### • Bijection:

Function  $f: X \to Y$  is bijection if f is both surjection(on to) and injection (one to one) **Proposition**:

- 1.  $f: X \to Y$  is bijection  $\Leftrightarrow$   $\exists g: Y \to X \text{ s.t. } g \circ f = id_x, f \circ g = id_v \ (id_x \to \text{identity})$
- 2. Composition Properties:
  - o Composition of two injective functions is injective.
  - o Composition of two surjective functions is surjective.
  - Composition of two bijective functions is bijective.

### • Permutation:

Permutation on set X is a bijection  $f: X \to X$ If  $X = \{1, 2, ..., n\}$  then,  $S_n := \{\text{all permutation on } X\}$  **Proposition:** 

1. if  $f: X \to X$  is a permutation then  $\exists f^{-1}: X \to X$  which is also permutation.

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2. composition of two permutation is again a permutation.

### • Group 5 Rules:

- 1. Closed under binary operation
- 2. associative: (ab)c = a(bc)
- 3. identity:  $\exists e \in G, ea = ae = a \forall a \in G$
- 4. inverse:  $\forall a \in G, \exists ! a^{-1} s.t. a^{-1} a = a a^{-1} = e$
- 5. commutative  $a, b \in G, ab = ba$ .
- 1,2: semigroup
- 1,2,3: monoid
- 1,2,3,4: group
- 1,2,3,4,5: Abelian group

# • Equivalence Relation:

Operation  $\sim$  in Group G is equivalence if

- 1. Reflective:  $g \sim g, \forall g \in G$
- 2. Symmetry:  $g \sim g' \Rightarrow g' \sim g, \forall g, g' \in G$
- 3. transitive:  $x \sim y, y \sim z \Rightarrow x \sim z \forall x, y, z$
- **Subgroup**: H is a subgroup of G if
  - $-H\subseteq G$
  - *H* is a group

#### **CHECK a SUBGROUP:**

- *H* ⊆ *G* (subset)
- *e* ∈ *H* (non empty)
- ∀a,b ∈ H,ab ∈ H (closed)

$$- \forall a \in H, a^{-1} \in H$$

Proper subgroup: subgroup H that is not  $H \neq G$ 

#### • Order:

Order of a group: |G| = # of elements in the group. If a group is infinite, then the order is  $\infty$ 

Order of an element:  $g \in G$ , |g| = **smallest positive integer** n, s.t.  $x^n = e$  **Propositions:** 

- Let  $g \in G$ , | < g > | = |g|
- If *H* is a subgroup of *G* then |H| | |G|. If  $x \in G$ , then |x| | |G|
- $\langle x \rangle := \{ x^n \mid n \in \mathbb{Z} \}$
- Conjugate:  $x, g \in G$ , conjugate of x by g:  $gxg^{-1}$ Conjugate class of x:=  $\{gxg^{-1} \mid \forall g \in G\}$
- **ISOMORPHISMS of GROUP**: a function  $f: G \to G'$  is called isomorphism if:
  - 1. f(xy) = f(x)f(y)
  - 2. *f* is one to one (injective)
  - 3. *f* is onto (surjective)

We use  $G \cong G'$  (group isomorphisim) to show that  $\exists f : G \to G'$  that is isomorphic. Then |G| = |G'|. **Propositions:** 

- Suppose  $G \cong G'$  Then G is abelian  $\Leftrightarrow G'$  is abelian. (which implies that abelian group and non abelian group is not isomorphic)
- if G and G' are cyclic and |G| = |G'| then  $G \cong G'$
- Let  $G = (Z_n, +_n) = \{[0], [1] \cdots, [n-1]\}, G' = (Z_n, +_n) = (\{0, 1, 2, \cdots, n-1\}, +_n)$  Then  $G \cong G'$  and the isomorphism can be take  $[x]_n \to x$
- Cyclic:  $\exists a \in G$ , s.t.  $\langle a \rangle = G$  such a is called a generator.

# • Center of Group:

Center of a Group  $G: Z(G) := \{Z \in G | gz = zg, \forall g \in G\}$  **Proposition:** 

- 1. Z(G) is a subgroup of G.
- 2. If *G* is abelian, then Z(G) = G

# • External direct product of Groups:

Group G, H, Define  $G \times H := \{(x, y) \mid x \in G, y \in H\}$  $(x_1, y_1)(x_2, y_2) = (x_1x_2, y_1y_2)$ 

## **Proposition:**

- 1.  $e_{G \times H} = (e_G, e_H)$
- 2.  $(x,y)^{-1} = (x^{-1}, y^{-1})$
- 3. |(x,y)| = LCM(|x|,|y|)

### • Internal product of groups:

Group *G* has subgroup *H*, *K*. Defind  $HK := \{xy | x \in H, y \in K\}$ 

**NOTE:** *HK* is not always a subgroup.

## **Proposition:**

1. *H*, *K* are subgroup of *G*.

Suppose  $x^{-1}yx \in K$ ,  $\forall x \in H$ ,  $y \in K$  Then HK is a subgroup of G.

Corollary: H, K are subgroup of abelien group G, then HK is a subgroup of G.

## • Group Homomorphisms:

$$f: G \to G' \text{ if } f(xy) = f(x)f(y) \forall x, y \in G$$

Compared to isomorphism, we don't need bijection.

## • Kernal and Image:

 $f: G \rightarrow G'$ , Define:

 $Kerf := \{ g \in G \mid f(g) = e'_G \}$ 

Imf :=  $\{y \in G' \mid \exists x \in G, s.t. \ f(x) = y\} \equiv \{f(x) \mid x \in G\}$ 

## Lemma:

 $f: G \rightarrow G'$  be a group homomorphism.

- 1.  $f(e_G) = e_{G'}$
- 2.  $f(a^n) = (f(a))^n, \forall n > 0, n \in \mathbb{Z}$
- 3.  $f(a^{-1}) = (f(a))^{-1}$
- 4. From 2,3 we can conclude:  $f(a^n) = (f(a))^n$

## **Proposition:**

- 1.  $f: G \rightarrow G'$  be group homomorphism:
  - kerf is a subgroup of *G*
  - Imf is a subgroup of G'
- 2. If  $G = \langle a \rangle$  i.e. G is a cyclic group. Then, it is enough to define homomorphism  $f: G \to G'$  on a and extend to all  $a^n$ .
- 3.  $f: G \to G'$  be a group homomorphism, then |f(a)| |a|

# • Left Coset and Right Coset:

#### Definition:

Let G be a group, let H be a subgroup of G.

Left coset of *H* in *G*:  $aH := \{ah \mid h \in G\}$ 

Right coset of *H* in *G*:  $Ha := \{ha \mid h \in G\}$  **Proposition:** 

 $-aH = H \text{ iff } a \in H$ 

$$aH = bH \iff a \in bH$$

$$\Leftrightarrow b \in aH$$

$$\Leftrightarrow a^{-1}b \in H$$

$$\Leftrightarrow b^{-1}a \in H$$

 $-aH \cup bH = \emptyset$  or aH = bH.

Only two posibilities. When it is  $\emptyset$ , properties above fails. When it is not  $\emptyset$  the only posibility is that aH = bH and above properties holds.

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- $-G = \sqcup aH$  (disjoint union of left cosets.) Taking elements inside the set H won't generate new cosets. Only taking elements outside the set would generate new cosets.
- $-H < G, |aH| = |H|, \forall a \in G$

**Definition**: H < G, [G:H] := # of left cosets of H in G **Properties**:  $|G| = [G:H] \cdot |H| \Leftrightarrow [G:H] = |G|/|H|$  In general,  $aH \ne Ha$ , sometimes they are the same.

#### • Normal Subgroup:

Definition: H < G, H is normal subgroup  $\Leftrightarrow H \triangleleft G$  if  $aH = Ha, \forall a \in G$ . Theorem: H < G, the following are equivalent:

- *H* ⊲ *G*
- -aH = Ha, ∀a ∈ G
- $-aHa^{-1}$  ⊆ H,  $\forall a \in G$
- $-aHa^{-1}=H, \forall a \in G$

**Prop:** If *G* is an abelian group, then every subgroup of *G* is normal.

### • Symmetric Group:

Definition: transposition is an element  $\tau_{ij} = (ij)$  (permutation of length 2) Prop: Every permutation seauence  $b \in S_n$  can be written as a product of transpositions.

- Step 1: write the permutation in disjoint cycles.
- Step 2: write each cycle as a product of transpositions.

Example:  $(1346)(13)(14)(16) = (3461) \Rightarrow (16)(14)(13) = (1346)$ 

• **Sign of permutation:** Definition: the sign of permutation  $\sigma$  is the parity of the number of transpositions in any decompositions.

To conclude: length of cycle is even  $\Rightarrow$  parity odd; length of cycle is odd  $\Rightarrow$  parity even. Prop: even even = even; even odd = odd; odd even = odd; odd odd = even