

Group Action 9

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First isomorphism theorem.

Group action.

$$(a+b)+c = a+(b+c)$$

$\mathbb{Z} = \{-\dots, -2, -1, 0, 1, 2, \dots\}$ + identity. 0
inverse. $a+(-a)=0$
abelian. $a+b=b+a$.

$\{ -2, -1 \} \times$ identity. $\{ -1, 0 \} \times$ identity. $\{ -1, 0, 1 \}$ subgroup (normal)

$n\mathbb{Z}$ $n \in \mathbb{Z}$. (normal)

$\frac{\mathbb{Z}}{8} = \{ \dots, -2n, -n, 0, n, 2n, \dots \} \in \mathbb{Z}$. subgroup

$$\{ \dots, -16, -8, 0, 8, 16, \dots \}$$

normal subgroup ① subgroup H

$$\text{② } \underbrace{g^{-1}hg}_{\substack{g \in G \\ h \in H}} \in H \quad h \in H. \quad g \in G$$

$$g^{-1}hg = g+h+(-g) \in H$$

Quotient group $\underline{gH} = \{gh, h \in H\}$.

$$3-8+(-3)=-8 = \underline{h} \in H$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\mathbb{Z}}{8} &= \frac{\mathbb{Z} + H}{H} = \frac{8+H}{H} \quad \text{8 cosets} \\ \frac{\mathbb{Z}}{8} &= \frac{\mathbb{Z} + n\mathbb{Z}}{n\mathbb{Z}} \\ 19 &\in \underline{3+H} \quad 19 \bmod 8 = 3. \end{aligned}$$

$$\frac{\mathbb{Z}}{n\mathbb{Z}} = \text{mod } n.$$

proposition: Let G be a group and \underline{H} a subset of G . Then H is a normal subgroup of G if and only if it is the kernel of some homomorphism from G .

$$G \xrightarrow{\phi} K \xrightarrow{\text{ker } \phi} \frac{G}{H} \triangleleft G.$$

\underline{H} . identity.

$$\text{proof: } \Rightarrow G \xrightarrow{\phi} K. \text{ker } \phi \triangleleft G \quad \Rightarrow \quad \frac{G}{\text{ker } \phi} \cong K$$

proof: $\Rightarrow G \xrightarrow{\phi} K$. $\ker \phi \triangleleft G$

$\Leftarrow H \triangleleft G$. normal

H.

0+H. identity.

$$\pi: G \xrightarrow{\quad} \frac{G}{H}$$

$$g \mapsto \underline{gH}$$

homomorphism? ✓
 $\ker(\pi) = H$? ✓

$$\pi(g_1 g_2) = \underline{g_1 g_2} H = \underline{g_1 H} * \underline{g_2 H} = \pi(g_1) \pi(g_2)$$

$$\pi(g) = H \Rightarrow g \in \ker(\pi) \quad H = \ker(\pi).$$

$$\text{def: } gH = H \Rightarrow g \in H$$

□.

proposition: Let $\phi: G \rightarrow H$ be a group map. $f(a) = f(a)f(b)$

ϕ is injective if.f. $\ker\{\phi\} = \{1\}$. $f(1) = f(1 \cdot 1) = f(1) \cdot f(1)$

proof: $\Rightarrow \phi$ is injective. $\phi(1) = 1$. $\{1\} \subset \ker\phi$.

$$g \in \ker\phi. \phi(g) = 1 = \phi(1)$$

$$g = 1$$

$$\ker\phi = \{1\}$$

if $\phi(a) = \phi(b)$
then $a = b$

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$\Leftarrow \ker\phi \neq \{1\}$, $\phi(a) = \phi(b)$.

$$\underline{\phi(a)} \cdot \underline{\phi(b)^{-1}} = 1$$

$$\underline{\phi(a)} \underline{\phi(b^{-1})} = 1$$

$$ab^{-1} \in \ker\phi.$$

$$\underline{\phi(ab^{-1})} = 1$$

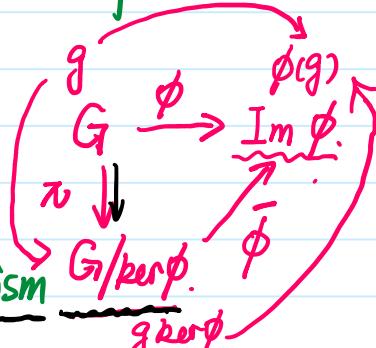
$$ab^{-1} = 1 \Rightarrow a = b. \quad \square$$

First isomorphism theorem: Let $\phi: G \rightarrow H$ be a homomorphism between two groups. Then.

i) $\ker\phi \triangleleft G$.

ii) $\text{Im } \phi \leq H$

iii) $\underline{g \ker\phi \mapsto \phi(g)}$ gives an isomorphism



iii) $\underline{g \ker \phi \mapsto \phi(g)}$ gives an isomorphism $\frac{G}{\ker \phi} \xrightarrow{\cong} \text{Im } \phi$.

$$\pi: G \xrightarrow{\quad} \frac{G}{\ker \phi} \quad g \mapsto \underline{\underline{g \ker \phi}} \quad H.$$

proof: surjective. $\phi(g) \in \text{Im } \phi \quad \forall g$.

$$\exists \bar{\phi}(\pi(g)) = \underline{\underline{\phi(g)}} \quad \bar{\phi} \text{ surjective.}$$

injective: $\ker \bar{\phi} = \{1\} \Rightarrow \ker \bar{\phi} = \{\ker \phi\}$.

$g \ker \phi \in \ker \bar{\phi}$ iff. $\bar{\phi}(g \ker \phi) = 1 \Rightarrow \bar{\phi}(\pi(g)) = 1$.

$$\Rightarrow \underline{\underline{\phi(g)}} = 1 \\ \Rightarrow \underline{\underline{g \in \ker \phi}}.$$

□

Group action.

$$\{1, 2, \dots, n\} \xleftarrow{\quad} S_n$$

$$S_3. \quad \underline{\underline{(123) \{1, 3\}}} = \{1, 2\}.$$

$$S = \{\phi, \{1\}, \{2\}, \{3\}, \dots\}.$$

Definition: A left action of a group G on a set S is a map

$$\rho: G \times S \rightarrow S$$

st.

$$(i) \rho(e, s) = s \text{ for all } s \in S. \quad \triangle$$

$$(ii) \rho(g, \rho(h, s)) = \rho(gh, s) \text{ for all } s \in S \text{ and } g, h \in G.$$

$$\rho(e, s) = e \cdot s. \quad (i) e \cdot s = s \text{ for all } s \in S$$

$$(ii) \underline{\underline{g(h \cdot s) = (gh) \cdot s}} \text{ for all } s \in S \text{ and } g, h \in G.$$

$g \cdot s \in S$ gives a point that s is moved by g .

$$\{s, gs, g^2s, \dots, g^n s\}. \quad g^n s = e \cdot s = s.$$

$$GL(n, \mathbb{R}) = G. \quad \mathbb{R}^n = S$$

$$\underline{A \cdot A^{-1} = I}$$

$$[\quad]$$

$$A \cdot \underline{v} = \underline{Av}$$

$$i). \quad I_n \cdot v = v \quad \forall v \in \mathbb{R}^n$$

$$ii) \quad (\underline{AB}) \cdot v = \underline{A \cdot (Bv)} \quad A, B \in GL(n, \mathbb{R}).$$

$$GL(n, \mathbb{R}) \quad M_{nn}(\mathbb{R}) \quad A \cdot M = AMA^{-1}.$$

$$[\quad] \quad i) \quad I_n \cdot M = I_n M \underline{I_n^{-1}} = M$$

$$ii) \quad (AB) \cdot M = (AB)M \underline{(AB)^{-1}} \\ = AB M B^{-1} \cdot A^{-1} \\ = A(CBMB^{-1})A^{-1} \\ = A \cdot (B \cdot M)$$

group

G left action of G on itself:

$$g \cdot h = gh. \quad \forall g, h \in G.$$

conjugation. $\underline{g \cdot h = ghg^{-1}. \quad \forall g, h \in G.}$

$$i). \quad e \cdot h = h.$$

$$ii) \quad g \cdot (kh) = g \cdot (khk^{-1}) \\ = g \cdot khk^{-1}g^{-1} \\ = gk \underline{h(gk)^{-1}} = (gh)h.$$

G $\underline{G/H}$. subgroup.

$$g_1 \cdot (g_2 H) = (g_1 g_2)H.$$

left action.

Definition: If a group G acts on a set S and $s \in S$ then.

i) the orbit of s . is defined as

$$\underline{\text{Orb}(s) = \{g \cdot s : g \in G\} \subseteq S.}$$

If there is only one orbit we say that the action is transitive.

ii) the stabilizer of s is defined as

$$\underline{\text{Stab}(s) = \{g \in G, g \cdot s = s\} \subseteq G.}$$

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Example: S_n (right) acts on $\{1, 2, \dots, n\}$ by $\rho(k, \underline{j}) = k\underline{j}$ then there is only one orbit.

$$S_n * \{1, 2, 3, \dots, n\} = \{1, 2, 3, \dots, n\}.$$

$$\text{Stab}(\underline{n}) = \{\delta \in S_n, \underline{n}\delta = \underline{n}\} = \text{Sym } \{1, 2, \dots, n-1\} \cong S_{n-1}.$$

proposition: The orbits of an action partition the set.

proof: G acts on S .

\rightsquigarrow on S : $s \sim t \Leftrightarrow \exists g \in G \text{ st. } g \cdot s = t$. equivalence relation.

i) reflexive: $s \sim s \quad s = \underline{s} \cdot s$.

ii) symmetry: $s \sim t \Rightarrow g \cdot s = t \quad \exists g \in G \Rightarrow s = \underline{g^{-1}} \cdot t \Rightarrow t \sim s$.

iii) transitive. $s \sim t, t \sim u \Rightarrow g \cdot s = t \quad \exists g, h \in G \quad \begin{aligned} & \xrightarrow{g \in G} (hg) \cdot s = u \\ & h \cdot t = u \end{aligned} \Rightarrow s \sim u$.

equivalence classes partition S .

$$s \in S. \quad \overline{s} = \{g \cdot s : g \in G\} = \text{Orb}(s).$$

□.

proposition: The stabilizers of an action are subgroups.

proof: G acts on $S. \quad s \in S.$

$$e \in \text{Stab}(s). \quad e \cdot s = s.$$

If $g, h \in \text{Stab}(s)$ then

$$(gh) \cdot s = g \cdot (\underline{h \cdot s}) = g \cdot s = s.$$

$gh \in \text{Stab}(s)$

$$\underbrace{g^{-1} \cdot s}_{\underline{g^{-1} \in \text{Stab}(s)}} = g^{-1} \cdot \underbrace{(g \cdot s)}_{\underline{g \cdot s}} = g^{-1} \cdot g \cdot s = \underline{s}.$$

□.

proposition: If two elements lie in the same orbit then their stabilizers are conjugate.

proof: $\text{Stab}(s) \text{ Stab}(t)$

s, t lie in the same orbit. $\underline{g \cdot s = t \exists g \in G}$.

$$\begin{aligned} \underline{h \in \text{Stab}(s)} &\Rightarrow h \cdot s = s. \\ &\Rightarrow h \cdot (g^{-1} \cdot t) = g^{-1} \cdot t \quad \swarrow \\ &\Rightarrow g \cdot h \cdot (g^{-1} \cdot t) = t. \\ &\Rightarrow \underbrace{ghg^{-1} \cdot t = t}_{\text{since } g^{-1} \cdot t = t} \Rightarrow ghg^{-1} \in \text{Stab}(t). \\ &\Rightarrow h \in \underline{g^{-1} \text{Stab}(t) g}. \end{aligned}$$

Hence $\text{Stab}(s) = g^{-1} \text{Stab}(t) g$. □.

Orbit-Stabilizer Theorem: Let G be finite group acting on a set S and let $s \in S$.

Then: $|G| = |\text{Stab}(s)| \times |\text{Orb}(s)|$.

proof: $\frac{|G|}{|\text{Stab}(s)|} =$ the number of cosets of $\text{Stab}(s)$ in the group
we want $|\text{Orb}(s)|$.

bijection: the cosets of $\text{Stab}(s) \leftrightarrow \text{Orb}(s)$

$\phi: G/\text{Stab}(s) \rightarrow \text{Orb}(s)$

$$\underline{\phi(g \text{Stab}(s))} = \underline{g \cdot s} \quad \begin{array}{l} x_1 = x_2 \\ \Rightarrow f(x_1) = f(x_2) \end{array}$$

$$\phi(g \cdot \underline{\text{Stab}(s)}) = \underline{g \cdot S} \Rightarrow f(x_1) = f(x_2)$$

well-defined: $\underline{g \cdot \text{Stab}(s)} = \underline{h \cdot \text{Stab}(s)}$

$$\stackrel{\text{def}}{\Rightarrow} \underline{h^{-1}g \in \text{Stab}(s)}.$$

$$\stackrel{\text{def}}{\Rightarrow} h^{-1}g \cdot S = S \stackrel{h \times}{\Rightarrow} \underline{gS = hs}.$$

injective. $\phi^{-1}(\underline{g \cdot S}) = \underline{g \cdot \text{Stab}(s)}$

surjective. $\underline{\underline{g \cdot S}} = \underline{\underline{\text{Stab}(s)}}$

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$\phi: \underline{\underline{S}} \rightarrow \underline{\underline{J}}$. isomorphism.
set set.

$$\phi(g \cdot S) = g \cdot \phi(S).$$

Corollary: Let G be a group and $H \leq G$. Then G acts on $\underline{G/H}$ by

$$g \cdot \underline{(kH)} = \underline{(gk)H}.$$

$$\underline{\text{Stab}(H)} = H. \quad \underline{gH = H}.$$

$$\underline{\text{Orb}(H)} = G/H. \quad g \cdot S$$

$$|G/H| \times |H| = |G|. \quad \text{Lagrange's theorem.}$$

Corollary: Let G be a group $g \in G$. and.

$C_G(g) = \{h \in G; gh = hg\}$ centralizer of g .

$C(g) = \{h^{-1}gh; h \in G\}$. conjugacy class of g .

$$\text{Then } |C_G(g)| \times |C(g)| = |G|.$$

$$\text{proof: } g \cdot h = ghg^{-1}. \quad g \cdot h \in G.$$

$$g \in G. \quad \underline{\text{Stab}(g)} = \{h \in G; hg^{-1} = g\} = C_G(g).$$

$$Dm(g) = \{h^{-1}gh \mid h \in G\} = C(g).$$

□

$$D\pi(g) = \{ h^{-1}gh \mid h \in G \} = C(g)$$

$$hg = gy$$

□

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