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Synonym notations in algebra

- [G:H], http://planetmath.org/Cosetindex of a subgroup H in the group G
- $H \triangleleft G$ , H is a normal subgroup of G
- G/H, quotient group of G with respect to the normal subgroup H
- R/I or R-I, quotient ring or difference ring of R with respect to the ideal I
- Z(G), center of the group G
- R[G], group ring of the group G over the ring R
- $R[\alpha]$ , ring adjunction
- $K(\alpha)$ , field adjunction
- $S^{-1}R$ , localization of the ring R at S
- $R_{\mathfrak{p}}$ , localization of the ring R at the complement of the prime ideal  $\mathfrak{p}$
- $(R, \mathfrak{m})$ , local ring R with its maximal ideal  $\mathfrak{m}$
- $_RM$ , a left http://planetmath.org/ModuleR-module M
- $M_R$ , a right http://planetmath.org/Module R-module M
- K/k, field extension where K is an extension field of k
- [K:k], http://planetmath.org/ExtensionFielddegree of the field extension K/k
- $\overline{K}$ , algebraic closure of a field K
- $R\alpha_1+...+R\alpha_n$  or  $\langle \alpha_1, ..., \alpha_n \rangle$ , left ideal of the ring R http://planetmath.org/IdealGeneral by  $\alpha_1, ..., \alpha_n$
- $A_1\cong A_2$ , http://planetmath.org/Isomorphismisomorphism between the http://planetmath.org/AlgebraicSystemsystems  $A_1$  and  $A_2$