{N}$ .  $\square$

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**Definition 3.3.**  $\text{add}$  is the map from  $\mathbb{N} \times \mathbb{N}$  to  $\mathbb{N}$  such that for all  $n \in \mathbb{N}$  we have  $\text{add}(n, 0) = n$  and  $\text{add}(n, \text{succ}(m)) = \text{succ}(\text{add}(n, m))$  for all  $m \in \mathbb{N}$ .

Let  $n + m$  stand for  $\text{add}(n, m)$ . Let the sum of  $n$  and  $m$  stand for  $n + m$ .

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**Lemma 3.4.** Let  $n, m$  be natural numbers. Then  $(n, m) \in \text{dom}(\text{add})$ .

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**Lemma 3.5.** Let  $n, m$  be natural numbers. Then  $n + m$  is a natural number.

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**Lemma 3.6.** Let  $n$  be a natural number. Then  $\text{succ}(n) = n + 1$ .

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**Lemma 3.7.** Let  $n$  be a natural number. Then  $n + 0 = n$ .

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**Lemma 3.8.** Let  $n, m$  be natural numbers. Then  $n + (m + 1) = (n + m) + 1$ .

## 3.2 The Peano axioms and recursion, revisited

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**Proposition 3.9.** Let  $n, m$  be natural numbers. If  $n + 1 = m + 1$  then  $n = m$ .

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**Proposition 3.10.** Let  $n$  be a natural number. Then  $n + 1 \neq 0$ .

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**Proposition 3.11 (Induction).** Let  $A$  be a class. Assume  $0 \in A$ . Assume that for all  $n \in \mathbb{N}$  if  $n \in A$  then  $n + 1 \in A$ . Then  $A$  contains every natural number.

**Proposition 3.12.** Let  $a$  be an object and  $f$  be a map. Let  $\varphi$  be a map from  $\mathbb{N}$  to  $\text{dom}(f)$ .  $\varphi$  is recursively defined by  $a$  and  $f$  iff  $\varphi(0) = a$  and  $\varphi(n + 1) = f(\varphi(n))$  for every  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ .



### 3.3 Computation laws

#### Associativity

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**Proposition 3.13.** Let  $n, m, k$  be natural numbers. Then

$$n + (m + k) = (n + m) + k.$$

*Proof.* Define  $\Phi = \{k' \in \mathbb{N} \mid n + (m + k') = (n + m) + k'\}$ .

(1) 0 is contained in  $\Phi$ . Indeed  $n + (m + 0) = n + m = (n + m) + 0$ .

(2) For all  $k' \in \Phi$  we have  $k' + 1 \in \Phi$ .

*Proof.* Let  $k' \in \Phi$ . Then  $n + (m + k') = (n + m) + k'$ . Hence

$$\begin{aligned} n + (m + (k' + 1)) &= n + ((m + k') + 1) \\ &= (n + (m + k')) + 1 \\ &= ((n + m) + k') + 1 \\ &= (n + m) + (k' + 1). \end{aligned}$$

Thus  $k' + 1 \in \Phi$ . Qed.

Thus every natural number is an element of  $\Phi$ . Therefore  $n + (m + k) = (n + m) + k$ .  $\square$

#### Commutativity

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**Proposition 3.14.** Let  $n, m$  be natural numbers. Then

$$n + m = m + n.$$

*Proof.* Define  $\Phi = \{m' \in \mathbb{N} \mid n + m' = m' + n\}$ .

(1) 0 is an element of  $\Phi$ .

*Proof.* Define  $\Psi = \{n' \in \mathbb{N} \mid n' + 0 = 0 + n'\}$ .

(1a) 0 belongs to  $\Psi$ .

(1b) For all  $n' \in \Psi$  we have  $n' + 1 \in \Psi$ .

Proof. Let  $n' \in \Psi$ . Then  $n' + 0 = 0 + n'$ . Hence

$$\begin{aligned}
 & (n' + 1) + 0 \\
 &= n' + 1 \\
 &= (n' + 0) + 1 \\
 &= (0 + n') + 1 \\
 &= 0 + (n' + 1).
 \end{aligned}$$

Qed.

Hence every natural number belongs to  $\Psi$ . Thus  $n + 0 = 0 + n$ . Therefore 0 is an element of  $\Phi$ . Qed.

Let us show that (2)  $n + 1 = 1 + n$ .

Proof. Define  $\Theta = \{n' \in \mathbb{N} \mid n' + 1 = 1 + n'\}$ .

(2a) 0 is an element of  $\Theta$ .

(2b) For all  $n' \in \Theta$  we have  $n' + 1 \in \Theta$ .

Proof. Let  $n' \in \Theta$ . Then  $n' + 1 = 1 + n'$ . Hence

$$\begin{aligned}
 & (n' + 1) + 1 \\
 &= (1 + n') + 1 \\
 &= 1 + (n' + 1).
 \end{aligned}$$

Thus  $n' + 1 \in \Theta$ . Qed.

Thus every natural number belongs to  $\Theta$ . Therefore  $n + 1 = 1 + n$ . Qed.

(3) For all  $m' \in \Phi$  we have  $m' + 1 \in \Phi$ .

Proof. Let  $m' \in \Phi$ . Then  $n + m' = m' + n$ . Hence

$$\begin{aligned}
 & n + (m' + 1) \\
 &= (n + m') + 1 \\
 &= (m' + n) + 1 \\
 &= m' + (n + 1) \\
 &= m' + (1 + n) \\
 &= (m' + 1) + n.
 \end{aligned}$$

Thus  $m' + 1 \in \Phi$ . Qed.

Thus every natural number is an element of  $\Phi$ . Therefore  $n + m = m + n$ . □

## Cancellation

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**Proposition 3.15.** Let  $n, m, k$  be natural numbers. Then

$$n + k = m + k \quad \text{implies} \quad n = m.$$

*Proof.* Define  $\Phi = \{k' \in \mathbb{N} \mid \text{if } n + k' = m + k' \text{ then } n = m\}$ .

(1) 0 is an element of  $\Phi$ .

(2) For all  $k' \in \Phi$  we have  $k' + 1 \in \Phi$ .

*Proof.* Let  $k' \in \Phi$ . Suppose  $n + (k' + 1) = m + (k' + 1)$ . Then  $(n + k') + 1 = (m + k') + 1$ . Hence  $n + k' = m + k'$ . Thus  $n = m$ . Qed.

Therefore every natural number is an element of  $\Phi$ . Consequently if  $n + k = m + k$  then  $n = m$ .  $\square$

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**Corollary 3.16.** Let  $n, m, k$  be natural numbers. Then

$$k + n = k + m \quad \text{implies} \quad n = m.$$

*Proof.* Assume  $k + n = k + m$ . We have  $k + n = n + k$  and  $k + m = m + k$ . Hence  $n + k = m + k$ . Thus  $n = m$ .  $\square$

## Zero sums

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**Proposition 3.17.** Let  $n, m$  be natural numbers. If  $n + m = 0$  then  $n = 0$  and  $m = 0$ .

*Proof.* Assume  $n + m = 0$ . Suppose  $n \neq 0$  or  $m \neq 0$ . Then we can take a  $k \in \mathbb{N}$  such that  $n = k + 1$  or  $m = k + 1$ . Hence there exists a natural number  $l$  such that  $n + m = l + (k + 1) = (l + k) + 1 \neq 0$ . Contradiction.  $\square$

# Chapter 4

## Ordering

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### 4.1 Definitions and immediate consequences

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**Definition 4.1.** Let  $n, m$  be natural numbers.  $n < m$  iff there exists a nonzero natural number  $k$  such that  $m = n + k$ .

Let  $n$  is less than  $m$  stand for  $n < m$ . Let  $n > m$  stand for  $m < n$ . Let  $n$  is greater than  $m$  stand for  $n > m$ . Let  $n \not< m$  stand for  $n$  is not less than  $m$ . Let  $n \not> m$  stand for  $n$  is not greater than  $m$ .

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**Definition 4.2.** Let  $n$  be a natural number.  $\mathbb{N}_{<n} = \{k \in \mathbb{N} \mid k < n\}$ .

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**Definition 4.3.** Let  $n$  be a natural number.  $\mathbb{N}_{>n} = \{k \in \mathbb{N} \mid k > n\}$ .

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**Definition 4.4.** Let  $n$  be a natural number.  $n$  is positive iff  $n > 0$ .

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**Definition 4.5.** Let  $n, m$  be natural numbers.  $n \leq m$  iff there exists a natural number  $k$  such that  $m = n + k$ .

Let  $n$  is less than or equal to  $m$  stand for  $n \leq m$ . Let  $n \geq m$  stand for  $m \leq n$ . Let  $n$  is greater than or equal to  $m$  stand for  $n \geq m$ . Let  $n \not\leq m$  stand for  $n$  is not less than or equal to  $m$ . Let  $n \not\geq m$  stand for  $n$  is not greater than or equal to  $m$ .

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**Definition 4.6.** Let  $n$  be a natural number.  $\mathbb{N}_{\leq n} = \{k \in \mathbb{N} \mid k \leq n\}$ .

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**Definition 4.7.** Let  $n$  be a natural number.  $\mathbb{N}_{\geq n} = \{k \in \mathbb{N} \mid k \geq n\}$ .

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**Proposition 4.8.** Let  $n, m$  be natural numbers.  $n \leq m$  iff  $n < m$  or  $n = m$ .

*Proof.* Case  $n \leq m$ . Take a natural number  $k$  such that  $m = n + k$ . If  $k = 0$  then  $n = m$ . If  $k \neq 0$  then  $n < m$ . End.

Case  $n < m$  or  $n = m$ . If  $n < m$  then there is a positive natural number  $k$  such that  $m = n + k$ . If  $n = m$  then  $m = n + 0$ . Thus if  $n < m$  then there is a natural number  $k$  such that  $m = n + k$ . End.  $\square$

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**Definition 4.9.** Let  $n$  be a natural number. A predecessor of  $n$  is a natural number that is less than  $n$ .

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**Definition 4.10.** Let  $n$  be a natural number. A successor of  $n$  is a natural number that is greater than  $n$ .

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**Proposition 4.11.** Let  $n$  be a natural number. Then  $n$  is positive iff  $n$  is nonzero.

*Proof.* Case  $n$  is positive. Take a positive natural number  $k$  such that  $n = 0 + k = k$ . Then we have  $n \neq 0$ . End.

Case  $n$  is nonzero. Take a natural number  $k$  such that  $n = k + 1$ . Then  $n = 0 + (k + 1)$ .  $k + 1$  is positive. Hence  $0 < n$ . End.  $\square$

## 4.2 Basic properties

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**Proposition 4.12.** Let  $n$  be a natural number. Then

$$n \not< n.$$

*Proof.* Assume the contrary. Then we can take a positive natural number  $k$  such that  $n = n + k$ . Then we have  $0 = k$ . Contradiction.  $\square$

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**Proposition 4.13.** Let  $n, m$  be natural numbers. Then

$$n < m \text{ implies } n \neq m.$$

*Proof.* Assume  $n < m$ . Take a positive natural number  $k$  such that  $m = n + k$ . If  $n = m$  then  $k = 0$ . Hence  $n \neq m$ .  $\square$

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**Proposition 4.14.** Let  $n, m$  be natural numbers. Then

$$(n \leq m \text{ and } m \leq n) \text{ implies } n = m.$$

*Proof.* Assume  $n \leq m$  and  $m \leq n$ . Take natural numbers  $k, l$  such that  $m = n + k$  and  $n = m + l$ . Then  $m = (m + l) + k = m + (l + k)$ . Hence  $l + k = 0$ . Thus  $l = 0 = k$ . Indeed if  $l \neq 0$  or  $k \neq 0$  then  $l + k$  is the direct successor of some natural number. Therefore  $m = n$ .  $\square$

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**Proposition 4.15.** Let  $n, m, k$  be natural numbers. Then

$$n < m < k \text{ implies } n < k.$$

*Proof.* Assume  $n < m < k$ . Take a positive natural number  $a$  such that  $m = n + a$ . Take a positive natural number  $b$  such that  $k = m + b$ . Then  $k = (n + a) + b = n + (a + b)$ .  $a + b$  is positive. Hence  $n < k$ .  $\square$

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**Proposition 4.16.** Let  $n, m, k$  be natural numbers. Then

$$n \leq m \leq k \text{ implies } n \leq k.$$

*Proof.* Assume  $n \leq m \leq k$ . Case  $n = m = k$ . Obvious. Case  $n = m < k$ . Obvious. Case  $n < m = k$ . Obvious. Case  $n < m < k$ . Obvious.  $\square$

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**Proposition 4.17.** Let  $n, m, k$  be natural numbers. Then

$$n \leq m < k \text{ implies } n < k.$$

*Proof.* Assume  $n \leq m < k$ . If  $n = m$  then  $n < k$ . If  $n < m$  then  $n < k$ .  $\square$

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**Proposition 4.18.** Let  $n, m, k$  be natural numbers. Then

$$n < m \leq k \text{ implies } n < k.$$

*Proof.* Assume  $n < m \leq k$ . If  $m = k$  then  $n < k$ . If  $m < k$  then  $n < k$ .  $\square$

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**Proposition 4.19.** Let  $n, m$  be natural numbers. Then

$$n < m \quad \text{implies} \quad n + 1 \leq m.$$

*Proof.* Assume  $n < m$ . Take a positive natural number  $k$  such that  $m = n + k$ .

Case  $k = 1$ . Then  $m = n + 1$ . Hence  $n + 1 \leq m$ . End.

Case  $k \neq 1$ . Then we can take a natural number  $l$  such that  $k = l + 1$ . Then  $m = n + (l + 1) = (n + l) + 1 = (n + 1) + l$ .  $l$  is positive. Thus  $n + 1 < m$ . End.  $\square$

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**Proposition 4.20.** Let  $n, m$  be natural numbers. Then  $n < m$  or  $n = m$  or  $n > m$ .

*Proof.* Define  $\Phi = \{m' \in \mathbb{N} \mid n < m' \text{ or } n = m' \text{ or } n > m'\}$ .

(1)  $\Phi$  contains 0.

(2) For all  $m' \in \Phi$  we have  $m' + 1 \in \Phi$ .

*Proof.* Let  $m' \in \Phi$ .

Case  $n < m'$ . Obvious.

Case  $n = m'$ . Obvious.

Case  $n > m'$ . Take a positive natural number  $k$  such that  $n = m' + k$ .

Case  $k = 1$ . Obvious.

Case  $k \neq 1$ . Take a natural number  $l$  such that  $n = (m' + 1) + l$ . Hence  $n > m' + 1$ . Indeed  $l$  is positive. End. Qed. Qed.

Thus every natural number is contained in  $\Phi$ . Therefore  $n < m$  or  $n = m$  or  $n > m$ .  $\square$

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**Proposition 4.21.** Let  $n, m$  be natural numbers. Then

$$n \not< m \quad \text{iff} \quad n \geq m.$$

*Proof.* Case  $n \not< m$ . Then  $n = m$  or  $n > m$ . Hence  $n \geq m$ . End.



Case  $n \geq m$ . Assume  $n < m$ . Then  $n \leq m$ . Hence  $n = m$ . Contradiction. End.  $\square$

### 4.3 Ordering and successors

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**Proposition 4.22.** Let  $n, m$  be natural numbers. Then

$$n < m \leq n + 1 \quad \text{implies} \quad m = n + 1.$$

*Proof.* Assume  $n < m \leq n + 1$ . Take a positive natural number  $k$  such that  $m = n + k$ . Take a natural number  $l$  such that  $n + 1 = m + l$ . Then  $n + 1 = m + l = (n + k) + l = n + (k + l)$ . Hence  $k + l = 1$ .

We have  $l = 0$ .

Proof. Assume the contrary. Then  $k, l > 0$ .

Case  $k, l = 1$ . Then  $k + l = 2 \neq 1$ . Contradiction. End.

Case  $k = 1$  and  $l \neq 1$ . Then  $l > 1$ . Hence  $k + l > 1 + l > 1$ . Contradiction. End.

Case  $k \neq 1$  and  $l = 1$ . Then  $k > 1$ . Hence  $k + l > k + 1 > 1$ . Contradiction. End.

Case  $k, l \neq 1$ . Take natural numbers  $a, b$  such that  $k = a + 1$  and  $l = b + 1$ . Indeed  $k, l \neq 0$ . Hence  $k = a + 1$  and  $l = b + 1$ . Thus  $k, l > 1$ . Indeed  $a, b$  are positive. End. Qed.

Then we have  $n + 1 = m + l = m + 0 = m$ .  $\square$

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**Proposition 4.23.** Let  $n, m$  be natural numbers. Then

$$n \leq m < n + 1 \quad \text{implies} \quad n = m.$$

*Proof.* Assume  $n \leq m < n + 1$ .

Case  $n = m$ . Obvious.

Case  $n < m$ . Then  $n < m \leq n + 1$ . Hence  $n = m$ . End.  $\square$

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**Corollary 4.24.** Let  $n$  be a natural number. There is no natural number  $m$  such that  $n < m < n + 1$ .

*Proof.* Assume the contrary. Take a natural number  $m$  such that  $n < m < n + 1$ . Then  $n < m \leq n + 1$  and  $n \leq m < n + 1$ . Hence  $m = n + 1$  and  $m = n$ . Hence  $n = n + 1$ . Contradiction.  $\square$

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**Proposition 4.25.** Let  $n$  be a natural number. Then

$$n + 1 \geq 1.$$

*Proof.* Case  $n = 0$ . Obvious.

Case  $n \neq 0$ . Then  $n > 0$ . Hence  $n + 1 > 0 + 1 = 1$ . End.  $\square$

## 4.4 Ordering and addition

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**Proposition 4.26.** Let  $n, m, k$  be natural numbers. Then

$$n < m \quad \text{iff} \quad n + k < m + k.$$

*Proof.* Case  $n < m$ . Take a positive natural number  $l$  such that  $m = n + l$ . Then  $m + k = (n + l) + k = (n + k) + l$ . Hence  $n + k < m + k$ . End.

Case  $n + k < m + k$ . Take a positive natural number  $l$  such that  $m + k = (n + k) + l$ .  $(n + k) + l = n + (k + l) = n + (l + k) = (n + l) + k$ . Hence  $m + k = (n + l) + k$ . Thus  $m = n + l$ . Therefore  $n < m$ . End.  $\square$

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**Corollary 4.27.** Let  $n, m, k$  be natural numbers. Then

$$n < m \quad \text{iff} \quad k + n < k + m.$$

*Proof.* We have  $k + n = n + k$  and  $k + m = m + k$ . Hence  $k + n < k + m$  iff  $n + k < m + k$ .  $\square$

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**Corollary 4.28.** Let  $n, m, k$  be natural numbers. Then

$$n \leq m \quad \text{iff} \quad k + n \leq k + m.$$

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**Corollary 4.29.** Let  $n, m, k$  be natural numbers. Then

$$n \leq m \quad \text{iff} \quad n + k \leq m + k.$$

## 4.5 The natural numbers are well-ordered

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**Definition 4.30.**

$$< = \{(n, m) \mid n \text{ and } m \text{ are natural numbers such that } n < m\}.$$

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**Proposition 4.31.** Let  $A$  be a nonempty subclass of  $\mathbb{N}$ . Let  $n, m$  be least elements of  $A$  regarding  $<$ . Then  $n = m$ .

*Proof.* Assume  $n \neq m$ . Then  $n < m$  or  $m < n$ . If  $n < m$  then  $n \notin A$ . If  $m < n$  then  $m \notin A$ . Hence  $n, m \notin A$ . Contradiction. Therefore  $n = m$ .  $\square$

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**Proposition 4.32.** Let  $A$  be a nonempty subclass of  $\mathbb{N}$ . Then  $A$  has a least element regarding  $<$ .

*Proof.* Assume the contrary.

Let us show that for each  $n \in A$  there exists a  $m \in A$  such that  $m < n$ . Let  $n \in A$ .  $A$  has no least element regarding  $<$ . Assume that there exists no  $m \in A$  such that  $m < n$ . Then  $n \leq m$  for all  $m \in A$ . Hence  $n$  is a least element of  $A$  regarding  $<$ . Contradiction. End.

Define  $\Phi = \{n \in \mathbb{N} \mid n \text{ is less than any element of } A\}$ .

(1)  $\Phi$  contains 0.

Proof.  $0 \notin A$ . Hence 0 is less than every element of  $A$ . Thus  $0 \in \Phi$ . Qed.

(2) For all  $n \in \Phi$  we have  $n + 1 \in \Phi$ .

Proof. Let  $n \in \Phi$ . Then  $n$  is less than any element of  $A$ . Assume that  $\Phi$  does not contain  $n + 1$ . Then we can take an  $m \in A$  such that  $n + 1 \not< m$ . Then  $n < m \leq n + 1$ . Hence  $m = n + 1$ . Thus  $n + 1$  is a least element of  $A$  regarding  $<$ . Contradiction. Qed.

Then  $\Phi$  contains every natural number. Therefore every natural number is less than any element of  $A$ . Consequently  $A$  is empty. Contradiction.  $\square$

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**Corollary 4.33.**  $<$  is a wellorder on every nonempty subclass of  $\mathbb{N}$ .

*Proof.* Let  $A$  be a nonempty subclass of  $\mathbb{N}$ . For any  $n, m \in A$  we have  $(n, m) \in <$  iff  $n < m$ .

(1)  $<$  is irreflexive on  $A$ . Indeed for any  $n \in A$  we have  $n \not< n$ .

(2)  $<$  is transitive on  $A$ . Indeed for any  $n, m, k \in A$  if  $n < m$  and  $m < k$  then  $n < k$ .

(3)  $<$  is connected on  $A$ . Indeed for any distinct  $n, m \in A$  we have  $n < m$  or  $m < n$ .

Hence  $<$  is a strict linear order on  $A$ .  $<$  is wellfounded on  $A$ . Indeed every nonempty subclass of  $A$  has a least element regarding  $<$ . Thus  $<$  is a wellorder on  $A$ .  $\square$

## 4.6 Induction revisited

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**Theorem 4.34.** Let  $A$  be a class. Assume for all  $n \in \mathbb{N}$  if  $A$  contains all predecessors of  $n$  then  $A$  contains  $n$ . Then  $A$  contains every natural number.

*Proof.* Assume the contrary. Take a natural number  $n$  that is not contained in  $A$ . Then  $n$  is contained in  $\mathbb{N} \setminus A$ . Hence we can take a least element  $m$  of  $\mathbb{N} \setminus A$  regarding  $<$ . Then  $\mathbb{N} \setminus A$  does not contain any predecessor of  $m$ . Therefore  $A$  contains all predecessors of  $m$ . Consequently  $A$  contains  $m$ . Contradiction.  $\square$

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**Theorem 4.35.** Let  $A$  be a class. Let  $k$  be a natural number such that  $k \in A$ . Assume that for all  $n \in \mathbb{N}_{\geq k}$  if  $n \in A$  then  $n + 1 \in A$ . Then for all  $n \in \mathbb{N}_{\geq k}$  we have  $n \in A$ .

*Proof.* Define  $\Phi = \{n \in \mathbb{N} \mid \text{if } n \geq k \text{ then } n \in A\}$ .

(1)  $\Phi$  contains 0. Indeed if  $0 \geq k$  then  $0 = k \in A$ .

(2) For all  $n \in \Phi$  we have  $n + 1 \in \Phi$ .

*Proof.* Let  $n \in \Phi$ .

Let us show that if  $n + 1 \geq k$  then  $n + 1 \in A$ . Assume  $n + 1 \geq k$ .

Case  $n < k$ . Then  $n + 1 = k$ . Hence  $n + 1 \in A$ . End.

Case  $n \geq k$ . Then  $n \in A$ . Hence  $n + 1 \in A$ . End. End.

Therefore  $n + 1 \in \Phi$ . Qed.

Thus  $\Phi$  contains every natural number. Consequently for all  $n \in \mathbb{N}_{\geq k}$  we have  $n \in A$ .  $\square$

# Chapter 5

## Subtraction

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**Definition 5.1.** Let  $n, m$  be natural numbers such that  $n \geq m$ .  $n - m$  is the natural number  $k$  such that  $n = m + k$ .

Let the difference of  $n$  and  $m$  stand for  $n - m$ .

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**Proposition 5.2.** Let  $n, m$  be natural numbers such that  $n \geq m$ . Then

$$n - m = 0 \quad \text{iff} \quad n = m.$$

*Proof.* Case  $n - m = 0$ . Then  $n = (n - m) + m = 0 + m = m$ . End.

Case  $n = m$ . We have  $(n - m) + m = n = m = 0 + m$ . Hence  $n - m = 0$ . End.  $\square$

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**Corollary 5.3.** Let  $n$  be a natural number. Then

$$n - n = 0.$$

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**Proposition 5.4.** Let  $n$  be a natural number. Then

$$n - 0 = n.$$

*Proof.* We have  $n = (n - 0) + 0 = n - 0$ . □

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**Proposition 5.5.** Let  $n, m$  be natural numbers such that  $n \geq m$ . Then

$$n - m \leq n.$$

*Proof.* We have  $(n - m) + m = n$ . Hence  $n - m \leq n$ . □

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**Proposition 5.6.** Let  $n, m$  be natural numbers such that  $n \geq m$ . Then

$$0 \neq m < n \quad \text{implies} \quad n - m < n.$$

*Proof.* Assume  $0 \neq m < n$ . Suppose  $n - m \geq n$ . We have  $(n - m) + m = n$ . Then  $n + m = (n - m) + m = n = n + 0$ . Hence  $m = 0$ . Contradiction. □

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**Proposition 5.7.** Let  $n, m, k$  be natural numbers such that  $n \geq m$ . Then

$$(n - m) + k = (n + k) - m.$$

*Proof.* We have

$$\begin{aligned} & ((n - m) + k) + m \\ &= ((n - m) + m) + k \\ &= n + k \end{aligned}$$

$$= ((n + k) - m) + m.$$

Hence  $(n - m) + k = (n + k) - m$ . □

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**Corollary 5.8.** Let  $n, m, k$  be natural numbers such that  $n \geq m$ . Then

$$k + (n - m) = (k + n) - m.$$

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**Proposition 5.9.** Let  $n, m, k$  be natural numbers such that  $n \geq m + k$ . Then

$$(n - m) - k = n - (m + k).$$

*Proof.* We have

$$\begin{aligned} & ((n - m) - k) + (m + k) \\ &= (((n - m) - k) + k) + m \\ &= (n - m) + m \\ &= n \\ &= (n - (m + k)) + (m + k). \end{aligned}$$

Hence  $(n - m) - k = n - (m + k)$ . □



# Chapter 6

## Multiplication

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### 6.1 Definition of multiplication

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**Lemma 6.1.** There exists a  $\varphi : \mathbb{N} \times \mathbb{N} \rightarrow \mathbb{N}$  such that for all  $n \in \mathbb{N}$  we have  $\varphi(n, 0) = 0$  and  $\varphi(n, m + 1) = \varphi(n, m) + n$  for any  $m \in \mathbb{N}$ .

*Proof.* Take  $A = [\mathbb{N} \rightarrow \mathbb{N}]$ . Define  $a(n) = 0$  for  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ . Then  $A$  is a set and  $a \in A$ .

[skipfail on] Define  $f(g) = \lambda n \in \mathbb{N}. g(n) + n$  for  $g \in A$ . [skipfail off]

Then  $f : A \rightarrow A$ . Indeed  $f(g)$  is a map from  $\mathbb{N}$  to  $\mathbb{N}$  for any  $g \in A$ . Consider a  $\psi : \mathbb{N} \rightarrow A$  such that  $\psi$  is recursively defined by  $a$  and  $f$  (by theorem 2.2). For any objects  $n, m$  we have  $(n, m) \in \mathbb{N} \times \mathbb{N}$  iff  $n, m \in \mathbb{N}$ . Define  $\varphi(n, m) = \psi(m)(n)$  for  $(n, m) \in \mathbb{N} \times \mathbb{N}$ . Then  $\varphi$  is a map from  $\mathbb{N} \times \mathbb{N}$  to  $\mathbb{N}$ . Indeed  $\varphi(n, m) \in \mathbb{N}$  for all  $n, m \in \mathbb{N}$ .

(1) For all  $n \in \mathbb{N}$  we have  $\varphi(n, 0) = 0$ .

Proof. Let  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ . Then  $\varphi(n, 0) = \psi(0)(n) = a(0) = 0$ . Qed.

(2) For all  $n, m \in \mathbb{N}$  we have  $\varphi(n, m + 1) = \varphi(n, m) + n$ .

Proof. Let  $n, m \in \mathbb{N}$ . Then  $\varphi(n, m + 1) = \psi(m + 1)(n) = f(\psi(m))(n) = \psi(m)(n) + n = \varphi(n, m) + n$ . Qed.  $\square$

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**Lemma 6.2.** Let  $\varphi, \varphi' : \mathbb{N} \times \mathbb{N} \rightarrow \mathbb{N}$ . Assume that for all  $n \in \mathbb{N}$  we have  $\varphi(n, 0) = 0$  and  $\varphi(n, m + 1) = \varphi(n, m) + n$  for any  $m \in \mathbb{N}$ . Assume that for all  $n \in \mathbb{N}$  we have  $\varphi'(n, 0) = 0$  and  $\varphi'(n, m + 1) = \varphi'(n, m) + n$  for any  $m \in \mathbb{N}$ . Then  $\varphi = \varphi'$ .

*Proof.* Define  $\Phi = \{m \in \mathbb{N} \mid \varphi(n, m) = \varphi'(n, m) \text{ for all } n \in \mathbb{N}\}$ .

(1)  $0 \in \Phi$ . Indeed  $\varphi(n, 0) = 0 = \varphi'(n, 0)$  for all  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ .

(2) For all  $m \in \Phi$  we have  $m + 1 \in \Phi$ .

*Proof.* Let  $m \in \Phi$ . Then  $\varphi(n, m) = \varphi'(n, m)$  for all  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ . Hence  $\varphi(n, m + 1) = \varphi(n, m) + n = \varphi'(n, m) + n = \varphi'(n, m + 1)$  for all  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ . Qed.

Thus  $\Phi$  contains every natural number. Therefore  $\varphi(n, m) = \varphi'(n, m)$  for all  $n, m \in \mathbb{N}$ .  $\square$

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**Definition 6.3.**  $\text{mul}$  is the map from  $\mathbb{N} \times \mathbb{N}$  to  $\mathbb{N}$  such that for all  $n \in \mathbb{N}$  we have  $\text{mul}(n, 0) = 0$  and  $\text{mul}(n, m + 1) = \text{mul}(n, m) + n$  for any  $m \in \mathbb{N}$ .

Let  $n \cdot m$  stand for  $\text{mul}(n, m)$ . Let the product of  $n$  and  $m$  stand for  $n \cdot m$ .

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**Lemma 6.4.** Let  $n, m$  be natural numbers. Then  $(n, m) \in \text{dom}(\text{mul})$ .

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**Lemma 6.5.** Let  $n, m$  be natural numbers. Then  $n \cdot m$  is a natural number.

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**Lemma 6.6.** Let  $n$  be a natural number. Then  $n \cdot 0 = 0$ .

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**Lemma 6.7.** Let  $n, m$  be natural numbers. Then  $n \cdot (m + 1) = (n \cdot m) + n$ .

## 6.2 Computation laws

### Distributivity

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**Proposition 6.8.** Let  $n, m, k$  be natural numbers. Then

$$n \cdot (m + k) = (n \cdot m) + (n \cdot k).$$

*Proof.* Define  $\Phi = \{k' \in \mathbb{N} \mid n \cdot (m + k') = (n \cdot m) + (n \cdot k')\}$ .

(1) 0 is an element of  $\Phi$ . Indeed  $n \cdot (m + 0) = n \cdot m = (n \cdot m) + 0 = (n \cdot m) + (n \cdot 0)$ .

(2) For all  $k' \in \Phi$  we have  $k' + 1 \in \Phi$ .

Proof. Let  $k' \in \Phi$ . Then

$$\begin{aligned} & n \cdot (m + (k' + 1)) \\ &= n \cdot ((m + k') + 1) \\ &= (n \cdot (m + k')) + n \\ &= ((n \cdot m) + (n \cdot k')) + n \\ &= (n \cdot m) + ((n \cdot k') + n) \\ &= (n \cdot m) + (n \cdot (k' + 1)). \end{aligned}$$

Hence  $n \cdot (m + (k' + 1)) = (n \cdot m) + (n \cdot (k' + 1))$ . Thus  $k' + 1 \in \Phi$ . Qed.

Thus every natural number is contained in  $\Phi$ . Therefore  $n \cdot (m + k) = (n \cdot m) + (n \cdot k)$ .  $\square$

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**Proposition 6.9.** Let  $n, m, k$  be natural numbers. Then

$$(n + m) \cdot k = (n \cdot k) + (m \cdot k).$$

*Proof.* Define  $\Phi = \{k' \in \mathbb{N} \mid (n + m) \cdot k' = (n \cdot k') + (m \cdot k')\}$ .

(1) 0 belongs to  $\Phi$ . Indeed  $(n + m) \cdot 0 = 0 = 0 + 0 = (n \cdot 0) + (m \cdot 0)$ .

(2) For all  $k' \in \Phi$  we have  $k' + 1 \in \Phi$ .

Proof. Let  $k' \in \Phi$ . Then

$$(n + m) \cdot (k' + 1)$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= ((n + m) \cdot k') + (n + m) \\
&= ((n \cdot k') + (m \cdot k')) + (n + m) \\
&= (((n \cdot k') + (m \cdot k')) + n) + m \\
&= ((n \cdot k') + ((m \cdot k') + n)) + m \\
&= ((n \cdot k') + (n + (m \cdot k')))) + m \\
&= (((n \cdot k') + n) + (m \cdot k')) + m \\
&= ((n \cdot k') + n) + ((m \cdot k') + m) \\
&= (n \cdot (k' + 1)) + (m \cdot (k' + 1)).
\end{aligned}$$

Thus  $(n + m) \cdot (k' + 1) = (n \cdot (k' + 1)) + (m \cdot (k' + 1))$ . Qed.

Thus every natural number is an element of  $\Phi$ . Therefore  $(n + m) \cdot k = (n \cdot k) + (m \cdot k)$ .  $\square$

## Multiplication with 1 and 2

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**Proposition 6.10.** Let  $n$  be a natural number. Then

$$n \cdot 1 = n.$$

*Proof.*  $n \cdot 1 = n \cdot (0 + 1) = (n \cdot 0) + n = 0 + n = n$ .  $\square$

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**Corollary 6.11.** Let  $n$  be a natural number. Then

$$n \cdot 2 = n + n.$$

*Proof.*  $n \cdot 2 = n \cdot (1 + 1) = (n \cdot 1) + n = n + n$ .  $\square$

## Associativity

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**Proposition 6.12.** Let  $n, m, k$  be natural numbers. Then

$$n \cdot (m \cdot k) = (n \cdot m) \cdot k.$$

*Proof.* Define  $\Phi = \{k' \in \mathbb{N} \mid n \cdot (m \cdot k') = (n \cdot m) \cdot k'\}$ .

(1) 0 is contained in  $\Phi$ . Indeed  $n \cdot (m \cdot 0) = n \cdot 0 = 0 = (n \cdot m) \cdot 0$ .

(2) For all  $k' \in \Phi$  we have  $k' + 1 \in \Phi$ .

*Proof.* Let  $k' \in \Phi$ . Then

$$\begin{aligned} & n \cdot (m \cdot (k' + 1)) \\ &= n \cdot ((m \cdot k') + m) \\ &= (n \cdot (m \cdot k')) + (n \cdot m) \\ &= ((n \cdot m) \cdot k') + (n \cdot m) \\ &= ((n \cdot m) \cdot k') + ((n \cdot m) \cdot 1) \\ &= (n \cdot m) \cdot (k' + 1). \end{aligned}$$

Qed.

Hence every natural number is contained in  $\Phi$ . Thus  $n \cdot (m \cdot k) = (n \cdot m) \cdot k$ .  $\square$

## Commutativity

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**Proposition 6.13.** Let  $n, m$  be natural numbers. Then

$$n \cdot m = m \cdot n.$$

*Proof.* Define  $\Phi = \{m' \in \mathbb{N} \mid n \cdot m' = m' \cdot n\}$ .

(1) 0 is contained in  $\Phi$ .

*Proof.* Define  $\Psi = \{n' \in \mathbb{N} \mid n' \cdot 0 = 0 \cdot n'\}$ .

(1a) 0 is contained in  $\Psi$ .

(1b) For all  $n' \in \Psi$  we have  $n' + 1 \in \Psi$ .

*Proof.* Let  $n' \in \Psi$ . Then

$$(n' + 1) \cdot 0 = 0 = n' \cdot 0 = 0 \cdot n' = (0 \cdot n') + 0 = 0 \cdot (n' + 1).$$

Qed.

Hence every natural number is contained in  $\Psi$ . Thus  $n \cdot 0 = 0 \cdot n$ . Qed.

(2) 1 belongs to  $\Phi$ .

Proof. Define  $\Theta = \{n' \in \mathbb{N} \mid n' \cdot 1 = 1 \cdot n'\}$ .

(2a) 0 is contained in  $\Theta$ .

(2b) For all  $n' \in \Theta$  we have  $n' + 1 \in \Theta$ .

Proof. Let  $n' \in \Theta$ . Then

$$\begin{aligned} & (n' + 1) \cdot 1 \\ &= (n' \cdot 1) + 1 \\ &= (1 \cdot n') + 1 \\ &= 1 \cdot (n' + 1). \end{aligned}$$

Qed.

Thus every natural number is contained in  $\Theta$ . Therefore  $n \cdot 1 = 1 \cdot n$ . Qed.

(3) For all  $m' \in \Phi$  we have  $m' + 1 \in \Phi$ .

Proof. Let  $m' \in \Phi$ . Then

$$\begin{aligned} & n \cdot (m' + 1) \\ &= (n \cdot m') + (n \cdot 1) \\ &= (m' \cdot n) + (1 \cdot n) \\ &= (1 \cdot n) + (m' \cdot n) \\ &= (1 + m') \cdot n \\ &= (m' + 1) \cdot n. \end{aligned}$$

Indeed  $((1 \cdot n) + (m' \cdot n)) = (1 + m') \cdot n$ . Qed.

Hence every natural number is contained in  $\Phi$ . Thus  $n \cdot m = m \cdot n$ . □

## Non-existence of zero-divisors

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**Proposition 6.14.** Let  $n, m$  be natural numbers such that  $n \cdot m = 0$ . Then  $n = 0$  or  $m = 0$ .

*Proof.* Suppose  $n, m \neq 0$ . Take natural numbers  $n', m'$  such that  $n = (n' + 1)$  and  $m = (m' + 1)$ . Then

$$\begin{aligned} & 0 \\ &= n \cdot m \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= (n' + 1) \cdot (m' + 1) \\
&= ((n' + 1) \cdot m') + (n' + 1) \\
&= (((n' + 1) \cdot m') + n') + 1.
\end{aligned}$$

Hence  $0 = k + 1$  for some natural number  $k$ . Contradiction.  $\square$

## Cancellation

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**Proposition 6.15.** Let  $n, m, k$  be natural numbers. Assume  $k \neq 0$ . Then

$$n \cdot k = m \cdot k \quad \text{implies} \quad n = m.$$

*Proof.* Define  $\Phi = \{n' \in \mathbb{N} \mid \text{for all } m' \in \mathbb{N} \text{ if } n' \cdot k = m' \cdot k \text{ and } k \neq 0 \text{ then } n' = m'\}$ .

(1) 0 is contained in  $\Phi$ .

*Proof.* Let  $m' \in \mathbb{N}$ . Assume  $0 \cdot k = m' \cdot k$  and  $k \neq 0$ . Then  $m' \cdot k = 0$ . Hence  $m' = 0$  or  $k = 0$ . Thus  $m' = 0$ . Qed.

(2) For all  $n' \in \Phi$  we have  $n' + 1 \in \Phi$ .

*Proof.* Let  $n' \in \Phi$ .

Let us show that for all  $m' \in \mathbb{N}$  if  $(n' + 1) \cdot k = m' \cdot k$  and  $k \neq 0$  then  $n' + 1 = m'$ . Let  $m' \in \mathbb{N}$ . Assume  $(n' + 1) \cdot k = m' \cdot k$  and  $k \neq 0$ .

Case  $m' = 0$ . Then  $(n' + 1) \cdot k = 0$ . Hence  $n' + 1 = 0$ . Contradiction. End.

Case  $m' \neq 0$ . Take a natural number  $l$  such that  $m' = l + 1$ . Then  $(n' + 1) \cdot k = (l + 1) \cdot k$ . Hence  $(n' \cdot k) + k = (n' \cdot k) + (1 \cdot k) = (n' \cdot k) + k = (l + 1) \cdot k = (l \cdot k) + (1 \cdot k) = (l \cdot k) + k$ . Thus  $n' \cdot k = l \cdot k$ . Then we have  $n' = l$ . Indeed if  $n' \cdot k = l \cdot k$  and  $k \neq 0$  then  $n' = l$ . Therefore  $n' + 1 = l + 1 = m'$ . End. End.

[prover vampire] Hence  $n' + 1 \in \Phi$ . Qed.

Thus every natural number is contained in  $\Phi$ . Therefore if  $n \cdot k = m \cdot k$  then  $n = m$ .  $\square$

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**Corollary 6.16.** Let  $n, m, k$  be natural numbers. Assume  $k \neq 0$ . Then

$$k \cdot n = k \cdot m \quad \text{implies} \quad n = m.$$

*Proof.* Assume  $k \cdot n = k \cdot m$ . We have  $k \cdot n = n \cdot k$  and  $k \cdot m = m \cdot k$ . Hence  $n \cdot k = m \cdot k$ . Thus  $n = m$  (by proposition 6.15).  $\square$

### 6.3 Ordering and multiplication

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**Proposition 6.17.** Let  $n, m, k$  be natural numbers. Assume  $k \neq 0$ . Then

$$n < m \quad \text{iff} \quad n \cdot k < m \cdot k.$$

*Proof.* Case  $n \cdot k < m \cdot k$ . Define  $\Phi = \{n' \in \mathbb{N} \mid \text{if } n' \cdot k < m \cdot k \text{ then } n' < m\}$ .

(1)  $\Phi$  contains 0.

(2) For all  $n' \in \Phi$  we have  $n' + 1 \in \Phi$ .

*Proof.* Let  $n' \in \Phi$ .

Let us show that if  $(n' + 1) \cdot k < m \cdot k$  then  $n' + 1 < m$ . Assume  $(n' + 1) \cdot k < m \cdot k$ . Then  $(n' \cdot k) + k < m \cdot k$ . Hence  $n' \cdot k < m \cdot k$ . Thus  $n' < m$ . Then  $n' + 1 \leq m$ . If  $n' + 1 = m$  then  $(n' + 1) \cdot k = m \cdot k$ . Hence  $n' + 1 < m$ . End. Qed.

Therefore every natural number is contained in  $\Phi$ . Consequently  $n < m$ . End.

Case  $n < m$ . Take a positive natural number  $l$  such that  $m = n + l$ . Then  $m \cdot k = (n + l) \cdot k = (n \cdot k) + (l \cdot k)$ .  $l \cdot k$  is positive. Hence  $n \cdot k < m \cdot k$ . End.  $\square$

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**Corollary 6.18.** Let  $n, m, k$  be natural numbers. Assume  $k \neq 0$ . Then

$$n < m \quad \text{iff} \quad k \cdot n < k \cdot m.$$

*Proof.* We have  $k \cdot n = n \cdot k$  and  $k \cdot m = m \cdot k$ . Hence  $k \cdot n < k \cdot m$  iff  $n \cdot k < m \cdot k$ .  $\square$

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**Proposition 6.19.** Let  $n, m, k$  be natural numbers. Then

$$n, m > k \quad \text{implies} \quad n \cdot m > k.$$

*Proof.* Define  $\Phi = \{n' \in \mathbb{N} \mid \text{if } n', m > k \text{ then } n' \cdot m > k\}$ .

(1)  $\Phi$  contains 0.

(2) For all  $n' \in \Phi$  we have  $n' + 1 \in \Phi$ .

*Proof.* Let  $n' \in \Phi$ .

Let us show that if  $n' + 1, m > k$  then  $(n' + 1) \cdot m > k$ . Assume  $n' + 1, m > k$ . Then



$(n' + 1) \cdot m = (n' \cdot m) + m$ . If  $n' = 0$  then  $(n' \cdot m) + m = 0 + m = m > k$ . If  $n' \neq 0$  then  $(n' \cdot m) + m > m > k$ . Indeed if  $n' \neq 0$  then  $n' \cdot m > 0$ . Indeed  $m > 0$ . Hence  $(n' + 1) \cdot m > k$ . Qed. Qed.

Thus every natural number is contained in  $\Phi$ . Therefore if  $n, m > k$  then  $n \cdot m > k$ .  $\square$

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**Corollary 6.20.** Let  $n, m, k$  be natural numbers. Then

$$n \leq m \quad \text{implies} \quad k \cdot n \leq k \cdot m.$$

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**Corollary 6.21.** Let  $n, m, k$  be natural numbers. Assume  $k \neq 0$ . Then

$$k \cdot n \leq k \cdot m \quad \text{implies} \quad n \leq m.$$

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**Corollary 6.22.** Let  $n, m, k$  be natural numbers. Then

$$n \leq m \quad \text{implies} \quad n \cdot k \leq m \cdot k.$$

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**Corollary 6.23.** Let  $n, m, k$  be natural numbers. Assume  $k \neq 0$ . Then

$$n \cdot k \leq m \cdot k \quad \text{implies} \quad n \leq m.$$

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**Proposition 6.24.** Let  $n, m, k$  be natural numbers. Assume  $m > 0$  and  $k > 1$ . Then  $k \cdot m > m$ .

*Proof.* Take a natural number  $l$  such that  $k = l + 2$ . Then

$$\begin{aligned} k \cdot m &= (l + 2) \cdot m \\ &= (l \cdot m) + (2 \cdot m) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= (l \cdot m) + (m + m) \\
&= ((l \cdot m) + m) + m \\
&= ((l + 1) \cdot m) + m \\
&\geq 1 + m \\
&> m.
\end{aligned}$$

Indeed  $((l + 1) \cdot m) + m \geq 1 + m$ . □

## 6.4 Multiplication and subtraction

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**Proposition 6.25.** Let  $n, m, k$  be natural numbers such that  $n \geq m$ . Then

$$(n - m) \cdot k = (n \cdot k) - (m \cdot k).$$

*Proof.* We have

$$\begin{aligned}
&((n - m) \cdot k) + (m \cdot k) \\
&= ((n - m) + m) \cdot k \\
&= n \cdot k \\
&= ((n \cdot k) - (m \cdot k)) + (m \cdot k).
\end{aligned}$$

Hence  $(n - m) \cdot k = (n \cdot k) - (m \cdot k)$ . □

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**Corollary 6.26.** Let  $n, m, k$  be natural numbers such that  $n \geq m$ . Then

$$k \cdot (n - m) = (k \cdot n) - (k \cdot m).$$

# Chapter 7

## Divisibility

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**Definition 7.1.** Let  $n, m$  be natural numbers.  $n$  divides  $m$  iff there exists a natural number  $k$  such that  $n \cdot k = m$ .

Let  $m$  is divisible by  $n$  stand for  $n$  divides  $m$ . Let  $n \mid m$  stand for  $n$  divides  $m$ . Let  $n \nmid m$  stand for  $n$  does not divide  $m$ .

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**Lemma 7.2.** Let  $n, m$  be natural numbers.  $n$  divides  $m$  iff there exists a natural number  $k$  such that  $k \cdot n = m$ .

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**Definition 7.3.** Let  $n$  be a natural number. A factor of  $n$  is a natural number that divides  $n$ .

Let a divisor of  $n$  stand for a factor of  $n$ .

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**Proposition 7.4.** Let  $n$  be a natural number. Then

$$n \mid 0.$$

*Proof.* We have  $n \cdot 0 = 0$ . Hence  $n \mid 0$ .  $\square$ 

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**Proposition 7.5.** Let  $n$  be a natural number. Then

$$0 \mid n \text{ implies } n = 0.$$

*Proof.* Assume  $0 \mid n$ . Consider a natural number  $k$  such that  $0 \cdot k = n$ . Then  $n = 0$ .  $\square$ 

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**Proposition 7.6.** Let  $n$  be a natural number. Then

$$1 \mid n.$$

*Proof.* We have  $1 \cdot n = n$ . Hence  $1 \mid n$ .  $\square$ 

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**Proposition 7.7.** Let  $n$  be a natural number. Then

$$n \mid n.$$

*Proof.* We have  $n \cdot 1 = n$ . Hence  $n \mid n$ .  $\square$ 

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**Proposition 7.8.** Let  $n$  be a natural number. Then

$$n \mid 1 \text{ implies } n = 1.$$

*Proof.* Assume  $n \mid 1$ . Take a natural number  $k$  such that  $n \cdot k = 1$ . Suppose  $n \neq 1$ . Then  $n < 1$  or  $n > 1$ .

Case  $n < 1$ . Then  $n = 0$ . Hence  $0 = 0 \cdot k = n \cdot k = 1$ . Contradiction. End.

Case  $n > 1$ . We have  $k \neq 0$ . Indeed if  $k = 0$  then  $1 = n \cdot k = n \cdot 0 = 0$ . Hence  $k \geq 1$ . Take a positive natural number  $l$  such that  $n = 1 + l$ . Then  $1 < 1 + l = n = n \cdot 1 \leq n \cdot k$ . Hence  $1 < n$ . Contradiction. End.  $\square$

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**Proposition 7.9.** Let  $n, m, k$  be natural numbers. Then

$$n \mid m \text{ implies } n \mid m \cdot k.$$

*Proof.* Assume  $n \mid m$ . Take  $l \in \mathbb{N}$  such that  $n \cdot l = m$ . Then  $n \cdot (l \cdot k) = (n \cdot l) \cdot k = m \cdot k$ . Hence  $n \mid m \cdot k$ .  $\square$

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**Corollary 7.10.** Let  $n, m, k$  be natural numbers. Then

$$n \mid m \text{ implies } n \mid k \cdot m.$$

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**Proposition 7.11.** Let  $n, m, k$  be natural numbers. Then

$$n \mid m \mid k \text{ implies } n \mid k.$$

*Proof.* Assume  $n \mid m$  and  $m \mid k$ . Take natural numbers  $l, l'$  such that  $n \cdot l = m$  and  $m \cdot l' = k$ . Then  $n \cdot (l \cdot l') = (n \cdot l) \cdot l' = m \cdot l' = k$ . Hence  $n \mid k$ .  $\square$

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**Proposition 7.12.** Let  $n, m$  be natural numbers such that  $n \neq 0$ . Then

$$(n \mid m \text{ and } m \mid n) \text{ implies } n = m.$$

*Proof.* Assume  $n \mid m$  and  $m \mid n$ . Take natural numbers  $k, k'$  such that  $n \cdot k = m$  and  $m \cdot k' = n$ . Then  $n = m \cdot k' = (n \cdot k) \cdot k' = n \cdot (k \cdot k')$ . Hence  $k \cdot k' = 1$ . Thus  $k = 1 = k'$ . Therefore  $n = m$ .  $\square$

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**Proposition 7.13.** Let  $n, m, k$  be natural numbers. Then

$$n \mid m \text{ implies } k \cdot n \mid k \cdot m.$$

*Proof.* Assume  $n \mid m$ . Take a natural number  $l$  such that  $n \cdot l = m$ . Then  $(k \cdot n) \cdot l = k \cdot (n \cdot l) = k \cdot m$ . Hence  $k \cdot n \mid k \cdot m$ .  $\square$

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**Proposition 7.14.** Let  $n, m, k$  be natural numbers. Assume  $k \neq 0$ . Then

$$k \cdot n \mid k \cdot m \text{ implies } n \mid m.$$

*Proof.* Assume  $k \cdot n \mid k \cdot m$ . Take a natural number  $l$  such that  $(k \cdot n) \cdot l = k \cdot m$ . Then  $k \cdot (n \cdot l) = k \cdot m$ . Hence  $n \cdot l = m$ . Thus  $n \mid m$ .  $\square$

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**Proposition 7.15.** Let  $n, m, k$  be natural numbers. Then

$$(k \mid n \text{ and } k \mid m) \text{ implies } (k \mid (n' \cdot n) + (m' \cdot m) \text{ for all natural numbers } n', m').$$

*Proof.* Assume  $k \mid n$  and  $k \mid m$ . Let  $n', m'$  be natural numbers. Take natural numbers  $l, l'$  such that  $k \cdot l = n$  and  $k \cdot l' = m$ . Then

$$\begin{aligned} & k \cdot ((n' \cdot l) + (m' \cdot l')) \\ &= (k \cdot (n' \cdot l)) + (k \cdot (m' \cdot l')) \\ &= ((k \cdot n') \cdot l) + ((k \cdot m') \cdot l') \\ &= (n' \cdot (k \cdot l)) + (m' \cdot (k \cdot l')) \\ &= (n' \cdot n) + (m' \cdot m). \end{aligned}$$

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**Corollary 7.16.** Let  $n, m, k$  be natural numbers. Then

$$(k \mid n \text{ and } k \mid m) \text{ implies } k \mid n + m.$$

*Proof.* Assume  $k \mid n$  and  $k \mid m$ . Take  $n' = 1$  and  $m' = 1$ . Then  $k \mid (n' \cdot n) + (m' \cdot m)$ .

$(n' \cdot n) + (m' \cdot m) = n + m$ . Hence  $k \mid n + m$ .  $\square$

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**Proposition 7.17.** Let  $n, m, k$  be natural numbers. Then

$$(k \mid n \text{ and } k \mid n + m) \text{ implies } k \mid m.$$

*Proof.* Assume  $k \mid n$  and  $k \mid n + m$ .

Case  $k = 0$ . Obvious.

Case  $k \neq 0$ . Take a natural number  $l$  such that  $n = k \cdot l$ . Take a natural number  $l'$  such that  $n + m = k \cdot l'$ . Then  $(k \cdot l) + m = k \cdot l'$ . We have  $l' \geq l$ . Indeed if  $l' < l$  then  $n + m = k \cdot l' < k \cdot l = n$ . Hence we can take a natural number  $l''$  such that  $l' = l + l''$ . Then  $(k \cdot l) + m = k \cdot l' = k \cdot (l + l'') = (k \cdot l) + (k \cdot l'')$ . Indeed  $k \cdot (l + l'') = (k \cdot l) + (k \cdot l'')$  (by proposition 6.8). Thus  $m = (k \cdot l'')$ . Therefore  $k \mid m$ . End.  $\square$

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**Proposition 7.18.** Let  $n, m$  be natural numbers such that  $n, m \neq 0$ . Then

$$m \mid n \text{ implies } m \leq n.$$

*Proof.* Assume  $m \mid n$ . Take a natural number  $k$  such that  $m \cdot k = n$ . If  $k = 0$  then  $n = m \cdot k = m \cdot 0 = 0$ . Thus  $k \geq 1$ . Assume  $m > n$ . Then  $n = m \cdot k \geq m \cdot 1 = m > n$ . Hence  $n > n$ . Contradiction.  $\square$

# Chapter 8

## Euclidean division

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### 8.1 Quotients and remainders

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**Theorem 8.1.** Let  $n, m$  be natural numbers such that  $m \neq 0$ . Then there exist natural numbers  $q, r$  such that

$$n = (m \cdot q) + r$$

and  $r < m$ .

*Proof.* Define  $\Phi = \{n' \in \mathbb{N} \mid \text{there exist natural numbers } q, r \text{ such that } r < m \text{ and } n' = (m \cdot q) + r\}$ .

(1)  $\Phi$  contains 0. Proof. Take  $q = 0$  and  $r = 0$ . Then  $r < m$  and  $0 = (m \cdot q) + r$ . Hence  $0 \in \Phi$ . Qed.

(2) For all  $n' \in \Phi$  we have  $n' + 1 \in \Phi$ . Proof. Let  $n' \in \Phi$ .

Let us show that there exist natural numbers  $q, r$  such that  $r < m$  and  $n' + 1 = (m \cdot q) + r$ . Take natural numbers  $q', r'$  such that  $r' < m$  and  $n' = (m \cdot q') + r'$ . We have  $r' + 1 < m$  or  $r' + 1 = m$ .



Case  $r' + 1 < m$ . Take  $q = q' + 0$  and  $r = r' + 1$ . Then  $r < m$  and  $n' + 1 = ((q' \cdot m) + r') + 1 = (q' \cdot m) + (r' + 1) = (q \cdot m) + r$ . End.

Case  $r' + 1 = m$ . Take  $q = q' + 1$  and  $r = 0$ . Then  $r < m$  and  $n' + 1 = ((q' \cdot m) + r') + 1 = (q' \cdot m) + (r' + 1) = (q' \cdot m) + m = (q' \cdot m) + (1 \cdot m) = (q' + 1) \cdot m = (q \cdot m) + r$ . End.

Hence  $n' + 1 \in \Phi$ . Qed.

Then  $\Phi$  contains every natural number. Thus there exist natural numbers  $q, r$  such that  $n = (m \cdot q) + r$  and  $r < m$ .  $\square$

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**Proposition 8.2.** Let  $n, m$  be natural numbers such that  $m \neq 0$ . Let  $q, r$  be natural numbers such that  $(m \cdot q) + r = n$  and  $r < m$ . Let  $q', r'$  be natural numbers such that  $(m \cdot q') + r' = n$  and  $r' < m$ . Then  $q = q'$  and  $r = r'$ .

*Proof.* We have  $(m \cdot q) + r = (m \cdot q') + r'$ .

Case  $q \geq q'$  and  $r \geq r'$ . (1)  $((m \cdot q) + r) - r' = (m \cdot q) + (r - r')$  (by corollary 5.8). (2)  $((m \cdot q') + r') - r' = (m \cdot q') + (r' - r') = m \cdot q'$ . Hence  $(m \cdot q) + (r - r') = m \cdot q'$ . Thus  $((m \cdot q) - (m \cdot q')) + (r - r') = 0$ . Consequently  $(m \cdot q) - (m \cdot q') = 0$  and  $r - r' = 0$ . If  $(m \cdot q) - (m \cdot q') = 0$  then  $q - q' = 0$ . Therefore  $q - q' = 0$  and  $r - r' = 0$ . Thus we have  $q = q'$  and  $r = r'$ . End.

Case  $q \geq q'$  and  $r < r'$ . Take  $q'' = q - q'$  and  $r'' = r' - r$ . Then  $(m \cdot (q' + q'')) + r = (m \cdot q') + (r + r'')$ . We have  $(m \cdot q') + (r + r'') = (m \cdot q') + (r'' + r) = ((m \cdot q') + r'') + r$ . Hence  $(m \cdot (q' + q'')) + r = ((m \cdot q') + r'') + r$ . Thus  $m \cdot (q' + q'') = (m \cdot q') + r''$  (by proposition 3.15). We have  $m \cdot (q' + q'') = (m \cdot q') + (m \cdot q'')$ . Hence  $(m \cdot q') + (m \cdot q'') = (m \cdot q') + r''$ . [prover vampire] Thus  $m \cdot q'' = r''$  (by corollary 3.16). Then we have  $m \cdot q'' < m \cdot 1$ . Indeed  $m \cdot q'' = r'' \leq r' < m = m \cdot 1$ . Therefore  $q'' < 1$  (by corollary 6.18). Consequently  $q - q' = q'' = 0$ . Hence  $q = q'$ . Thus  $(m \cdot q) + r = (m \cdot q') + r'$ . Therefore  $r = r'$ . End.

Case  $q < q'$  and  $r \geq r'$ . Take  $q'' = q' - q$  and  $r'' = r - r'$ . Then  $(m \cdot q) + (r' + r'') = (m \cdot (q + q'')) + r'$ . We have  $(m \cdot q) + (r' + r'') = (m \cdot q) + (r'' + r') = ((m \cdot q) + r'') + r'$ . Hence  $((m \cdot q) + r'') + r' = (m \cdot (q + q'')) + r'$ . Thus  $(m \cdot q) + r'' = m \cdot (q + q'')$  (by proposition 3.15). We have  $m \cdot (q + q'') = (m \cdot q) + (m \cdot q'')$ . Hence  $(m \cdot q) + r'' = (m \cdot q) + (m \cdot q'')$ . [prover vampire] Thus  $r'' = m \cdot q''$ . Then we have  $m \cdot q'' < m \cdot 1$ . Indeed  $m \cdot q'' = r'' \leq r < m = m \cdot 1$ . Therefore  $q'' < 1$  (by corollary 6.18). Consequently  $q' - q = q'' = 0$ . Hence  $q' = q$ . Thus  $(m \cdot q) + r = (m \cdot q) + r'$ . Therefore  $r = r'$ . End.

Case  $q < q'$  and  $r < r'$ . (1)  $((m \cdot q') + r') - r = (m \cdot q') + (r' - r)$  (by corollary 5.8). (2)  $((m \cdot q) + r) - r = (m \cdot q) + (r - r) = m \cdot q$ . Hence  $(m \cdot q') + (r' - r) = m \cdot q$ . Thus  $((m \cdot q') - (m \cdot q)) + (r' - r) = 0$ . Consequently  $(m \cdot q') - (m \cdot q) = 0$  and  $r' - r = 0$ . If  $(m \cdot q') - (m \cdot q) = 0$  then  $q' - q = 0$ . Therefore  $q' - q = 0$  and  $r' - r = 0$ . Thus we

have  $q' = q$  and  $r' = r$ . End. □

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**Definition 8.3.** Let  $n, m$  be natural numbers such that  $m \neq 0$ .  $n \operatorname{div} m$  is the natural number  $q$  such that  $n = (m \cdot q) + r$  for some natural number  $r$  that is less than  $m$ .

Let the quotient of  $n$  over  $m$  stand for  $n \operatorname{div} m$ .

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**Definition 8.4.** Let  $n, m$  be natural numbers such that  $m \neq 0$ .  $n \bmod m$  is the natural number  $r$  such that  $r < m$  and there exists a natural number  $q$  such that  $n = (m \cdot q) + r$ .

Let the remainder of  $n$  over  $m$  stand for  $n \bmod m$ .

## 8.2 Modular arithmetic

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**Definition 8.5.** Let  $n, m, k$  be natural numbers such that  $k \neq 0$ .  $n \equiv m \pmod{k}$  iff  $n \bmod k = m \bmod k$ .

Let  $n$  and  $m$  are congruent modulo  $k$  stand for  $n \equiv m \pmod{k}$ .

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**Proposition 8.6.** Let  $n, k$  be natural numbers such that  $k \neq 0$ . Then

$$n \equiv n \pmod{k}.$$

*Proof.* We have  $n \bmod k = n \bmod k$ . Hence  $n \equiv n \pmod{k}$ . □

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**Proposition 8.7.** Let  $n, m, k$  be natural numbers such that  $k \neq 0$ . Then

$$n \equiv m \pmod{k} \text{ implies } m \equiv n \pmod{k}.$$

*Proof.* Assume  $n \equiv m \pmod{k}$ . Then  $n \bmod k = m \bmod k$ . Hence  $m \bmod k = n \bmod k$ . Thus  $m \equiv n \pmod{k}$ .  $\square$

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**Proposition 8.8.** Let  $n, m, l, k$  be natural numbers such that  $k \neq 0$ . Then

$$(n \equiv m \pmod{k} \text{ and } m \equiv l \pmod{k}) \text{ implies } n \equiv l \pmod{k}.$$

*Proof.* Assume  $n \equiv m \pmod{k}$  and  $m \equiv l \pmod{k}$ . Then  $n \bmod k = m \bmod k$  and  $m \bmod k = l \bmod k$ . Hence  $n \bmod k = l \bmod k$ . Thus  $n \equiv l \pmod{k}$ .  $\square$

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**Proposition 8.9.** Let  $n, m, k$  be natural numbers such that  $k \neq 0$ . Assume  $n \geq m$ . Then  $n \equiv m \pmod{k}$  iff  $n = (k \cdot x) + m$  for some natural number  $x$ .

*Proof.* Case  $n \equiv m \pmod{k}$ . Then  $n \bmod k = m \bmod k$ . Take a natural number  $r$  such that  $r < k$  and  $n \bmod k = r = m \bmod k$ . Take a nonzero natural number  $l$  such that  $k = r + l$ . Consider natural numbers  $q, q'$  such that  $n = (q \cdot k) + r$  and  $m = (q' \cdot k) + r$ .

Then  $q \geq q'$ .

*Proof.* Assume the contrary. Then  $q < q'$ . Hence  $q \cdot k < q' \cdot k$ . Thus  $(q \cdot k) + r < (q' \cdot k) + r$  (by proposition 4.26). Indeed  $q \cdot k$  and  $q' \cdot k$  are natural numbers. Therefore  $n < m$ . Contradiction. Qed.

Take a natural number  $x$  such that  $q = q' + x$ .

Let us show that  $n = (k \cdot x) + m$ . We have

$$\begin{aligned} & (k \cdot x) + m \\ &= (k \cdot x) + ((q' \cdot k) + r) \\ &= ((k \cdot x) + (q' \cdot k)) + r \\ &= ((k \cdot x) + (k \cdot q')) + r \\ &= (k \cdot (q' + x)) + r \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= (k \cdot q) + r \\
&= n.
\end{aligned}$$

End. End.

Case  $n = (k \cdot x) + m$  for some natural number  $x$ . Consider a natural number  $x$  such that  $n = (k \cdot x) + m$ . Take natural numbers  $r, r'$  such that  $n \bmod k = r$  and  $m \bmod k = r'$ . Then  $r, r' < k$ . Take natural numbers  $q, q'$  such that  $n = (k \cdot q) + r$  and  $m = (k \cdot q') + r'$ . Then

$$\begin{aligned}
&(k \cdot q) + r \\
&= n \\
&= (k \cdot x) + m \\
&= (k \cdot x) + ((k \cdot q') + r') \\
&= ((k \cdot x) + (k \cdot q')) + r' \\
&= (k \cdot (x + q')) + r'.
\end{aligned}$$

Hence  $r = r'$ . Thus  $n \bmod k = m \bmod k$ . Therefore  $n \equiv m \pmod{k}$ . End.  $\square$

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**Proposition 8.10.** Let  $n, m, k, k'$  be natural numbers such that  $k, k' \neq 0$ . Then

$$n \equiv m \pmod{k \cdot k'} \text{ implies } n \equiv m \pmod{k}.$$

*Proof.* Assume  $n \equiv m \pmod{k \cdot k'}$ .

Case  $n \geq m$ . We can take a natural number  $x$  such that  $n = ((k \cdot k') \cdot x) + m$ . Then  $n = (k \cdot (k' \cdot x)) + m$ . Hence  $n \equiv m \pmod{k}$ . End.

Case  $m \geq n$ . We have  $m \equiv n \pmod{k \cdot k'}$ . Hence we can take a natural number  $x$  such that  $m = ((k \cdot k') \cdot x) + n$ . Then  $m = (k \cdot (k' \cdot x)) + n$ . Thus  $m \equiv n \pmod{k}$ . Therefore  $n \equiv m \pmod{k}$ . End.  $\square$

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**Corollary 8.11.** Let  $n, m, k, k'$  be natural numbers such that  $k, k' \neq 0$ . Then

$$n \equiv m \pmod{k \cdot k'} \text{ implies } n \equiv m \pmod{k'}.$$

*Proof.* Assume  $n \equiv m \pmod{k \cdot k'}$ . Then  $n \equiv m \pmod{k' \cdot k}$ . Hence  $n \equiv m \pmod{k'}$ .  $\square$

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**Proposition 8.12.** Let  $n, k$  be natural numbers such that  $k \neq 0$ . Then

$$n + k \equiv n \pmod{k}.$$

*Proof.* Take  $r = n \bmod k$  and  $r' = (n + k) \bmod k$ . Consider a  $q \in \mathbb{N}$  such that  $n = (k \cdot q) + r$  and  $r < k$ . Consider a  $q' \in \mathbb{N}$  such that  $n + k = (k \cdot q') + r'$  and  $r' < k$ . Then  $(k \cdot q') + r' = n + k = ((k \cdot q) + r) + k = (k + (k \cdot q)) + r = (k \cdot (q + 1)) + r$ . Hence  $r = r'$ . Consequently  $n \bmod k = (n + k) \bmod k$ . Thus  $n + k \equiv n \pmod{k}$ .  $\square$

# Chapter 9

## Exponentiation

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### 9.1 Definition of exponentiation

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**Lemma 9.1.** There exists a  $\varphi : \mathbb{N} \times \mathbb{N} \rightarrow \mathbb{N}$  such that for all  $n \in \mathbb{N}$  we have  $\varphi(n, 0) = 1$  and  $\varphi(n, m + 1) = \varphi(n, m) \cdot n$  for any  $m \in \mathbb{N}$ .

*Proof.* Take  $A = [\mathbb{N} \rightarrow \mathbb{N}]$ . Define  $a(n) = 1$  for  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ . Then  $A$  is a set and  $a \in A$ .

[skipfail on] Define  $f(g) = \lambda n \in \mathbb{N}. g(n) \cdot n$  for  $g \in A$ . [skipfail off]

Then  $f : A \rightarrow A$ . Indeed  $f(g)$  is a map from  $\mathbb{N}$  to  $\mathbb{N}$  for any  $g \in A$ . Consider a  $\psi : \mathbb{N} \rightarrow A$  such that  $\psi$  is recursively defined by  $a$  and  $f$  (by theorem 2.2). For any objects  $n, m$  we have  $(n, m) \in \mathbb{N} \times \mathbb{N}$  iff  $n, m \in \mathbb{N}$ . Define  $\varphi(n, m) = \psi(m)(n)$  for  $(n, m) \in \mathbb{N} \times \mathbb{N}$ . Then  $\varphi$  is a map from  $\mathbb{N} \times \mathbb{N}$  to  $\mathbb{N}$ . Indeed  $\varphi(n, m) \in \mathbb{N}$  for all  $n, m \in \mathbb{N}$ .

(1) For all  $n \in \mathbb{N}$  we have  $\varphi(n, 0) = 1$ .

Proof. Let  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ . Then  $\varphi(n, 0) = \psi(0)(n) = a(0) = 1$ . Qed.

(2) For all  $n, m \in \mathbb{N}$  we have  $\varphi(n, m + 1) = \varphi(n, m) \cdot n$ .

Proof. Let  $n, m \in \mathbb{N}$ . Then  $\varphi(n, m + 1) = \psi(m + 1)(n) = f(\psi(m))(n) = \psi(m)(n) \cdot n = \varphi(n, m) \cdot n$ . Qed.

Hence for all  $n \in \mathbb{N}$  we have  $\varphi(n, 0) = 1$  and  $\varphi(n, m+1) = \varphi(n, m) \cdot n$  for any  $m \in \mathbb{N}$ .  $\square$

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**Lemma 9.2.** Let  $\varphi, \varphi' : \mathbb{N} \times \mathbb{N} \rightarrow \mathbb{N}$ . Assume that for all  $n \in \mathbb{N}$  we have  $\varphi(n, 0) = 1$  and  $\varphi(n, m+1) = \varphi(n, m) \cdot n$  for any  $m \in \mathbb{N}$ . Assume that for all  $n \in \mathbb{N}$  we have  $\varphi'(n, 0) = 1$  and  $\varphi'(n, m+1) = \varphi'(n, m) \cdot n$  for any  $m \in \mathbb{N}$ . Then  $\varphi = \varphi'$ .

*Proof.* Define  $\Phi = \{m \in \mathbb{N} \mid \varphi(n, m) = \varphi'(n, m) \text{ for all } n \in \mathbb{N}\}$ .

(1)  $0 \in \Phi$ . Indeed  $\varphi(n, 0) = 1 = \varphi'(n, 0)$  for all  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ .

(2) For all  $m \in \Phi$  we have  $m+1 \in \Phi$ .

*Proof.* Let  $m \in \Phi$ . Then  $\varphi(n, m) = \varphi'(n, m)$  for all  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ .  $\varphi(n, m), \varphi'(n, m)$  are natural numbers for all  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ . Hence  $\varphi(n, m+1) = \varphi(n, m) \cdot n = \varphi'(n, m) \cdot n = \varphi'(n, m+1)$  for all  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ . Thus  $\varphi(n, m+1) = \varphi'(n, m+1)$  for all  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ . Qed.

Thus  $\Phi$  contains every natural number. Therefore  $\varphi(n, m) = \varphi'(n, m)$  for all  $n, m \in \mathbb{N}$ .  $\square$

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**Definition 9.3.**  $\exp$  is the map from  $\mathbb{N} \times \mathbb{N}$  to  $\mathbb{N}$  such that for all  $n \in \mathbb{N}$  we have  $\exp(n, 0) = 1$  and  $\exp(n, m+1) = \exp(n, m) \cdot n$  for any  $m \in \mathbb{N}$ .

Let  $n^m$  stand for  $\exp(n, m)$ .

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**Lemma 9.4.** Let  $n, m$  be natural numbers. Then  $(n, m) \in \text{dom}(\exp)$ .

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**Lemma 9.5.** Let  $n, m$  be natural numbers. Then  $n^m$  is a natural number.

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**Lemma 9.6.** Let  $n$  be a natural number. Then  $n^0 = 1$ .

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**Lemma 9.7.** Let  $n, m$  be natural numbers. Then  $n^{m+1} = n^m \cdot n$ .

## 9.2 Computation laws

### Exponentiation with 0, 1 and 2

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**Proposition 9.8.** Let  $n$  be a natural number. Assume  $n \neq 0$ . Then

$$0^n = 0.$$

*Proof.* Take a natural number  $m$  such that  $n = m + 1$ . Then  $0^n = 0^{m+1} = 0^m \cdot 0 = 0$ .  $\square$

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**Proposition 9.9.** Let  $n$  be a natural number. Then

$$1^n = 1.$$

*Proof.* Define  $\Phi = \{n' \in \mathbb{N} \mid 1^{n'} = 1\}$ .

(1)  $\Phi$  contains 0.

(2) For all  $n' \in \Phi$  we have  $n' + 1 \in \Phi$ .

*Proof.* Let  $n' \in \Phi$ . Then  $1^{n'+1} = 1^{n'} \cdot 1 = 1 \cdot 1 = 1$ . Qed.

Hence every natural number is contained in  $\Phi$ . Thus  $1^n = 1$ .  $\square$

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**Proposition 9.10.** Let  $n$  be a natural number. Then

$$n^1 = n.$$

*Proof.* We have  $n^1 = n^{0+1} = n^0 \cdot n = 1 \cdot n = n$ .  $\square$



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**Proposition 9.11.** Let  $n$  be a natural number. Then

$$n^2 = n \cdot n.$$

*Proof.* We have  $n^2 = n^{1+1} = n^1 \cdot n = n \cdot n$ . □

## Sums as exponents

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**Proposition 9.12.** Let  $n, m, k$  be natural numbers. Then

$$k^{n+m} = k^n \cdot k^m.$$

*Proof.* Define  $\Phi = \{m' \in \mathbb{N} \mid k^{n+m'} = k^n \cdot k^{m'}\}$ .

(1)  $\Phi$  contains 0.

Indeed  $k^{n+0} = k^n = k^n \cdot 1 = k^n \cdot k^0$ .

(2) For all  $m' \in \Phi$  we have  $m' + 1 \in \Phi$ .

*Proof.* Let  $m' \in \Phi$ . Then

$$\begin{aligned} & k^{n+(m'+1)} \\ &= k^{(n+m')+1} \\ &= k^{n+m'} \cdot k \\ &= (k^n \cdot k^{m'}) \cdot k \\ &= k^n \cdot (k^{m'} \cdot k) \\ &= k^n \cdot k^{m'+1}. \end{aligned}$$

Qed.

Hence every natural number is contained in  $\Phi$ . Thus  $k^{n+m} = k^n \cdot k^m$ . □

## Products as exponents

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**Proposition 9.13.** Let  $n, m, k$  be natural numbers. Then

$$n^{m \cdot k} = (n^m)^k.$$

*Proof.* Define  $\Phi = \{k' \in \mathbb{N} \mid n^{m \cdot k'} = (n^m)^{k'}\}$ .

(1)  $\Phi$  contains 0. Indeed  $(n^m)^0 = 1 = n^0 = n^{m \cdot 0}$ .

(2) For all  $k' \in \Phi$  we have  $k' + 1 \in \Phi$ .

*Proof.* Let  $k' \in \Phi$ . Then

$$\begin{aligned} & (n^m)^{k'+1} \\ &= (n^m)^{k'} \cdot n^m \\ &= n^{m \cdot k'} \cdot n^m \\ &= n^{(m \cdot k') + m} \\ &= n^{m \cdot (k'+1)}. \end{aligned}$$

Qed.

Therefore every natural number is contained in  $\Phi$ . Consequently  $n^{m \cdot k} = (n^m)^k$ .  $\square$

## Products as base

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**Proposition 9.14.** Let  $n, m, k$  be natural numbers. Then

$$(n \cdot m)^k = n^k \cdot m^k.$$

*Proof.* Define  $\Phi = \{k' \in \mathbb{N} \mid (n \cdot m)^{k'} = n^{k'} \cdot m^{k'}\}$ .

(1)  $\Phi$  contains 0. Indeed  $((n \cdot m)^0) = 1 = 1 \cdot 1 = n^0 \cdot m^0$ .

(2) For all  $k' \in \Phi$  we have  $k' + 1 \in \Phi$ .

*Proof.* Let  $k' \in \Phi$ .

Let us show that  $(n^{k'} \cdot m^{k'}) \cdot (n \cdot m) = (n^{k'+1} \cdot m^{k'+1})$ .

$$\begin{aligned} & (n^{k'} \cdot m^{k'}) \cdot (n \cdot m) \\ &= ((n^{k'} \cdot m^{k'}) \cdot n) \cdot m \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= (n^{k'} \cdot (m^{k'} \cdot n)) \cdot m \\
&= (n^{k'} \cdot (n \cdot m^{k'})) \cdot m \\
&= ((n^{k'} \cdot n) \cdot m^{k'}) \cdot m \\
&= (n^{k'} \cdot n) \cdot (m^{k'} \cdot m).
\end{aligned}$$

Qed.

Hence

$$\begin{aligned}
&(n \cdot m)^{k'+1} \\
&= (n \cdot m)^{k'} \cdot (n \cdot m) \\
&= (n^{k'} \cdot m^{k'}) \cdot (n \cdot m) \\
&= (n^{k'} \cdot n) \cdot (m^{k'} \cdot m) \\
&= n^{k'+1} \cdot m^{k'+1}.
\end{aligned}$$

Qed.

Therefore every natural number is contained in  $\Phi$ . Consequently  $(n \cdot m)^k = n^k \cdot m^k$ .  $\square$

## Zeroes of exponentiation

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**Proposition 9.15.** Let  $n, m$  be natural numbers. Then

$$n^m = 0 \quad \text{iff} \quad (n = 0 \text{ and } m \neq 0).$$

*Proof.* Case  $n^m = 0$ . Define  $\Phi = \{m' \in \mathbb{N} \mid \text{if } n^{m'} = 0 \text{ then } n = 0 \text{ and } m' \neq 0\}$ .

(1)  $\Phi$  contains 0. Indeed if  $n^0 = 0$  then we have a contradiction.

(2) For all  $m' \in \Phi$  we have  $m' + 1 \in \Phi$ .

*Proof.* Let  $m' \in \Phi$ .

Let us show that if  $n^{m'+1} = 0$  then  $n = 0$  and  $m' + 1 \neq 0$ . Assume  $n^{m'+1} = 0$ . Then  $0 = n^{m'+1} = n^{m'} \cdot n$ . Hence  $n^{m'} = 0$  or  $n = 0$ . We have  $m' + 1 \neq 0$  and if  $n^{m'} = 0$  then  $n = 0$ . Hence  $n = 0$  and  $m' + 1 \neq 0$ . End. Qed.

Thus every natural number is contained in  $\Phi$ . Consequently  $m \in \Phi$ . Therefore  $n = 0$  and  $m \neq 0$ . End.

Case  $n = 0$  and  $m \neq 0$ . Take a natural number  $k$  such that  $m = k + 1$ . Then  $n^m = n^{k+1} = n^k \cdot n = 0^k \cdot 0 = 0$ . End.  $\square$

### 9.3 Ordering and exponentiation

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**Proposition 9.16.** Let  $n, m, k$  be natural numbers. Assume  $k \neq 0$ . Then

$$n < m \quad \text{iff} \quad n^k < m^k.$$

*Proof.* Case  $n < m$ . Define  $\Phi = \{k' \in \mathbb{N} \mid \text{if } k' > 1 \text{ then } n^{k'} < m^{k'}\}$ .

(1)  $\Phi$  contains 0.

(2)  $\Phi$  contains 1.

(3)  $\Phi$  contains 2.

*Proof.* Case  $n = 0$  or  $m = 0$ . Obvious.

Case  $n, m \neq 0$ . Then  $n \cdot n < n \cdot m < m \cdot m$ . Hence  $n^2 = n \cdot n < n \cdot m < m \cdot m = m^2$ . End. Qed.

(4) For all  $k' \in \Phi$  we have  $k' + 1 \in \Phi$ .

*Proof.* Let  $k' \in \Phi$ .

Let us show that if  $k' + 1 > 1$  then  $n^{k'+1} < m^{k'+1}$ . Assume  $k' + 1 > 1$ . Then  $n^{k'} < m^{k'}$ . Indeed  $k' \neq 0$  and if  $k' = 1$  then  $n^{k'} < m^{k'}$ .

Case  $k' \leq 1$ . Then  $k' = 0$  or  $k' = 1$ . Hence  $k' + 1 = 1$  or  $k' + 1 = 2$ . Thus  $k' + 1 \in \Phi$ . Therefore  $n^{k'+1} < m^{k'+1}$ . End.

Case  $k' > 1$ . Case  $n = 0$ . Then  $m \neq 0$ . Hence  $n^{k'+1} = 0 < m^{k'} \cdot m = m^{k'+1}$ . Thus  $n^{k'+1} < m^{k'+1}$ . End.

Case  $n \neq 0$ . Then  $n^{k'} \cdot n < m^{k'} \cdot n < m^{k'} \cdot m$ . Indeed  $n^{k'} < m^{k'} \neq 0$ . Take  $A = n^{k'+1}$  and  $B = m^{k'+1}$ . Then  $A = n^{k'+1} = n^{k'} \cdot n < m^{k'} \cdot n < m^{k'} \cdot m = m^{k'+1} = B$ . Thus  $n^{k'+1} = A < B = m^{k'+1}$ . End. End.

Hence  $n^{k'+1} < m^{k'+1}$ . Indeed  $k' \leq 1$  or  $k' > 1$ . End.

Thus  $k' + 1 \in \Phi$ . Qed.

Therefore every natural number is contained in  $\Phi$ . Consequently  $n^k < m^k$ . End.

Case  $n^k < m^k$ . Define  $\Psi = \{k' \in \mathbb{N} \mid \text{if } n \geq m \text{ then } n^{k'} \geq m^{k'}\}$ .

(1)  $\Psi$  contains 0.

(2) For all  $k' \in \Psi$  we have  $k' + 1 \in \Psi$ .

*Proof.* Let  $k' \in \Psi$ .

Let us show that if  $n \geq m$  then  $n^{k'+1} \geq m^{k'+1}$ . Assume  $n \geq m$ . Then  $n^{k'} \geq m^{k'}$ . Hence  $n^{k'} \cdot n \geq m^{k'} \cdot n \geq m^{k'} \cdot m$ . Take  $A = n^{k'+1}$  and  $B = m^{k'+1}$ . Thus  $A = n^{k'+1} = n^{k'} \cdot n \geq m^{k'} \cdot n \geq m^{k'} \cdot m = m^{k'+1} = B$ . Therefore  $n^{k'+1} = A \geq B = m^{k'+1}$ . End.

Hence  $k' + 1 \in \Psi$ . Qed.

Thus every natural number is contained in  $\Psi$ . Therefore if  $n \geq m$  then  $n^k \geq m^k$ .  
[prover vampire] Consequently  $n < m$ . End.  $\square$

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**Corollary 9.17.** Let  $n, m, k$  be natural numbers. Assume  $k \neq 0$ . Then

$$n^k = m^k \quad \text{implies} \quad n = m.$$

*Proof.* Assume  $n^k = m^k$ . Suppose  $n \neq m$ . Then  $n < m$  or  $m < n$ . If  $n < m$  then  $n^k < m^k$ . If  $m < n$  then  $m^k < n^k$ . Thus  $n^k \neq m^k$ . Contradiction.  $\square$

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**Corollary 9.18.** Let  $n, m, k$  be natural numbers. Assume  $k \neq 0$ . Then

$$n^k \leq m^k \quad \text{iff} \quad n \leq m.$$

*Proof.* If  $n^k < m^k$  then  $n < m$ . If  $n^k = m^k$  then  $n = m$ .

If  $n < m$  then  $n^k < m^k$ . If  $n = m$  then  $n^k = m^k$ .  $\square$

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**Proposition 9.19.** Let  $n, m, k$  be natural numbers. Assume  $k > 1$ . Then

$$n < m \quad \text{iff} \quad k^n < k^m.$$

*Proof.* Case  $n < m$ . Define  $\Phi = \{m' \in \mathbb{N} \mid \text{if } n < m' \text{ then } k^n < k^{m'}\}$ .

(1)  $\Phi$  contains 0.

(2) For all  $m' \in \Phi$  we have  $m' + 1 \in \Phi$ .

*Proof.* Let  $m' \in \Phi$ .

Let us show that if  $n < m' + 1$  then  $k^n < k^{m'+1}$ . Assume  $n < m' + 1$ . Then  $n \leq m'$ . We have  $k^{m'} \cdot 1 < k^{m'} \cdot k$ . Indeed  $k^{m'} \neq 0$ .

Case  $n = m'$ . Take  $A = k^n$  and  $B = k^{m'+1}$ . Then  $A = k^n = k^{m'} < k^{m'} \cdot k = k^{m'+1} = B$ . Hence  $k^n = A < B = k^{m'+1}$ . End.

Case  $n < m'$ . Take  $A = k^n$  and  $B = k^{m'+1}$ . Then  $A = k^n < k^{m'} < k^{m'} \cdot k = k^{m'+1} = B$ . Hence  $k^n = A < B = k^{m'+1}$ . End. Qed. Qed.

Hence every natural number is contained in  $\Phi$ . Thus  $k^n < k^m$ . End.

Case  $k^n < k^m$ . Define  $\Psi = \{n' \in \mathbb{N} \mid \text{if } n' \geq m \text{ then } k^{n'} \geq k^m\}$ .

(1) 0 is contained in  $\Psi$ .

(2) For all  $n' \in \Psi$  we have  $n' + 1 \in \Psi$ .

Proof. Let  $n' \in \Psi$ .

Let us show that if  $n' + 1 \geq m$  then  $k^{n'+1} \geq k^m$ . Assume  $n' + 1 \geq m$ .

Case  $n' + 1 = m$ . Obvious.

Case  $n' + 1 > m$ . Then  $n' \geq m$ . Hence  $k^{n'} \geq k^m$ . We have  $k^{n'} \cdot 1 \leq k^{n'} \cdot k$ . Indeed  $1 \leq k$  and  $k^{n'} \neq 0$ . Take  $A = k^m$  and  $B = k^{n'+1}$ . Then  $A = k^m \leq k^{n'} = k^{n'} \cdot 1 \leq k^{n'} \cdot k = k^{n'+1} = B$ . Hence  $k^m = A \leq B = k^{n'+1}$ . End. Qed. Qed.

Thus every natural number is contained in  $\Psi$ . Therefore if  $n \geq m$  then  $k^n \geq k^m$ . [prover vampire] Consequently  $n < m$ . End.  $\square$

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**Corollary 9.20.** Let  $n, m, k$  be natural numbers. Assume  $k > 1$ . Then

$$k^n = k^m \quad \text{implies} \quad n = m.$$

*Proof.* Assume  $k^n = k^m$ . Suppose  $n \neq m$ . Then  $n < m$  or  $m < n$ . If  $n < m$  then  $k^n < k^m$ . If  $m < n$  then  $k^m < k^n$ . Thus  $k^n \neq k^m$ . Contradiction.  $\square$

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**Corollary 9.21.** Let  $n, m, k$  be natural numbers. Assume  $k > 1$ . Then

$$n \leq m \quad \text{iff} \quad k^n \leq k^m.$$

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**Proposition 9.22.** Let  $n$  be a natural number. Then

$$(n+1)^2 = (n^2 + (2 \cdot n)) + 1.$$

*Proof.* We have

$$\begin{aligned} & (n+1)^2 \\ &= (n+1) \cdot (n+1) \\ &= ((n+1) \cdot n) + (n+1) \\ &= ((n \cdot n) + n) + (n+1) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= (n^2 + n) + (n + 1) \\
&= ((n^2 + n) + n) + 1 \\
&= (n^2 + (n + n)) + 1 \\
&= (n^2 + (2 \cdot n)) + 1.
\end{aligned}$$

□

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**Proposition 9.23.** Let  $n$  be a natural number. Assume  $n \geq 3$ . Then

$$n^2 > (2 \cdot n) + 1.$$

*Proof.* Define  $\Phi = \{n' \in \mathbb{N}_{\geq 3} \mid n'^2 > (2 \cdot n') + 1\}$ .

(1)  $\Phi$  contains 3.

(2) For all  $n' \in \Phi$  we have  $n' + 1 \in \Phi$ .

*Proof.* Let  $n' \in \Phi$ . Then  $n' \geq 3$ .

(a)  $(n'^2 + (2 \cdot n')) + 1 > (((2 \cdot n') + 1) + (2 \cdot n')) + 1$ . Indeed  $n'^2 + (2 \cdot n') > ((2 \cdot n') + 1) + (2 \cdot n')$ .

(b)  $((2 \cdot n') + 1) + (2 \cdot n') + 1 > ((2 \cdot n') + (2 \cdot n')) + 1$ .

*Proof.* We have  $((2 \cdot n') + 1) + (2 \cdot n') > (2 \cdot n') + (2 \cdot n')$ . Indeed  $(2 \cdot n') + 1 > 2 \cdot n'$ . Qed.

(c)  $(2 \cdot (n' + n')) + 1 > (2 \cdot (n' + 1)) + 1$ .

*Proof.* We have  $n' + n' > n' + 1$  and  $2 \neq 0$ . Thus  $2 \cdot (n' + n') > 2 \cdot (n' + 1)$  (by corollary 6.18). Indeed  $n' + n'$  and  $n' + 1$  are natural numbers. Qed.

Take  $A = (n' + 1)^2$  and  $B = (2 \cdot (n' + 1)) + 1$ . Then

$$\begin{aligned}
&A \\
&= (n' + 1)^2 \\
&= (n'^2 + (2 \cdot n')) + 1 \\
&> (((2 \cdot n') + 1) + (2 \cdot n')) + 1 \\
&> ((2 \cdot n') + (2 \cdot n')) + 1 \\
&= (2 \cdot (n' + n')) + 1 \\
&> (2 \cdot (n' + 1)) + 1 \\
&= B.
\end{aligned}$$

Thus  $(n' + 1)^2 = A > B = (2 \cdot (n' + 1)) + 1$ . Qed.

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Therefore  $\Phi$  contains every element of  $\mathbb{N}_{\geq 3}$  (by theorem [4.35](#)). Consequently  $n^2 > (2 \cdot n) + 1$ .  $\square$



# Chapter 10

## Prime numbers

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**Definition 10.1.** Let  $n$  be a natural number. A trivial divisor of  $n$  is a divisor  $m$  of  $n$  such that  $m = 1$  or  $m = n$ .

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**Definition 10.2.** Let  $n$  be a natural number. A nontrivial divisor of  $n$  is a divisor  $m$  of  $n$  such that  $m \neq 1$  and  $m \neq n$ .

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**Definition 10.3.** Let  $n$  be a natural number.  $n$  is prime iff  $n > 1$  and  $n$  has no nontrivial divisors.

Let  $n$  is compound stand for  $n$  is not prime. Let a prime number stand for a natural number that is prime.

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**Definition 10.4.**  $\mathbb{P}$  is the class of all prime numbers.

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**Proposition 10.5.**  $\mathbb{P}$  is a set.

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**Definition 10.6.** Let  $n$  be a natural number.  $n$  is composite iff  $n > 1$  and  $n$  has a nontrivial divisor.

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**Proposition 10.7.** Let  $n$  be a natural number such that  $n > 1$ . Then  $n$  is prime iff every divisor of  $n$  is a trivial divisor of  $n$ .

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**Proposition 10.8.** 2, 3, 5 and 7 are prime.

*Proof.* Let us show that 2 is prime. Let  $k$  be a divisor of 2. Then  $0 < k \leq 2$ . Hence  $k = 1$  or  $k = 2$ . Thus  $k$  is a trivial divisor of 2. End.

Let us show that 3 is prime. Let  $k$  be a divisor of 3. Then  $0 < k \leq 3$ . Hence  $k = 1$  or  $k = 2$  or  $k = 3$ . 2 does not divide 3. Therefore  $k = 1$  or  $k = 3$ . Thus  $k$  is a trivial divisor of 3. End.

Let us show that 5 is prime. Let  $k$  be a divisor of 5. Then  $0 < k \leq 5$ . Hence  $k = 1$  or  $k = 2$  or  $k = 3$  or  $k = 4$  or  $k = 5$ . 2 does not divide 5. 3 does not divide 5. Indeed  $3 \cdot m \neq 5$  for all  $m \in \mathbb{N}$  such that  $m \leq 5$ . Indeed  $3 \cdot 0, 3 \cdot 1, 3 \cdot 2, 3 \cdot 3, 3 \cdot 4, 3 \cdot 5 \neq 5$ . 4 does not divide 5. Therefore  $k = 1$  or  $k = 5$ . Thus  $k$  is a trivial divisor of 5. End.

Let us show that 7 is prime. Let  $k$  be a divisor of 7. Then  $0 < k \leq 7$ . Hence  $k = 1$  or  $k = 2$  or  $k = 3$  or  $k = 4$  or  $k = 5$  or  $k = 6$  or  $k = 7$ . 2 does not divide 7. 3 does not divide 7. Indeed  $3 \cdot m \neq 7$  for all  $m \in \mathbb{N}$  such that  $m \leq 7$ . Indeed  $3 \cdot 0, 3 \cdot 1, 3 \cdot 2, 3 \cdot 3, 3 \cdot 4, 3 \cdot 5, 3 \cdot 6, 3 \cdot 7 \neq 7$ . 4 does not divide 7. 5 does not divide 7. Indeed  $5 \cdot m \neq 7$  for all  $m \in \mathbb{N}$  such that  $m \leq 7$ . Indeed  $5 \cdot 0, 5 \cdot 1, 5 \cdot 2, 5 \cdot 3, 5 \cdot 4, 5 \cdot 5, 5 \cdot 6, 5 \cdot 7 \neq 7$ . 6 does not divide 7. Therefore  $k = 1$  or  $k = 7$ . Thus  $k$  is a trivial divisor of 7. End.

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**Proposition 10.9.** 4, 6, 8 and 9 are compound.

*Proof.*  $4 = 2 \cdot 2$ . Thus 4 is compound.

$6 = 2 \cdot 3$ . Thus 6 is compound.

$8 = 2 \cdot 4$ . Thus 8 is compound.

$9 = 3 \cdot 3$ . Thus 9 is compound.  $\square$

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**Proposition 10.10.** Let  $n$  be a natural number such that  $n > 1$ . Then  $n$  has a prime divisor.

*Proof.* Define  $\Phi = \{n' \in \mathbb{N} \mid \text{if } n' > 1 \text{ then } n' \text{ has a prime divisor}\}$ .

Let us show that for every  $n' \in \mathbb{N}$  if  $\Phi$  contains all predecessors of  $n'$  then  $\Phi$  contains  $n'$ . Let  $n' \in \mathbb{N}$ . Assume that  $\Phi$  contains all predecessors of  $n'$ . We have  $n' = 0$  or  $n' = 1$  or  $n'$  is prime or  $n'$  is composite.

Case  $n' = 0$  or  $n' = 1$ . Trivial.

Case  $n'$  is prime. Obvious.

Case  $n'$  is composite. Take a nontrivial divisor  $m$  of  $n'$ . Then  $1 < m < n'$ .  $m$  is contained in  $\Phi$ . Hence we can take a prime divisor  $p$  of  $m$ . Then we have  $p \mid m \mid n'$ . Thus  $p \mid n'$ . Therefore  $p$  is a prime divisor of  $n'$ . End. End.

[prover vampire] Thus every natural number belongs to  $\Phi$  (by theorem 4.34).  $\square$

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**Definition 10.11.** Let  $n, m$  be natural numbers.  $n$  and  $m$  are coprime iff for all nonzero natural numbers  $k$  such that  $k \mid n$  and  $k \mid m$  we have  $k = 1$ .

Let  $n$  and  $m$  are relatively prime stand for  $n$  and  $m$  are coprime. Let  $n$  and  $m$  are mutually prime stand for  $n$  and  $m$  are coprime. Let  $n$  is prime to  $m$  stand for  $n$  and  $m$  are coprime.

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**Proposition 10.12.** Let  $n, m$  be natural numbers.  $n$  and  $m$  are coprime iff  $n$  and  $m$  have no common prime divisor.

*Proof.* Case  $n$  and  $m$  are coprime. Let  $p$  be a prime number such that  $p \mid n$  and  $p \mid m$ . Then  $p$  is nonzero and  $p \neq 1$ . Contradiction. End.

Case  $n$  and  $m$  have no common prime divisor. Assume that  $n$  and  $m$  are not coprime. Let  $k$  be a nonzero natural number such that  $k \mid n$  and  $k \mid m$ . Assume that  $k \neq 1$ . Consider a prime divisor  $p$  of  $k$ . Then  $p \mid k \mid n, m$ . Hence  $p \mid n$  and  $p \mid m$ . Contradiction. End.  $\square$

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**Proposition 10.13.** Let  $n, m$  be natural numbers and  $p$  be a prime number. If  $p$  does not divide  $n$  then  $p$  and  $n$  are coprime.

*Proof.* Assume  $p \nmid n$ . Suppose that  $p$  and  $n$  are not coprime. Take a nonzero natural number  $k$  such that  $k \mid p$  and  $k \mid n$ . Then  $k = p$ . Hence  $p \mid n$ . Contradiction.  $\square$

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**Proposition 10.14.** Let  $n, m$  be natural numbers and  $p$  be a prime number. Then

$$p \mid n \cdot m \quad \text{implies} \quad (p \mid n \text{ or } p \mid m).$$

*Proof.* Assume  $p \mid n \cdot m$ .

Case  $p \mid n$ . Trivial.

Case  $p \nmid n$ . Define  $\Phi = \{k \in \mathbb{N} \mid k \neq 0 \text{ and } p \mid k \cdot m\}$ . Then  $p \in \Phi$  and  $n \in \Phi$ . Hence  $\Phi$  contains some natural number. Thus we can take a least element  $a$  of  $\Phi$  regarding  $<$ .

Let us show that  $a$  divides all elements of  $\Phi$ . Let  $k \in \Phi$ . Take natural numbers  $q, r$  such that  $k = (a \cdot q) + r$  and  $r < a$  (by theorem 8.1). Indeed  $a$  is nonzero. Then  $k \cdot m = ((q \cdot a) + r) \cdot m = ((q \cdot a) \cdot m) + (r \cdot m)$ . We have  $p \mid k \cdot m$ . Hence  $p \mid ((q \cdot a) \cdot m) + (r \cdot m)$ .

We can show that  $p \mid r \cdot m$ . We have  $p \mid a \cdot m$ . Hence  $p \mid (q \cdot a) \cdot m$ . Indeed  $((q \cdot a) \cdot m) = q \cdot (a \cdot m)$ . Take  $A = (q \cdot a) \cdot m$  and  $B = r \cdot m$ . Then  $p \mid A + B$  and  $p \mid A$ . Thus  $p \mid B$  (by proposition 7.17). Indeed  $p, A$  and  $B$  are natural numbers. Consequently  $p \mid r \cdot m$ . End.

Therefore  $r = 0$ . Indeed if  $r \neq 0$  then  $r$  is an element of  $\Phi$  that is less than  $a$ . Hence

$k = q \cdot a$ . Thus  $a$  divides  $k$ . End.

Then we have  $a \mid p$  and  $a \mid n$ . Hence  $a = p$  or  $a = 1$ . Thus  $a = 1$ . Indeed if  $a = p$  then  $p \mid n$ . Then  $1 \in \Phi$ . Therefore  $p \mid 1 \cdot m = m$ . End.  $\square$