

4/14 (5) Recursion Chap. 4.

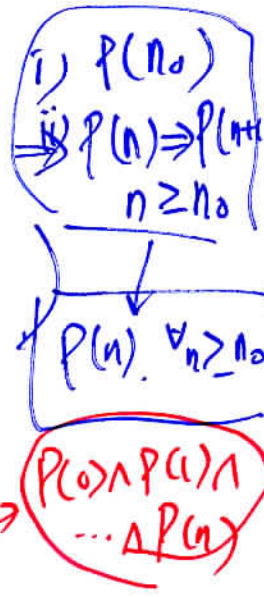
Recursion ... infinite wisdom
 ↳ Only way to express infinite set in a finite way!

Math. Ind. $P(x) \quad x \in \mathbb{N}$. ($P(0)$ is true)
 $P(1)$ is false
 \vdots)
 $P: \mathbb{N} \rightarrow \mathbb{B}$
 $\mathbb{B} = \{t, f\}$

We want to prove that $P(x)$ is true for $\forall x \in \mathbb{N}$.

Ex) $(x+1)^2 = x^2 + 2x + 1$

- i) Basis : $P(0)$.
 - ii) Recursion (Induction) : $P(n) \Rightarrow P(n+1) \quad \forall n \geq 0$.
- $\therefore P(n) \quad \forall n \geq 0 \quad (n \in \mathbb{N}_0)$



Proof

- i) $P(0)$ by rule i) (Basis)
- ii) $P(0) \Rightarrow P(1)$ by the rule ii) rec. for $n=1$
- iii) $P(1) \Rightarrow P(2)$ " " " $n=2$
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Set

- $\{1, 2, \dots, n\}$... finite set
- $\{1, 2, \dots\}$... infinite set (iteration)
- $\{1 \in \mathbb{N} \mid n \in \mathbb{N} \Rightarrow (n+1) \in \mathbb{N}\}$ (recursion)

To prove $\downarrow P \Rightarrow Q \uparrow$



$$\begin{array}{l} P' \Rightarrow P \\ P \Rightarrow P'' \end{array} \quad |$$

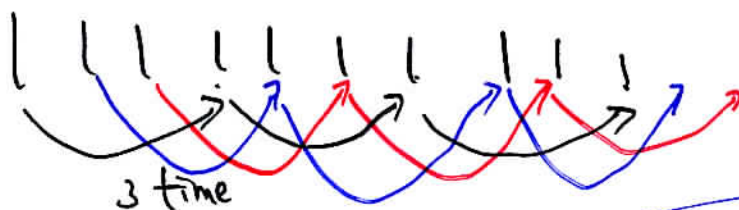
$$\begin{array}{l} P' \Rightarrow Q \text{ easiest} \\ P \Rightarrow Q \\ P'' \Rightarrow Q \text{ hardest} \end{array}$$

Generalized Induction

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} \text{i) } P(c) \\ \text{i) } P(c+1) \\ \text{i) } P(c+C-1) \end{array} \right\} \rightarrow C\text{-bases.}$$

$$\text{ii) } P(n) \Rightarrow P(n+C) \quad \forall n: n \geq c$$

$$P(n), \forall n \geq c.$$



$$\begin{aligned} \Sigma &= \{0, 1\} \\ \Sigma^0 &= \{ \epsilon \} \\ \Sigma^1 &= \{ \epsilon, \Sigma \} = \{ \epsilon, \Sigma \} \\ &= \{ \epsilon, 0, 1 \} = \{0, 1\} \\ \Sigma^2 &= \{ \epsilon, \Sigma, \Sigma \} \\ &= \{ \epsilon, \Sigma, \Sigma \} \\ &= \{0, 0, 0, 0, 1, 0, 1, 1\} \\ \Sigma^3 &= \dots \\ \Sigma^4 &= \{000, \dots, 111\} \end{aligned}$$

Exp. 2 $\epsilon = \lambda$

$$\text{i) } \epsilon \in \Sigma^* \quad \Sigma = \{a, b\} \quad \text{(i) } \textcircled{1}$$

$$\text{ii) } \underline{\epsilon} \in \Sigma^*, \underline{a} \in \Sigma \Rightarrow \underline{a} \in \Sigma^* \quad \text{(ii) } \textcircled{2}$$

$$\underline{\epsilon} \in \Sigma^*, \underline{b} \in \Sigma \Rightarrow \underline{b} \in \Sigma^* \quad \text{(i) }$$

$$\text{ii.2) } \underline{a} \in \Sigma^*, \underline{a} \in \Sigma \Rightarrow \underline{aa} \in \Sigma^* \quad \text{(i) }$$

$$\text{" } \underline{b} \in \Sigma^* \Rightarrow \underline{ab} \in \Sigma^* \quad \text{(i) }$$

$$\underline{b} \in \Sigma^*, \underline{a} \in \Sigma \Rightarrow \underline{ba} \in \Sigma^* \quad \text{(i) }$$

$$\text{" } \underline{b} \in \Sigma^* \Rightarrow \underline{bb} \in \Sigma^* \quad \text{(i) }$$

ii,3)

$$aa^2 \in \Sigma^*$$

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$$bbb \in \Sigma^*$$

$$\textcircled{8} \dots 2^n$$

$$\Sigma^* = \Sigma^0 \cup \Sigma^1 \cup \Sigma^2 \cup \Sigma^3 \cup \dots$$

$$\text{where } \Sigma^i = \bigcup_{\Sigma^j} \Sigma^j \cdot \Sigma$$

$$\begin{array}{l} \text{i) } \epsilon \in \Sigma^* \\ \text{ii) } w \in \Sigma^* \wedge a \in \Sigma \Rightarrow wa \in \Sigma^* \end{array}$$

No addition to set Σ^*