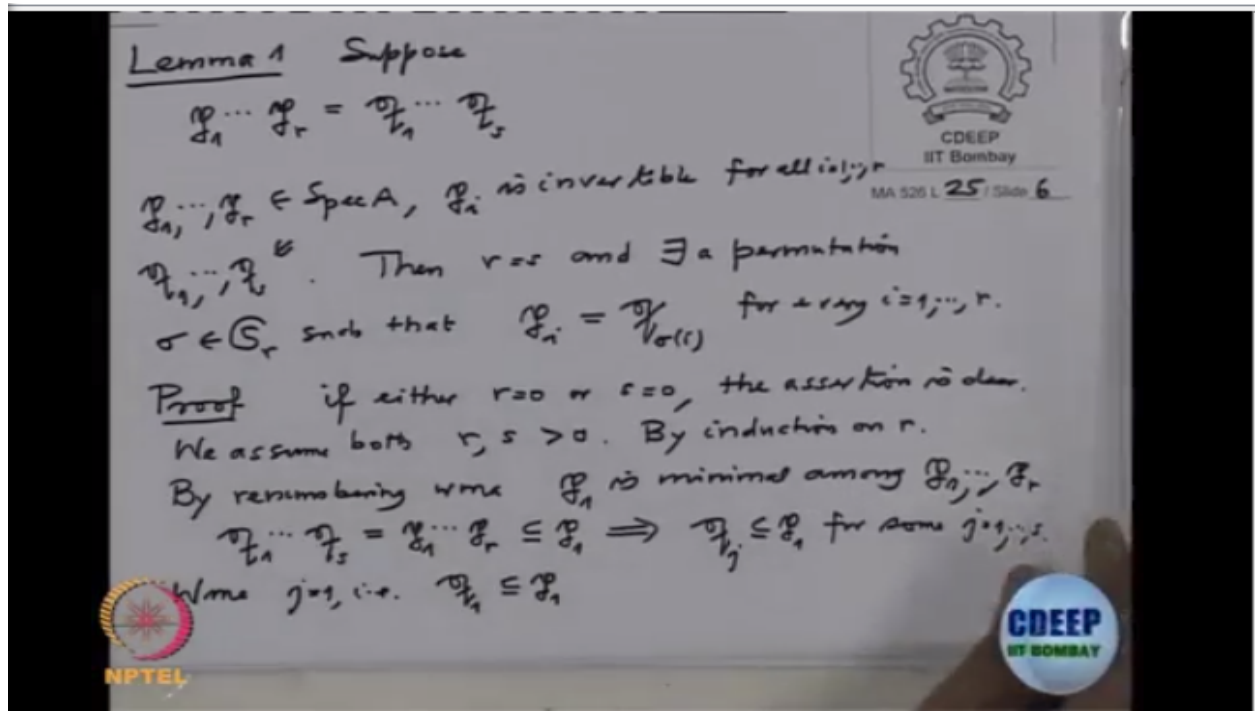


Lecture - 60
Dadekind Domains
and Prime factorization of Ideals.

Okay. Okay, the first lemma, so lemma one. Okay. So, suppose I have two decompositions. Suppose, p_1 to p_r , these are prime ideals. And that is also equal to product q_1 to q_s , where p_1 to p_r are prime ideals and A is a domain always. And q_1 to q_s are also prime ideals. Assume that, I'm only assuming that p_i are invertible. p_i is invertible for all i one to r . I'm not assuming q_i are invertible. Then, r equal to s , and up to permutation this r same. And there exist a permutation σ of r letters [2:12 inaudible] σ such that p_i equal to $q_{\sigma(i)}$ for every i for every guy. This means they are unique up to permutation. So, proof. So, if r equal to zero, if either r equal to zero or s equal to zero, the assertion is clear. Right? If r equal to zero, the empty product is the whole ring. And if s equal to zero, this is the whole ring. So the assertion is clear in this case. So, I can assume both, we assume both r and s are positive. And I'm going to prove the assertion by induction on r . by induction on r . Okay. So, we have this finitely many prime ideals, all of them are invertible. And among them I will assume p_1 is minimal among them. So, we may assume by re-numbering, we may assume p_1 is minimal among p_1 to p_r . Now look at the product q_1 to q_s , this is same as p_1 to p_r , and this is obviously, contain in p_1 . So this product of ideal is containing the prime ideal. Therefore, one of them is contain there. So q_j will be contain in p_1 for some j in one to s . So by permuting q_j s, I will assume j equal to one. So, we may assume j equal to one, that is, we are assuming q_1 is contain in p_1 .

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Now, do the other way. Now look at the product p_1 to p_r which is q_1 to q_s , which is contain in q_1 , and this q_1 is prime, therefore, one of them has to be contain in q_1 . So, there exists p_i contained in q_1 . But this q_1 was contained in p_1 . So this p_i contain in p_1 , therefore i has to be, by minimality i has to be one. So by minimality of p_1 , i is one, and then all these are equal. And q_1 equal to p_1 . So we have proved one of them equal. Now cancel, for cancellation you need invertibility. But we have given p_1 is invertible, and the other side is q_1 , which is also p_1 . So, it's invertible, so you can cancel it. And then, so by multiplying p_1 inverse on both sides, we get p_2 , p_r equal to q_2 , q_s . And then, by induction... So, assertion follows now by induction,

that was on r . Let me remind you, this proof is very similar. You remember, when you were writing your r prime decomposition of numbers, you were writing them in this order, $p_1 \leq p_2$ and so on, p_r and then we were inducting on the number of vectors. So this is the same proof.

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$$p_1 \dots p_r = p_{i_1} \dots p_{i_s} \subseteq p_{i_1} \implies$$

$$p_{i_1} \subseteq p_{i_1} \subseteq p_{i_1} \implies \text{By minimality of } p_{i_1}$$

$$(i=1 \text{ and } p_{i_1} = p_1)$$

$$\text{By multiplying } p_{i_1}^{-1} \text{ on both sides, we get}$$

$$p_2 \dots p_r = p_{i_2} \dots p_{i_s}$$

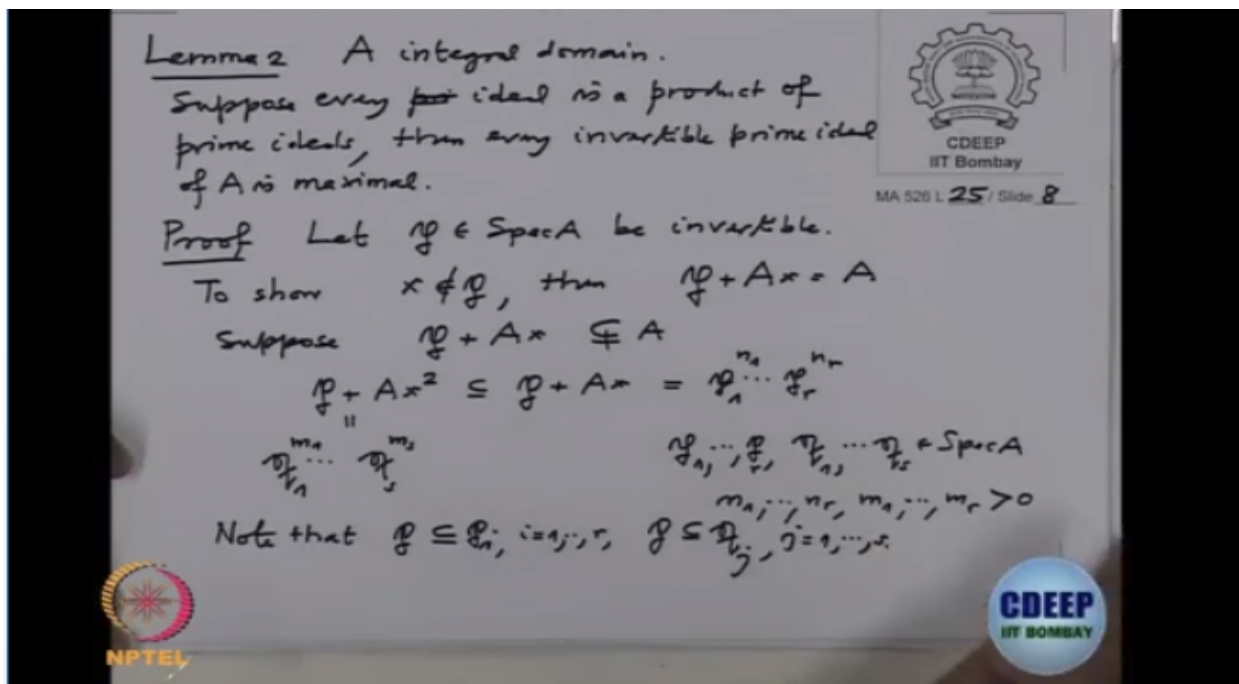
$$\implies \text{assertion follows now by induction (on } r)$$

$$p_1 \leq p_2 \leq \dots \leq p_r$$

Okay. So, this was lemma one. And lemma two also, we'll need, we'll need two lemmas. They are all simple of this type. So, lemma two. Now, again, we are assuming an integral domain, A integral domain. And in the above lemma also, we didn't even assume A is [8:45 inaudible]. Suppose, every prime ideal, every ideal is a product of prime ideals. Remember, this earlier lemma is a preparation for proving it uniqueness. And this one will be preparation for proving its existence. The existence of the product. Then every invertible prime of A is maximal. So what is the lemma? Suppose, every ideal is a product of prime ideals, then every invertible prime ideal has to be maximal. Proof. So, let p be an invertible prime ideal, p in this be invertible. Remember, invertible means, a times a colon p should be equal to [10:26 inaudible] now, I want to prove p is maximal. Okay. So, p is maximal, how do you show p is maximal? So that means, to show that, if I take an element outside p , then p plus ideal generated by x , this should be the whole ring. So that will mean, p is maximal, you know, bigger ideal than p . okay. So, suppose, we want to show this. So suppose it is not true, then we should look for a contradiction. So suppose p plus ax , this is a proper ideal.

Then we should look for a contradiction. Okay. So, look at that p plus ax square, this is contained in p plus ax . So, if this is proper, these are also proper. And so both these ideals are by assumption all ideals are product of prime ideal. So, both these ideals are product of prime ideals. So, this for example, this will be, let's say this is $p_1 \dots p_n$, $q_1 \dots q_s$. And this one will be $q_1 \dots q_m$, $q_{s+1} \dots q_r$. And this p_1 to p_n are prime ideals, q_1 to q_s are also prime ideals. And this n to n_r , m to m_s , they are positive. Only those we write there. So what does this show? This shows, you see p is contained in this and p is also contained in this. So p is contained in all these guys. Note that p is contained in all p_i , i is from one to r , and also p is contained in q_j , where j is one to s .

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So I want to go mod that p . So we are replacing A by A bar which is A by p , and then this pA is here, they'll get replaced by p_i bar which is p_i by p . And this q_j will get replaced by q_j bars, which is q_j by p . Alright. And element will get replaced by x bar under this map. So, therefore, the ideal p plus ax , that will get replaced by a bar x bar, because p will go to zero. Similarly, p plus ax square, that will get replaced by a bar x bar square. And then we will have equations like this, this is p_1 bar n_1 , p_r bar n_r . And this will be q_1 bar m_1 , q_s bar m_s . Alright. But why did we do this? That is because this ideal is a square of this ideal. See, that was not the case in earlier. So, therefore, from here, from this decomposition, this is a square of that ideal. So, this is same as p_1 bar two n_1 , p_r bar two n_r . This is what we know. Now here, what? This ideal, ax is a principle ideal in a domain, therefore, they are invertible. And if the product is invertible, factor is invertible. If a product is invertible, a factor is invertible. That's obvious. So, therefore, all these p_i bars are invertible. And therefore, by earlier result what we proved, if you have such a decomposition, all these guys are invertible, then up to a permutation, first of all, this number equal to this number, r equal to s . R equal to s . Now, by lemma, now by lemma one, r equal to

s, \bar{p}_i equal to q_i I will write, \bar{q}_i . I have sought that permuted ration in that. And also the numbers are same. And two n_i equal to m_i . So that, first of all, we'll say that \bar{p}_i equal to q_i . So, this shows \bar{p}_i equal to q_i . And what do we get? And when p , this is contained in p plus Ax square which is q one m one, $q_r m_r$, which is also same as p one two n one, p_r two n_r . But this one, the last one is same as, this is contained in, this is equal to first, p plus Ax square because this \bar{p}_s are q_s . So I will replace now p one by q one, and then will be two. And then put it back here. So this is p plus Ax whole square. But that is contained in p ... Oh, this is contained in p square plus Ax . So what did we achieve? So pA , this contained in p square x . So, that means any y in p , so y in p , y is here. So, it is here. That means, any y in p , we can write it as z plus Ax , where z is in p square and a is in A for any y . We can write like this. But y is in p , z is in p square, so z is in p , therefore Ax is in p . So that will imply, and x , what was x ? x is not [19:30 inaudible]. Remember, x is not [19:32 inaudible] and we wanted to prove this. So, from here, we get a belong to p since x is not in p . So we got a is in p . But once we get A is in p , then what did we get? That means, any y , we can write it as somebody is in p square and somebody is in p here. So, that means, we proved that, so that implies p is contained in p square plus Ax which is contained in p because we started with this and then that coefficient is in p , therefore, this part will be in p . so, therefore, equality here, so that shows that p equal to p square plus pA which is p times p plus ax . But now multiply by p inverse because we are assuming is invertible. So if you multiply by p inverse, what do we get? If you multiply this by p inverse, then this will become the ring A , this will go, and this will become the ring A .

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$A \longrightarrow \bar{A} = A/p$
 $\bar{p}_i \longrightarrow \bar{p}_i = p_i/p$
 $\bar{p}_{ij} \longrightarrow \bar{p}_{ij} = p_{ij}/p$
 $x \longrightarrow \bar{x}$
 $p + Ax \longrightarrow \bar{A}\bar{x} = \frac{p_1^{n_1} \dots p_r^{n_r}}{p_1^{m_1} \dots p_r^{m_2}} = \frac{p_1^{2n_1} \dots p_r^{2n_r}}{p_1^{2m_1} \dots p_r^{2m_2}}$
 $p + Ax^2 \longrightarrow \bar{A}\bar{x}^2 = \frac{p_1^{2n_1} \dots p_r^{2n_r}}{p_1^{2m_1} \dots p_r^{2m_2}} = \frac{p_1^{2n_1} \dots p_r^{2n_r}}{p_1^{2m_1} \dots p_r^{2m_2}}$
 Now, by lemma 1
 $r=s$ and $\frac{p_i^{n_i}}{p_i^{m_i}} = \frac{p_i^{2n_i}}{p_i^{2m_i}}$ and $2n_i = m_i$
 $\Rightarrow p_i = p_i$ and $p \leq p + Ax^2 = \frac{p_1^{m_1} \dots p_r^{m_r}}{p_1^{2n_1} \dots p_r^{2n_r}}$
 $\forall y \in p, y = z + Ax, z \in p^2, a \in A \quad p + Ax \geq (p + Ax)^2 = \frac{p_1^{2n_1} \dots p_r^{2n_r}}{p_1^{2m_1} \dots p_r^{2m_2}}$
 $\Rightarrow a \in p, \text{ since } x \notin p \Rightarrow p \leq p^2 + Ax \leq p \Rightarrow p = p^2 + pAx = p(A)$

So, by multiplying by p inverse, we get p inverse p which is A , the other side is equal to p inverse p and in p plus Ax , so which would be p plus Ax . So that's it.

That's what we wanted to show. Alright. So now one more only, and then we will be finish in two, three minutes. So, what did we prove here? Let us summarize. In this lemma we have proved that if every ideal is a product of prime ideals, then every invertible prime ideal is maximum, invertible prime ideal is maximum. And in the first lemma, we have proved that, if an ideal is product of prime ideals, two different decompositions in two prime ideals, and in one all prime ideals are invertible, then they are equal up to a permutation. This lemma says, assume, so A integral domain... All these proofs, even element in number theory proofs for integers. The main idea was converting product into the sum. That was the main idea. So, if A integral domain, and suppose every ideal is a product of prime ideals, then every non-zero prime ideal is invertible. Okay. So, proof. We want to prove that every non-zero prime ideal is invertible. And we have given that every ideal is a product of prime ideal. So, start with a non-zero prime ideal. I want to produce inverse for this. And we know what should the inverse be. So, choose x in p and x non-zero prime ideal, therefore, we can choose that. And, now look at the ideal Ax , this is product of prime ideals, $p_1 \dots p_r$, p_i primes. This is a principal ideal, so all these guys are invertible. Since A principal ideals are invertible, all the factors are invertible. But the product is, this is also contain in p , because x is contain in p . Therefore, one of them has to be contain in p . so, p_i has to be contain in p for some i . But p_i is invertible prime ideal. So earlier, lemma says, earlier lemma, assumption of every ideal is a product of prime ideals which here also, there is an assumption. And the earlier lemma says, if some prime ideal is invertible, then it has to be maximal. So this p_i is invertible prime ideal, so it's maximal. This is maximal by lemma two. Therefore, this p_i has to be p , p_i is p . And therefore, p is invertible. So, p is invertible.

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By multiplying by \bar{P}^{-1} we get

$$A = \bar{P}^{-1} \cdot P = \bar{P}^{-1} P (P + Ax) = P + Ax.$$

Lemma 3 A integral domain. Suppose every ideal is a product of prime ideals. Then every $\neq 0$ prime ideal is invertible.

Proof $0 \neq P \in \text{Spec } A$, choose $x \in P$, $x \neq 0$

$$P \supseteq Ax = P_1 \cdots P_n, \quad P_i \in \text{Spec } A$$

Since Ax is invertible, all P_i are invertible

$$\Rightarrow P_i \subseteq P \text{ for some } i \Rightarrow P_i = P, \text{ so } P \text{ is invertible}$$

↑ maximal by Lemma 2



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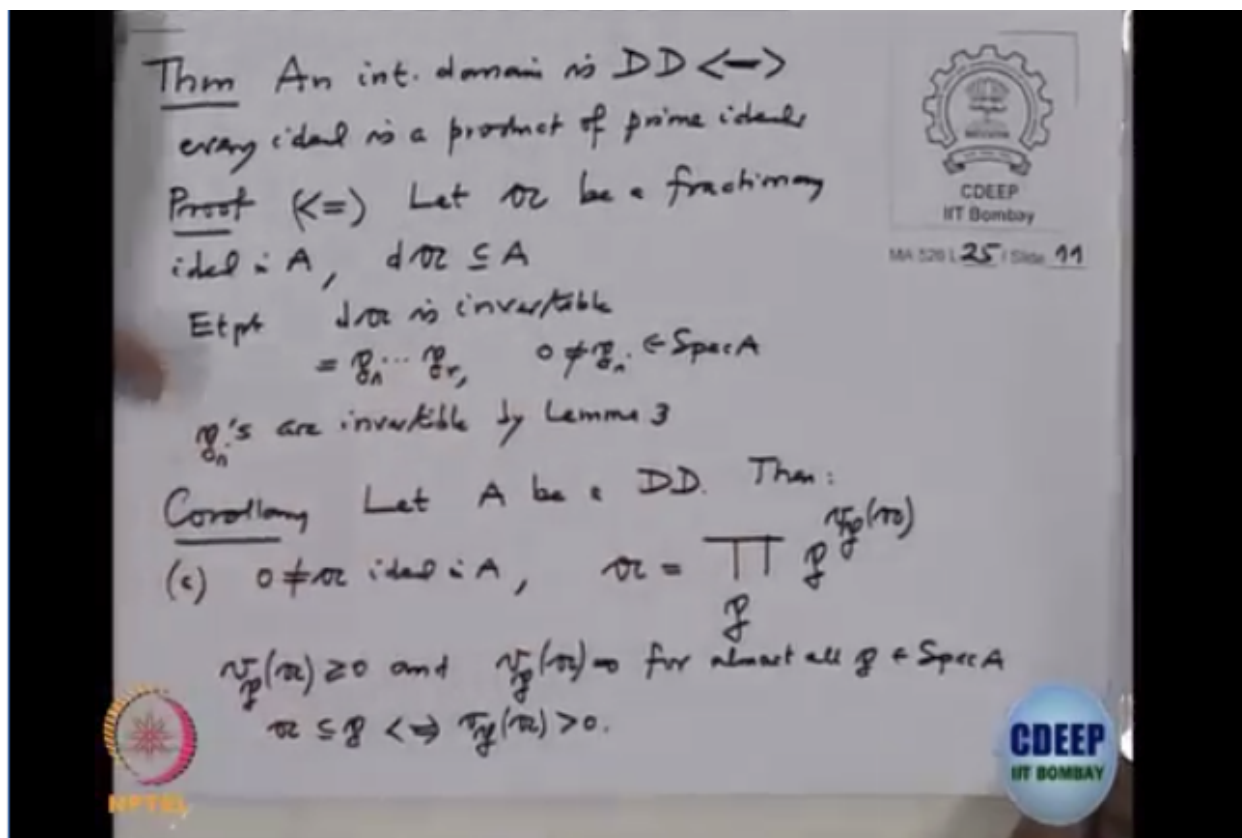
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Now, we are ready to prove. So what do we want to prove? So, Dedekind domain, so the theorem we wanted to prove was, an integral domain is DD if and only if every ideal is a product of prime ideals. So, proof. So, only one way we have to prove, this way, the other way we already proved, so we want to prove this way. Alright. Suppose, every ideal is a product of prime ideal, then I want to prove A is Dedekind domain. That means, I want to prove that A is noetherian of dimension less equal to one. What do we want to prove? I want to prove that normal of dimension less equal to one. Alright. So, let a be a fractioning ideal, I will prove that fractioning ideals are invertible. I will prove one of the equivalent distance of the earlier. So, every fractioning ideal is invertible. So, let d be a common denominator, d times A contain in A . so, to prove A is invertible, I will prove d is invertible. So, enough to prove d times A is invertible. But it's a integral ideal, so it's a product of prime ideals. So, this is a product of non-zero prime ideals, p_1 to p_r , where zero is not equal to p_i , all these are prime ideals. But non-zero prime ideals are invertible. That is what it shows. If every ideal is a product of prime ideals, under this assumption, lemma three says that every non-zero prime ideal is invertible. So, therefore, all these p_i 's are invertible by lemma three. Therefore, product is invertible. Therefore, d is invertible, therefore A is invertible. So, therefore, we are done. So let me write the corollary. So, let A be Dedekind domain, then part (a) If I have a non-zero ideal, zero not equal to a ideal in A , then we can write this as, a , we can write it as product, product is running over p , p power $v_p a$. And this $v_p a$ is non-negative and $v_p a$ equal to zero for almost all p . So that, indeed this product is finite product, because only finitely many are non-zero. So, prime ideal p occurs in this if and only if that v_p is

positive. So, a contain in p if and only if v_pa is positive. So that is the prime decomposition.

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And that is the part a. So this is a existence. Actually, this we can do it for the fractioning ideal also. So I will not write it. This we can do it for the fractioning ideals also, like you do it fir integers and for the rational numbers know where you allow this to be not only non-negative but allow them to be negative also. Okay. So, two more comments I will make here. So, here, I would like you to check that, so let me write in the exercise form. (1) So A integral domain. If A is... Assume it is VFD, integral domain VFD. Then, A is DD if and only if A is a PID. So, once you assume it is UFD, then it is PID. (2) Also, if a DD which is semi-local, semi-local means the maximal ideals, this is a finite set, only finitely many maximal ideals and Dadekind domain, then A is a PID. It is always interesting to know when Dadekind domain is a principle ideal domain because this is again, come from the fact that you want to know when the integral closure of z in a number field when it is a PID. When it is a UFD, but then it's Dadekind domain and UFD, then it's PID. So, it's always interesting to know when is the Dadekind domain PID. Okay, third one. Third one is little bit more general. This is true for any UFD[33:49 inaudible]. So, A is UFD and it has a finitely many prime elements, with p, let us denote P_A, this is the set of all prime elements in A. And strictly speaking, I should write that this is the set of all representatives for prime elements up to associate. Take the relation associate, and in that set, you collect the representatives of the prime elements. So, suppose this P_A is a finite set, then A is a PID. In fact, it will be dedicated, in fact an ED, more stronger. I will give a hint for this. So, they are finitely many prime elements, so they are finitely many v_p's. Take v_p's which p is in this p. P is in p. So, they are finitely many of this. So look at this function v_p, v_p, p in p, so that this is equivalent function. Where did you do that? If an ideal if invertible and it's product of prime ideal, if somebody is invertible, then all factors in that will also be invertible know. Factors. See, suppose six is invertible,

then is an two invertible? Because you multiply by inverse of this and only you take the guy you wanted to be invertible and collect.