

SEC 10 Exercise p101

- Computations

1. Find all cosets of the subgroup $4\mathbb{Z}$ of \mathbb{Z}

(pb) left coset 만 찾아. $4\mathbb{Z} = \{ \dots, -8, -4, 0, 4, \dots \}$
 $=$ right coset 이므로 ...

2. $4\mathbb{Z}$ of $2\mathbb{Z}$

(pb) left coset ? $4\mathbb{Z} = \{ \dots, -8, -4, 0, 4, \dots \}$
 $4\mathbb{Z} + 1 = \{ \dots, -7, -3, 1, 5, \dots \}$

3. $\langle 2 \rangle$ of \mathbb{Z}_{12}

(pb) left coset ? $\langle 2 \rangle = \{ 0, 2, 4, 6, 8, 10 \}$
 $1 + \langle 2 \rangle = \{ 1, 3, 5, 7, 9, 11 \}$
 $2 + \langle 2 \rangle = \{ 2, 4, 6, 8, 10, 0 \} = \langle 2 \rangle$

4. $\langle 4 \rangle$ of \mathbb{Z}_{12}

(pb) left coset ? $\langle 4 \rangle = \{ 0, 4, 8 \}$
 $1 + \langle 4 \rangle = \{ 1, 5, 9 \}$
 $2 + \langle 4 \rangle = \{ 2, 6, 10 \}$
 $3 + \langle 4 \rangle = \{ 3, 7, 11 \}$

5. $\langle 18 \rangle$ of \mathbb{Z}_{36}

(pb) left coset ? $\langle 18 \rangle = \{ 0, 18 \}$
 $1 + \langle 18 \rangle = \{ 1, 19 \}$
 $2 + \langle 18 \rangle = \{ 2, 20 \}$
 \vdots
 $17 + \langle 18 \rangle = \{ 17, 35 \}$

12. Find the index of $\langle 3 \rangle$ in the group \mathbb{Z}_{24}

(pb) $(\mathbb{Z}_{24} : \langle 3 \rangle) = ?$ 3.

left coset ? $\langle 3 \rangle = \{ 0, 3, 6, \dots, 21 \}$
 $1 + \langle 3 \rangle = \{ 1, 4, 7, \dots, 22 \}$
 $2 + \langle 3 \rangle = \{ 2, 5, 8, \dots, 23 \}$
 $3 + \langle 3 \rangle = \{ 3, 6, 9, \dots, 24 \}$
 \vdots

or, $\langle 3 \rangle = \{ 0, 3, 6, \dots, 21 \}$ $|\langle 3 \rangle| = 8$

$\Rightarrow |\mathbb{Z}_{24}| / |\langle 3 \rangle| = \frac{24}{8} = 3$ ■

19. Mark each of the following true or false.

- ~~F~~ a. Every subgroup of every group has left cosets.
- ~~F~~ b. The number of left cosets of a subgroup of a finite group divides the order of the group.
- ~~F~~ c. Every group of prime order is abelian.
- ~~F~~ d. One cannot have left cosets of a finite subgroup of an infinite group.
- ~~F~~ e. A subgroup of a group is a left coset of itself.
- ~~F~~ f. Only subgroups of finite groups can have left cosets.
- ~~F~~ g. A_n is of index 2 in S_n for $n > 1$.
- ~~F~~ h. The theorem of Lagrange is a nice result.
- ~~F~~ i. Every finite group contains an element of every order that divides the order of the group.
- ~~F~~ j. Every finite cyclic group contains an element of every order that divides the order of the group.

- Proof Synopsis

25. Give a one-sentence synopsis of the proof of Thm 10.10

(pb) The left cosets of the subgroup H form a partition of G and each coset has the same number of elements as H has.

30. If $aH = bH$, then $Ha = Hb$?

(pb) No.

31. If $Ha = Hb$, then $b \in Ha$?

(pb) True. $b = eb$ and $e \in H$ so $b \in Hb$.

Because $Ha = Hb$, we have $b \in Ha$.

32. If $aH = bH$, then $Ha^{-1} = Hb^{-1}$?

(pb) True. Because H is subgroup, we have $\{h^{-1} | h \in H\} = H$.

Therefore $Ha^{-1} = \{ha^{-1} | h \in H\} = \{h^{-1}a^{-1} | h \in H\}$.

That is, Ha^{-1} consists of all inverse of elements in aH .

Similarly, Hb^{-1} consists of all inverses of elements in bH .

Because $aH = bH$, we must have $Ha^{-1} = Hb^{-1}$.

33. If $aH = bH$, then $a^2H = b^2H$?

(pb) No.