

# Perfect Fields

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## Abstract

This entry provides a type class for *perfect fields*. A perfect field  $K$  can be characterized by one of the following equivalent conditions [2]:

1. Any irreducible polynomial  $p$  is separable, i.e.  $\gcd(p, p') = 1$ , or, equivalently,  $p' \neq 0$ .
2. Either  $\text{char}(K) = 0$  or  $\text{char}(K) = p > 0$  and the Frobenius endomorphism  $x \mapsto x^p$  is surjective (i.e. every element of  $K$  has a  $p$ -th root).

We define perfect fields using the second characterization and show the equivalence to the first characterization. The implication “2  $\Rightarrow$  1” is relatively straightforward using the injectivity of the Frobenius homomorphism.

Examples for perfect fields are [2]:

- any field of characteristic 0 (e.g.  $\mathbb{R}$  and  $\mathbb{C}$ )
- any finite field (i.e.  $\mathbb{F}_q$  for  $q = p^n$ ,  $n > 0$  and  $p$  prime)
- any algebraically closed field (for example the formal Puiseux series over finite fields)

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theory Perfect_Field_Library
imports
  "HOL-Computational_Algebra.Computational_Algebra"
  "Berlekamp_Zassenhaus.Finite_Field"
begin

instance bool :: prime_card
  by standard auto

theorem (in comm_semiring_1) binomial_ring:
  "(a + b :: 'a)^n = ( $\sum_{k \leq n} \text{of\_nat } (n \text{ choose } k) * a^k * b^{(n-k)}$ )"
proof (induct n)
  case 0
  then show ?case by simp
next
  case (Suc n)
  have decomp: "{0..n+1} = {0}  $\cup$  {n + 1}  $\cup$  {1..n}"
  by auto
  have decomp2: "{0..n} = {0}  $\cup$  {1..n}"
  by auto
  have "(a + b)^(n+1) = (a + b) * ( $\sum_{k \leq n} \text{of\_nat } (n \text{ choose } k) * a^k * b^{(n-k)}$ )"
  using Suc.hyps by simp
  also have "... = a * ( $\sum_{k \leq n} \text{of\_nat } (n \text{ choose } k) * a^k * b^{(n-k)}$ ) +
    b * ( $\sum_{k \leq n} \text{of\_nat } (n \text{ choose } k) * a^k * b^{(n-k)}$ )"
  by (rule distrib_right)
  also have "... = ( $\sum_{k \leq n} \text{of\_nat } (n \text{ choose } k) * a^{(k+1)} * b^{(n-k)}$ ) +
    ( $\sum_{k \leq n} \text{of\_nat } (n \text{ choose } k) * a^k * b^{(n-k+1)}$ )"
  by (auto simp add: sum_distrib_left ac_simps)
  also have "... = ( $\sum_{k \leq n} \text{of\_nat } (n \text{ choose } k) * a^k * b^{(n+1-k)}$ )"
  +
    ( $\sum_{k=1..n+1} \text{of\_nat } (n \text{ choose } (k-1)) * a^k * b^{(n+1-k)}$ )"
  by (simp add: atMost_atLeast0 sum.shift_bounds_cl_Suc_ivl Suc_diff_le
    field_simps del: sum.cl_ivl_Suc)
  also have "... = b^(n+1) +
    ( $\sum_{k=1..n} \text{of\_nat } (n \text{ choose } k) * a^k * b^{(n+1-k)}$ ) + (a^(n+1) +
    ( $\sum_{k=1..n} \text{of\_nat } (n \text{ choose } (k-1)) * a^k * b^{(n+1-k)}$ ))"
  using sum.nat_ivl_Suc' [of 1 n "\lambda k. of_nat (n choose (k-1)) * a^k * b^(n+1-k)"]
  by (simp add: sum.atLeast_Suc_atMost atMost_atLeast0)
  also have "... = a^(n+1) + b^(n+1) +
    ( $\sum_{k=1..n} \text{of\_nat } (n+1 \text{ choose } k) * a^k * b^{(n+1-k)}$ )"
  by (auto simp add: field_simps sum.distrib [symmetric] choose_reduce_nat)
  also have "... = ( $\sum_{k \leq n+1} \text{of\_nat } (n+1 \text{ choose } k) * a^k * b^{(n+1-k)}$ )"

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- k))"
  using decomp by (simp add: atMost_atLeast0 field_simps)
  finally show ?case
  by simp
qed

lemma prime_not_dvd_fact:
  assumes kn: "k < n" and prime_n: "prime n"
  shows "¬ n dvd fact k"
  using kn leD prime_dvd_fact_iff prime_n by auto

lemma dvd_choose_prime:
  assumes kn: "k < n" and k: "k ≠ 0" and n: "n ≠ 0" and prime_n: "prime
n"
  shows "n dvd (n choose k)"
  proof -
    have "n dvd (fact n)" by (simp add: fact_num_eq_if n)
    moreover have "¬ n dvd (fact k * fact (n-k))"
    proof (rule ccontr, safe)
      assume "n dvd fact k * fact (n - k)"
      hence "n dvd fact k ∨ n dvd fact (n - k)" using prime_dvd_mult_eq_nat[OF
prime_n] by simp
      moreover have "¬ n dvd (fact k)" by (rule prime_not_dvd_fact[OF
kn prime_n])
      moreover have "¬ n dvd fact (n - k)" using prime_not_dvd_fact[OF
_ prime_n] kn k by simp
      ultimately show False by simp
    qed
    moreover have "(fact n::nat) = fact k * fact (n-k) * (n choose k)"
    using binomial_fact_lemma kn by auto
    ultimately show ?thesis using prime_n
    by (auto simp add: prime_dvd_mult_iff)
  qed

lemma CHAR_not_1 [simp]: "CHAR('a :: {semiring_1, zero_neq_one}) ≠ Suc
0"
  by (metis One_nat_def of_nat_1 of_nat_CHAR zero_neq_one)

lemma (in idom) CHAR_not_1' [simp]: "CHAR('a) ≠ Suc 0"
  using local.of_nat_CHAR by fastforce

lemma semiring_char_mod_ring [simp]:
  "CHAR('n :: nontriv mod_ring) = CARD('n)"
  proof (rule CHAR_eq_posI)
    fix x assume "x > 0" "x < CARD('n)"
    thus "of_nat x ≠ (0 :: 'n mod_ring)"
    by transfer auto
  
```

qed auto

lemma of\_nat\_eq\_iff\_cong\_CHAR:

"of\_nat x = (of\_nat y :: 'a :: semiring\_1\_cancel)  $\longleftrightarrow$  [x = y] (mod CHAR('a))"

proof (induction x y rule: linorder\_wlog)

case (le x y)

define z where "z = y - x"

have [simp]: "y = x + z"

using le by (auto simp: z\_def)

have "(CHAR('a) dvd z) = [x = x + z] (mod CHAR('a))"

by (metis <y = x + z> cong\_def le mod\_eq\_dvd\_iff\_nat z\_def)

thus ?case

by (simp add: of\_nat\_eq\_0\_iff\_char\_dvd)

qed (simp add: eq\_commute cong\_sym\_eq)

lemma (in ring\_1) of\_int\_eq\_0\_iff\_char\_dvd:

"(of\_int n = (0 :: 'a)) = (int CHAR('a) dvd n)"

proof (cases "n  $\geq$  0")

case True

hence "(of\_int n = (0 :: 'a))  $\longleftrightarrow$  (of\_nat (nat n)) = (0 :: 'a)"

by auto

also have "...  $\longleftrightarrow$  CHAR('a) dvd nat n"

by (subst of\_nat\_eq\_0\_iff\_char\_dvd) auto

also have "...  $\longleftrightarrow$  int CHAR('a) dvd n"

using True by presburger

finally show ?thesis .

next

case False

hence "(of\_int n = (0 :: 'a))  $\longleftrightarrow$  -(of\_nat (nat (-n))) = (0 :: 'a)"

by auto

also have "...  $\longleftrightarrow$  CHAR('a) dvd nat (-n)"

by (auto simp: of\_nat\_eq\_0\_iff\_char\_dvd)

also have "...  $\longleftrightarrow$  int CHAR('a) dvd n"

using False dvd\_nat\_abs\_iff[of "CHAR('a)" n] by simp

finally show ?thesis .

qed

lemma (in ring\_1) of\_int\_eq\_iff\_cong\_CHAR:

"of\_int x = (of\_int y :: 'a)  $\longleftrightarrow$  [x = y] (mod int CHAR('a))"

proof -

have "of\_int x = (of\_int y :: 'a)  $\longleftrightarrow$  of\_int (x - y) = (0 :: 'a)"

by auto

also have "...  $\longleftrightarrow$  (int CHAR('a) dvd x - y)"

by (rule of\_int\_eq\_0\_iff\_char\_dvd)

also have "...  $\longleftrightarrow$  [x = y] (mod int CHAR('a))"

by (simp add: cong\_iff\_dvd\_diff)

finally show ?thesis .

qed

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lemma finite_imp_CHAR_pos:
  assumes "finite (UNIV :: 'a set)"
  shows "CHAR('a :: semiring_1_cancel) > 0"
proof -
  have "∃n∈UNIV. infinite {m ∈ UNIV. of_nat m = (of_nat n :: 'a)}"
  proof (rule pigeonhole_infinite)
    show "infinite (UNIV :: nat set)"
      by simp
    show "finite (range (of_nat :: nat ⇒ 'a))"
      by (rule finite_subset[OF _ assms]) auto
  qed
  then obtain n :: nat where "infinite {m ∈ UNIV. of_nat m = (of_nat
n :: 'a)}"
    by blast
  hence "¬({m ∈ UNIV. of_nat m = (of_nat n :: 'a)} ⊆ {n})"
    by (intro notI) (use finite_subset in blast)
  then obtain m where "m ≠ n" "of_nat m = (of_nat n :: 'a)"
    by blast
  hence "[m = n] (mod CHAR('a))"
    by (simp add: of_nat_eq_iff_cong_CHAR)
  hence "CHAR('a) ≠ 0"
    using <m ≠ n> by (intro notI) auto
  thus ?thesis
    by simp
qed

lemma CHAR_dvd_CARD: "CHAR('a :: ring_1) dvd CARD('a)"
proof (cases "CARD('a) = 0")
  case False
  hence [intro]: "CHAR('a) > 0"
    by (simp add: card_eq_0_iff finite_imp_CHAR_pos)
  define G where "G = (| carrier = (UNIV :: 'a set), monoid.mult = (+),
one = (0 :: 'a) |)"
  define H where "H = (of_nat ` {..G x = 1G"
      by (intro bexI[of _ "-x"]) (auto simp: G_def)
  qed (auto simp: G_def add_ac)

  interpret subgroup H G
  proof
    show "1G ∈ H"
      using False unfolding G_def H_def
      by (intro image_eqI[of _ _ 0]) auto
  next
    fix x y :: 'a
    assume "x ∈ H" "y ∈ H"

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then obtain x' y' where [simp]: "x = of_nat x'" "y = of_nat y'"
  by (auto simp: H_def)
have "x + y = of_nat ((x' + y') mod CHAR('a))"
  by (auto simp flip: of_nat_add simp: of_nat_eq_iff_cong_CHAR)
moreover have "(x' + y') mod CHAR('a) < CHAR('a)"
  using H_def <y ∈ H> by fastforce
ultimately show "x ⊗G y ∈ H"
  by (auto simp: H_def G_def intro!: imageI)
next
fix x :: 'a
assume x: "x ∈ H"
then obtain x' where [simp]: "x = of_nat x'" and x': "x' < CHAR('a)"
  by (auto simp: H_def)
have "CHAR('a) dvd x' + (CHAR('a) - x') mod CHAR('a)"
  by (metis x' dvd_eq_mod_eq_0 le_add_diff_inverse mod_add_right_eq
mod_self order_less_imp_le)
hence "x + of_nat ((CHAR('a) - x') mod CHAR('a)) = 0"
  by (auto simp flip: of_nat_add simp: of_nat_eq_0_iff_char_dvd)
moreover from this have "invG x = of_nat ((CHAR('a) - x') mod CHAR('a))"
  by (intro inv_equality) (auto simp: G_def add_ac)
moreover have "of_nat ((CHAR('a) - x') mod CHAR('a)) ∈ H"
  unfolding H_def using <CHAR('a) > 0> by (intro imageI) auto
ultimately show "invG x ∈ H" by force
qed (auto simp: G_def H_def)

have "card H dvd card (rcosetsG H) * card H"
  by simp
also have "card (rcosetsG H) * card H = Coset.order G"
proof (rule lagrange_finite)
  show "finite (carrier G)"
    using False card_ge_0_finite by (auto simp: G_def)
qed (fact is_subgroup)
finally have "card H dvd CARD('a)"
  by (simp add: Coset.order_def G_def)
also have "card H = card {...<CHAR('a)>}"
  unfolding H_def by (intro card_image inj_onI) (auto simp: of_nat_eq_iff_cong_CHAR
cong_def)
finally show "CHAR('a) dvd CARD('a)"
  by simp
qed auto

lemma (in idom) prime_CHAR_semidom:
  assumes "CHAR('a) > 0"
  shows "prime CHAR('a)"
proof -
  have False if ab: "a ≠ 1" "b ≠ 1" "CHAR('a) = a * b" for a b
  proof -
    from assms ab have "a > 0" "b > 0"
      by (auto intro!: Nat.grOI)

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have "of_nat (a * b) = (0 :: 'a)"
  using ab by (metis of_nat_CHAR)
also have "of_nat (a * b) = (of_nat a :: 'a) * of_nat b"
  by simp
finally have "of_nat a * of_nat b = (0 :: 'a)" .
moreover have "of_nat a * of_nat b ≠ (0 :: 'a)"
  using ab <a > 0> <b > 0>
  by (intro no_zero_divisors) (auto simp: of_nat_eq_0_iff_char_dvd)
ultimately show False
  by contradiction
qed
moreover have "CHAR('a) > 1"
  using assms CHAR_not_1' by linarith
ultimately have "prime_elem CHAR('a)"
  by (intro irreducible_imp_prime_elem) (auto simp: Factorial_Ring.irreducible_def)
thus ?thesis
  by auto
qed

```

Characteristics are preserved by typical functors (polynomials, power series, Laurent series):

```

lemma semiring_char_poly [simp]: "CHAR('a :: comm_semiring_1 poly) =
CHAR('a)"
  by (rule CHAR_eqI) (auto simp: of_nat_poly of_nat_eq_0_iff_char_dvd)

```

```

lemma semiring_char_fps [simp]: "CHAR('a :: comm_semiring_1 fps) = CHAR('a)"
  by (rule CHAR_eqI) (auto simp flip: fps_of_nat simp: of_nat_eq_0_iff_char_dvd)

```

```

lemma fls_const_eq_0_iff [simp]: "fls_const c = 0 ↔ c = 0"
  using fls_const_0 fls_const_nonzero by blast

```

```

lemma semiring_char_fls [simp]: "CHAR('a :: comm_semiring_1 fls) = CHAR('a)"
  by (rule CHAR_eqI) (auto simp: fls_of_nat of_nat_eq_0_iff_char_dvd fls_const_nonzero)

```

```

lemma irreducible_power_iff [simp]:
  "irreducible (p ^ n) ↔ irreducible p ∧ n = 1"

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proof
  assume *: "irreducible (p ^ n)"
  have [simp]: "¬p dvd 1"
  proof
    assume "p dvd 1"
    hence "p ^ n dvd 1"
      by (metis dvd_power_same power_one)
    with * show False
      by auto
  qed
qed

```

```

consider "n = 0" | "n = 1" | "n > 1"

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    by linarith
  thus "irreducible p ^ n = 1"
proof cases
  assume "n > 1"
  hence "p ^ n = p * p ^ (n - 1)"
    by (cases n) auto
  with * <¬ p dvd 1> have "p ^ (n - 1) dvd 1"
    using irreducible_multD by blast
  with <¬ p dvd 1> and <n > 1> have False
    by (meson dvd_power dvd_trans zero_less_diff)
  thus ?thesis ..
qed (use * in auto)
qed auto

lemma pderiv_monom:
  "pderiv (Polynomial.monom c n) = of_nat n * Polynomial.monom c (n -
  1)"
proof (cases n)
  case (Suc n)
  show ?thesis
    unfolding monom_altdef Suc pderiv_smult pderiv_power_Suc pderiv_pCons
    by (simp add: of_nat_poly)
qed (auto simp: monom_altdef)

lemma uminus_CHAR_2 [simp]:
  assumes "CHAR('a :: ring_1) = 2"
  shows "-(x :: 'a) = x"
proof -
  have "x + x = 2 * x"
    by (simp add: mult_2)
  also have "2 = (0 :: 'a)"
    using assms by (metis of_nat_CHAR of_nat_numeral)
  finally show ?thesis
    by (simp add: add_eq_0_iff2)
qed

lemma minus_CHAR_2 [simp]:
  assumes "CHAR('a :: ring_1) = 2"
  shows "(x - y :: 'a) = x + y"
  using uminus_CHAR_2[of y] assms by simp

lemma minus_power_prime_CHAR:
  assumes "p = CHAR('a :: {ring_1})" "prime p"
  shows "(-x :: 'a) ^ p = -(x ^ p)"
proof (cases "p = 2")
  case False
  have "prime p"
    using assms by blast
  with False have "odd p"

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    using primes_dvd_imp_eq two_is_prime_nat by blast
  thus ?thesis
    by simp
qed (use assms in auto)

end

```

## 1 Perfect Fields

```

theory Perfect_Fields
imports
  "Berlekamp_Zassenhaus.Finite_Field"
  Perfect_Field_Library
begin

```

### 1.1 Rings and fields with prime characteristic

We introduce some type classes for rings and fields with prime characteristic.

```

class semiring_prime_char = semiring_1 +
  assumes prime_char_aux: " $\exists n. \text{prime } n \wedge \text{of\_nat } n = (0 :: 'a)$ "
begin

lemma CHAR_pos [intro, simp]: " $\text{CHAR}('a) > 0$ "
  using local.CHAR_pos_iff local.prime_char_aux prime_gt_0_nat by blast

lemma CHAR_nonzero [simp]: " $\text{CHAR}('a) \neq 0$ "
  using CHAR_pos by auto

lemma CHAR_prime [intro, simp]: " $\text{prime } \text{CHAR}('a)$ "
  by (metis (mono_tags, lifting) gcd_nat.order_iff_strict local.of_nat_1
    local.of_nat_eq_0_iff_char_dvd
    local.one_neq_zero local.prime_char_aux prime_nat_iff)

end

lemma semiring_prime_charI [intro?]:
  " $\text{prime } \text{CHAR}('a :: \text{semiring}_1) \implies \text{OFCLASS}('a, \text{semiring\_prime\_char\_class})$ "
  by standard auto

lemma idom_prime_charI [intro?]:
  assumes " $\text{CHAR}('a :: \text{idom}) > 0$ "
  shows " $\text{OFCLASS}('a, \text{semiring\_prime\_char\_class})$ "
proof
  show " $\text{prime } \text{CHAR}('a)$ "
    using assms prime_CHAR_semidom by blast
qed

```

```

class comm_semiring_prime_char = comm_semiring_1 + semiring_prime_char
class comm_ring_prime_char = comm_ring_1 + semiring_prime_char
begin
subclass comm_semiring_prime_char ..
end
class idom_prime_char = idom + semiring_prime_char
begin
subclass comm_ring_prime_char ..
end

class field_prime_char = field +
  assumes pos_char_exists: "∃ n>0. of_nat n = (0 :: 'a)"
begin
subclass idom_prime_char
  apply standard
  using pos_char_exists local.CHAR_pos_iff local.of_nat_CHAR local.prime_CHAR_semidom
by blast
end

```

```

lemma field_prime_charI [intro?]:
  "n > 0 ⇒ of_nat n = (0 :: 'a :: field) ⇒ OFCLASS('a, field_prime_char_class)"
  by standard auto

```

```

lemma field_prime_charI' [intro?]:
  "CHAR('a :: field) > 0 ⇒ OFCLASS('a, field_prime_char_class)"
  by standard auto

```

Typical functors like polynomials, formal power series, and formal Laurent series preserve the characteristic of the coefficient ring.

```

instance poly :: ("{semiring_prime_char,comm_semiring_1}") semiring_prime_char
  by (rule semiring_prime_charI) auto
instance poly :: ("{comm_semiring_prime_char,comm_semiring_1}") comm_semiring_prime_char
  by standard
instance poly :: ("{comm_ring_prime_char,comm_semiring_1}") comm_ring_prime_char
  by standard
instance poly :: ("{idom_prime_char,comm_semiring_1}") idom_prime_char
  by standard

instance fps :: ("{semiring_prime_char,comm_semiring_1}") semiring_prime_char
  by (rule semiring_prime_charI) auto
instance fps :: ("{comm_semiring_prime_char,comm_semiring_1}") comm_semiring_prime_char
  by standard
instance fps :: ("{comm_ring_prime_char,comm_semiring_1}") comm_ring_prime_char
  by standard
instance fps :: ("{idom_prime_char,comm_semiring_1}") idom_prime_char
  by standard

instance fls :: ("{semiring_prime_char,comm_semiring_1}") semiring_prime_char

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```

    by (rule semiring_prime_charI) auto
instance fls :: ("{comm_semiring_prime_char,comm_semiring_1}") comm_semiring_prime_char
  by standard
instance fls :: ("{comm_ring_prime_char,comm_semiring_1}") comm_ring_prime_char
  by standard
instance fls :: ("{idom_prime_char,comm_semiring_1}") idom_prime_char
  by standard
instance fls :: ("{field_prime_char,comm_semiring_1}") field_prime_char
  by (rule field_prime_charI') auto

```

## 1.2 Finite fields

```

class finite_field = field_prime_char + finite

lemma finite_fieldI [intro?]:
  assumes "finite (UNIV :: 'a :: field set)"
  shows "OFCLASS('a, finite_field_class)"
proof standard
  show "∃n>0. of_nat n = (0 :: 'a)"
    using assms prime_CHAR_semidom[where ?'a = 'a] finite_imp_CHAR_pos[OF
  assms]
  by (intro exI[of _ "CHAR('a)"]) auto
qed fact+

class enum_finite_field = finite_field +
  fixes enum_finite_field :: "nat ⇒ 'a"
  assumes enum_finite_field: "enum_finite_field ` {..

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    unfolding enum_finite_field_mod_ring_def by (simp add: image_image
o_def)
    also have "int ` {..CARD('a mod_ring)} = {0..int CARD('a mod_ring)}"
      by (simp add: image_atLeastZeroLessThan_int)
    also have "of_int_mod_ring ` ... = (Abs_mod_ring ` ... :: 'a mod_ring
set)"
      by (intro image_cong refl) (auto simp: of_int_mod_ring_def)
    also have "... = (UNIV :: 'a mod_ring set)"
      using Abs_image by simp
    finally show "enum_finite_field ` {..CARD('a mod_ring)} = (UNIV :: 'a
mod_ring set)" .
qed

```

end

On a finite field with  $n$  elements, taking the  $n$ -th power of an element is the identity. This is an obvious consequence of the fact that the multiplicative group of the field is a finite group of order  $n - 1$ , so  $x^n = 1$  for any non-zero  $x$ .

Note that this result is sharp in the sense that the multiplicative group of a finite field is cyclic, i.e. it contains an element of order  $n - 1$ . (We don't prove this here.)

```

lemma finite_field_power_card_eq_same:
  fixes x :: "'a :: finite_field"
  shows "x ^ CARD('a) = x"
proof (cases "x = 0")
  case False
  let ?R = "(|carrier = (UNIV :: 'a set), monoid.mult = (*), one = 1, zero
= 0, add = (+)|)"
  interpret field "?R" rewrites "([^]?R) = (^)"
  proof -
    show "field ?R"
      by unfold_locales (auto simp: Units_def add_eq_0_iff ring_distrib
intro!: exI[of _ "inverse x" for x] left_inverse
right_inverse)
    have "x [^]?R n = x ^ n" for x n
      by (induction n) auto
    thus "([^]?R) = (^)"
      by blast
  qed

note fin [intro] = finite_class.finite_UNIV[where ?'a = 'a]
have "x ^ (CARD('a) - 1) * x = x ^ CARD('a)"
  using finite_UNIV_card_ge_0 power_minus_mult by blast
also have "x ^ (CARD('a) - 1) = 1"
  using units_power_order_eq_one[of x] fin False
  by (simp add: field_Units)
finally show ?thesis

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    by simp
qed (use finite_class.finite_UNIV[where ?'a = 'a] in <auto simp: card_gt_0_iff>)

lemma finite_field_power_card_power_eq_same:
  fixes x :: "'a :: finite_field"
  assumes "m = CARD('a) ^ n"
  shows "x ^ m = x"
  unfolding assms
  by (induction n) (simp_all add: finite_field_power_card_eq_same power_mult)

typedef (overloaded) 'a :: semiring_1 ring_char = "if CHAR('a) = 0 then
UNIV else {0..<CHAR('a)}"
  by auto

lemma CARD_ring_char [simp]: "CARD ('a :: semiring_1 ring_char) = CHAR('a)"
proof -
  let ?A = "if CHAR('a) = 0 then UNIV else {0..<CHAR('a)}"
  interpret type_definition "Rep_ring_char :: 'a ring_char  $\Rightarrow$  nat" Abs_ring_char
  ?A
    by (rule type_definition_ring_char)
  from card show ?thesis
    by auto
qed

instance ring_char :: (semiring_prime_char) nontriv
proof
  show "CARD('a ring_char) > 1"
    using prime_nat_iff by auto
qed

instance ring_char :: (semiring_prime_char) prime_card
proof
  from CARD_ring_char show "prime CARD('a ring_char)"
    by auto
qed

lemma to_int_mod_ring_add:
  "to_int_mod_ring (x + y :: 'a :: finite mod_ring) = (to_int_mod_ring
x + to_int_mod_ring y) mod CARD('a)"
  by transfer auto

lemma to_int_mod_ring_mult:
  "to_int_mod_ring (x * y :: 'a :: finite mod_ring) = (to_int_mod_ring
x * to_int_mod_ring y) mod CARD('a)"
  by transfer auto

lemma of_nat_mod_CHAR [simp]: "of_nat (x mod CHAR('a :: semiring_1))
= (of_nat x :: 'a)"

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by (metis (no_types, opaque_lifting) comm_monoid_add_class.add_0 div_mod_decomp
    mult_zero_right of_nat_CHAR of_nat_add of_nat_mult)

lemma of_int_mod_CHAR [simp]: "of_int (x mod int CHAR('a :: ring_1))
= (of_int x :: 'a)"
by (simp add: of_int_eq_iff_cong_CHAR)

lemma (in vector_space) bij_betw_representation:
  assumes [simp]: "independent B" "finite B"
  shows "bij_betw ( $\lambda v. \sum b \in B. \text{scale } (v \ b) \ b$ ) (B  $\rightarrow_E$  UNIV) (span B)"
proof (rule bij_betwI)
  show " $(\lambda v. \sum b \in B. v \ b \ *s \ b) \in (B \rightarrow_E UNIV) \rightarrow \text{local.span } B$ "
    (is "?f  $\in$  _")
    by (auto intro: span_sum span_scale span_base)
  show " $(\lambda x. \text{restrict } (\text{representation } B \ x) \ B) \in \text{local.span } B \rightarrow B \rightarrow_E UNIV$ "
    (is "?g  $\in$  _") by auto
  show "?g (?f v) = v" if "v  $\in B \rightarrow_E UNIV$ " for v
  proof
    fix b :: 'b
    show "?g (?f v) b = v b"
    proof (cases "b  $\in B$ ")
      case b: True
      have "?g (?f v) b = ( $\sum i \in B. \text{local.representation } B \ (v \ i \ *s \ i) \ b$ )"
        using b by (subst representation_sum) (auto intro: span_scale
span_base)
      also have "... = ( $\sum i \in B. v \ i \ * \ \text{local.representation } B \ i \ b$ )"
        by (intro sum.cong) (auto simp: representation_scale span_base)
      also have "... = ( $\sum i \in \{b\}. v \ i \ * \ \text{local.representation } B \ i \ b$ )"
        by (intro sum.mono_neutral_right) (auto simp: representation_basis
b)
      also have "... = v b"
        by (simp add: representation_basis b)
      finally show "?g (?f v) b = v b" .
    qed (use that in auto)
  qed
  show "?f (?g v) = v" if "v  $\in \text{span } B$ " for v
    using that by (simp add: sum_representation_eq)
qed

lemma (in vector_space) card_span:
  assumes [simp]: "independent B" "finite B"
  shows "card (span B) = CARD('a) ^ card B"
proof -
  have "card (B  $\rightarrow_E$  (UNIV :: 'a set)) = card (span B)"
    by (rule bij_betw_same_card, rule bij_betw_representation) fact+
  thus ?thesis
    by (simp add: card_PiE dim_span_eq_card_independent)
qed

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lemma (in zero_neq_one) CARD_neq_1: "CARD('a) ≠ Suc 0"
proof
  assume "CARD('a) = Suc 0"
  have "{0, 1} ⊆ (UNIV :: 'a set)"
    by simp
  also have "is_singleton (UNIV :: 'a set)"
    by (simp add: is_singleton_altdef <CARD('a) = _>)
  then obtain x :: 'a where "UNIV = {x}"
    by (elim is_singletonE)
  finally have "0 = (1 :: 'a)"
    by blast
  thus False
    using zero_neq_one by contradiction
qed

theorem CARD_finite_field_is_CHAR_power: "∃n>0. CARD('a :: finite_field)
= CHAR('a) ^ n"
proof -
  define s :: "'a ring_char mod_ring ⇒ 'a ⇒ 'a" where
    "s = (λx y. of_int (to_int_mod_ring x) * y)"
  interpret vector_space s
    by unfold_locales (auto simp: s_def algebra_simps to_int_mod_ring_add
to_int_mod_ring_mult)
  obtain B where B: "independent B" "span B = UNIV"
    by (rule basis_exists[of UNIV]) auto
  have [simp]: "finite B"
    by simp
  have "card (span B) = CHAR('a) ^ card B"
    using B by (subst card_span) auto
  hence *: "CARD('a) = CHAR('a) ^ card B"
    using B by simp
  from * have "card B ≠ 0"
    by (auto simp: B(2) CARD_neq_1)
  with * show ?thesis
    by blast
qed

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### 1.3 The Freshman's Dream in rings of non-zero characteristic

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lemma (in comm_semiring_1) freshmans_dream:
  fixes x y :: 'a and n :: nat
  assumes "prime CHAR('a)"
  assumes n_def: "n = CHAR('a)"
  shows "(x + y) ^ n = x ^ n + y ^ n"
proof -
  interpret comm_semiring_prime_char
    by standard (auto intro!: exI[of _ "CHAR('a)"] assms)
  have "n > 0"

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    unfolding n_def by simp
    have "(x + y) ^ n = (∑ k ≤ n. of_nat (n choose k) * x ^ k * y ^ (n - k))"
    by (rule binomial_ring)
    also have "... = (∑ k ∈ {0, n}. of_nat (n choose k) * x ^ k * y ^ (n - k))"
    proof (intro sum.mono_neutral_right ballI)
      fix k assume "k ∈ {..n} - {0, n}"
      hence k: "k > 0" "k < n"
      by auto
      have "CHAR('a) dvd (n choose k)"
      unfolding n_def
      by (rule dvd_choose_prime) (use k in <auto simp: n_def>)
      hence "of_nat (n choose k) = (0 :: 'a)"
      using of_nat_eq_0_iff_char_dvd by blast
      thus "of_nat (n choose k) * x ^ k * y ^ (n - k) = 0"
      by simp
    qed auto
    finally show ?thesis
    using <n > 0> by (simp add: add_ac)
  qed

lemma (in comm_semiring_1) freshmans_dream':
  assumes [simp]: "prime CHAR('a)" and "m = CHAR('a) ^ n"
  shows "(x + y :: 'a) ^ m = x ^ m + y ^ m"
  unfolding assms(2)
proof (induction n)
  case (Suc n)
  have "(x + y) ^ (CHAR('a) ^ n * CHAR('a)) = ((x + y) ^ (CHAR('a) ^ n)) ^ CHAR('a)"
  by (rule power_mult)
  thus ?case
  by (simp add: Suc.IH freshmans_dream Groups.mult_ac flip: power_mult)
qed auto

lemma (in comm_semiring_1) freshmans_dream_sum:
  fixes f :: "'b ⇒ 'a"
  assumes "prime CHAR('a)" and "n = CHAR('a)"
  shows "sum f A ^ n = sum (λi. f i ^ n) A"
  using assms
  by (induct A rule: infinite_finite_induct)
  (auto simp add: power_0_left freshmans_dream)

lemma (in comm_semiring_1) freshmans_dream_sum':
  fixes f :: "'b ⇒ 'a"
  assumes "prime CHAR('a)" "m = CHAR('a) ^ n"
  shows "sum f A ^ m = sum (λi. f i ^ m) A"
  using assms
  by (induction A rule: infinite_finite_induct)

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(auto simp: freshmans\_dream' power\_0\_left)

## 1.4 The Frobenius endomorphism

**definition** (in *semiring\_1*) *frob* :: "'a  $\Rightarrow$  'a" where  
"frob x = x  $\wedge$  CHAR('a)"

**definition** (in *semiring\_1*) *inv\_frob* :: "'a  $\Rightarrow$  'a" where  
"inv\_frob x = (if x  $\in$  {0, 1} then x else if x  $\in$  range *frob* then inv\_into UNIV *frob* x else x)"

**lemma** (in *semiring\_1*) *inv\_frob\_0* [*simp*]: "inv\_frob 0 = 0"  
and *inv\_frob\_1* [*simp*]: "inv\_frob 1 = 1"  
by (simp\_all add: inv\_frob\_def)

**lemma** (in *semiring\_prime\_char*) *frob\_0* [*simp*]: "frob (0 :: 'a) = 0"  
by (simp add: frob\_def power\_0\_left)

**lemma** (in *semiring\_1*) *frob\_1* [*simp*]: "frob 1 = 1"  
by (simp add: frob\_def)

**lemma** (in *comm\_semiring\_1*) *frob\_mult*: "frob (x \* y) = frob x \* frob (y  
:: 'a)"  
by (simp add: frob\_def power\_mult\_distrib)

**lemma** (in *comm\_semiring\_1*)  
*frob\_add*: "prime CHAR('a)  $\implies$  frob (x + y :: 'a) = frob x + frob (y  
:: 'a)"  
by (simp add: frob\_def freshmans\_dream)

**lemma** (in *comm\_ring\_1*) *frob\_uminus*: "prime CHAR('a)  $\implies$  frob (-x :: 'a)  
= -frob x"

**proof** -  
assume "prime CHAR('a)"  
hence "frob (-x) + frob x = 0"  
by (subst *frob\_add* [symmetric]) (auto simp: frob\_def power\_0\_left)  
thus ?thesis  
by (simp add: add\_eq\_0\_iff)

qed

**lemma** (in *comm\_ring\_prime\_char*) *frob\_diff*:  
"prime CHAR('a)  $\implies$  frob (x - y :: 'a) = frob x - frob (y :: 'a)"  
using *frob\_add*[of x "-y"] by (simp add: frob\_uminus)

**interpretation** *frob\_sr*: *semiring\_hom* "frob :: 'a :: {comm\_semiring\_prime\_char}  
 $\Rightarrow$  'a"  
by standard (auto simp: frob\_add frob\_mult)

**interpretation** *frob*: *ring\_hom* "frob :: 'a :: {comm\_ring\_prime\_char}  $\Rightarrow$

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'a"
  by standard auto

interpretation frob: field_hom "frob :: 'a :: {field_prime_char} ⇒ 'a"
  by standard auto

lemma frob_mod_ring' [simp]: "(x :: 'a :: prime_card mod_ring) ^ CARD('a)
= x"
  by (metis CARD_mod_ring finite_field_power_card_eq_same)

lemma frob_mod_ring [simp]: "frob (x :: 'a :: prime_card mod_ring) =
x"
  by (simp add: frob_def)

context semiring_1_no_zero_divisors
begin

lemma frob_eq_0D:
  "frob (x :: 'a) = 0 ⇒ x = 0"
  by (auto simp: frob_def)

lemma frob_eq_0_iff [simp]:
  "frob (x :: 'a) = 0 ⇔ x = 0 ∧ CHAR('a) > 0"
  by (auto simp: frob_def)

end

context idom_prime_char
begin

lemma inj_frob: "inj (frob :: 'a ⇒ 'a)"
proof
  fix x y :: 'a
  assume "frob x = frob y"
  hence "frob (x - y) = 0"
    by (simp add: frob_diff del: frob_eq_0_iff)
  thus "x = y"
    by simp
qed

lemma frob_eq_frob_iff [simp]:
  "frob (x :: 'a) = frob y ⇔ x = y"
  using inj_frob by (auto simp: inj_def)

lemma frob_eq_1_iff [simp]: "frob (x :: 'a) = 1 ⇔ x = 1"
  using frob_eq_frob_iff by fastforce

lemma inv_frob_frob [simp]: "inv_frob (frob (x :: 'a)) = x"

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    by (simp add: inj_frob inv_frob_def)

lemma frob_inv_frob [simp]:
  assumes "x ∈ range frob"
  shows "frob (inv_frob x) = (x :: 'a)"
  using assms by (auto simp: inj_frob inv_frob_def)

lemma inv_frob_eqI: "frob y = x  $\implies$  inv_frob x = y"
  using inv_frob_frob local.frob_def by force

lemma inv_frob_eq_0_iff [simp]: "inv_frob (x :: 'a) = 0  $\iff$  x = 0"
  using inj_frob by (auto simp: inv_frob_def split: if_splits)

end

class surj_frob = field_prime_char +
  assumes surj_frob [simp]: "surj (frob :: 'a  $\Rightarrow$  'a)"
begin

lemma in_range_frob [simp, intro]: "(x :: 'a) ∈ range frob"
  using surj_frob by blast

lemma inv_frob_eq_iff [simp]: "inv_frob (x :: 'a) = y  $\iff$  frob y = x"
  using frob_inv_frob inv_frob_frob by blast

end

The following type class describes a field with a surjective Frobenius endomorphism that is effectively computable. This includes all finite fields.

class inv_frob = surj_frob +
  fixes inv_frob_code :: "'a  $\Rightarrow$  'a"
  assumes inv_frob_code: "inv_frob x = inv_frob_code x"

lemmas [code] = inv_frob_code

context finite_field
begin

subclass surj_frob
proof
  show "surj (frob :: 'a  $\Rightarrow$  'a)"
    using inj_frob finite_UNIV by (simp add: finite_UNIV_inj_surj)
qed

end

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lemma inv_frob_mod_ring [simp]: "inv_frob (x :: 'a :: prime_card mod_ring)
= x"
  by (auto simp: frob_def)
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instantiation mod_ring :: (prime_card) inv_frob
begin
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definition inv_frob_code_mod_ring :: "'a mod_ring ⇒ 'a mod_ring" where
  "inv_frob_code_mod_ring x = x"
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instance
  by standard (auto simp: inv_frob_code_mod_ring_def)
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end
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## 1.5 Inverting the Frobenius endomorphism on polynomials

If  $K$  is a field of prime characteristic  $p$  with a surjective Frobenius endomorphism, every polynomial  $P$  with  $P' = 0$  has a  $p$ -th root.

To see that, let  $\phi(a) = a^p$  denote the Frobenius endomorphism of  $K$  and its extension to  $K[X]$ .

If  $P' = 0$  for some  $P \in K[X]$ , then  $P$  must be of the form

$$P = a_0 + a_p x^p + a_{2p} x^{2p} + \dots + a_{kp} x^{kp} .$$

If we now set

$$Q := \phi^{-1}(a_0) + \phi^{-1}(a_p)x + \phi^{-1}(a_{2p})x^2 + \dots + \phi^{-1}(a_{kp})x^k$$

we get  $\phi(Q) = P$ , i.e.  $Q$  is the  $p$ -th root of  $P(x)$ .

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lift_definition inv_frob_poly :: "'a :: field poly ⇒ 'a poly" is
  "λp i. if CHAR('a) = 0 then p i else inv_frob (p (i * CHAR('a))) :: 'a)"
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proof goal_cases
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case (1 f)
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show ?case
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proof (cases "CHAR('a) > 0")
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case True
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from 1 obtain N where N: "f i = 0" if "i ≥ N" for i
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using cofinite_eq_sequentially eventually_sequentially by auto
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have "inv_frob (f (i * CHAR('a))) = 0" if "i ≥ N" for i
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proof -
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have "f (i * CHAR('a)) = 0"
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proof (rule N)
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show "N ≤ i * CHAR('a)"
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using that True
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by (metis One_nat_def Suc_leI le_trans mult.right_neutral mult_le_mono2)
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    qed
    thus "inv_frob (f (i * CHAR('a))) = 0"
      by (auto simp: power_0_left)
  qed
  thus ?thesis using True
    unfolding cofinite_eq_sequentially eventually_sequentially by auto
  qed (use 1 in auto)
qed

lemma coeff_inv_frob_poly [simp]:
  fixes p :: "'a :: field poly"
  assumes "CHAR('a) > 0"
  shows "poly.coeff (inv_frob_poly p) i = inv_frob (poly.coeff p (i *
CHAR('a)))"
  using assms by transfer auto

lemma inv_frob_poly_0 [simp]: "inv_frob_poly 0 = 0"
  by transfer (auto simp: fun_eq_iff power_0_left)

lemma inv_frob_poly_1 [simp]: "inv_frob_poly 1 = 1"
  by transfer (auto simp: fun_eq_iff power_0_left)

lemma degree_inv_frob_poly_le:
  fixes p :: "'a :: field poly"
  assumes "CHAR('a) > 0"
  shows "Polynomial.degree (inv_frob_poly p) ≤ Polynomial.degree p div
CHAR('a)"
proof (intro degree_le allI impI)
  fix i assume "Polynomial.degree p div CHAR('a) < i"
  hence "i * CHAR('a) > Polynomial.degree p"
    using assms div_less_iff_less_mult by blast
  thus "Polynomial.coeff (inv_frob_poly p) i = 0"
    by (simp add: coeff_eq_0 power_0_left assms)
qed

context
  assumes "SORT_CONSTRAINT('a :: comm_ring_1)"
  assumes prime_char: "prime CHAR('a)"
begin

lemma poly_power_prime_char_as_sum_of_monoms:
  fixes h :: "'a poly"
  shows "h ^ CHAR('a) = (∑ i ≤ Polynomial.degree h. Polynomial.monom (Polynomial.coeff
h i ^ CHAR('a)) (CHAR('a)*i))"
proof -
  have "h ^ CHAR('a) = (∑ i ≤ Polynomial.degree h. Polynomial.monom (Polynomial.coeff
h i) i) ^ CHAR('a)"
    by (simp add: poly_as_sum_of_monoms)
  also have "... = (∑ i ≤ Polynomial.degree h. (Polynomial.monom (Polynomial.coeff

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h i) i) ^ CHAR('a))"
  by (simp add: freshmans_dream_sum_prime_char)
  also have "... = (∑ i ≤ Polynomial.degree h. Polynomial.monom (Polynomial.coeff
h i ^ CHAR('a)) (CHAR('a)*i))"
  proof (rule sum.cong, rule)
    fix x assume x: "x ∈ {..Polynomial.degree h}"
    show "Polynomial.monom (Polynomial.coeff h x) x ^ CHAR('a) = Polynomial.monom
(Polynomial.coeff h x ^ CHAR('a)) (CHAR('a) * x)"
      by (unfold poly_eq_iff, auto simp add: monom_power)
  qed
  finally show ?thesis .
qed

lemma coeff_of_prime_char_power [simp]:
  fixes y :: "'a poly"
  shows "poly.coeff (y ^ CHAR('a)) (i * CHAR('a)) = poly.coeff y i ^ CHAR('a)"
  using prime_char
  by (subst poly_power_prime_char_as_sum_of_monoms, subst Polynomial.coeff_sum)
  (auto intro: le_degree simp: power_0_left)

lemma coeff_of_prime_char_power':
  fixes y :: "'a poly"
  shows "poly.coeff (y ^ CHAR('a)) i =
  (if CHAR('a) dvd i then poly.coeff y (i div CHAR('a)) ^ CHAR('a)
else 0)"
  proof -
    have "poly.coeff (y ^ CHAR('a)) i =
  (∑ j ≤ Polynomial.degree y. Polynomial.coeff (Polynomial.monom
(Polynomial.coeff y j ^ CHAR('a)) (CHAR('a) * j)) i)"
      by (subst poly_power_prime_char_as_sum_of_monoms, subst Polynomial.coeff_sum)
    auto
    also have "... = (∑ j ∈ (if CHAR('a) dvd i ∧ i div CHAR('a) ≤ Polynomial.degree
y then {i div CHAR('a)} else {})).
  Polynomial.coeff (Polynomial.monom (Polynomial.coeff
y j ^ CHAR('a)) (CHAR('a) * j)) i)"
      by (intro sum.mono_neutral_right) (use prime_char in auto)
    also have "... = (if CHAR('a) dvd i then poly.coeff y (i div CHAR('a))
^ CHAR('a) else 0)"
      proof (cases "CHAR('a) dvd i ∧ i div CHAR('a) > Polynomial.degree y")
        case True
          hence "Polynomial.coeff y (i div CHAR('a)) ^ CHAR('a) = 0"
            using prime_char by (simp add: coeff_eq_0 zero_power power_0_left)
          thus ?thesis
            by auto
        case False
          qed auto
      finally show ?thesis .
    qed
  qed

end

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context
  assumes "SORT_CONSTRAINT('a :: field)"
  assumes pos_char: "CHAR('a) > 0"
begin

interpretation field_prime_char "(/)" inverse "(*)" "1 :: 'a" "(+)" 0 "(-)"
uminus
  rewrites "semiring_1.frob 1 (*) (+) (0 :: 'a) = frob" and
    "semiring_1.inv_frob 1 (*) (+) (0 :: 'a) = inv_frob" and
    "semiring_1.semiring_char 1 (+) 0 TYPE('a) = CHAR('a)"
proof unfold_locales
  have *: "class.semiring_1 (1 :: 'a) (*) (+) 0" ..
  have [simp]: "semiring_1.of_nat (1 :: 'a) (+) 0 = of_nat"
    by (auto simp: of_nat_def semiring_1.of_nat_def[OF *])
  thus "∃n>0. semiring_1.of_nat (1 :: 'a) (+) 0 n = 0"
    by (intro exI[of _ "CHAR('a)"]) (use pos_char in auto)
  show "semiring_1.semiring_char 1 (+) 0 TYPE('a) = CHAR('a)"
    by (simp add: fun_eq_iff semiring_char_def semiring_1.semiring_char_def[OF
*])
  show [simp]: "semiring_1.frob (1 :: 'a) (*) (+) 0 = frob"
    by (simp add: frob_def semiring_1.frob_def[OF *] fun_eq_iff
power.power_def power_def semiring_char_def semiring_1.semiring_char_def[
*])
  show "semiring_1.inv_frob (1 :: 'a) (*) (+) 0 = inv_frob"
    by (simp add: inv_frob_def semiring_1.inv_frob_def[OF *] fun_eq_iff)
qed

lemma inv_frob_poly_power': "inv_frob_poly (p ^ CHAR('a) :: 'a poly)
= p"
  using prime_CHAR_semidom[OF pos_char] pos_char
  by (auto simp: poly_eq_iff simp flip: frob_def)

lemma inv_frob_poly_power:
  fixes p :: "'a poly"
  assumes "is_nth_power CHAR('a) p" and "n = CHAR('a)"
  shows "inv_frob_poly p ^ CHAR('a) = p"
proof -
  from assms(1) obtain q where q: "p = q ^ CHAR('a)"
    by (elim is_nth_powerE)
  thus ?thesis using assms
    by (simp add: q inv_frob_poly_power')
qed

theorem pderiv_eq_0_imp_nth_power:
  assumes "pderiv (p :: 'a poly) = 0"
  assumes [simp]: "surj (frob :: 'a ⇒ 'a)"
  shows "is_nth_power CHAR('a) p"

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proof -
  have *: "poly.coeff p n = 0" if n: "¬CHAR('a) dvd n" for n
  proof (cases "n = 0")
    case False
      have "poly.coeff (pderiv p) (n - 1) = of_nat n * poly.coeff p n"
        using False by (auto simp: coeff_pderiv)
      with assms and n show "poly.coeff p n = 0"
        by (auto simp: of_nat_eq_0_iff_char_dvd)
    qed (use that in auto)

  have **: "inv_frob_poly p ^ CHAR('a) = p"
  proof (rule poly_eqI)
    fix n :: nat
    show "poly.coeff (inv_frob_poly p ^ CHAR('a)) n = poly.coeff p n"
      using * CHAR_dvd_CARD[where ?'a = 'a]
      by (subst coeff_of_prime_char_power')
        (auto simp: poly_eq_iff_frob_def [symmetric]
          coeff_of_prime_char_power'[where ?'a = 'a] simp
flip: power_mult)
    qed

  show ?thesis
    by (subst **[symmetric]) auto
  qed

end

```

## 1.6 Code generation

We now also make this notion of “taking the  $p$ -th root of a polynomial” executable. For this, we need an auxiliary function that takes a list  $[x_0, \dots, x_m]$  and returns the list of every  $n$ -th element, i.e. it throws away all elements except those  $x_i$  where  $i$  is a multiple of  $n$ .

```

fun take_every :: "nat ⇒ 'a list ⇒ 'a list" where
  "take_every _ [] = []"
| "take_every n (x # xs) = x # take_every n (drop (n - 1) xs)"

lemma take_every_0 [simp]: "take_every 0 xs = xs"
  by (induction xs) auto

lemma take_every_1 [simp]: "take_every (Suc 0) xs = xs"
  by (induction xs) auto

lemma int_length_take_every: "n > 0 ⇒ int (length (take_every n xs))
= ceiling (length xs / n)"
proof (induction n xs rule: take_every.induct)
  case (2 n x xs)
  show ?case

```

```

proof (cases "Suc (length xs) ≥ n")
  case True
  thus ?thesis using 2
    by (auto simp: dvd_imp_le of_nat_diff diff_divide_distrib split:
if_splits)
  next
  case False
  hence "[ (1 + real (length xs)) / real n ] = 1"
    by (intro ceiling_unique) auto
  thus ?thesis using False
    by auto
qed
qed auto

```

```

lemma length_take_every:
  "n > 0 ⇒ length (take_every n xs) = nat (ceiling (length xs / n))"
  using int_length_take_every[of n xs] by simp

```

```

lemma take_every_nth [simp]:
  "n > 0 ⇒ i < length (take_every n xs) ⇒ take_every n xs ! i = xs
! (n * i)"

```

```

proof (induction n xs arbitrary: i rule: take_every.induct)
  case (2 n x xs i)
  show ?case
  proof (cases i)
    case (Suc j)
    have "n - Suc 0 ≤ length xs"
      using Suc "2.prem" nat_le_linear by force
    hence "drop (n - Suc 0) xs ! (n * j) = xs ! (n - 1 + n * j)"
      using Suc by (subst nth_drop) auto
    also have "n - 1 + n * j = n + n * j - 1"
      using <n > 0> by linarith
    finally show ?thesis
      using "2.IH"[of j] "2.prem" Suc by simp
  qed auto
qed auto

```

```

lemma coeffs_eq_strip_whileI:
  assumes "∧i. i < length xs ⇒ Polynomial.coeff p i = xs ! i"
  assumes "p ≠ 0 ⇒ length xs > Polynomial.degree p"
  shows "Polynomial.coeffs p = strip_while ((=) 0) xs"
proof (rule coeffs_eqI)
  fix n :: nat
  show "Polynomial.coeff p n = nth_default 0 (strip_while ((=) 0) xs)
n"
  using assms
  by (metis coeff_0 coeff_Poly_eq coeffs_Poly le_degree nth_default_coeffs_eq

nth_default_eq_dflt_iff nth_default_nth order_le_less_trans)

```

qed auto

This implements the code equation for `inv_frob_poly`.

```
lemma inv_frob_poly_code [code]:
  "Polynomial.coeffs (inv_frob_poly (p :: 'a :: field_prime_char poly))
  =
    (if CHAR('a) = 0 then Polynomial.coeffs p else
     map inv_frob (strip_while ((=) 0) (take_every CHAR('a) (Polynomial.coeffs
p))))"
  (is "_ = If _ _ ?rhs")
proof (cases "CHAR('a) = 0  $\vee$  p = 0")
  case False
  from False have "p  $\neq$  0"
  by auto
  have "Polynomial.coeffs (inv_frob_poly p) =
    strip_while ((=) 0) (map inv_frob (take_every CHAR('a) (Polynomial.coeffs
p)))"
  proof (rule coeffs_eq_strip_whileI)
    fix i assume i: "i < length (map inv_frob (take_every CHAR('a) (Polynomial.coeffs
p)))"
    show "Polynomial.coeff (inv_frob_poly p) i = map inv_frob (take_every
CHAR('a) (Polynomial.coeffs p)) ! i"
    proof -
      have "i < length (take_every CHAR('a) (Polynomial.coeffs p))"
      using i by simp
      also have "length (take_every CHAR('a) (Polynomial.coeffs p)) =
        nat  $\lceil$  (Polynomial.degree p + 1) / real CHAR('a) $\rceil$ "
      using False CHAR_pos[where ?'a = 'a]
      by (simp add: length_take_every length_coeffs)
      finally have "i < real (Polynomial.degree p + 1) / real CHAR('a)"
      by linarith
      hence "real i * real CHAR('a) < real (Polynomial.degree p + 1)"
      using False CHAR_pos[where ?'a = 'a] by (simp add: field_simps)
      hence "i * CHAR('a)  $\leq$  Polynomial.degree p"
      unfolding of_nat_mult [symmetric] by linarith
      hence "Polynomial.coeffs p ! (i * CHAR('a)) = Polynomial.coeff p
(i * CHAR('a))"
      using False by (intro coeffs_nth) (auto simp: length_take_every)
      thus ?thesis using False i CHAR_pos[where ?'a = 'a]
      by (auto simp: nth_default_def mult.commute)
    qed
  next
  assume nz: "inv_frob_poly p  $\neq$  0"
  have "Polynomial.degree (inv_frob_poly p)  $\leq$  Polynomial.degree p div
CHAR('a)"
  by (rule degree_inv_frob_poly_le) (fact CHAR_pos)
  also have "... < nat  $\lceil$  (real (Polynomial.degree p) + 1) / real CHAR('a) $\rceil$ "
  using CHAR_pos[where ?'a = 'a]
  by (metis div_less_iff_less_mult linorder_not_le nat_le_real_less
```

```

of_nat_0_less_iff
  of_nat_ceiling of_nat_mult pos_less_divide_eq
  also have "... = length (take_every CHAR('a) (Polynomial.coeffs p))"
    using CHAR_pos[where ?'a = 'a] <p ≠ 0> by (simp add: length_take_every
length_coeffs add_ac)
  finally show "length (map inv_frob (take_every CHAR('a) (Polynomial.coeffs
p))) > Polynomial.degree (inv_frob_poly p)"
    by simp_all
  qed
  also have "strip_while ((=) 0) (map inv_frob (take_every CHAR('a) (Polynomial.coeffs
p))) =
    map inv_frob (strip_while ((=) 0 ∘ inv_frob) (take_every
CHAR('a) (Polynomial.coeffs p)))"
    by (rule strip_while_map)
  also have "(=) 0 ∘ inv_frob = (=) (0 :: 'a)"
    by (auto simp: fun_eq_iff)
  finally show ?thesis
    using False by metis
  qed auto

```

## 1.7 Perfect fields

We now introduce perfect fields. The textbook definition of a perfect field is that every irreducible polynomial is separable, i.e. if a polynomial  $P$  has no non-trivial divisors then  $\gcd(P, P') = 0$ .

For technical reasons, this is somewhat difficult to express in Isabelle/HOL's typeclass system. We therefore use the following much simpler equivalent definition (and prove equivalence later): a field is perfect if it either has characteristic 0 or its Frobenius endomorphism is surjective.

```

class perfect_field = field +
  assumes perfect_field: "CHAR('a) = 0 ∨ surj (frob :: 'a ⇒ 'a)"

context field_char_0
begin
subclass perfect_field
  by standard auto
end

context surj_frob
begin
subclass perfect_field
  by standard auto
end

theorem irreducible_imp_pderiv_nonzero:
  assumes "irreducible (p :: 'a :: perfect_field poly)"
  shows "pderiv p ≠ 0"
proof (cases "CHAR('a) = 0")

```

```

case True
interpret A: semiring_1 "1 :: 'a" "(*)" "(+)" "0 :: 'a" ..
have *: "class.semiring_1 (1 :: 'a) (*) (+) 0" ..
interpret A: field_char_0 "(/)" inverse "(*)" "1 :: 'a" "(+)" 0 "(-)"
uminus
proof
  have "inj (of_nat :: nat ⇒ 'a)"
    by (auto simp: inj_on_def of_nat_eq_iff_cong_CHAR True)
  also have "of_nat = semiring_1.of_nat (1 :: 'a) (+) 0"
    by (simp add: of_nat_def [abs_def] semiring_1.of_nat_def [OF *,
abs_def])
  finally show "inj ..." .
qed

show ?thesis
proof
  assume "pderiv p = 0"
  hence **: "poly.coeff p (Suc n) = 0" for n
    by (auto simp: poly_eq_iff coeff_pderiv of_nat_eq_0_iff_char_dvd
True simp del: of_nat_Suc)
  have "poly.coeff p n = 0" if "n > 0" for n
    using **[of "n - 1"] that by (cases n) auto
  hence "Polynomial.degree p = 0"
    by force
  thus False
    using assms by force
qed

next
case False
hence [simp]: "surj (frob :: 'a ⇒ 'a)"
  by (meson perfect_field)

interpret A: field_prime_char "(/)" inverse "(*)" "1 :: 'a" "(+)" 0 "(-)"
uminus
proof
  have *: "class.semiring_1 1 (*) (+) (0 :: 'a)" ..
  have "semiring_1.of_nat 1 (+) (0 :: 'a) = of_nat"
    by (simp add: fun_eq_iff of_nat_def semiring_1.of_nat_def[OF *])
  thus "∃n>0. semiring_1.of_nat 1 (+) 0 n = (0 :: 'a)"
    by (intro exI[of _ "CHAR('a)"]) (use False in auto)
qed

show ?thesis
proof
  assume "pderiv p = 0"
  hence "is_nth_power CHAR('a) p"
    using pderiv_eq_0_imp_nth_power[of p] surj_frob False by simp
  then obtain q where "p = q ^ CHAR('a)"

```

```

    by (elim is_nth_powerE)
  with assms show False
    by auto
qed
qed

corollary irreducible_imp_separable:
  assumes "irreducible (p :: 'a :: perfect_field poly)"
  shows "coprime p (pderiv p)"
proof (rule coprimeI)
  fix q assume q: "q dvd p" "q dvd pderiv p"
  have "¬p dvd q"
  proof
    assume "p dvd q"
    hence "p dvd pderiv p"
      using q dvd_trans by blast
    hence "Polynomial.degree p ≤ Polynomial.degree (pderiv p)"
      by (rule dvd_imp_degree_le) (use assms irreducible_imp_pderiv_nonzero
in auto)
    also have "... ≤ Polynomial.degree p - 1"
      using degree_pderiv_le by auto
    finally have "Polynomial.degree p = 0"
      by simp
    with assms show False
      using irreducible_imp_pderiv_nonzero is_unit_iff_degree by blast
  qed
  with <q dvd p> show "is_unit q"
    using assms comm_semiring_1_class.irreducibleD' by blast
qed

end

```

## 1.8 Algebraically closed fields are perfect

```

theory Perfect_Field_Algebraically_Closed
  imports Perfect_Fields "Formal_Puiseux_Series.Formal_Puiseux_Series"
begin

```

```

lemma (in alg_closed_field) nth_root_exists:
  assumes "n > 0"
  shows "∃y. y ^ n = (x :: 'a)"
proof -
  define f where "f = (λi. if i = 0 then -x else if i = n then 1 else
0)"
  have "∃x. (∑ k ≤ n. f k * x ^ k) = 0"
    by (rule alg_closed) (use assms in <auto simp: f_def>)

```

```

also have "( $\lambda x. \sum_{k \leq n}. f k * x ^ k$ ) = ( $\lambda x. \sum_{k \in \{0, n\}}. f k * x ^ k$ )"
  by (intro ext sum.mono_neutral_right) (auto simp: f_def)
finally show " $\exists y. y ^ n = x$ "
  using assms by (simp add: f_def)
qed

```

```

context alg_closed_field
begin

```

```

lemma alg_closed_surj_frob:
  assumes "CHAR('a) > 0"
  shows "surj (frob :: 'a  $\Rightarrow$  'a)"
proof -
  show "surj (frob :: 'a  $\Rightarrow$  'a)"
  proof safe
    fix x :: 'a
    obtain y where "y ^ CHAR('a) = x"
      using nth_root_exists CHAR_pos assms by blast
    hence "frob y = x"
      using CHAR_pos by (simp add: frob_def)
    thus "x  $\in$  range frob"
      by (metis rangeI)
  qed auto
qed

```

```

sublocale perfect_field
  by standard (use alg_closed_surj_frob in auto)

end

```

```

lemma fpxs_const_eq_0_iff [simp]: "fpxs_const x = 0  $\longleftrightarrow$  x = 0"
  by (metis fpxs_const_0 fpxs_const_eq_iff)

```

```

lemma semiring_char_fpxs [simp]: "CHAR('a :: comm_semiring_1 fpxs) =
CHAR('a)"
  by (rule CHAR_eqI; unfold of_nat_fpxs_eq) (auto simp: of_nat_eq_0_iff_char_dvd)

```

```

instance fpxs :: ("{semiring_prime_char, comm_semiring_1}") semiring_prime_char
  by (rule semiring_prime_charI) auto
instance fpxs :: ("{comm_semiring_prime_char, comm_semiring_1}") comm_semiring_prime_char
  by standard
instance fpxs :: ("{comm_ring_prime_char, comm_semiring_1}") comm_ring_prime_char
  by standard
instance fpxs :: ("{idom_prime_char, comm_semiring_1}") idom_prime_char
  by standard
instance fpxs :: ("field_prime_char") field_prime_char

```

by standard auto

end

## 2 The algebraic closure type

theory Algebraic\_Closure\_Type

imports

"HOL-Algebra.Algebra"

"Formal\_Puiseux\_Series.Formal\_Puiseux\_Series"

"HOL-Computational\_Algebra.Field\_as\_Ring"

begin

definition (in ring\_1) ring\_of\_type\_algebra :: "'a ring"

where "ring\_of\_type\_algebra = ( $\{$   
  carrier = UNIV, monoid.mult = ( $\lambda x y. x * y$ ),  
  one = 1,  
  ring.zero = 0,  
  add = ( $\lambda x y. x + y$ )  $\}$ )"

lemma (in comm\_ring\_1) ring\_from\_type\_algebra [intro]:

"ring (ring\_of\_type\_algebra :: 'a ring)"

proof -

have " $\exists y. x + y = 0$ " for  $x :: 'a$   
  using add.right\_inverse by blast  
thus ?thesis  
  unfolding ring\_of\_type\_algebra\_def using add.right\_inverse  
  by unfold\_locales (auto simp:algebra\_simps Units\_def)

qed

lemma (in comm\_ring\_1) cring\_from\_type\_algebra [intro]:

"cring (ring\_of\_type\_algebra :: 'a ring)"

proof -

have " $\exists y. x + y = 0$ " for  $x :: 'a$   
  using add.right\_inverse by blast  
thus ?thesis  
  unfolding ring\_of\_type\_algebra\_def using add.right\_inverse  
  by unfold\_locales (auto simp:algebra\_simps Units\_def)

qed

lemma (in Fields.field) field\_from\_type\_algebra [intro]:

"field (ring\_of\_type\_algebra :: 'a ring)"

proof -

have " $\exists y. x + y = 0$ " for  $x :: 'a$   
  using add.right\_inverse by blast

moreover have " $x \neq 0 \implies \exists y. x * y = 1$ " for  $x :: 'a$   
  by (rule exI[of \_ "inverse x"]) auto



```

ultimately show ?thesis
  unfolding ring_of_type_algebra_def using add.right_inverse
  by unfold_locales (auto simp:algebra_simps Units_def)
qed

```

## 2.1 Definition

```

typedef (overloaded) 'a :: field alg_closure =
  "carrier (field.alg_closure (ring_of_type_algebra :: 'a :: field ring))"
proof -
  define K where "K ≡ (ring_of_type_algebra :: 'a ring)"
  define L where "L ≡ field.alg_closure K"

  interpret K: field K
    unfolding K_def by rule

  interpret algebraic_closure L "range K.indexed_const"
  proof -
    have *: "carrier K = UNIV"
      by (auto simp: K_def ring_of_type_algebra_def)
    show "algebraic_closure L (range K.indexed_const)"
      unfolding * [symmetric] L_def by (rule K.alg_closureE)
  qed

  show "∃x. x ∈ carrier L"
    using zero_closed by blast
qed

setup_lifting type_definition_alg_closure

instantiation alg_closure :: (field) field
begin

context
  fixes L K
  defines "K ≡ (ring_of_type_algebra :: 'a :: field ring)"
  defines "L ≡ field.alg_closure K"
begin

interpretation K: field K
  unfolding K_def by rule

interpretation algebraic_closure L "range K.indexed_const"
proof -
  have *: "carrier K = UNIV"
    by (auto simp: K_def ring_of_type_algebra_def)
  show "algebraic_closure L (range K.indexed_const)"
    unfolding * [symmetric] L_def by (rule K.alg_closureE)
qed

```

```

lift_definition zero_alg_closure :: "'a alg_closure" is "ring.zero L"
  by (fold K_def, fold L_def) (rule ring_simprules)

lift_definition one_alg_closure :: "'a alg_closure" is "monoid.one L"
  by (fold K_def, fold L_def) (rule ring_simprules)

lift_definition plus_alg_closure :: "'a alg_closure  $\Rightarrow$  'a alg_closure  $\Rightarrow$ 
'a alg_closure"
  is "ring.add L"
  by (fold K_def, fold L_def) (rule ring_simprules)

lift_definition minus_alg_closure :: "'a alg_closure  $\Rightarrow$  'a alg_closure  $\Rightarrow$ 
'a alg_closure"
  is "a_minus L"
  by (fold K_def, fold L_def) (rule ring_simprules)

lift_definition times_alg_closure :: "'a alg_closure  $\Rightarrow$  'a alg_closure  $\Rightarrow$ 
'a alg_closure"
  is "monoid.mult L"
  by (fold K_def, fold L_def) (rule ring_simprules)

lift_definition uminus_alg_closure :: "'a alg_closure  $\Rightarrow$  'a alg_closure"
  is "a_inv L"
  by (fold K_def, fold L_def) (rule ring_simprules)

lift_definition inverse_alg_closure :: "'a alg_closure  $\Rightarrow$  'a alg_closure"
  is "\x. if x = ring.zero L then ring.zero L else m_inv L x"
  by (fold K_def, fold L_def) (auto simp: field_Units)

lift_definition divide_alg_closure :: "'a alg_closure  $\Rightarrow$  'a alg_closure
 $\Rightarrow$  'a alg_closure"
  is "\x y. if y = ring.zero L then ring.zero L else monoid.mult L x (m_inv
L y)"
  by (fold K_def, fold L_def) (auto simp: field_Units)

end

instance proof -
  define K where "K  $\equiv$  (ring_of_type_algebra :: 'a ring)"
  define L where "L  $\equiv$  field.alg_closure K"

  interpret K: field K
    unfolding K_def by rule

  interpret algebraic_closure L "range K.indexed_const"
proof -
  have *: "carrier K = UNIV"
    by (auto simp: K_def ring_of_type_algebra_def)

```

```

    show "algebraic_closure L (range K.indexed_const)"
      unfolding * [symmetric] L_def by (rule K.alg_closureE)
qed

show "OFCLASS('a alg_closure, field_class)"
proof (standard, goal_cases)
  case 1
  show ?case
    by (transfer, fold K_def, fold L_def) (rule m_assoc)
next
  case 2
  show ?case
    by (transfer, fold K_def, fold L_def) (rule m_comm)
next
  case 3
  show ?case
    by (transfer, fold K_def, fold L_def) (rule l_one)
next
  case 4
  show ?case
    by (transfer, fold K_def, fold L_def) (rule a_assoc)
next
  case 5
  show ?case
    by (transfer, fold K_def, fold L_def) (rule a_comm)
next
  case 6
  show ?case
    by (transfer, fold K_def, fold L_def) (rule l_zero)
next
  case 7
  show ?case
    by (transfer, fold K_def, fold L_def) (rule ring_simplrules)
next
  case 8
  show ?case
    by (transfer, fold K_def, fold L_def) (rule ring_simplrules)
next
  case 9
  show ?case
    by (transfer, fold K_def, fold L_def) (rule ring_simplrules)
next
  case 10
  show ?case
    by (transfer, fold K_def, fold L_def) (rule zero_not_one)
next
  case 11
  thus ?case
    by (transfer, fold K_def, fold L_def) (auto simp: field_Units)

```

```

next
  case 12
  thus ?case
    by (transfer, fold K_def, fold L_def) auto
next
  case 13
  thus ?case
    by transfer auto
qed
qed
end

```

## 2.2 The algebraic closure is algebraically closed

```

instance alg_closure :: (field) alg_closed_field
proof
  define K where "K ≡ (ring_of_type_algebra :: 'a ring)"
  define L where "L ≡ field.alg_closure K"

  interpret K: field K
    unfolding K_def by rule

  interpret algebraic_closure L "range K.indexed_const"
  proof -
    have *: "carrier K = UNIV"
      by (auto simp: K_def ring_of_type_algebra_def)
    show "algebraic_closure L (range K.indexed_const)"
      unfolding * [symmetric] L_def by (rule K.alg_closureE)
  qed

  have [simp]: "Rep_alg_closure x ∈ carrier L" for x
    using Rep_alg_closure[of x] by (simp only: L_def K_def)

  have [simp]: "Rep_alg_closure x = Rep_alg_closure y ↔ x = y" for
x y
    by (simp add: Rep_alg_closure_inject)
  have [simp]: "Rep_alg_closure x = 0L ↔ x = 0" for x
  proof -
    have "Rep_alg_closure x = Rep_alg_closure 0 ↔ x = 0"
      by simp
    also have "Rep_alg_closure 0 = 0L"
      by (simp add: zero_alg_closure.rep_eq L_def K_def)
    finally show ?thesis .
  qed

  have [simp]: "Rep_alg_closure (x ^ n) = Rep_alg_closure x [^]L n"
    for x :: "'a alg_closure" and n
    by (induction n)

```

```

      (auto simp: one_alg_closure.rep_eq times_alg_closure.rep_eq m_comm
        simp flip: L_def K_def)
    have [simp]: "Rep_alg_closure (Abs_alg_closure x) = x" if "x ∈ carrier
L" for x
      using that unfolding L_def K_def by (rule Abs_alg_closure_inverse)

    show "∃x. poly p x = 0" if p: "monic p" "Polynomial.degree p > 0" for
p :: "'a alg_closure poly"
    proof -
      define P where "P = rev (map Rep_alg_closure (Polynomial.coeffs p))"
      have deg: "Polynomials.degree P = Polynomial.degree p"
        by (auto simp: P_def degree_eq_length_coeffs)
      have carrier_P: "P ∈ carrier (poly_ring L)"
        by (auto simp: univ_poly_def polynomial_def P_def hd_map hd_rev
last_map
          last_coeffs_eq_coeff_degree)
      hence "splitted P"
        using roots_over_carrier by blast
      hence "roots P ≠ {}"
        unfolding splitted_def using deg p by auto
      then obtain x where "x ∈# roots P"
        by blast
      hence x: "is_root P x"
        using roots_mem_iff_is_root[OF carrier_P] by auto
      hence [simp]: "x ∈ carrier L"
        by (auto simp: is_root_def)
      define x' where "x' = Abs_alg_closure x"
      define xs where "xs = rev (coeffs p)"

      have "cr_alg_closure (eval (map Rep_alg_closure xs) x) (poly (Poly
(rev xs) x'))"
        by (induction xs)
          (auto simp flip: K_def L_def simp: cr_alg_closure_def
            zero_alg_closure.rep_eq plus_alg_closure.rep_eq
            times_alg_closure.rep_eq Poly_append poly_monom
            a_comm m_comm x'_def)
      also have "map Rep_alg_closure xs = P"
        by (simp add: xs_def P_def rev_map)
      also have "Poly (rev xs) = p"
        by (simp add: xs_def)
      finally have "poly p x' = 0"
        using x by (auto simp: is_root_def cr_alg_closure_def)
      thus "∃x. poly p x = 0" ..
    qed
  qed

```

### 2.3 Converting between the base field and the closure context

```

fixes L K
defines "K ≡ (ring_of_type_algebra :: 'a :: field ring)"
defines "L ≡ field.alg_closure K"
begin

interpretation K: field K
  unfolding K_def by rule

interpretation algebraic_closure L "range K.indexed_const"
proof -
  have *: "carrier K = UNIV"
    by (auto simp: K_def ring_of_type_algebra_def)
  show "algebraic_closure L (range K.indexed_const)"
    unfolding * [symmetric] L_def by (rule K.alg_closureE)
qed

lemma alg_closure_hom: "K.indexed_const ∈ Ring.ring_hom K L"
  unfolding L_def using K.alg_closureE(2) .

lift_definition to_ac :: "'a :: field ⇒ 'a alg_closure"
  is "ring.indexed_const K"
  by (fold K_def, fold L_def) (use mem_carrier in blast)

lemma to_ac_0 [simp]: "to_ac (0 :: 'a) = 0"
proof -
  have "to_ac (0K) = 0"
  proof (transfer fixing: K, fold K_def, fold L_def)
    show "K.indexed_const 0K = 0L"
      using Ring.ring_hom_zero[OF alg_closure_hom] K.ring_axioms is_ring
      by simp
  qed
  thus ?thesis
    by (simp add: K_def ring_of_type_algebra_def)
qed

lemma to_ac_1 [simp]: "to_ac (1 :: 'a) = 1"
proof -
  have "to_ac (1K) = 1"
  proof (transfer fixing: K, fold K_def, fold L_def)
    show "K.indexed_const 1K = 1L"
      using Ring.ring_hom_one[OF alg_closure_hom] K.ring_axioms is_ring
      by simp
  qed
  thus ?thesis
    by (simp add: K_def ring_of_type_algebra_def)
qed

lemma to_ac_add [simp]: "to_ac (x + y :: 'a) = to_ac x + to_ac y"
proof -

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    have "to_ac (x  $\oplus_K$  y) = to_ac x + to_ac y"
    proof (transfer fixing: K x y, fold K_def, fold L_def)
      show "K.indexed_const (x  $\oplus_K$  y) = K.indexed_const x  $\oplus_L$  K.indexed_const
y"
      using Ring.ring_hom_add[OF alg_closure_hom, of x y] K.ring_axioms
is_ring
      by (simp add: K_def ring_of_type_algebra_def)
    qed
    thus ?thesis
      by (simp add: K_def ring_of_type_algebra_def)
  qed

lemma to_ac_minus [simp]: "to_ac (-x :: 'a) = -to_ac x"
  using to_ac_add to_ac_0 add_eq_0_iff by metis

lemma to_ac_diff [simp]: "to_ac (x - y :: 'a) = to_ac x - to_ac y"
  using to_ac_add[of x "-y"] by simp

lemma to_ac_mult [simp]: "to_ac (x * y :: 'a) = to_ac x * to_ac y"
proof -
  have "to_ac (x  $\otimes_K$  y) = to_ac x * to_ac y"
  proof (transfer fixing: K x y, fold K_def, fold L_def)
    show "K.indexed_const (x  $\otimes_K$  y) = K.indexed_const x  $\otimes_L$  K.indexed_const
y"
    using Ring.ring_hom_mult[OF alg_closure_hom, of x y] K.ring_axioms
is_ring
    by (simp add: K_def ring_of_type_algebra_def)
  qed
  thus ?thesis
    by (simp add: K_def ring_of_type_algebra_def)
qed

lemma to_ac_inverse [simp]: "to_ac (inverse x :: 'a) = inverse (to_ac
x)"
  using to_ac_mult[of x "inverse x"] to_ac_1 to_ac_0
  by (metis divide_self_if field_class.field_divide_inverse field_class.field_inverse_zero
inverse_unique)

lemma to_ac_divide [simp]: "to_ac (x / y :: 'a) = to_ac x / to_ac y"
  using to_ac_mult[of x "inverse y"] to_ac_inverse[of y]
  by (simp add: field_class.field_divide_inverse)

lemma to_ac_power [simp]: "to_ac (x ^ n) = to_ac x ^ n"
  by (induction n) auto

lemma to_ac_of_nat [simp]: "to_ac (of_nat n) = of_nat n"
  by (induction n) auto

lemma to_ac_of_int [simp]: "to_ac (of_int n) = of_int n"

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    by (induction n) auto

lemma to_ac_numeral [simp]: "to_ac (numeral n) = numeral n"
  using to_ac_of_nat[of "numeral n"] by (simp del: to_ac_of_nat)

lemma to_ac_sum: "to_ac ( $\sum x \in A. f x$ ) = ( $\sum x \in A. to\_ac (f x)$ )"
  by (induction A rule: infinite_finite_induct) auto

lemma to_ac_prod: "to_ac ( $\prod x \in A. f x$ ) = ( $\prod x \in A. to\_ac (f x)$ )"
  by (induction A rule: infinite_finite_induct) auto

lemma to_ac_sum_list: "to_ac (sum_list xs) = ( $\sum x \leftarrow xs. to\_ac x$ )"
  by (induction xs) auto

lemma to_ac_prod_list: "to_ac (prod_list xs) = ( $\prod x \leftarrow xs. to\_ac x$ )"
  by (induction xs) auto

lemma to_ac_sum_mset: "to_ac (sum_mset xs) = ( $\sum x \in \#xs. to\_ac x$ )"
  by (induction xs) auto

lemma to_ac_prod_mset: "to_ac (prod_mset xs) = ( $\prod x \in \#xs. to\_ac x$ )"
  by (induction xs) auto

end

lemma (in ring) indexed_const_eq_iff [simp]:
  "indexed_const x = (indexed_const y :: 'c multiset  $\Rightarrow$  'a)  $\longleftrightarrow$  x = y"
proof
  assume "indexed_const x = (indexed_const y :: 'c multiset  $\Rightarrow$  'a)"
  hence "indexed_const x ({#} :: 'c multiset) = indexed_const y ({#} ::
'c multiset)"
    by metis
  thus "x = y"
    by (simp add: indexed_const_def)
qed auto

lemma inj_to_ac: "inj to_ac"
  by (transfer, intro injI, subst (asm) ring.indexed_const_eq_iff) auto

lemma to_ac_eq_iff [simp]: "to_ac x = to_ac y  $\longleftrightarrow$  x = y"
  using inj_to_ac by (auto simp: inj_on_def)

lemma to_ac_eq_0_iff [simp]: "to_ac x = 0  $\longleftrightarrow$  x = 0"
  and to_ac_eq_0_iff' [simp]: "0 = to_ac x  $\longleftrightarrow$  x = 0"
  and to_ac_eq_1_iff [simp]: "to_ac x = 1  $\longleftrightarrow$  x = 1"
  and to_ac_eq_1_iff' [simp]: "1 = to_ac x  $\longleftrightarrow$  x = 1"
  using to_ac_eq_iff to_ac_0 to_ac_1 by metis+

```



```

definition of_ac :: "'a :: field alg_closure ⇒ 'a" where
  "of_ac x = (if x ∈ range to_ac then inv_into UNIV to_ac x else 0)"

lemma of_ac_eqI: "to_ac x = y ⇒ of_ac y = x"
  unfolding of_ac_def by (meson inj_to_ac inv_f_f range_eqI)

lemma of_ac_0 [simp]: "of_ac 0 = 0"
  and of_ac_1 [simp]: "of_ac 1 = 1"
  by (rule of_ac_eqI; simp; fail)+

lemma of_ac_to_ac [simp]: "of_ac (to_ac x) = x"
  by (rule of_ac_eqI) auto

lemma to_ac_of_ac: "x ∈ range to_ac ⇒ to_ac (of_ac x) = x"
  by auto

lemma CHAR_alg_closure [simp]:
  "CHAR('a :: field alg_closure) = CHAR('a)"
proof (rule CHAR_eqI)
  show "of_nat CHAR('a) = (0 :: 'a alg_closure)"
    by (metis of_nat_CHAR to_ac_0 to_ac_of_nat)
next
  show "CHAR('a) dvd n" if "of_nat n = (0 :: 'a alg_closure)" for n
    using that by (metis of_nat_eq_0_iff_char_dvd to_ac_eq_0_iff' to_ac_of_nat)
qed

instance alg_closure :: (field_char_0) field_char_0
proof
  show "inj (of_nat :: nat ⇒ 'a alg_closure)"
    by (metis injD inj_of_nat inj_on_def inj_to_ac to_ac_of_nat)
qed

bundle alg_closure_syntax
begin
  notation to_ac ("↑" [1000] 999)
  notation of_ac ("↓" [1000] 999)
end

bundle alg_closure_syntax'
begin
  notation (output) to_ac (" ")
  notation (output) of_ac (" ")
end

```

## 2.4 The algebraic closure is an algebraic extension

The algebraic closure is an algebraic extension, i.e. every element in it is a root of some non-zero polynomial in the base field.

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theorem alg_closure_algebraic:
  fixes x :: "'a :: field alg_closure"
  obtains p :: "'a poly" where "p ≠ 0" "poly (map_poly to_ac p) x = 0"
proof -
  define K where "K ≡ (ring_of_type_algebra :: 'a ring)"
  define L where "L ≡ field.alg_closure K"

  interpret K: field K
    unfolding K_def by rule

  interpret algebraic_closure L "range K.indexed_const"
  proof -
    have *: "carrier K = UNIV"
      by (auto simp: K_def ring_of_type_algebra_def)
    show "algebraic_closure L (range K.indexed_const)"
      unfolding * [symmetric] L_def by (rule K.alg_closureE)
  qed

  let ?K = "range K.indexed_const"
  have sr: "subring ?K L"
    by (rule subring_axioms)
  define x' where "x' = Rep_alg_closure x"
  have "x' ∈ carrier L"
    unfolding x'_def L_def K_def by (rule Rep_alg_closure)
  hence alg: "(algebraic over range K.indexed_const) x'"
    using algebraic_extension by blast
  then obtain p where p: "p ∈ carrier (?K[X]L)" "p ≠ []" "eval p x'
= 0L"
    using algebraicE[OF sr <x' ∈ carrier L> alg] by blast

  have [simp]: "Rep_alg_closure x ∈ carrier L" for x
    using Rep_alg_closure[of x] by (simp only: L_def K_def)
  have [simp]: "Abs_alg_closure x = 0 ↔ x = 0L" if "x ∈ carrier L"
  for x
    using that unfolding L_def K_def
    by (metis Abs_alg_closure_inverse zero_alg_closure.rep_eq zero_alg_closure_def)
  have [simp]: "Rep_alg_closure (x ^ n) = Rep_alg_closure x [^]L n"
    for x :: "'a alg_closure" and n
    by (induction n)
      (auto simp: one_alg_closure.rep_eq times_alg_closure.rep_eq m_comm
        simp flip: L_def K_def)
  have [simp]: "Rep_alg_closure (Abs_alg_closure x) = x" if "x ∈ carrier
L" for x
    using that unfolding L_def K_def by (rule Abs_alg_closure_inverse)
  have [simp]: "Rep_alg_closure x = 0L ↔ x = 0" for x

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    by (metis K_def L_def Rep_alg_closure_inverse zero_alg_closure.rep_eq)

define p' where "p' = Poly (map Abs_alg_closure (rev p))"
have "p' ≠ 0"
proof
  assume "p' = 0"
  then obtain n where n: "map Abs_alg_closure (rev p) = replicate n
0"
    by (auto simp: p'_def Poly_eq_0)
  with <p ≠ []> have "n > 0"
    by (auto intro!: Nat.gr0I)
  have "last (map Abs_alg_closure (rev p)) = 0"
    using <n > 0> by (subst n) auto
  moreover have "Polynomials.lead_coeff p ≠ 0_L" "Polynomials.lead_coeff
p ∈ carrier L"
    using p <p ≠ []> local.subset
    by (fastforce simp: polynomial_def univ_poly_def)+
  ultimately show False
    using <p ≠ []> by (auto simp: last_map last_rev)
qed

have "set p ⊆ carrier L"
  using local.subset p by (auto simp: univ_poly_def polynomial_def)
hence "cr_alg_closure (eval p x') (poly p' x)"
  unfolding p'_def
  by (induction p)
    (auto simp flip: K_def L_def simp: cr_alg_closure_def
      zero_alg_closure.rep_eq plus_alg_closure.rep_eq
      times_alg_closure.rep_eq Poly_append poly_monom
      a_comm m_comm x'_def)
hence "poly p' x = 0"
  using p by (auto simp: cr_alg_closure_def x'_def)

have coeff_p': "Polynomial.coeff p' i ∈ range to_ac" for i
proof (cases "i ≥ length p")
  case False
  have "Polynomial.coeff p' i = Abs_alg_closure (rev p ! i)"
    unfolding p'_def using False
    by (auto simp: nth_default_def)
  moreover have "rev p ! i ∈ ?K"
    using p(1) False by (auto simp: univ_poly_def polynomial_def rev_nth)
  ultimately show ?thesis
    unfolding to_ac.abs_eq K_def by fastforce
qed (auto simp: p'_def nth_default_def)

define p'' where "p'' = map_poly of_ac p'"
have p'_eq: "p' = map_poly to_ac p''"
  by (rule poly_eqI) (auto simp: coeff_map_poly p''_def to_ac_of_ac[OF

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coeff_p'])

interpret to_ac: map_poly_inj_comm_ring_hom "to_ac :: 'a ⇒ 'a alg_closure"
  by unfold_locales auto

show ?thesis
proof (rule that)
  show "p' ≠ 0"
    using <p' ≠ 0> by (auto simp: p'_eq)
next
  show "poly (map_poly to_ac p') x = 0"
    using <poly p' x = 0> by (simp add: p'_eq)
qed
qed

instantiation alg_closure :: (field)
  "{unique_euclidean_ring, normalization_euclidean_semiring, normalization_semidom_multipli
begin

definition [simp]: "normalize_alg_closure = (normalize_field :: 'a alg_closure
⇒ _)"
definition [simp]: "unit_factor_alg_closure = (unit_factor_field :: 'a
alg_closure ⇒ _)"
definition [simp]: "modulo_alg_closure = (mod_field :: 'a alg_closure ⇒
_)"
definition [simp]: "euclidean_size_alg_closure = (euclidean_size_field
:: 'a alg_closure ⇒ _)"
definition [simp]: "division_segment (x :: 'a alg_closure) = 1"

instance
  by standard
  (simp_all add: dvd_field_iff field_split_simps split: if_splits)

end

instantiation alg_closure :: (field) euclidean_ring_gcd
begin

definition gcd_alg_closure :: "'a alg_closure ⇒ 'a alg_closure ⇒ 'a alg_closure"
where
  "gcd_alg_closure = Euclidean_Algorithm.gcd"
definition lcm_alg_closure :: "'a alg_closure ⇒ 'a alg_closure ⇒ 'a alg_closure"
where
  "lcm_alg_closure = Euclidean_Algorithm.lcm"
definition Gcd_alg_closure :: "'a alg_closure set ⇒ 'a alg_closure" where
  "Gcd_alg_closure = Euclidean_Algorithm.Gcd"
definition Lcm_alg_closure :: "'a alg_closure set ⇒ 'a alg_closure" where
  "Lcm_alg_closure = Euclidean_Algorithm.Lcm"

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instance by standard (simp_all add: gcd_alg_closure_def lcm_alg_closure_def
Gcd_alg_closure_def Lcm_alg_closure_def)
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end
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```
instance alg_closure :: (field) semiring_gcd_mult_normalize
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..
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end
```

## 2.5 Alternative definition of perfect fields

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theory Perfect_Field_Altdef
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imports
```

```
  Algebraic_Closure_Type
```

```
  Perfect_Fields
```

```
  Perfect_Field_Algebraically_Closed
```

```
  "HOL-Computational_Algebra.Field_as_Ring"
```

```
begin
```

```
instance poly :: ("{field, normalization_euclidean_semiring, factorial_ring_gcd,
semiring_gcd_mult_normalize}") factorial_semiring_multiplicative
```

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..
```

In the following, we will show that our definition of perfect fields is equivalent to the usual textbook one (for example [1]). That is: a field in which every irreducible polynomial is separable (or, equivalently, has non-zero derivative) either has characteristic 0 or a surjective Frobenius endomorphism.

The proof works like this:

Let's call our field  $K$  with prime characteristic  $p$ . Suppose there were some  $c \in K$  that is not a  $p$ -th root. The polynomial  $P := X^p - c$  in  $K[X]$  clearly has a zero derivative and is therefore not separable. By our assumption, it must then have a monic non-trivial factor  $Q \in K[X]$ .

Let  $L$  be some field extension of  $K$  where  $c$  does have a  $p$ -th root  $\alpha$  (in our case, we choose  $L$  to be the algebraic closure of  $K$ ).

Clearly,  $Q$  is also a non-trivial factor of  $P$  in  $L$ . However, we also have  $P = X^p - c = X^p - \alpha^p = (X - \alpha)^p$ , so we must have  $Q = (X - \alpha)^m$  for some  $0 \leq m < p$  since  $X - \alpha$  is prime.

However, the coefficient of  $X^{m-1}$  in  $(X - \alpha)^m$  is  $-m\alpha$ , and since  $Q \in K[X]$  we must have  $-m\alpha \in K$  and therefore  $\alpha \in K$ .

```
theorem perfect_field_alt:
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  assumes " $\bigwedge p :: 'a :: field\_gcd\_poly. Factorial\_Ring.irreducible p \implies pderiv p \neq 0$ "
```

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  shows "CHAR('a) = 0  $\vee$  surj (frob :: 'a  $\Rightarrow$  'a)"
```

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proof (cases "CHAR('a) = 0")
  case False
  let ?p = "CHAR('a)"
  from False have "Factorial_Ring.prime ?p"
    by (simp add: prime_CHAR_semidom)
  hence "?p > 1"
    using prime_gt_1_nat by blast
  note p = <Factorial_Ring.prime ?p> <?p > 1>

interpret to_ac: map_poly_inj_comm_ring_hom "to_ac :: 'a ⇒ 'a alg_closure"
  by unfold_locales auto

have "surj (frob :: 'a ⇒ 'a)"
proof safe
  fix c :: 'a
  obtain α :: "'a alg_closure" where α: "α ^ ?p = to_ac c"
    using p nth_root_exists[of ?p "to_ac c"] by auto
  define P where "P = Polynomial.monom 1 ?p + [:-c:]"
  define P' where "P' = map_poly to_ac P"
  have deg: "Polynomial.degree P = ?p"
    unfolding P_def using p by (subst degree_add_eq_left) (auto simp:
degree_monom_eq)

  have "[: -α, 1:] ^ ?p = ([:0, 1:] + [:-α:]) ^ ?p"
    by (simp add: one_pCons)
  also have "... = [:0, 1:] ^ ?p - [:-α^?p:]"
    using p by (subst freshmans_dream) (auto simp: poly_const_pow minus_power_prime_CHAR)
  also have "α ^ ?p = to_ac c"
    by (simp add: α)
  also have "[:0, 1:] ^ CHAR('a) - [:-α^?p:] = P'"
    by (simp add: P_def P'_def to_ac.hom_add to_ac.hom_power
to_ac.base.map_poly_pCons_hom monom_altdef)
  finally have eq: "P' = [:-α, 1:] ^ ?p" ..

  have "¬is_unit P" "P ≠ 0"
    using deg p by auto
  then obtain Q where Q: "Factorial_Ring.prime Q" "Q dvd P"
    by (metis prime_divisor_exists)
  have "monic Q"
    using unit_factor_prime[OF Q(1)] by (auto simp: unit_factor_poly_def
one_pCons)

  from Q(2) have "map_poly to_ac Q dvd P'"
    by (auto simp: P'_def)
  hence "map_poly to_ac Q dvd [:-α, 1:] ^ ?p"
    by (simp add: <P' = [:-α, 1:] ^ ?p>)
  moreover have "Factorial_Ring.prime_elem [:-α, 1:]"
    by (intro prime_elem_linear_field_poly) auto
  hence "Factorial_Ring.prime [:-α, 1:]"

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```

    unfolding Factorial_Ring.prime_def by (auto simp: normalize_monic)
    ultimately obtain m where "m ≤ ?p" "normalize (map_poly to_ac Q)
= [:-α, 1:] ^ m"
    using divides_primepow by blast
    hence "map_poly to_ac Q = [:-α, 1:] ^ m"
    using <monic Q> by (subst (asm) normalize_monic) auto
    moreover from this have "m > 0"
    using Q by (intro Nat.grOI) auto
    moreover have "m ≠ ?p"
    proof
    assume "m = ?p"
    hence "Q = P"
    using <map_poly to_ac Q = [:-α, 1:] ^ m> eq
    by (simp add: P'_def to_ac.injectivity)
    with Q have "Factorial_Ring.irreducible P"
    using idom_class.prime_elem_imp_irreducible by blast
    with assms have "pderiv P ≠ 0"
    by blast
    thus False
    by (auto simp: P_def pderiv_add pderiv_monom of_nat_eq_0_iff_char_dvd)
    qed
    ultimately have m: "m ∈ {0<..

```

```

  shows "CHAR('a) = 0  $\vee$  surj (frob :: 'a  $\Rightarrow$  'a)"
proof (rule perfect_field_alt)
  fix p :: "'a poly"
  assume p: "Factorial_Ring.irreducible p"
  with assms[OF p] show "pderiv p  $\neq$  0"
    by auto
qed
end

```

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