

Homework 2

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In this homework, let G be a group.

1. Find the order of the following group and the order of each element in the group.

(1) \mathbb{Z}_{12}

(2) $U(10)$

(3) D_4

2. In $\langle \mathbb{Q}, + \rangle$, find the elements in $\langle \frac{1}{2} \rangle$.

3. In $\langle \mathbb{Q}^*, \cdot \rangle$, find the elements in $\langle \frac{1}{2} \rangle$.

4. Prove that the D_3 does not have a subgroup of order 4.

5. Must the centralizer of an element of a group be Abelian?

6. Must the center of a group be Abelian?

Prove or disprove: (7-8)

7. If $H \leq G$ and $K \leq G$, then $H \cap K \leq G$.

8. If $H \leq G$ and $K \leq G$, then $H \cup K \leq G$.

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1. (1) $\mathbb{Z}_{12} = \{0, 1, 2, 3, \dots, 10, 11\}$

Order of \mathbb{Z}_{12} , $|\mathbb{Z}_{12}| = 12$ $e = 0$

$|0| = 1$

$|1| = 12$ ($1^{12} = 1+1+\dots+1 = 12 \equiv 0$)

$|2| = 6$ ($2^6 = 2+2+\dots+2 = 12 \equiv 0$)

$|3| = 4$, $|4| = 3$, $|5| = 12$, $|6| = 2$

$|7| = 12$, $|8| = 3$, $|9| = 4$, $|10| = 6$, $|11| = 12$

(2) $U(10) = \{1, 3, 7, 9\}$

$|U(10)| = 4$, $e = 1$

$|1| = 1$, $|3| = 4$, $|7| = 4$, $|9| = 2$

(3) $D_4 = \{R_0, R_{90}, R_{180}, R_{270}, H, V, D, D'\}$

$|D_4| = 8$, $e = R_0$

$|R_0| = 1$, $|R_{90}| = 4$, $|R_{180}| = 2$, $|R_{270}| = 4$

$|H| = 2$, $|V| = 2$, $|D| = 2$, $|D'| = 2$

2. $\langle \mathbb{Q}, + \rangle$

$\langle \frac{1}{2} \rangle = \{\dots, -2, -\frac{3}{2}, -1, -\frac{1}{2}, 0, \frac{1}{2}, 1, \frac{3}{2}, 2, \dots\}$

3. $\langle \mathbb{Q}^*, \cdot \rangle$

$\langle \frac{1}{2} \rangle = \{\dots, \frac{1}{8}, \frac{1}{4}, \frac{1}{2}, 1, 2, 4, 8, \dots\}$

4. $D_3 = \{R_0, R_{120}, R_{240}, L_1, L_2, L_3\}$

R_0 is identity,

Thus Subgroups of D_3 have to contain R_0

$$R_{120} \cdot R_{240} = e, L_1 \cdot L_1 = e, L_2 \cdot L_2 = e, L_3 \cdot L_3 = e$$

i) Subgroup of order 1.

$$\{R_0\}$$

ii) Subgroup of order 2.

$$\{R_0, L_1\}, \{R_0, L_2\}, \{R_0, L_3\}$$

iii) Subgroup of order 3.

$$\{R_0, R_{120}, R_{240}\}$$

iv) Subgroup of order 6

$$D_3$$

	R_0	R_{120}	R_{240}	L_1	L_2	L_3
R_0	R_0	R_{120}	R_{240}	L_1	L_2	L_3
R_{120}	R_{120}	R_{240}	R_0	L_3	L_1	L_2
R_{240}	R_{240}	R_0	R_{120}	L_2	L_3	L_1
L_1	L_1	L_2	L_3	R_0	R_{120}	R_{240}
L_2	L_2	L_3	L_1	R_{240}	R_0	R_{120}
L_3	L_3	L_1	L_2	R_{120}	R_{240}	R_0

When ii), iii) added one more other element,

It become D_3 to be subgroup of G

$\therefore D_3$ does not have a subgroup of order 4.

5. Let G is not Abelian group.

$$\forall g \in G, ge = eg = g$$

$$c(e) = G$$

$\therefore c(e)$ is not Abelian

6. $Z(G) = \{a \in G \mid ax = xa, \forall x \in G\}$

$$\forall a, b \in Z(G), ab = ba \quad (\because a, b \in G)$$

$\therefore Z(G)$ is Abelian

$$7. H \leq G, K \leq G \rightarrow H \cap K \leq G$$

prove).

i) existence of e

Since H, K are subgroup of G ,
 e is in H, K .

$$\therefore e \in H \cap K \text{ (nonempty set)}$$

ii) existence of inverse

$$\forall x, y \in H \cap K, x, y \in H, x, y \in K$$

Since H, K are group, $\exists x^{-1}, y^{-1}, xy$ in H, K

$$\therefore x^{-1}, y^{-1}, xy \in H \cap K$$

$$\therefore H \cap K \text{ is subgroup of } G$$

$$8. H \leq G, K \leq G \rightarrow H \cup K \leq G$$

disprove).

Let $H \not\subseteq K, K \not\subseteq H, h \in H (h \notin K), k \in K (k \notin H)$

Then we know that $h, k, h^{-1}, k^{-1} \in H \cup K$

WTS $hk \notin H \cup K$

Suppose $hk \in H$, then, $h^{-1}, hk \in H$

$$h^{-1} \cdot hk = (h^{-1}h) \cdot k = e \cdot k = k \notin H \text{ (}\neq\text{)}$$

$$\therefore hk \notin H$$

Similarly, also $hk \notin K$ (same argument)

Thus $hk \notin H \cup K$

$$\therefore H \cup K \text{ is not subgroup of } G$$