

1. (5 points) G is a group. H is a subgroup of G and N is a normal subgroup of G . H acts on G/N by left multiplication, i.e., for any $h \in H$, $gN \in G/N$,

$$h.gN = (hg)N$$

Prove that the above action is transitive if and only if $G = HN$.

2. M_2 is the group of isometries on \mathbb{R}^2 . Let H be the subset of M_2 consisting of all translations and all rotations (around any point).
- (i). (5 points) Prove that H is a subgroup of M_2
- (ii). (5 points) If T is the group of translations on \mathbb{R}^2 and R is the group of rotations around origin on \mathbb{R}^2 , prove that $M_2 = T \rtimes R$.
- (iii). (5 points) What is $[M_2 : H]$, the index of H in M_2 ? Prove your answer.
3. (5 points) G is a group. $Z(G) = \{g \in G \mid \forall x \in G, gx = xg\}$. If $[G : Z(G)] = k$, prove that each conjugacy class of G has at most k elements.
4. (5 points) G is a finite group, p is a prime and p divides $|G|$. N is a normal subgroup of G and P is a Sylow p -subgroup of G . Prove that PN/N is a Sylow p -subgroup of G/N .
5. (5 points) Let \mathbb{Z} be the group of integers with addition as composition.
- $G = \mathbb{Z} \times \mathbb{Z} \times \mathbb{Z}$. $\phi : A_3 \longrightarrow \text{Aut}(G)$ is the homomorphism defined by

$$\phi_\sigma : G \longrightarrow G$$

$$(a_1, a_2, a_3) \mapsto (a_{\sigma(1)}, a_{\sigma(2)}, a_{\sigma(3)})$$

Find all the elements of finite order in $G \rtimes_\phi A_3$.

6. (5 points) Let $I = (x^2 + 2) \subseteq \mathbb{R}[x]$. Find the multiplicative inverse of

$$2x + 1 + I \in \mathbb{R}[x]/I$$

7. (5 points) R is a ring. Prove that $I = (x)$ is a maximal ideal of $R[x]$ if and only if R is a field.
8. (5 points) Classify groups of order 45 up to isomorphism.