

# ECS 20 — Lecture 6 — Fall 2013 — 16 Oct 2013

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- Today:**
- o Number theory: an important axiom (the “principle of induction”)
  - o Set theory -- Sets, relations, and functions

**Recall ...** We “customize” first-order logic

### LOGICAL SYMBOLS

1. Logical connectives  $\neg \wedge \vee \rightarrow$
2. Parenthesis ( , )
3. The quantifier symbols:  $\forall, \exists$
4. Variables  $v_1, v_2, \dots$  (name points in the universe) (infinite set)
5. Equality symbol:  $=$  (usually)

### NON-LOGICAL SYMBOLS

1. predicate symbols // functions from tuples of points in the universe  $U$  to  $\{T, F\}$  (eg,  $<$ )  
Each has an **arity** (binary, ternary, ...)
2. function symbols // maps a tuple of points in the universe  $U$  to a point in  $U$  (eg,  $+$ )
3. constant symbols // each names a point in the universe  $U$  (like 0)

**as with:**

### Number Theory

1. constant symbol: 0
2. predicate symbol:  $<$
3. function symbol: S (1-ary) (successor function)
  - + (2-ary)
  - \* (2-ary)
  - E (2-ary)

Always add:  $=$  is reflexive, symmetric, transitive

[Axioms of arithmetic \(“Peano arithmetic”\) – see list on Wikipedia or Wolfram](#)

1.  $\neg(\exists x)(Sx = 0)$
2.  $(\forall x)(\forall y)(Sx = Sy \rightarrow x = y)$
3.  $(\forall x)(x + 0 = x)$
4.  $(\forall x)(\forall y)(x + S(y) = S(x + y))$
5.  $(\forall x)(x * 0 = 0)$
6.  $(\forall x)(\forall y)(x * S(y) = x * S(y) + x)$
7.  $(\forall x)(\forall y)(\forall c)(x < y \rightarrow x + c \leq y + c)$
8.  $(\forall x)(\forall y)(\forall c)(x < y \rightarrow x * c \leq y * c)$

9. If a **set** contains zero and the successor of every **number** is in the set, then the set contains the natural numbers. Or: for all predicates P

$$(P(0) \wedge (\forall n)(P(n) \rightarrow P(n+1))) \rightarrow \wedge (\forall n)(P(n)) \quad \text{Not a 1st order property}$$

**Principle of mathematical induction**

To prove a proposition  $P(n)$  for all integers  $n \geq n_0$ :

- 1) Prove  $P(n_0)$  (**Basis**)
- 2) Prove that  $P(n) \rightarrow P(n+1)$  for all  $n > n_0$  (**Inductive step**)  
*(Inductive hypothesis)*

The above sounds slightly more general (because I let you start at  $n_0$ ), but easily seen to be equivalent. Also equivalent: "strong" form of induction:

To prove a proposition  $P(n)$  for all integers  $n \geq n_0$ :

- 1) Prove  $P(n_0)$  (**Basis**)
- 2) Prove that  $(P(1) \wedge \dots \wedge P(n)) \rightarrow P(n+1)$  for all  $n > n_0$  (inductive step)  
*(stronger inductive hypothesis, may make it easier to get the conclusion)*

**EXAMPLE 1:** Prove that the sum of the odd integers  $2n-1$  is  $n^2$   
 $1 + 3 + \dots + (2n-1) = n^2$ .

**Basis:**  $n=1$ , check

**Inductive step:**

$$\begin{aligned}
 1 + 3 + \dots + (2n - 3) &= (n - 1)^2 \\
 + 2n - 1 &= \quad + 2n - 1 \\
 &= n^2 - 2n + 1 + 2n - 1 = 1 \\
 &= n^2
 \end{aligned}$$

**EXAMPLE 2.** Sam's Dept. Store sells envelopes in packages of 5 and 12.

Prove that, for any  $n \geq 44$ , the store can sell you exactly  $n$  envelopes.  
 [GP, p.147]

Try it:  $44 = 2(12) + 4(5)$   
 $45 = \quad 9(5)$   
 $46 = 3(12) + 2(5)$   
 ?...?

**SUPPOSE:** it is possible to buy  $n$  envelopes for some  $n \geq 44$ .

**SHOW:** it is possible to buy  $n+1$  envelopes

x	x xx x x	x x xx x	x x xx	x x xx	x x xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx
12345678901	12345678901	12345678901	12345678901	12345678901	12345678901234567890
0	1	2	3	4	5

- If purchasing **at least seven** packets of 5, **trade in seven packets of five for three packets of 12**:  

$$7(5) \rightarrow 3(12)$$

$$35 \quad 36$$
- **If <7 packets of 5**, ie  $\leq 6$  fewer packets of 5, so **at most 30** of the envelopes are in packets of 5; so there are  $\geq 44-30 = 14$  **envelopes** being bought in packets of 12, so  $\geq 2$  two packets of twelve. So take **two of the packets of 12** (ie 24 envelopes) and **trade them for 5 packets of 5**:  

$$2(12) \rightarrow 5(5)$$

$$24 \quad 25$$

**EXAMPLE 3:** Show that you can tile any "punctured"  $2^n \times 2^n$  grid of *trominos*

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## (may be rotated)

Illustrate and prove, dividing board in into four  $2^n \times 2^n$  to prove.  
 Puncture the  $2^{n+1} \times 2^{n+1}$  grid; tile that one of the four subgrids (by inductive assumption); puncturing three the three near-center center points (for the three  $2^n \times 2^n$  pieces that lacking the puncture); recurse on those three pieces; add one more tromino.

**EXAMPLE 4:** Cake cutting

See <http://www.cs.berkeley.edu/~daw/teaching/cs70-s08/notes/n8.pdf> for a nice writeup

$n$  people want to divide a piece of cake equally.

$n=2$ : known case.

$n \geq 3$ :

1. Persons 1 ..  $n-1$  people divide the cake into  $n-1$  pieces (using a recursive call to this procedure).
2. Persons 1 ..  $n-1$  divide their piece into  $n$  equal shares.
3. Person  $n$  takes the largest piece among the pieces held by each person 1 ..  $n-1$ .
4. Persons 1 ..  $n-1$  keep their remaining  $n-1$  pieces for themselves

Number of cuts

$$T_n = T_{n-1} + (n-1)^2$$

Prove exponential growth rate ...

Yuck!

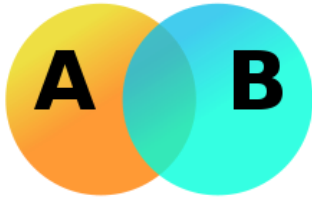
## Set Theory

predicate symbols: 2-ary  $\in$

function symbol:  $\emptyset$

Introduced union, complement, symmetric difference, a first Venn diagram.

## Venn Diagrams



## Set Difference

$A \setminus B$  or  $A - B$

## Algebra of sets

$$A \cup A = A$$

$$A \cup (B \cup C) = (A \cup B) \cup C$$

$$A \cup B = B \cup A$$

$$A \cup (B \cap C) = (A \cup B) \cap (A \cup C)$$

$$A \cup \emptyset = A$$

$$A \cup U = U$$

$$(A^c)^c = A$$

$$A \cup A^c = U$$

$$U^c = \emptyset$$

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$$A \cap A^c = \emptyset$$

$$\emptyset^c = U$$

$$(A \cap B)^c = A^c \cup B^c \quad \leftarrow \text{DeMorgan's laws}$$