

## Cosets

$$a, b \in H_a, a+b \in H_b \notin H_a$$

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H odd      even He

not subgroup      subgroup

odd number a       $a + He = \text{Na Ca}$   
Subsets

Subset.

Definition: Let  $X$  be a set. An equivalence relation  $\sim$  is

a relation on  $X$ , which is

1) reflexive. For every  $x \in X$ ,  $x \sim x$ .

2) Symmetric  $\forall x \in X$ ,  $\exists y \text{ then } y \in X$

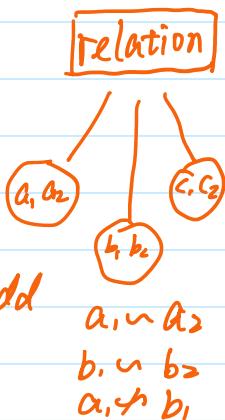
3) transitive  $\forall x, y, z \in X, x \sim y, y \sim z \text{ then } x \sim z.$

Example.  $x \approx y$  iff  $x$  is odd,  $y$  is odd

i) reflexive.  $x \sim x$   $x$  is odd

2) Symmetric  $\exists x, y$   $x, y$  are odd.

3). transitive.  $x \sim y$ .  $y \sim z$ .  $x$ ,  $y$ ,  $z$  are odd



$x \sim y$  iff  $x = y$

1) xux ✓ ✓ ✓

2)  $x_n y, y_n x$  ✓

$$3) \quad x \sim y, \quad y \sim z \Rightarrow x \sim z \quad \checkmark$$

$x \sim y$  iff  $x, y$  have the same colour ✓ \*

1)  $\overline{w} \sim x$

$x \sim y$  if  $x, y$  same colour.  $y \sim x$  ✓

- 2)  $x \sim y$  if  $x, y$  same colour.  $y \sim x$  ✓  
 3)  $x \sim y, y \sim z$ .  $x \sim z$  ✓

$$x \sim y \text{ iff } x \geq y$$

1)  $x \sim x$   $x \geq x$  ✓  
 2)  $x \sim y \Leftrightarrow x \geq y \quad y \geq x$   $\begin{matrix} 16 \\ 8 \end{matrix} \quad \begin{matrix} 8 \\ 16 \end{matrix}$   $x \geq z \quad \begin{matrix} x \geq y \\ y \geq z \end{matrix} \quad \text{✓}$

3)  $x \sim y, y \sim z \Leftrightarrow x \geq y, y \geq z \quad x \sim z \quad x \geq z \quad \text{✓}$

Lemma:  $G$  be a group.  $H$  be a subgroup  $\sim$  be a relation in  $G$ .  $a, b \in G$ .

$$a \sim b \text{ iff } \underline{\underline{b^{-1}a \in H}}$$

$\sim$  is an equivalence relation.

$$(ab)^{-1} = b^{-1}a^{-1} \quad \checkmark$$

1) reflexive.  $a \sim a \quad a^{-1} \cdot a = e \in H$

2) Symmetry.  $a, b \in G. \quad a \sim b \quad b^{-1}a \in H$   
 $H$  is closed under taking inverses.

$$\frac{(b^{-1}a)^{-1} \in H}{a^{-1}b \in H} \rightarrow b \sim a$$

3) transitive.  $a \sim b \quad b^{-1}a \in H$   
 $b \sim c \quad c^{-1}b \in H$   
 $H$  is closed under multiplication.

$$(c^{-1}b) \cdot (b^{-1}a) = c^{-1}a \in H \Rightarrow a \sim c \quad \square$$

Definition: Let  $\sim$  be an equivalence relation on a set  $X$ .  
 Let  $a \in X$  be an element of  $X$

The equivalence class of  $a$  is  $[a] = \{b \in X \mid b \sim a\}$ .

Example:  $x \sim y$  iff  $x = y$

$$0 \in [0] \quad 1 \in [1] \quad \dots$$

$x \sim y$  iff  $x, y$  have the same colour. clothes

$$\Rightarrow [white] \quad \Rightarrow [red] \quad \Rightarrow [yellow] \quad \dots$$

Definition: Let  $X$  be a set. A partition  $P$  of  $X$  is a collection of  $\xrightarrow{\text{equivalence classes}}$  subsets  $A_i, i \in I$  such that :

- 1)  $\bigcup_{i \in I} A_i = X$ . ✓ }  
 2)  $A_i \cap A_j = \emptyset$  if  $i \neq j$ . . }

Lemma: Given an equivalence relation  $\sim$  in  $X$ , there is a unique partition of  $X$ .

$\Rightarrow$  The elements of partition are the equivalence classes of  $\sim$ .  
 $\xrightarrow{[a], [b], \dots}$  vice-versa.

$\Rightarrow$  the data of an equivalence relation  $\xleftarrow{=} \xrightarrow{=}$  the data of partition.

Proof: Suppose  $\sim$  is an equivalence relation.

1)  $x \in [x]$

The equivalence classes cover  $X$ .

$$\begin{aligned} x \in & \text{ even equivalence classes} \\ 0 &= [0] \\ 2 &= [2] \\ 4 &= [4] \end{aligned}$$

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[if  $x \sim y$  then  $[x] = [y]$ ]

$\underbrace{y \sim x}_*$

need:

$$[x] \subset [y]$$

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$$\Rightarrow [x] = [y] \quad \textcircled{1}$$

Suppose  $a \in [x]$        $a \sim x$        $x \sim y$        $a \in [y]$ .  
 transtivity       $a \sim y$ .      definition e. classes

Suppose  $x \in X$ ,  $y \in X$        $z \in [x] \cap [y]$

$$\begin{array}{l} z \in [x] \quad z \sim x \\ z \in [y] \quad z \sim y \end{array} \quad \left\{ \begin{array}{l} [z] = [x] = [y] \\ [z] = [x], [z] = [y] \end{array} \right.$$

if two equivalence classes overlap, then they coincide we have a partition.



Suppose we have  $P = \{A_i | i \in I\}$

Define a relation  $\sim$  on  $X$

$x \sim y$  iff  $x \in A_i$  and  $y \in A_j$ .  $i$  is same

then prove it is indeed equivalence relation.

$$1) x \sim x \quad x \in A_i \text{ and } x \in A_i$$

$$2) x \sim y, y \sim x \quad x \in A_i, y \in A_j$$

$$3) x \sim y, y \sim z \quad x \in A_i, y \in A_j, z \in A_k$$

$$x \sim z$$

□

Example: Let  $X$  be the set of integers.

$x \sim y$  iff  $x - y$  is even.\*

[odd]    [even]

$0 \in [0]$      $1 \in [1]$      $2 \in [2]$      $3 \in [3]$      $4 \in [4]$  ...  
 1 - odd                  2 - even                  3 - odd

$$\begin{array}{ccccc}
 0 \in [0] & 1 \in [1] & 2 \in [2] & 3 \in [3] & 4 \in [4] \\
 (-0) \text{ odd} & & 2-0 \text{ even} & 3-0 \text{ odd} & \\
 & & 2 \in [0] & 3-1 \text{ even} & \\
 & & 2-1 \text{ odd} & &
 \end{array}$$

Subgroup  $n\mathbb{Z} := \{ \underbrace{an}_5 \mid a \in \mathbb{Z} \}$

multiplication:  $an + bn = (a+b)n \in n\mathbb{Z}$

inverses:  $-(an) = (-a)n \in n\mathbb{Z}$

$a \sim b$  iff  $a-b \in n\mathbb{Z}$  general case.

$$[0], [1], \dots, [n-1].$$

$\uparrow$   
 $n=5.$

$$1, 6, 11, 16$$

$$6-1=5 \in n\mathbb{Z}$$

$$11-6=5 \in n\mathbb{Z}$$

$$11-1=10 \in n\mathbb{Z}$$

$$12-1=11 \notin n\mathbb{Z}$$

$$12 \in [2] \quad 12-2=10 \in n\mathbb{Z}.$$

Definition - Lemma: Let  $G$  be a group.  $H$  is a subgroup.  $\sim$  be an equivalence relation.

$$g \in G. \quad [g] = gH = \{ \underbrace{gh} \mid h \in H \}$$

$gH$  is called a left coset of  $H$ .

proof:  $\rightarrow$  right:  $Hg$ .

$$\text{Suppose } k \in [g] \quad \underset{k \in g}{k} \quad g^{-1}k \in H \text{ (from lemma)}$$

$$h = g^{-1}k \in H. \quad k = gh \in gH \quad [g] \subset gH.$$

$\leftarrow$  suppose  $k \in gH$   $k = gh$  for some  $h \in H$ .

$$\text{Example: } h = g^{-1} \cdot k \in H \text{ (from lemma)} \quad g \sim k$$

left cosets are

$$[0] = \{ an \mid a \in \mathbb{Z} \}$$

$\vdots \quad \vdots \quad \vdots \quad \vdots \quad \vdots$

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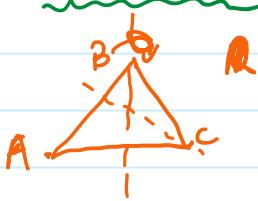
$$[0] = \{an \mid a \in \mathbb{Z}\}$$

$$[1] = \{an+1 \mid a \in \mathbb{Z}\}$$

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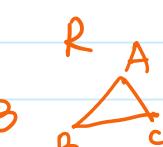
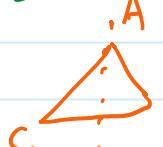
$$[n-1] = \{\underline{an-1} \mid a \in \mathbb{Z}\}$$

$$H = \{I, R, R^2\}$$



index: 2

$$G = \{I, R, R^2, F_1, F_2, F_3\} = [I] \cup [F_1]$$



$$R^2$$

$$[I] = I \cdot \{I, R, R^2\} = \{I, R, R^2\}$$

$$[F_1] = F_1 \cdot H = \{F_1, F_3, F_2\}$$

} partitions.  
} same size

$$H = \{I, F_1\}$$

$$: \text{index. } 3.$$

$$[I] = \{I, F_1\}$$

$$[R] = \{R, F_2\}$$

$$[R^2] = \{R^2, F_3\}$$

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Definition. Let  $G$  be a group and  $H$  be a subgroup

The index of  $H$  in  $G$   $[G:H]$  is the number of left cosets of  $H$  in  $G$ .

$G$ : infinite. ( $\mathbb{Z}$ ) index: (2) of even ~~no~~ number in  $G$ .

Theorem. (Lagrange's theorem). Let  $G$  be a group.

$$\underline{|H|} \underline{[G:H]} = \underline{|G|}$$

$G$  finite. the order of  $H$  divides the order of  $G$ .

proof:  $|G| = \bigcup_{i \in I} A_i$  union of its left cosets (disjoint)

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the cardinality of  $H$ .  $|G| = i \cdot |H| = |gH|$

Suppose  $gH$  is a left coset of  $H$  in  $G$

$$|G| = |H| [G:H]$$

define map  $A: H \rightarrow gH$

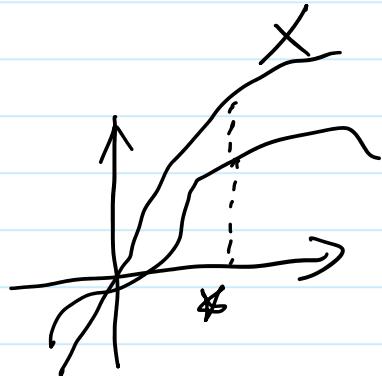
$$A(a) = ga.$$

define map  $B: gH \rightarrow H$

$$B(b) = g^{-1} \cdot b$$

well-defined

$$\begin{aligned} & (a \rightarrow ga) \quad A. \quad B \quad \checkmark \\ & a=b \rightarrow ga=gb \end{aligned}$$



$B$  is a inverse of  $A$ . identity map.

$$B \circ A: H \rightarrow H$$

$$B \circ A(\underline{\lambda}) = B(A(\underline{\lambda})) = B(g\underline{\lambda}) = g^{-1} \cdot g\underline{\lambda} = \underline{\lambda}$$

$$A \circ B: gH \rightarrow gH.$$

$$A \circ B(k) = A(B(\underline{k})) = A(g^{-1}\underline{k}) = g \cdot g^{-1}\underline{k} = \underline{k}$$

$A, B$  bijection.  $|H| = |gH|$

□

(3).

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