

# Galois Theory notes

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## Abstract

Notes taken while studying Galois Theory, mostly from Ian Stewart's book "Galois Theory" [1].

Usually while reading books and papers I take handwritten notes in a notebook, this document contains some of them re-written to *LaTeX*.

The notes are not complete, don't include all the steps neither all the proofs.

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## 1 Recap on the degree of field extensions

(Definitions, theorems, lemmas, corollaries and examples enumeration follows from Ian Stewart's book [1]).

**Definition 4.10.** A *simple extension* is  $L : K$  such that  $L = K(\alpha)$  for some  $\alpha \in L$ .

**Example 4.11.** Beware,  $L = \mathbb{Q}(i, -i, \sqrt{5}, -\sqrt{5}) = \mathbb{Q}(i, \sqrt{5}) = \mathbb{Q}(i + \sqrt{5})$ .

**Definition 5.5.** Let  $L : K$ , suppose  $\alpha \in L$  is algebraic over  $K$ . Then, the *minimal polynomial* of  $\alpha$  over  $K$  is the unique monic polynomial  $m$  over  $K$ ,  $m(t) \in K[t]$ , of smallest degree such that  $m(\alpha) = 0$ .  
eg.:  $i \in \mathbb{C}$  is algebraic over  $\mathbb{R}$ . The minimal polynomial of  $i$  over  $\mathbb{R}$  is  $m(t) = t^2 + 1$ , so that  $m(i) = 0$ .

**Lemma 5.9.** Every polynomial  $a \in K[t]$  is congruent modulo  $m$  to a unique polynomial of degree  $< \delta m$ .

*Proof.* Divide  $a/m$  with remainder,  $a = qm + r$ , with  $q, r \in K[t]$  and  $\delta r < \delta m$ . Then,  $a - r = qm$ , so  $a \equiv r \pmod{m}$ .

It remains to prove uniqueness.

Suppose  $\exists r \equiv s \pmod{m}$ , with  $\delta r, \delta s < \delta m$ . Then,  $r - s$  is divisible by  $m$ , but has smaller degree than  $m$ .

Therefore,  $r - s = 0$ , so  $r = s$ , proving uniqueness.  $\square$

**Lemma 5.14.** Let  $K(\alpha) : K$  be a simple algebraic extension, let  $m$  be the minimal polynomial of  $\alpha$  over  $K$ , let  $\delta m = n$ .

Then  $\{1, \alpha, \alpha^2, \dots, \alpha^{n-1}\}$  is a basis for  $K(\alpha)$  over  $K$ . In particular,  $[K(\alpha) : K] = n$ .

**Definition 6.2.** The degree  $[L : K]$  of a field extension  $L : K$  is the dimension of  $L$  considered as a vector space over  $K$ .

Equivalently, the dimension of  $L$  as a vector space over  $K$  is the number of terms in the expression for a general element of  $L$  using coefficients from  $K$ .

**Example 6.3.** 1.  $\mathbb{C}$  elements are 2-dimensional over  $\mathbb{R}$  ( $p + qi \in \mathbb{C}$ , with  $p, q \in \mathbb{R}$ ), because a basis is  $\{1, i\}$ , hence  $[\mathbb{C} : \mathbb{R}] = 2$ .

2.  $[\mathbb{Q}(i, \sqrt{5}) : \mathbb{Q}] = 4$ , since the elements  $\{1, \sqrt{5}, i, i\sqrt{5}\}$  form a basis for  $\mathbb{Q}(i, \sqrt{5})$  over  $\mathbb{Q}$ .

**Theorem 6.4.** (*Short Tower Law*) If  $K, L, M \subseteq \mathbb{C}$ , and  $K \subseteq L \subseteq M$ , then  $[M : K] = [M : L] \cdot [L : K]$ .

*Proof.* Let  $(x_i)_{i \in I}$  be a basis for  $L$  over  $K$ , let  $(y_j)_{j \in J}$  be a basis for  $M$  over  $L$ .  $\forall i \in I, j \in J$ , we have  $x_i \in L, y_j \in M$ .

Want to show that  $(x_i y_j)_{i \in I, j \in J}$  is a basis for  $M$  over  $K$ .

i. prove linear independence:

Suppose that

$$\sum_{ij} k_{ij} x_i y_j = 0 \quad (k_{ij} \in K)$$

rearrange

$$\sum_j \underbrace{\left( \sum_i k_{ij} x_i \right)}_{\in L} y_j = 0 \quad (k_{ij} \in K)$$

Since  $\sum_i k_{ij}x_i \in L$ , and the  $y_j \in M$  are linearly independent over  $L$ , then  $\sum_i k_{ij}x_i = 0$ .

Repeating the argument inside  $L \longrightarrow k_{ij} = 0 \quad \forall i \in I, j \in J$ .

So the elements  $x_i y_j$  are linearly independent over  $K$ .

ii. prove that  $x_i y_j$  span  $M$  over  $K$ :

Any  $x \in M$  can be written  $x = \sum_j \lambda_j y_j$  for  $\lambda_j \in L$ , because  $y_j$  spans  $M$  over  $L$ . Similarly,  $\forall j \in J, \lambda_j = \sum_i \lambda_{ij} x_i y_j$  for  $\lambda_{ij} \in K$ .

Putting the pieces together,  $x = \sum_{ij} \lambda_{ij} x_i y_j$  as required.

□

**Lemma 6.6.** (*Tower Law*)

If  $K_0 \subseteq K_1 \subseteq \dots \subseteq K_n$  are subfields of  $\mathbb{C}$ , then

$$[K_n : K_0] = [K_n : K_{n-1}] \cdot [K_{n-1} : K_{n-2}] \cdot \dots \cdot [K_1 : K_0]$$

*Proof.* From 6.4.

□

[...] TODO: pending to add key parts up to Chapter 15.

## 2 Tools

This section contains tools that I found useful to solve Galois Theory related problems, and that don't appear in Stewart's book.

### 2.1 De Moivre's Theorem and Euler's formula

Useful for finding all the roots of a polynomial.

Euler's formula:

$$e^{i\psi} = \cos\psi + i \cdot \sin\psi$$

The  $n$ -th roots of a complex number  $z = x + iy = r(\cos\theta + i \cdot \sin\theta)$  are given by

$$z_k = \sqrt[n]{r} \cdot \left( \cos\left(\frac{\theta + 2k\pi}{n}\right) + i \cdot \sin\left(\frac{\theta + 2k\pi}{n}\right) \right)$$

for  $k = 0, \dots, n-1$ .

So, by Euler's formula:

$$z_k = \sqrt[n]{r} \cdot e^{i\left(\frac{\theta + 2k\pi}{n}\right)}$$

Usually we will set  $\alpha = \sqrt[n]{r}$  and  $\zeta = e^{\frac{2\pi i}{n}}$ , and find the  $\mathbb{Q}$ -automorphisms from there (see 3.1 for examples).

### 2.2 Eisenstein's Criterion

reference: *Stewart's book*

Let  $f(t) = a_0 + a_1t + \dots + a_nt^n$ , suppose there is a prime  $q$  such that

1.  $q \nmid a_n$
2.  $q \mid a_i$  for  $i = 0, \dots, n-1$
3.  $q^2 \nmid a_0$

Then,  $f$  is irreducible over  $\mathbb{Q}$ .

*TODO proof & Gauss lemma.*

### 2.3 Elementary symmetric polynomials

*TODO from orange notebook, page 36*

### 2.4 Cyclotomic polynomials

#### 2.4.1 From Elmyr Berlekamp's "Algebraic Coding Theory" book

The notes in this section are from the book "Algebraic Coding Theory" by Elmyr Berlekamp [3].

Some times we might find polynomials that have the shape of  $t^n - 1$ , those are *cyclotomic polynomials*, and have some properties that might be useful.

Observe that in a finite field of order  $q$ , factoring  $x^q - x$  gives

$$x^q - x = x(x^{q-1} - 1)$$

The factor  $x^{q-1} - 1$  is a special case of  $x^n - 1$ : if we assume that the field contains an element  $\alpha$  of order  $n$ , then the roots of  $x^n - 1 = 0$  are

$$1, \alpha, \alpha^2, \alpha^3, \dots, \alpha^{n-1}$$

and  $\deg(x^n - 1) = n$ , thus  $x^n - 1$  has at most  $n$  roots in any field, henceforth the powers of  $\alpha$  must include all the  $n$ -th roots of unity.

There fore, in any field which contains a primitive  $n$ -th root of unity we have:

**Theorem 4.31.**

$$x^n - 1 = \prod_{i=0}^{n-1} (x - \alpha^i) = \prod_{i=1}^n (x - \alpha^i)$$

If  $n = k \cdot d$ , then  $\alpha^k, \alpha^{2k}, \alpha^{3k}, \dots, \alpha^{dk}$  are all roots of  $x^d - 1 = 0$

Every element with order dividing  $n$ , must be a power of  $\alpha$ , since an element of order  $d$  is a  $d$ -th root of unity.

Every power of  $\alpha$  has order which divides  $n$ , and every field element whose order divides  $n$  is a power of  $\alpha$ . This suggests that we partition the powers of  $\alpha$  according to their orders:

$$x^n - 1 = \prod_{\substack{d, \\ d|n}} \prod_{\beta} (x - \beta)$$

where at each iteration,  $\beta$  is a field element of order  $d$  for each  $d$ .

The polynomial whose roots are the field elements of order  $d$  is called the *cyclotomic polynomial*, denoted by  $Q^{(d)}(x)$ .

**Theorem 4.32.**

$$x^n - 1 = \prod_{\substack{d, \\ d|n}} Q^{(d)}(x)$$

## 2.4.2 From Ian Stewart's "Galois Theory" book

Notes from Ian Stewart's book [1].

Consider the case  $n = 12$ , let  $\zeta = e^{\pi i/6}$  be a primitive 12-th root of unity. Classify its powers ( $\zeta^j$ ) according to their minimal power  $d$  such that  $(\zeta^j)^d = 1$  (ie. when they are primitive  $d$ -th roots of unity).

$$d = 1, \quad 1$$

$$d = 2, \quad \zeta^6$$

$$d = 3, \quad \zeta^4, \zeta^8$$

$$d = 4, \quad \zeta^3, \zeta^9$$

$$d = 6, \quad \zeta^2, \zeta^{10}$$

$$d = 12, \quad \zeta, \zeta^5, \zeta^7, \zeta^{11}$$

Observe that we can factorize  $t^{12} - 1$  by grouping the corresponding zeros:

$$\begin{aligned} t^{12} - 1 &= (t - 1) \times \\ &\quad (t - \zeta^6) \times \\ &\quad (t - \zeta^4)(t - \zeta^8) \times \\ &\quad (t - \zeta^3)(t - \zeta^9) \times \\ &\quad (t - \zeta^2)(t - \zeta^{10}) \times \\ &\quad (t - \zeta)(t - \zeta^5)(t - \zeta^7)(t - \zeta^{11}) \end{aligned}$$

which simplifies to

$$t^{12} - 1 = (t - 1)(t + 1)(t^2 + t + 1)(t^2 + 1)(t^2 - t + 1)F(t)$$

where  $F(t) = (t - \zeta)(t - \zeta^5)(t - \zeta^7)(t - \zeta^{11}) = t^4 - t^2 + 1$  (this last step can be obtained either by multiplying  $(t - \zeta)(t - \zeta^5)(t - \zeta^7)(t - \zeta^{11})$  together, or by dividing  $t^{12} - 1$  by all the other factors).

Let  $\Phi_d(t)$  be the factor corresponding to primitive  $d$ -th roots of unity, then we have proved that

$$t^{12} - 1 = \Phi_1 \Phi_2 \Phi_3 \Phi_4 \Phi_6 \Phi_{12}$$

**Definition 21.5.** The polynomial  $\Phi_d(t)$  defined by

$$\Phi_n(t) = \prod_{a \in \mathbb{Z}_n, (a, n) = 1} (t - \zeta^a)$$

is the  $n$ -th *cyclotomic polynomial* over  $\mathbb{C}$ .

**Lemma 21.6.**  $\forall n \in \mathbb{N}$ , the polynomial  $\Phi_n(t)$  lies in  $\mathbb{Z}[t]$  and is monic and irreducible.

**Theorem 21.9.** 1. The Galois group  $\Gamma(\mathbb{Q}(\zeta) : \mathbb{Q})$  consists of the  $\mathbb{Q}$ -automorphisms  $\psi_j$  defined by

$$\psi_j(\zeta) = \zeta^j$$

where  $0 \leq j \leq n - 1$  and  $j$  is prime to  $n$ .

2.  $\Gamma(\mathbb{Q}(\zeta) : \mathbb{Q}) \stackrel{iso}{\cong} \mathbb{Z}_n^*$ , and is an abelian group.

3. its order is  $\phi(n)$

4. if  $n$  is prime,  $\mathbb{Z}_n^*$  is cyclic

### 2.4.3 Examples

Examples of cyclotomic polynomials:

$$\Phi_n(x) = x^{n-1} + x^{n-2} + \dots + x^2 + x + 1 = \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} x^i$$

$$\Phi_{2p}(x) = x^{p-1} + \dots + x^2 - x + 1 = \sum_{i=0}^{p-1} (-x)^i$$

$$\Phi_m(x) = x^{m/2} + 1, \text{ when } m \text{ is a power of } 2$$

## 2.5 Lemma 1.42 from J.S.Milne's book

Lemma from J.S.Milne's book [2].

Useful for when dealing with  $x^p - 1$  with  $p$  prime.

Observe that

$$x^p - 1 = (x - 1)(x^{p-1} + x^{p-2} + \dots + 1)$$

Notice that

$$\Phi_p(x) = x^{p-1} + x^{p-2} + \dots + 1$$

is the  $p$ -th Cyclotomic polynomial.

**Lemma 1.42.** If  $p$  prime, then  $x^{p-1} + \dots + 1$  is irreducible; hence  $\mathbb{Q}[e^{2\pi i/p}]$  has degree  $p - 1$  over  $\mathbb{Q}$ .

*Proof.* Let  $f(x) = (x^p - 1)/(x - 1) = x^{p-1} + \dots + 1$  then

$$f(x+1) = \frac{(x+1)^p - 1}{x+1-1} = \frac{(x+1)^p - 1}{x} = x^{p-1} + \dots + a_i x^i + \dots + p$$

$$\text{with } a_i = \binom{p}{i+1}.$$

We know that  $p \nmid a_i$  for  $i = 1, \dots, p-2$ , therefore  $f(x+1)$  is irreducible by Eisenstein's Criterion.

This implies that  $f(x)$  is irreducible. □

## 2.6 Dihedral groups - Groups of symmetries

Source: Wikipedia and [4].

Dihedral groups ( $\mathbb{D}_n$ ) represent the symmetries of a regular  $n$ -gon.

Properties:

- are non-abelian (for  $n > 2$ ), ie.  $rs \neq sr$
- order  $2n$
- generated by a rotation  $r$  and a reflection  $s$

- $r^n = s^2 = id, \quad (rs)^2 = id$

Subgroups of  $\mathbb{D}_n$ :

- rotation form a cyclic subgroup of order  $n$ , denoted as  $\langle r \rangle$
- for each  $d$  such that  $d|n$ ,  $\exists \mathbb{D}_d$  with order  $2d$
- normal subgroups
  - for  $n$  odd:  $\mathbb{D}_n$  and  $\langle r^d \rangle$  for every  $d|n$
  - for  $n$  even: 2 additional normal subgroups
- Klein four-groups:  $\mathbb{Z}_2 \times \mathbb{Z}_2$ , of order 4

Total number of subgroups in  $\mathbb{D}_n$ :  $d(n) + s(n)$ , where  $d(n)$  is the number of positive divisors of  $n$ , and  $s(n)$  is the sum of those divisors.

**Example .** For  $\mathbb{D}_6$ , we have  $\{1, 2, 3, 6\}|6$ , so  $d(n) = d(6) = 4$ , and  $s(6) = 1 + 2 + 3 + 6 = 12$ ; henceforth, the total amount of subgroups is  $d(n) + s(n) = 4 + 12 = 16$ .

For  $n \geq 3$ ,  $\mathbb{D}_n \subseteq \mathbb{S}_n$  (subgroup of the Symmetry group).



## 3 Exercises

### 3.1 Galois groups

#### 3.1.1 $t^6 - 7 \in \mathbb{Q}$

This exercise comes from a combination of exercises 12.4 and 13.7 from [1].

First let's find the roots. By De Moivre's Theorem (2.1),  $t_k = \sqrt[6]{7} \cdot e^{i\frac{2\pi k}{6}}$ .

From which we denote  $\alpha = \sqrt[6]{7}$ , and  $\zeta = e^{i\frac{2\pi}{6}}$ , so that the roots of the polynomial are  $\{\alpha, \alpha\zeta, \alpha\zeta^2, \alpha\zeta^3, \alpha\zeta^4, \alpha\zeta^5\}$ , ie.  $\{\alpha\zeta^k\}_0^5$ .

Hence the *splitting field* is  $\mathbb{Q}(\alpha, \zeta)$ .

*Degree of the extension*

In order to find  $[\mathbb{Q}(\alpha, \zeta) : \mathbb{Q}]$ , we're going to split it in tow parts. By the Tower Law (6.6),

$$[\mathbb{Q}(\alpha, \zeta) : \mathbb{Q}] = [\mathbb{Q}(\alpha, \zeta) : \mathbb{Q}(\alpha)] \cdot [\mathbb{Q}(\alpha) : \mathbb{Q}]$$

To find each degree, we will find the minimal polynomial of the adjoined term over the base field of the extension:

- i. minimal polynomial of  $\alpha$  over  $\mathbb{Q}$

By Einsenstein's Criterion (2.2), with  $q = 7$  we have that  $q \nmid 1, 7 \mid -7, 0, 0, \dots$ , and  $7^2 \nmid -7$ , hence  $f(t)$  is irreducible over  $\mathbb{Q}$ , thus is the minimal polynomial

$$m_i(t) = f(t) = t^6 - 7$$

which has roots  $\{\alpha\zeta^k\}_0^5$ .

- ii. minimal polynomial of  $\zeta$  over  $\mathbb{Q}(\alpha)$

Since  $\zeta$  is the primitive 6th root of unity, we know that the minimal polynomial will be the 6th cyclotomic polynomial (2.4):

$$m_{ii}(t) = \Phi_6(t) = t^2 - t + 1$$

which has roots  $\zeta, -\zeta$ .

Since  $\mathbb{Q}(\alpha) \subseteq \mathbb{R}$ , and the roots of  $\Phi_6(t) = t^2 - t + 1$  are in  $\mathbb{C}$ ,  $\Phi_6(t)$  remains irreducible over  $\mathbb{Q}(\alpha)$ .

Therefore, by the tower of law,

$$[\mathbb{Q}(\alpha, \zeta) : \mathbb{Q}] = \deg \Phi_6(t) \cdot \deg f(t) = 2 \cdot 6 = 12$$

and by the Fundamental Theorem of Galois Theory, we know that

$$|\Gamma(\mathbb{Q}(\alpha, \zeta) : \mathbb{Q})| = [\mathbb{Q}(\alpha, \zeta) : \mathbb{Q}] = 12$$

which tells us that there exist 12  $\mathbb{Q}$ -automorphisms of the Galois group.

Let's find the 12  $\mathbb{Q}$ -automorphisms. Start by defining  $\sigma$  which fixes  $\zeta$  and acts on  $\alpha$ , sending it to another of the roots of the minimal polynomial of  $\alpha$  over  $\mathbb{Q}$ ,  $f(t)$ , choose  $\alpha\zeta$ .

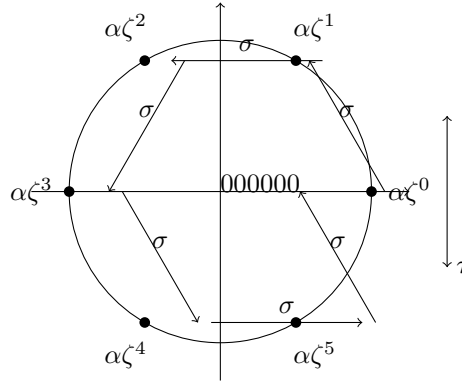
Now define  $\tau$  which fixes  $\alpha$  and acts on  $\zeta$ , sending it into another root of the minimal polynomial of  $\zeta$  over  $\mathbb{Q}(\alpha)$ , choose  $-\zeta$ .

$$\begin{aligned}\sigma : \alpha &\mapsto \alpha\zeta & \tau : \alpha &\mapsto \alpha \\ \zeta &\mapsto \zeta & \zeta &\mapsto -\zeta = \zeta^{-1}\end{aligned}$$

In other words, we have 12  $\mathbb{Q}$ -automorphisms, which are the combination of  $\sigma$  and  $\tau$ :

$$\begin{aligned}\sigma^k \tau^j : \alpha &\mapsto \alpha\zeta^k \\ \zeta &\mapsto \zeta^j\end{aligned}$$

for  $0 \leq k \leq 5$  and  $j = \pm 1$ .



NOTE: WIP diagram.

Observe, that  $\Gamma$  is generated by the combination of  $\sigma$  and  $\tau$ , and it is isomorphic to the group of symmetries of order 12, the dihedral group (2.6) of order 12,  $\mathbb{D}_6$ , ie.  $\Gamma \cong \mathbb{D}_6$ .

Let's find the subgroups of  $\Gamma$ , and the fixed fields of  $\mathbb{Q}(\alpha, \zeta)$ .

We know that  $\Gamma \cong \mathbb{D}_6$ , and we know from the properties of the dihedral group (2.6) that the number of subgroups of  $\mathbb{D}_6$  will be  $d(6) + s(6) = 4 + 12 = 16$  subgroups.

generators	order	group	fixed field	notes (check fixed field)
$\langle \rangle = \langle \sigma^6 \rangle = \langle \tau^2 \rangle$	1	id	$\mathbb{Q}(\alpha, \zeta)$	
$\langle \sigma \rangle = \langle \sigma^5 \rangle$	6	$\mathbb{Z}_6$	$\mathbb{Q}(\zeta)$	
$\langle \sigma^2 \rangle = \langle \sigma^4 \rangle$	3	$\mathbb{Z}_3$	$\mathbb{Q}(\alpha^3, \zeta)$	$\sigma^2(\alpha^3) = \alpha^3 \zeta^{3 \cdot 2} = \alpha^3 \zeta^6 = \alpha^3 \cdot 1 = \alpha^3$
$\langle \sigma^3 \rangle$	2	$\mathbb{Z}_2$	$\mathbb{Q}(\alpha^2, \zeta)$	$\sigma^3(\alpha^2) = (\alpha \zeta^3)^2 = \alpha^2 \zeta^6 = \alpha^2$
$\langle \tau \rangle$	2	$\mathbb{Z}_2$	$\mathbb{Q}(\alpha)$	
$\langle \sigma \tau \rangle$	2	$\mathbb{Z}_2$	$\mathbb{Q}(\alpha + \alpha \zeta)$	$\sigma \zeta(\alpha + \alpha \zeta) = \sigma(\alpha + \alpha \zeta^{-1}) = \alpha \zeta + \alpha \zeta^{-1} \zeta = \alpha \zeta + \alpha$
$\langle \sigma^2 \tau \rangle$	2	$\mathbb{Z}_2$	$\mathbb{Q}(\alpha + \alpha \zeta^2), \mathbb{Q}(\alpha \zeta)$	$\sigma^2 \tau(\alpha + \alpha \zeta^2) = \sigma(\alpha + \alpha \zeta^{-2}) = \alpha \zeta^2 + \alpha \zeta^{-2} \zeta^2 = \alpha \zeta^2 + \alpha$
$\langle \sigma^3 \tau \rangle$	2	$\mathbb{Z}_2$	$\mathbb{Q}(\alpha + \alpha \zeta^3)$	$\sigma^3 \tau(\alpha + \alpha \zeta^3) = \sigma(\alpha + \alpha \zeta^{-3}) = \alpha \zeta^3 + \alpha \zeta^{-3} \zeta^3 = \alpha \zeta^3 + \alpha$
$\langle \sigma^4 \tau \rangle$	2	$\mathbb{Z}_2$	$\mathbb{Q}(\alpha + \alpha \zeta^4), \mathbb{Q}(\alpha \zeta^2)$	$\sigma^4 \tau(\alpha + \alpha \zeta^4) = \sigma(\alpha + \alpha \zeta^{-4}) = \alpha \zeta^4 + \alpha \zeta^{-4} \zeta^4 = \alpha \zeta^4 + \alpha$
$\langle \sigma^5 \tau \rangle$	2	$\mathbb{Z}_2$	$\mathbb{Q}(\alpha + \alpha \zeta^5)$	$\sigma^5 \tau(\alpha + \alpha \zeta^5) = \sigma(\alpha + \alpha \zeta^{-5}) = \alpha \zeta^5 + \alpha \zeta^{-5} \zeta^5 = \alpha \zeta^5 + \alpha$
$\langle \sigma, \tau \rangle = \langle \sigma^5, \tau \rangle$	$6 \cdot 2 = 12$	$\mathbb{D}_6$	$\mathbb{Q}$	
$\langle \sigma^2, \tau \rangle = \langle \sigma^4, \tau \rangle$	$3 \cdot 2 = 6$	$\mathbb{D}_3$	$\mathbb{Q}(\alpha^3)$	$\sigma^2(\alpha^3) = \alpha^3 \zeta^{3 \cdot 2} = \alpha^3$ and $\tau(\alpha^3) = \alpha^3$
$\langle \sigma^3, \tau \rangle$	$2 \cdot 2 = 4$	$\mathbb{D}_2$	$\mathbb{Q}(\alpha^2)$	$\sigma^3(\alpha^2) = \alpha^2 \zeta^{2 \cdot 2} = \alpha^2$ and $\tau(\alpha^2) = \alpha^2$
$\langle \sigma^2, \sigma \tau \rangle$	$3 \cdot 2 = 6$	$\mathbb{D}_3$	$\mathbb{Q}(\alpha^3 + \alpha^3 \zeta^3)$	$\sigma^2(\alpha^3 + \alpha^3 \zeta^3) = \alpha^3 \zeta^3 + \alpha^3 \zeta^3 \zeta^3 = \alpha^3 \zeta^3 + \alpha^3 \zeta^6 = \alpha^3 \zeta^3 + \alpha^3$
$\langle \sigma^3, \sigma \tau \rangle$	$2 \cdot 2 = 4$	$\mathbb{Z}_2 \times \mathbb{Z}_2$	$\mathbb{Q}(\alpha^2 \zeta^2), \mathbb{Q}(\alpha^2 + \alpha^2 \zeta^2)$	$\sigma^3(\alpha^2 + \alpha^2 \zeta^2) = \alpha^2 \zeta^{2 \cdot 3} + \alpha^2 \zeta^{2 \cdot 3} \zeta^2 = \alpha^2 + \alpha^2 \zeta^2$
$\langle \sigma^3, \sigma^2 \tau \rangle$	$2 \cdot 2 = 4$	$\mathbb{Z}_2 \times \mathbb{Z}_2$	$\mathbb{Q}(\alpha^2 \zeta^4), \mathbb{Q}(\alpha^2 + \alpha^2 \zeta^4)$	and $\sigma \tau(\alpha^2 + \alpha^2 \zeta^2) = \alpha^2 \zeta^2 + \alpha^2 \zeta^{-2} \zeta^2 = \alpha^2 \zeta^2 + \alpha^2$ $\sigma^2 \zeta(\alpha^2 \zeta^4) = \alpha^2 \zeta^2 \zeta^{-4} = \alpha^2 \zeta^{-2} = \alpha^2 \zeta^4$ and $\sigma^3(\alpha^2 \zeta^4) = \alpha^2 \zeta^{2 \cdot 3} \zeta^4 = \alpha^2 \zeta^4$

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