

Abstract Algebra (H). $20\% + 30\% + 50\%$.
Mid Final

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\mathbb{N} : 1, 2, 3, ..., n, n+1, ... +, \times .

\mathbb{Z} : 0, $\pm 1, \pm 2, \dots, \pm n, \pm(n+1), \dots$ +, -, \times .

\mathbb{Q} : $0, \frac{n}{m}$ with $n, m \in \mathbb{Z} \setminus \{0\}$. +, -, \times , \div .

\mathbb{R} : +, -, \times , \div .

\mathbb{C} : +, -, \times , \div .

$f(x) = a_0 + a_1x + a_2x^2 + \dots + a_nx^n$ where $a_i \in \mathbb{Q}$.

$\mathbb{Q}[x] = \{f(x) \text{ with rational coefficients}\}$. +, -, \times .

$M_n(F)$: $n \times n$ matrices $[a_{ij}]_{n \times n}$, with $a_{ij} \in F$. +, -, \times . $(M_n(F), +, \times)$ — mat. ring.

$Inv_n(F)$: invertible mat. \times .

$$\begin{cases} p \text{ prime} \\ 1 \leq a < p \end{cases} \Rightarrow a^{p-1} \equiv 1 \pmod{p}.$$

$$\begin{cases} p \text{ prime} \Rightarrow \\ p = a^2 + b^2 \Leftrightarrow p \equiv 1 \pmod{4} \end{cases}$$

Groups

Def. A set G with a multiplication $*$

$$a, b \in G \Rightarrow a * b \in G$$

$$b * a \in G. \quad (\text{closed})$$

is called a group if

$$\underbrace{a * b * c}_{\sim}$$

Further, if $a * b = b * a$

(1) $a * (b * c) = (a * b) * c.$ association.

for all $a, b \in G$, then

(2) $\exists e \in G$, s.t. $a * e = e * a = a.$ "e": identity.

$(G, *)$ is called an

(3) For any $a \in G$, $\exists b \in G$, s.t.

"b": the inverse of $a.$

abelian group.

$$a * b = b * a = e.$$

denote by $(G, *)$.

Ex: $N: 1, 2, 3, \dots, n, n+1, \dots$

$\mathbb{Z}: 0, \pm 1, \pm 2, \dots, \pm n, \pm (n+1), \dots$

$\mathbb{Q}: 0, \frac{n}{m}$ with $n, m \in \mathbb{Z} \setminus \{0\}.$

$\mathbb{R}:$

$\mathbb{C}:$

$(\mathbb{Z}, +)$ is a gp. $(\mathbb{Z}, -)$ is not a group. $\{\mathbb{Z} \setminus \{0\}, \times\}$ is not a group.

$(\mathbb{Q}, +)$ is a gp. $(\mathbb{Q}, -)$ is not a group. $\{\mathbb{Q} \setminus \{0\}, \times\}$ is a group.

\mathbb{R}

\mathbb{R}

$\mathbb{R} \setminus \{0\}$

\mathbb{C}

\mathbb{C}

$\mathbb{C} \setminus \{0\}$

$\mathbb{Q}[x], +, -, \times.$

$(\mathbb{Q}[x], +)$ is a group. $(\mathbb{Q}[x], -)$ is not a group. $(\mathbb{Q}[x], \times)$ is not a group.

$(M_n(\mathbb{R}), +)$ is an abelian group.

- not a group.

\times not a group.

$(\text{Inv}_n(\mathbb{R}), \times)$ is a group. not abelian.

Fields

Def. A set F with "+" and " \times " is called a field if

(1) $(F, +)$ is an abelian group with 0 being addition identity.

(2) $(F \setminus \{0\}, \times)$ is an abelian group. \curvearrowleft ensure that addition identity \neq multiplicity identity.

(3). $a \times (b+c) = (a \times b) + (a \times c)$ \curvearrowleft ensure there exists a multiplicity identity.

$$(b+c) \times a = (b \times a) + (c \times a).$$

denote by $(F, +, \times)$.

Ex. ① $(\mathbb{Z}, +, \times)$ is not a field as $(\mathbb{Z} \setminus \{0\}, \times)$ is not a group.

② $(\mathbb{Q}, +, \times)$ is a field.

\mathbb{R}

\mathbb{C}

③ $(\mathbb{Q}[x], +, \times)$ is not a field.

④ $(M_n(\mathbb{R}), +, \times)$ is not a field as $(M_n(\mathbb{R}) \setminus \{0\}, \times)$ is not a gp.

Rings

Def. A set R with "+" and " \times " is called a ring if

(1) $(R, +)$ is an abelian group.

Moreover, (i) if $a \times b = b \times a$ for all $a, b \in R$.

(2). $a \times (b \times c) = (a \times b) \times c$.

associativity. then R is called a commutative ring.

(3). $a \times (b+c) = a \times b + a \times c$.

(ii) if $e \in R$ is st $a \times e = e \times a = a$

$$(b+c) \times a = b \times a + c \times a.$$

distribution. for each $a \in R$, then e is called the

denote by $(R, +, \times)$.

multiplication identity of R . \curvearrowleft

① A field is a ring.

firstly def. what is

a multiplicity identity

② A ring is not necessarily a field.

then prove its unique and we can use the word "the".

Ex. ① $(\mathbb{Z}, +, \times)$ is not a field, but a ring. integer ring.

② $(\mathbb{Q}, +, \times)$ is a field.

\mathbb{R}

\mathbb{C}

③ $(\mathbb{Q}[x], +, \times)$ is not a field. but it's a ring. polynomial ring.

④ $(M_n(\mathbb{R}), +, \times)$ is not a field as $(M_n(\mathbb{R}) \setminus \{0\}, \times)$ is not a gp.

but is a ring, called a matrix ring.

Question: ① How can we construct a group G ? \longrightarrow Given two groups $(G, \times), (H, *)$

② What do we ask about a group G ?

e.g. $(M_n(\mathbb{R}), +)$?

Let $(G, \times), (H, *)$ be groups.

Define $X = G \times H = \{(g, h) \mid g \in G, h \in H\}$.

multiplication " \cdot ": $(g_1, h_1) \cdot (g_2, h_2) := (g_1 \times g_2, h_1 * h_2)$.

Claim: $(G \times H, \cdot)$ is a group, called the direct product of G and H .

Prove $(G \times H, \cdot)$ is a group:

① closed: \checkmark .

② associativity:
$$[(g_1, h_1) \cdot (g_2, h_2)] \cdot (g_3, h_3)$$
$$= (g_1 \times g_2, h_1 * h_2) \cdot (g_3, h_3) = (g_1 \times g_2 \times g_3, h_1 * h_2 * h_3)$$

$$(g_1, h_1) \cdot [(g_2, h_2) \cdot (g_3, h_3)] = (g_1, h_1) \cdot (g_2 \times g_3, h_2 * h_3) \quad \checkmark$$

③ identity: Claim: (e_1, e_2) is $(G \times H, \cdot)$'s identity where e_1, e_2 denote the identity of G, H .

$$(g, h) \cdot (e_1, e_2) = (g \times e_1, h * e_2) = (g, h)$$

$$(e_1, e_2) \cdot (g, h) = (e_1 \times g, e_2 \times h) \quad \checkmark$$

④ inverse: every element's inverse is made of two components

which are the inverses of the two components that make up the element. \checkmark

□.

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More examples.

① Let $\mathbb{Z}_n = \{0, 1, 2, \dots, n-1\}$.

Define \oplus and \otimes as:

$$i \oplus j = i + j \pmod{n}.$$

$$i \otimes j = i \times j \pmod{n}.$$

Proposition: $(\mathbb{Z}_n, \oplus, \otimes)$ is a commutative ring.

Moreover, if $n \neq p$ is a prime, then $(\mathbb{Z}_p \setminus \{0\}, \otimes)$ is an abelian group.

$(\mathbb{Z}_p, \oplus, \otimes)$ is a field, denoted by \mathbb{F}_p , $GF(p)$.

proof:

$$a \in \{1, 2, \dots, p-1\}.$$

$\gcd(a, p) = 1$, so there exists $x, y \in \mathbb{Z}$ s.t. $ax + py = 1$.

$$\Rightarrow a \otimes x = ax = 1 \pmod{p}. \quad x = a^{-1}.$$

Fields: $\mathbb{Q}, \mathbb{R}, \mathbb{C}, \mathbb{F}_p$.

② Let $\mathbb{Q}[\sqrt{2}] = \{a + b\sqrt{2} \mid a, b \in \mathbb{Q}\} \subseteq \mathbb{R}$.

$(\mathbb{Q}[\sqrt{2}], +, \times)$ is a field. Check box: \checkmark .

③ Let $\mathbb{Q}[2^{\frac{1}{3}}] = \{a + b \cdot 2^{\frac{1}{3}} + c \cdot 2^{\frac{2}{3}} \mid a, b, c \in \mathbb{Q}\}$.

inverse.

extension fields
of \mathbb{Q} .

(1) $\forall k \in K, k = a + b\sqrt{2} + c\sqrt{3} \in \mathbb{Q}[\sqrt{2}, \sqrt{3}]$
 A.S.1.
 i.e. (1). $\forall k \in K, k = a + b\sqrt{2} + c\sqrt{3}$, a, b, c $\in \mathbb{Q}$.
 即 $k \in \mathbb{Q}$, 那么 $a, b, c \in \mathbb{Q}$. 由 $\sqrt{2}, \sqrt{3} \in K$
 且 $\sqrt{2}, \sqrt{3}$ 为无理数, 故 $a, b, c \in \mathbb{Q}$.
 (2). $0 = 0 + 0\sqrt{2} + 0\sqrt{3} \in K$. $\therefore 2 = 1 + 0\sqrt{2} + 0\sqrt{3} \in K$.
 (3). $\text{由 (1) 知 } (1) \in K$

(4) $\forall k \in K, k = a - b\sqrt{2} + c\sqrt{3} \in \mathbb{Q}[\sqrt{2}, \sqrt{3}]$
 A.S.2.
 i.e. (2). $\forall k \in K, k = a - b\sqrt{2} + c\sqrt{3}$, a, b, c $\in \mathbb{Q}$.
 即 $k \in \mathbb{Q}$, 那么 $a, b, c \in \mathbb{Q}$. 由 $\sqrt{2}, \sqrt{3} \in K$
 且 $\sqrt{2}, \sqrt{3}$ 为无理数, 故 $a, b, c \in \mathbb{Q}$.
 (1). $0 = 0 + 0\sqrt{2} + 0\sqrt{3} \in K$. $\therefore 2 = 1 + 0\sqrt{2} + 0\sqrt{3} \in K$.
 (2). $\text{由 (1) 知 } (2) \in K$

(5) $\forall k \in K, k = a + b\sqrt{-1} + c\sqrt{3} \in \mathbb{Q}[\sqrt{-1}, \sqrt{3}]$
 A.S.3.
 i.e. (3). $\forall k \in K, k = a + b\sqrt{-1} + c\sqrt{3}$, a, b, c $\in \mathbb{Q}$.
 即 $k \in \mathbb{Q}$, 那么 $a, b, c \in \mathbb{Q}$. 由 $\sqrt{-1}, \sqrt{3} \in K$
 且 $\sqrt{-1}, \sqrt{3}$ 为无理数, 故 $a, b, c \in \mathbb{Q}$.
 (1). $0 = 0 + 0\sqrt{-1} + 0\sqrt{3} \in K$. $\therefore 2 = 1 + 0\sqrt{-1} + 0\sqrt{3} \in K$.
 (2). $\text{由 (1) 知 } (3) \in K$

(6) $\forall k \in K, k = a + b\sqrt{-1} + c\sqrt{-3} \in \mathbb{Q}[\sqrt{-1}, \sqrt{-3}]$
 A.S.4.
 i.e. (4). $\forall k \in K, k = a + b\sqrt{-1} + c\sqrt{-3}$, a, b, c $\in \mathbb{Q}$.
 即 $k \in \mathbb{Q}$, 那么 $a, b, c \in \mathbb{Q}$. 由 $\sqrt{-1}, \sqrt{-3} \in K$
 且 $\sqrt{-1}, \sqrt{-3}$ 为无理数, 故 $a, b, c \in \mathbb{Q}$.
 (1). $0 = 0 + 0\sqrt{-1} + 0\sqrt{-3} \in K$. $\therefore 2 = 1 + 0\sqrt{-1} + 0\sqrt{-3} \in K$.
 (2). $\text{由 (1) 知 } (4) \in K$

(7) $\forall k \in K, k = a + b\sqrt{2} + c\sqrt{3} + d\sqrt{-1} \in \mathbb{Q}[\sqrt{2}, \sqrt{3}, \sqrt{-1}]$
 A.S.5.
 i.e. (5). $\forall k \in K, k = a + b\sqrt{2} + c\sqrt{3} + d\sqrt{-1}$, a, b, c, d $\in \mathbb{Q}$.
 即 $k \in \mathbb{Q}$, 那么 $a, b, c, d \in \mathbb{Q}$. 由 $\sqrt{2}, \sqrt{3}, \sqrt{-1} \in K$
 且 $\sqrt{2}, \sqrt{3}, \sqrt{-1}$ 为无理数, 故 $a, b, c, d \in \mathbb{Q}$.
 (1). $0 = 0 + 0\sqrt{2} + 0\sqrt{3} + 0\sqrt{-1} \in K$. $\therefore 2 = 1 + 0\sqrt{2} + 0\sqrt{3} + 0\sqrt{-1} \in K$.
 (2). $\text{由 (1) 知 } (5) \in K$

(8) $\forall k \in K, k = a + b\sqrt{-1} + c\sqrt{-3} + d\sqrt{2} \in \mathbb{Q}[\sqrt{-1}, \sqrt{-3}, \sqrt{2}]$
 A.S.6.
 i.e. (6). $\forall k \in K, k = a + b\sqrt{-1} + c\sqrt{-3} + d\sqrt{2}$, a, b, c, d $\in \mathbb{Q}$.
 即 $k \in \mathbb{Q}$, 那么 $a, b, c, d \in \mathbb{Q}$. 由 $\sqrt{-1}, \sqrt{-3}, \sqrt{2} \in K$
 且 $\sqrt{-1}, \sqrt{-3}, \sqrt{2}$ 为无理数, 故 $a, b, c, d \in \mathbb{Q}$.
 (1). $0 = 0 + 0\sqrt{-1} + 0\sqrt{-3} + 0\sqrt{2} \in K$. $\therefore 2 = 1 + 0\sqrt{-1} + 0\sqrt{-3} + 0\sqrt{2} \in K$.
 (2). $\text{由 (1) 知 } (6) \in K$

(9) $\forall k \in K, k = a + b\sqrt{2} + c\sqrt{3} + d\sqrt{-1} + e\sqrt{-3} \in \mathbb{Q}[\sqrt{2}, \sqrt{3}, \sqrt{-1}, \sqrt{-3}]$
 A.S.7.
 i.e. (7). $\forall k \in K, k = a + b\sqrt{2} + c\sqrt{3} + d\sqrt{-1} + e\sqrt{-3}$, a, b, c, d, e $\in \mathbb{Q}$.
 即 $k \in \mathbb{Q}$, 那么 $a, b, c, d, e \in \mathbb{Q}$. 由 $\sqrt{2}, \sqrt{3}, \sqrt{-1}, \sqrt{-3} \in K$
 且 $\sqrt{2}, \sqrt{3}, \sqrt{-1}, \sqrt{-3}$ 为无理数, 故 $a, b, c, d, e \in \mathbb{Q}$.
 (1). $0 = 0 + 0\sqrt{2} + 0\sqrt{3} + 0\sqrt{-1} + 0\sqrt{-3} \in K$. $\therefore 2 = 1 + 0\sqrt{2} + 0\sqrt{3} + 0\sqrt{-1} + 0\sqrt{-3} \in K$.
 (2). $\text{由 (1) 知 } (7) \in K$

$(\mathbb{Q}[x^{\frac{1}{3}}], +, \times)$ is a field.

④ Let $\mathbb{Q}[x] = \left\{ \frac{a_0 + a_1 x + \dots + a_n x^n + \dots}{b_0 + b_1 x + \dots + b_m x^m + \dots} \mid a_i, b_j \in \mathbb{Q} \right\}$.

$(\mathbb{Q}[x], +, \times)$ is a field.

⑤ Let $\mathbb{Z}[i] = \{a+bi \mid a, b \in \mathbb{Z}\}$, where $i=\sqrt{-1}$.

Claim: $(\mathbb{Z}[i], +, \times)$ is a ring, Gaussian ring. (Later used to prove

$$p = a^2 + b^2 \Leftrightarrow p \equiv 1 \pmod{4}$$

Let F be a field, and let

$G := M_n(F) = \{ \text{invertible matrices of degree } n \text{ over } F \}$.

(G, \times) is a group, General Linear group.

$GL_n(F)$ or $GL(n, F)$

$GL_n(\mathbb{F}_p) = GL_n(p)$.

Let (G, \times) be a group.

Def. A subset $H \subseteq G$ is called a subgroup of G if

(H, \times) is a group. denoted by $H \leq G$.



the operation need to be the same. eg. (\mathbb{Z}_n, \oplus) is not a subgp of $(\mathbb{Z}, +)$.

Lemma. $H \subseteq G$ is a subgp

\Leftrightarrow ① for any $x, y \in H$, we have

$xy \in H$ & $x^{-1} \in H$. If G is finite, only $xy \in H$ is needed.

$H \subseteq G, |G| < \infty$.

$H \leq G \Leftrightarrow H^2 \subseteq H$. (don't need $H^1 \subseteq H$).

Pf: $\forall x \in H, \{x, x^2, \dots\}$.

$x^0 = x^1$. $x \cdot x^{-1} \in H = e$.

\Leftrightarrow ② for any $x, y \in H$, we have If G is infinite, $x^{-1}H$ is required.

$$xy^{-1} \in H.$$

Moreover, if $|G|$ is finite, then $H \subset G$ is a subgp $\Leftrightarrow xy \in H$ for any $x, y \in H$.

this is because for $x \in G$, $\langle x \rangle$ is finite, $|x|$ is finite $\Rightarrow x^{-1} = x^{|x|-1}$

Ex. Let $G := \{A \in M_n(F) \mid \det(A) = 1\}$.

then $G \subset M_n(F)$, and (G, \times) is a group.

also a subgp of $GL_n(F)$.

called Special Linear group.

$SL_n(F)$ or $SL(n, F)$.

Problem. $|GL_n(p)| = ?$

G : group.

$|SL_n(p)| = ?$

$H \subseteq G$. $K \subseteq G$.

Then $G = HK \Leftrightarrow HK = KH$ and $|G| = |H||K|$.

or $HK \subseteq G \Leftrightarrow HK = KH$.

$$C = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} a & & \\ & \ddots & \\ & & a \end{bmatrix} \mid 0 \neq a \in F \right\} \subset GL_n(F).$$

(C, \times) is a subgroup of $GL_n(F)$.

Claim: C is the center of $GL_n(F)$.

denoted by $Z(GL_n(F))$.

Def. A subgp $H \subseteq G$ is called the center of G if

$$hg = gh \text{ for all } h \in H \text{ and } g \in G.$$

Let G be a group. $H \subset G$.

$$aH = bH \Leftrightarrow a^{-1}b \in H.$$

Def. Let $H_g := \{hg \mid h \in H\}$, where $g \in G$.

$gH := \{gh \mid h \in H\}$.
 right coset left coset.

If $hg \in H$, $g \notin H$.
 Suppose $g \notin H$, e.g. $g \in H$. contrary.

Prop.

① For $g_1, g_2 \in G$, $Hg_1 \cap Hg_2 \neq \emptyset \Leftrightarrow Hg_1 = Hg_2$.

Pf: suppose $hg_1 = hg_2$ so $Hg_1 = (Hh)g_1 = H(hg_1) = H(hg_2) = (Hh)g_2 = Hg_2$.

Prop. $hH = H$ for $h \in H$.
 (Pf: $x = (x, h)h \in Hh$).

Cor. either $Hg_1 = Hg_2$ or $Hg_1 \cap Hg_2 = \emptyset$.

② If H is finite, then $|Hg| = |H|$. (Pf: $\psi: H \rightarrow Hg$ bij.)
 $H \leq G$, $a, b \in G$. $|aH| = |bH|$.

Theorem (Lagrange):

If G is a finite group, then the order of a subgroup

divides the order $|G|$. i.e. for $H \leq G$, we have $|H| \mid |G|$.

In particular, each element of G has its order dividing $|G|$.

Pf: Write all different right cosets of H in G .

Hg_1, Hg_2, \dots, Hg_m . $G = a_1H \sqcup a_2H \sqcup a_3H \dots \sqcup a_mH$. $(G = \bigcup_g (Hg))$

$G = (Hg_1) \dot{\cup} (Hg_2) \dot{\cup} \dots \dot{\cup} (Hg_m)$. $\{a_1, \dots, a_m\}$ is called a (left) coset representative system of H in G .
 Union with vacous intersection.

and $|G| = |Hg_1| + |Hg_2| + \dots + |Hg_m| = m|H|$, so $|H| \mid |G|$. \square .

Upshot: $H \leq G \Rightarrow |H| \mid |G|$. The # of cosets := index of H .

$H, K \leq G$. Cor: $|HK| = \frac{|H||K|}{|H \cap K|}$ denoted by $[G:H]$ or $[G:H]$

G : finite group.

For $g \in G$, $g, g^2, \dots, g^n, \dots$ the sequence is finite.

i.e. for some m , $g^m \in \{g, g^2, \dots, g^{m-1}\}$.

So $g^m = g^j$ for $1 \leq j \leq m-1 \Rightarrow g^{m-j} = 1 \Rightarrow g^1 = g^{m-j-1}$.

$\Rightarrow \{1, g, g^2, \dots, g^{m-j-1}\}$ form a subgp. of G , denoted by $\langle g \rangle$.

denote the order of g : $|\langle g \rangle|$ or $|g|$. (left as HW for a more detailed pf.)

Theorem (Fermat Little Theorem)

Let p be a prime, and $a \in \{1, \dots, p-1\}$.

Then, $a^{p-1} \equiv 1 \pmod{p}$.

Pf: Let $G = (\mathbb{Z}_p \setminus \{0\}, \otimes) = \{1, 2, \dots, p-1\}, \otimes$, a gp of order $p-1$.

Then $a \in G$, so $k = |a| \mid \overbrace{|G|}^{p-1}$, i.e. Lagrange.

$$a^{p-1} = a^{km} = (a^k)^m = 1^m = 1 \in G.$$

$$a^{p-1} \equiv 1 \pmod{p}. \quad \square.$$

Recall. $(\mathbb{Z}_n, \oplus, \otimes)$ is a ring.

$(\mathbb{Z}_n \setminus \{0\}, \otimes)$ is not necessarily a group.

$$\text{Let } U(n) = \{x \in \mathbb{Z}_n \mid \gcd(x, n) = 1\}.$$

Then $(U(n), \otimes)$ is a group of order $\phi(n)$.

Theorem (Euler Theorem)

Let n be a positive integer, and let x be an integer coprime to n ,

if $1 \leq x < n$, then $x^{\phi(n)} \equiv 1 \pmod{n}$. (Pf left as HW)

Recall. $SL_n(F) < GL_n(F)$.

$$\begin{matrix} \psi \\ x \\ g. \end{matrix}$$

we have $g^{-1}xg \in SL_n(F)$, since $\det(g^{-1}xg) = \det(g^{-1}) \det(x) \det(g) = 1$.

Def. Let $H \leq G$. Then H is called a normal subgroup of G if $H^g \subseteq H$.

$g^{-1}hg \in H$ for all $h \in H$ and all $g \in G$. denoted by $H \triangleleft G$.

$$g^{-1}Hg = H.$$

Prop. $Z(G) \triangleleft G$. (Pf left as HW).

Pf. $Z(G)$: $hg = gh$ for all $h \in Z(G)$, $g \in G$.

$$\Rightarrow g^{-1}hg = g^{-1}gh = h \in H \Rightarrow Z(G) \triangleleft G. \square.$$

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$$g^{-1}Hg$$

$$gH = (gHg^{-1})g$$

Lemma ① $H \triangleleft G$.

$$\text{③} \Rightarrow \text{④}: g^{-1}hg \in H \Rightarrow gg^{-1}hg = hg \in gH \Rightarrow hg \in gH.$$

$$\text{Similarly. } gH \subset hg \Rightarrow gH = hg$$

$$\text{our def.} \quad \textcircled{2} \quad g^{-1}Hg = H$$

$$\textcircled{3} \quad g^{-1}hg \in H \quad \forall h \in H.$$

$$\textcircled{4} \quad gH = hg$$

①, ②, ③, ④ are equivalent.

Eg. $SL_n(F) \triangleleft GL_n(F)$.

Def. Let $N \triangleleft G$, and let $G/N = \{gN \mid g \in G\} = [G:N]$.

and define $(g_1N) \cdot (g_2N) = (g_1g_2)N$. So $(G/N, \cdot)$.

Prop. $(G/N, \cdot)$ is a group, called factor group or quotient group.

Pf. " \cdot " is well-defined. (This quotient may have different representatives.)

$$\textcircled{1} \quad (g_1N) \cdot (g_2N) = (g_2N) \cdot ((g_1N) \cdot (g_3N)).$$

\textcircled{2} N is the identity for $(G/N, \cdot)$.

$$\textcircled{3} \quad (gN)^{-1} = g^{-1}N. \quad \square.$$

$$\text{Eq.} \quad \left| \frac{GL_n(\mathbb{F}_p)}{SL_n(\mathbb{F}_p)} \right| = p-1. \quad g \in GL_n(\mathbb{F}_p) \Rightarrow g = g_1 h, \text{ where } |h|=1, \text{ and}$$

$$g_1 = \begin{bmatrix} a & \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}, \text{ with } |a| = \det(g_1).$$

$$\text{Claim: } \left(\frac{GL_n(\mathbb{F}_p)}{SL_n(\mathbb{F}_p)}, \cdot \right) \quad g = \begin{bmatrix} a & \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} a' & \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} a_{ij} \end{bmatrix}}_{h}. \quad \text{where } a = \det(g) \neq 0.$$

is a cyclic of

order $p-1$.

$$\left\{ \begin{bmatrix} a & \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \mid a \in \mathbb{F}_p \setminus \{0\} \right\} \underset{\text{also}}{\subset} GL_n(\mathbb{F}_p).$$

$$V = F^3$$

$$\{(a, 0, 0) \mid a \in F\}.$$

$$\{(0, b, 0) \mid b \in F\}.$$

$$\{(a, a, 0) \mid a \in F\}.$$

"essentially the same".

Def. Two groups (G, \cdot) and $(H, *)$ are said to be isomorphic if there is a

one-to-one mapping $\phi: G \rightarrow H$ such that $(g_1 \cdot g_2)^\phi = g_1^\phi * g_2^\phi$

bij.

for all ents $g_1, g_2 \in G$.

$$G \cong H$$

(preserve the operation)

ϕ isomorphism.

$$\text{Eq.} \quad \text{Let } G = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 1 & c \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \mid c \in \mathbb{F}_p \right\}. \quad (G, \cdot) \cong (\mathbb{F}_p, +). \quad \text{HW: } \frac{GL_n(p)}{SL_n(p)} \cong \mathbb{Z}_{p-1}.$$

$$\phi: \begin{bmatrix} 1 & c \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow c.$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & c_1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} 1 & c_2 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{\phi} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & c_1 + c_2 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\downarrow \quad \downarrow \quad \downarrow$$

$$c_1 + c_2$$

Def. G is homomorphic to H if a mapping $\phi: G \rightarrow H$ st.

$\phi: g \cdot g' \rightarrow g^\phi g'^\phi$ or $(g \cdot g')^\phi = g^\phi g'^\phi$. ϕ is a homomorphism.

Eg. Let $G = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \mid a, b \in F \setminus \{0\} \right\}$.

$$H = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} a & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \mid a \in F \setminus \{0\} \right\}.$$

$\phi: \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \mapsto \begin{bmatrix} a & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ homomorphism.

Eg. Let $N \triangleleft G$. Then G is homomorphic to G/N .

natural homomorphism $\phi: G \rightarrow G/N$. by

$$g \mapsto gN. \quad \forall g \in G.$$

$$(gg')^\phi = g^\phi g'^\phi \quad N: \text{normal subgroup} \Rightarrow gN = Ng.$$

$$\overset{\text{"}}{gg'} \overset{\text{"}}{N} \quad \downarrow \quad (gN)(g'N) = g(g'N)N = gg'(NN) = gg'N.$$

(G, \cdot) is a group. $\phi: \text{homomorphism}$.

Def. Let $K = \{g \in G \mid g^\phi = 1\} \subseteq G$. called the kernel of ϕ .

Prop. Then $1^\circ K \triangleleft G$ $\left(G/\ker \phi \cong \text{Im } \phi \right)$

$2^\circ G/K \cong \text{Im } \phi$. (The first isomorphism theorem).

1° Proof: ① $K \leq G$ as K is closed under multiplication " \cdot ".

For $g, g' \in K$, we have $g^\phi = 1, g'^\phi = 1$. so

$$(gg')^\phi = g^\phi \cdot g'^\phi = 1 \cdot 1 = 1.$$

② For $x \in G$ and $h \in K$.

$x^{-1}hx \in K$ as

$$(x^{-1}hx)^\phi = (x^{-1})^\phi h^\phi (x)^\phi = (x^{-1})^\phi \cdot 1 \cdot (x)^\phi = (x^{-1})^\phi \cdot (x)^\phi = (x^{-1} \cdot x)^\phi = 1^\phi = 1.$$

2° Proof: Define $\tilde{\phi}: G/K \rightarrow \text{Im } \phi$ by $gK \mapsto g^\phi$
 $gK \mapsto h$

First, $\tilde{\phi}$ is a homomorphism.

Then $\tilde{\phi}$ is an injection.

Clearly, $\tilde{\phi}$ is a surjection.

For any $h \in \text{Im } \phi$, we have $h = g^\phi$ for some $g \in G$.

so $\tilde{\phi}: gK \rightarrow h$ is surjective. \square .

(The second isomorphism theorem)

Let $G = AB = \{ab \mid a \in A, b \in B\}$. (H.W.)

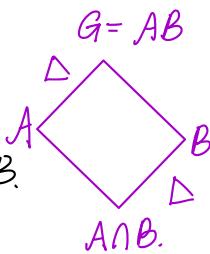
Assume $A \triangleleft G$. then $A \cap B \triangleleft B$

and $G/A \cong B/(A \cap B)$.

Pf: ① Take $x \in A \cap B$ and $g \in B$.

Then $g^{-1}xg \in A, B$. so $g^{-1}xg \in A \cap B$.

and $A \cap B \triangleleft B$.



② Define $\varphi: B \rightarrow G/A$.

$$b \mapsto bA.$$

Claim: ① φ is homomorphism.

② the kernel of φ is $A \cap B$.
 $\ker \varphi$.

by the first isomorphism thm.

$$B/(A \cap B) \cong G/A. \quad \square.$$

Let $AB \triangleleft G$, then

① $AB = \{ab \mid a \in A, b \in B\} \subseteq G$.

② If $A \triangleleft G$, then $AB \trianglelefteq G$.

Pf of ②: Let $a_1b_1, a_2b_2 \in AB$.

where $a_1, a_2 \in A$ and $b_1, b_2 \in B$.

Then $(a_1b_1)(a_2b_2) = a_1b_1a_2b_2$.

$$= \underbrace{a_1b_1a_2b_1^{-1}}_{(a_1a_2')}(b_1b_2)$$

$$= (a_1a_2')(b_1b_2) \in AB.$$

$$ab \in AB \Rightarrow (ab)^{-1} = b^{-1}a^{-1}$$

$$= \underbrace{b^{-1}a^{-1}b}_{a'b'}b^{-1} = a'b' \in AB.$$

So AB is a subgp. of G .

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Let $H, K \triangleleft G$, we have $G/H, G/K$.

If $H \subset K$, then G/H is isomorphic to G/K (surjective) with kernel K/H check.

$$\text{so } \frac{(G/H)}{(K/H)} = G/K.$$

Theorem (3rd iso. thm)

Let $H, K \triangleleft G$ s.t. $H \subset K$. then $\frac{(G/H)}{(K/H)} \cong G/K$.

Idea of pf: $\phi: gH \mapsto gK$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} G/H & \xrightarrow{\quad} & G/K \\ \downarrow & & \curvearrowright_{1.K.} \end{array}$$

$$\text{kernel} = K/H.$$

Thm 1 If $\phi: G \rightarrow H$ is a homo, then $\frac{G}{\ker \phi} \cong G^{\phi} (\leq H)$.

Thm 2 If $G = HK$ and $K \triangleleft G$, then $\frac{G}{K} \cong \frac{H}{(H \cap K)}$. ($H \cap K \triangleleft H$).

Def. Let G, H be groups. Let $X = G \times H = \{(g, h) \mid g \in G, h \in H\}$.

$$\text{S.t. } (g_1, h_1)(g_2, h_2) = (g_1 g_2, h_1 h_2).$$

Then, $G \times H$ is a group called a direct product of G and H .

$$\text{direct sum } G \oplus H.$$

Cyclic group: $G = \langle g \rangle$ g : generator.

$$= \{g^{\pm i} \mid i \in \mathbb{N}\}.$$

Ex. ① $(\mathbb{Z}, +) = \{(\pm i) \cdot 1 \mid i \in \mathbb{N}\}$.

$$= \{\pm i \mid i \in \mathbb{N}\}$$

$$\textcircled{2} (\mathbb{Z}_p, \oplus) = \{(\pm i) \cdot 1 \mid i \in N\}.$$

$$= \{0, \dots, p-1\}.$$

every element can be a generator.

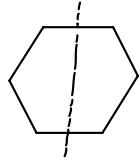
Dihedral group ~~= 面群~~.

Def. Let $G = \{1, a, \dots, a^{n-1}\}$

$$\begin{array}{l} b, ab, \dots, a^{n-1}b \mid |a|=n, |b|=2 \\ \downarrow \quad \quad \quad \downarrow \\ b^{-1} \quad \quad \quad a^{n-1} = a^{-1}, b = b^{-1} \end{array} \text{ where } b^{-1}ab = a^{-1}.$$

Claim: G is a group of order $2n$. denoted by D_n or D_n

Ex.



6 rotations, 60° .

$$|a|=6.$$

$$|b|=2.$$

$$\langle a, b \rangle = D_2 \text{ or } D_6.$$

$$a^i b = b a^{-i}.$$

Pf: $\langle a \rangle = \{1, a, a^2, \dots, a^{n-1}\}$.

$$a^i \cdot a^j = a^{i+j} \quad \text{reading } i+j \text{ modulo } n.$$

$$(a^i)^{-1} = a^{n-i}$$

$$\textcircled{1} \quad a^i \cdot (a^j b) = a^{i+j} \cdot b \in G.$$

$$(a^i b) \cdot (a^j b) = a^i b a^j b = a^i b^{-1} a^j b = a^i a^{-j} = a^{i-j} \in G.$$

$$\textcircled{2} \quad (a^i b)^{-1} = b^{-1} a^{-i} b b = a^i b \in G.$$

In particular $a^i b$ is of order 2. "involution": element of order 2.

Let $\Omega = \{1, 2, \dots, n\}$.

A 1-1 map from Ω to Ω is called a permutation on Ω .

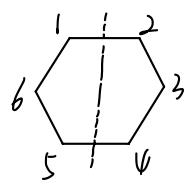
Let $\text{Sym}(\Omega) = \{\text{all permutations on } \Omega\}$. $|\text{Sym}(\Omega)| = n!$.

Define multiplication " \cdot " by "composition".

Then, $(\text{Sym}(\Omega), \cdot)$ is a group called the symmetric group on Ω , denoted S_n .

$$\Omega = \{1, 2, 3, 4\}.$$

$$\begin{array}{ll} \phi: 1 \rightarrow 2 & \left(\begin{array}{cccc} 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 \\ 2 & 4 & 3 & 1 \end{array} \right) \\ 2 \rightarrow 4 & \\ 3 \rightarrow 3 & \\ 4 \rightarrow 1 & (1 \ 2 \ 4) \ (3) \text{ cycle form.} \\ & \downarrow \text{simplified.} \\ & (1 \ 2 \ 4). \end{array} \quad \text{eg. } (2 \ 4 \ 3) = \left(\begin{array}{cccc} 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 \\ 1 & 4 & 2 & 3 \end{array} \right)_{!!}$$



6 rotations, 60° .

$$|a|=6.$$

$$|b|=2.$$

$$\langle a, b \rangle = D_6.$$

$$\begin{cases} a = (1 \ 2 \ 3 \ 4 \ 5 \ 6) \\ b = (1 \ 2) \ (3 \ 6) \ (4 \ 5) \end{cases} \in \text{Sym}(\Omega), \quad \Omega = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6\}.$$

ab are permutations, ^{group operation} not functions. ^{written as:}
 $i^{ab} = (i^a)^b$
 $\underline{ab = (1 \ 2 \ 3 \ 4 \ 5 \ 6) \ (1 \ 2) \ (3 \ 6) \ (4 \ 5)}$ So we compute ab

$$= (2 \ 6) \ (3 \ 5).$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 1 \ 2 \ 3 \ 4 \ 5 \ 6 \\ 2 \ 3 \ 4 \ 5 \ 6 \ 1 \\ 1 \ 6 \ 5 \ 4 \ 3 \ 2 \end{array}$$

$$bab = a^{-1}.$$

$$1 \ 2 \ 3 \ 4 \ 5 \ 6 \quad bab = (1 \ 6 \ 5 \ 4 \ 3 \ 2 \ 1) = (6 \ 5 \ 4 \ 3 \ 2 \ 1) \quad (1)(2 \ 6) \ (3 \ 5) \ (4) = (2 \ 6) \ (3 \ 5)$$

$$2 \ 1 \ 6 \ 5 \ 4 \ 3$$

$$3 \ 2 \ 1 \ 6 \ 5 \ 4$$

$$6 \ 1 \ 2 \ 3 \ 4 \ 5$$

$$(1 \ 6 \ 5 \ 4 \ 3 \ 2 \ 1)$$

$$= (1 \ 2 \ 3 \ 4 \ 5 \ 6)^{-1} = a^{-1} \quad " (5 \ 4 \ 3 \ 2 \ 1 \ 6) = \dots \dots$$

HW: write all elements of S_4 .

Lemma! Each permutation of $\Omega = \{1, 2, \dots, n\}$ can be written as a product of disjoint cycles.

$$\text{eg. } \phi: \begin{array}{l} 1 \rightarrow 6 \\ 2 \rightarrow 3 \\ 3 \rightarrow 4 \\ 4 \rightarrow 2 \\ 5 \rightarrow 5 \\ 6 \rightarrow 1 \end{array} \quad \text{Then } \phi = (1 \ 6) \ (2 \ 3 \ 4) \ (5).$$

$$\begin{array}{c} = (1 \ 6) \ (2 \ 3 \ 4) \\ = ((1 \ 6) \ (2) \ (3) \ (4) \ (5)) \ (0) \ (2 \ 3 \ 4) \ (5) \ (6) \\ |\phi| = 2 \times 3 \end{array}$$

$\phi_1 \sim \phi_m$ are disjoint \Rightarrow

If $\phi = \phi_1 \phi_2 \cdots \phi_m$, $|\phi| = \text{least common multiple of } (\phi_1, \phi_2, \dots, \phi_m)$

(i j) — transposition.

Lemma 2. Each permutation can be written as a product of transpositions. (not uniquely).

$$\begin{aligned} (231) &= (23)(21) = (23)(12) \\ \text{eg. } (123) &= (12)(13) \\ (1234) &= (12)(13)(14) \\ (i_1 i_2 \cdots i_m) &= (i_1 i_2)(i_1 i_3) \cdots (i_1 i_m). \end{aligned}$$

The number of transpositions is unique modulo 2.
(parity).

$$\begin{aligned} \text{eg. } (123) &= (12)(13) \\ &= (12)(23) \underbrace{(32)(13)(32)}_{(12)}(32) \\ &= (12)(23)(12)(32), \\ (1234) &= (12)(13)(14) \\ &= (12)(23) \underbrace{(23)(13)(23)(23)}_{(12)}(23)(14) \\ &= (12)(23)(12)(23)(14), \end{aligned}$$

Definition. If the number of transpositions appear in a permutation is even,

then the permutation is called an even permutation, otherwise, odd permutation.

Lemma. All even permutations in $\text{Sym}(\Omega)$ form a proper subgroup of $\text{Sym}(\Omega)$.

called the alternating group, denote $\text{Alt}(\Omega)$ or A_n .

Claim: $A_n \triangleleft S_n$, and $|S_n| = 2|A_n|$. $|A_n| = \frac{1}{2}n!$

$\Omega = \{1, 2, \dots, n\}$ Observation: any ele. in A_n is a prod. of 3-cycle.

If ϕ is odd, then $(12)\phi$ is even.

So each odd permutation g of S_n has the form $g = (12)h$, where $h \in A_n$.

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$$A, B \rightarrow A \times B.$$

$$A \oplus B.$$

$$G = (\mathbb{Z}_{15}, \oplus). \quad |G| = 15.$$

$$= \langle 1 \rangle. = \{1, 2, 3, \dots, 14, \overset{\circ}{15}\}$$

$$\text{Let } A = \langle 3 \rangle = \{3, 6, 9, \overset{\circ}{12}, \overset{\circ}{15}\}. \quad |A| = 5.$$

$$B = \langle 5 \rangle = \{5, 10, \overset{\circ}{15}\} \quad |B| = 3.$$

Correspond with HW3 Prob. 10.

Claim: $G = AB. \quad G \cong A \times B.$ (Chinese Remainder Thm ?).

$$g = a \oplus b.$$

Thm. Let $H, K \triangleleft G$ such that $G = HK.$ TFAE.

(1) $\phi: H \times K \rightarrow G$

$(h, k) \mapsto hk$ is an isomorphism.

(2). $H \cap K = \{e\}$, where e is the identity.

Proof: (1) \Rightarrow (2). Assume ϕ is iso.

Suppose $x \in H \cap K$ s.t. $x \neq e$.

Then, $\phi: (x, e) \mapsto xe = x$
 $\neq (e, x) \mapsto ex = x.$ Contradiction. So $H \cap K = \{e\}.$

(2) \Rightarrow (1). Assume $H \cap K = \{e\}.$

We need to prove that ϕ is a homomorphism and a bijection.

Claim: $hk = kh$ for any $h \in H, k \in K$.

$$\text{Consider } hkh^{-1}k^{-1} = (hkh^{-1})k^{-1} = k'k^{-1} \in K.$$

$$\text{and } hkh^{-1}k^{-1} = h(kh^{-1}k^{-1}) = h'h' \in H.$$

$$\Rightarrow hkh^{-1}k^{-1} \in H \cap K \Rightarrow hkh^{-1}k^{-1} = e \Rightarrow hk = kh.$$

① homo.

$$\begin{aligned} ((h_1, k_1)(h_2, k_2))^{\phi} &= (h_1h_2, k_1k_2)^{\phi} = (h_1h_2)(k_1k_2) = h_1h_2k_1k_2 = h_1k_1h_2k_2 \\ &= (h_1k_1)(h_2k_2) = (h_1, k_1)^{\phi}(h_2, k_2)^{\phi}. \end{aligned}$$

② by def., ϕ is surj. as $G = HK$.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{③ The kernel of } \phi &= \{(h, k) \in H \cap K \mid (h, k)^{\phi} = e\} \\ &= \{(h, k) \in H \cap K \mid hk = e\} \end{aligned}$$

Then, $k = h^{-1} \in H \cap K = \{e\}$. Similarly $h = e$. \Rightarrow the kernel is trivial.

$\Rightarrow \phi$ is inj.

Thus, ϕ is iso. and $H \times K \cong G$. \square

\downarrow
inner direct prod.

Notation: $G = H \times K = HK$. (H, K are diff. subgp.).

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Warning: } G &= \mathbb{Z}_3 \times \mathbb{Z}_3 \\ &= H \times H = \{(h_1, h_2) \mid h_1, h_2 \in H\}. \\ &\neq \underbrace{HH}_{=H} \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Let } G = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} a & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & b_1 & b_2 \\ 0 & b_3 & b_4 \end{bmatrix} \mid \begin{array}{l} a \in \overline{\mathbb{F}_p} \setminus \{0\}, \\ b_i \in \overline{\mathbb{F}_p}, \\ b_1b_2 - b_3b_4 \neq 0 \end{array} \right\}.$$

Then G is a group with mat. mult. $G \subset GL_3(\mathbb{F}_p)$.

Claim: $G \cong \mathbb{Z}_{p-1} \times GL_2(\mathbb{F}_p)$. (thinking about block mat.).

$$\text{Let } A = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} a & 0 \\ 0 & I_2 \end{bmatrix} \mid a \in \mathbb{F}_p \setminus \{0\} \right\}$$

Then $G = A \times B \cong \mathbb{Z}_{p-1} \times GL_2(\mathbb{F}_p)$

$$B = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & b_1, b_2 \\ 0 & b_3, b_4 \end{bmatrix} \mid \begin{array}{l} b_i \in \mathbb{F}_p \\ b_3b_4 - b_1b_2 \neq 0 \end{array} \right\}$$

$$\begin{matrix} H < G \\ / \end{matrix}$$

maximal subgroup. If $H \leq K \leq G$, then $K=H$ or $K=G$.

Def. subgps. of $\text{Sym}(\Omega)$ are called permutation groups on Ω .

Let $G \leq \text{Sym}(\Omega)$, then G is called transitive on Ω if it is.

if for any $w_1, w_2 \in \Omega$, there is a $g \in G$ s.t. $w_1 g = w_2$.

Otherwise, G is intransitive on Ω .

HW. ① Let $G = S_n$. Describe maximal intransitive subgps of G .

1 dimensional subspace.

② Let $G = GL_n(\mathbb{F}_p)$ Describe max. subgroups of G which fixes a 1-subspace of \mathbb{F}_p^n .

Let $G = \langle g \rangle = \mathbb{Z}_n$.

(1) If $n = lm$ s.t. $\gcd(l, m) = 1$, then $\mathbb{Z}_n = \mathbb{Z}_l \times \mathbb{Z}_m$.

(2) If $n = p_1^{e_1} p_2^{e_2} \cdots p_r^{e_r}$ where p_1, p_2, \dots, p_r are distinct primes.

then $\mathbb{Z}_n = \mathbb{Z}_{p_1^{e_1}} \times \mathbb{Z}_{p_2^{e_2}} \times \cdots \times \mathbb{Z}_{p_r^{e_r}}$.

Let G be a group of order p^2 , where p is a prime.

Then, either $G \cong \mathbb{Z}_{p^2}$, or $G \cong \mathbb{Z}_p \times \mathbb{Z}_p$.

Observe that $g \in G$ has order p or p^2 .

If $|g| = p^2$, then $\langle g \rangle = \{g, g^2, \dots, g^{p^2}\}$. So $G = \langle g \rangle$ is cyclic.

Suppose G does not have elts of order p^2 .

Let $a \in G \setminus \{1\}$. Then $\langle a \rangle \cong \mathbb{Z}_p$.

Let $b \in G \setminus \langle a \rangle$. Then $\langle b \rangle \cong \mathbb{Z}_p$.

Further, $\langle a \rangle \cap \langle b \rangle = \{1\}$ and $G = \langle a \rangle \langle b \rangle$. (Prove G Abelian).

HW. Prove $G = \langle a \rangle \times \langle b \rangle \cong \mathbb{Z}_p \times \mathbb{Z}_p$.

Thm (Fundamental Theorem for Finite Abelian Groups).

Let G be a finite abelian group of order n , and let $n = p_1^{e_1} \cdots p_r^{e_r}$.

Then ⁽¹⁾ $G = G_1 \times G_2 \times \cdots \times G_r$, where $|G_i| = p_i^{e_i}$.

⁽²⁾ G is a direct product of cyclic subgroups.

Proof: (1) Let $n = p^e m$ s.t. p is a prime and $p \nmid m$. otherwise $|H| \neq p^e$.

Let $H = \{g^m \mid g \in G\}$. Then H is a subgroup, and every elt

of H has order p -power. ($|H| = p^e m$. $H^{p^e} \subseteq G$).

Moreover, $|H| = p^e$, and $G = H \times K$, where $|K|=m$.

Repeat this process, we'll finish the proof of (i).

(ii). Assume that $|G| = p^e$

Let $g \in G$ which has the largest order. i.e $|g| \geq |h|$ for any $h \in G$.

If $G = \langle g \rangle$, then we are done.

Suppose $G \neq \langle g \rangle$.

Claim: $G = \langle g \rangle \times H$ for some $H < G$. $\rightarrow h \in G \setminus \langle g \rangle$.

(i). Let $h \in G \setminus \langle g \rangle$ s.t. $h^p \in \langle g \rangle$. If $h^p \notin \langle g \rangle$, then $h^{p^2} \in \langle g \rangle$ or

So $h^p = g^k$ for some integer k . Since $|g| \geq |h|$, $k = pl$.

for some integer l .

$h^{p^2} \notin \langle g \rangle$.

\downarrow $(h^{p^2})^p$ keep going.

Let $x = h^{-1}g^l$. Then $|x| = p$ as $x^p = h^{-p}g^{lp} = h^{-p}g^k = 1$.

and $x \notin \langle g \rangle$ since $h \notin \langle g \rangle$.

(iii). Let $\bar{G} = \frac{G}{\langle x \rangle}$, then $|\bar{G}| < |G|$.

$|\bar{g}|$ is the largest order in $|\bar{G}|$. By induction, we may

assume $\bar{G} = \langle \bar{g} \rangle \times \bar{H}$ where \bar{g} is the image of g in \bar{G} .

(iii). Let H be the full preimage of \bar{H} under $\bar{G} \rightarrow \bar{G}$.

i.e. $H = \{h \in G \mid \bar{h} \in \bar{H}\}$.

Then $H < G$ and $\langle g \rangle \cap H = \{1\}$.

Thus, $G = \langle g \rangle H = \langle g \rangle \times H$, as claimed.

Ring $(R, +, \cdot)$

$(R, +)$ abelian group.

(R, \cdot) semi-group. (only have associativity).

$$a \cdot (b+c) = a \cdot b + a \cdot c.$$

(left & right distributivity).

$$(b+c) \cdot a = b \cdot a + c \cdot a.$$

Note: $0 \cdot a = 0$. \rightarrow identity of addition

Given $a \in R$.

If $ba=1$, then b is left inverse.

If $ab=1$, then b is right inverse.

Further, if $ab=ba=1$, b is a's inverse.

Sometimes, $a \neq 0, b \neq 0$ but $ab=0$. e.g. in mat. ring. $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$ & $\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$

a, b : zero factor of each other.

① If $ab=ba$, $\forall a, b \in R$, then R is a commutative ring.

② If each elt of R is invertible, then R is a division ring. 除环.

③ If R is commutative ~~and has no zero factor~~ ^{with identity}, then R is an integral domain. 整环.
(R should also have at least 2 elts and identity for multiplication).

e.g. ① $(\mathbb{Z}, +, \cdot)$ integral domain. $0 \neq 1$

② $(\mathbb{Z}/m\mathbb{Z}, +, \cdot)$ commutative ring. for all m .

$\begin{cases} \text{division ring} & \text{for prime } m. \\ \text{integral domain} & \end{cases}$

③ $(M_n(\mathbb{F}), +, \cdot)$ neither commutative nor division ring.

④ $(\mathbb{F}[x], +, \cdot)$ integral domain.

Def. A subset S of a ring $(R, +, \cdot)$ is called a subring if $(S, +, \cdot)$ is a ring
 $(S \leq R)$

e.g. ① $(2\mathbb{Z}, +, \cdot)$ is a subring of $(\mathbb{Z}, +, \cdot)$.

$(3\mathbb{Z}, +, \cdot)$ is a subring of $(\mathbb{Z}, +, \cdot)$.

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② diagonal matrices in $(M_n(\mathbb{F}), +, \cdot)$ form a subgroup of $(M_n(\mathbb{F}), +, \cdot)$

③ $\{\underbrace{f(x) \cdot x \mid f(x) \in \mathbb{F}[x]}\}_{\text{无常数项}} \text{ form a subgroup of } (\mathbb{F}[x], +, \cdot)$.

无常数项 $\in \mathbb{F}[x]$.

Def. A subring I of R is called an ideal if $rI, Ir \subset I$ for all elts. $r \in R$. ($I \triangleleft R$)

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e.g. ① $(2\mathbb{Z}, +, \times)$ is a subgroup of $(\mathbb{Z}, +, \times)$. ideal.

$$N = \{rx \mid x \in I\}.$$

$(3\mathbb{Z}, +, \times)$ is a subgroup of $(\mathbb{Z}, +, \times)$. ideal.

Note: $rI \neq I$.

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$$5(2\mathbb{Z}) \not\subseteq 2\mathbb{Z}.$$

② diagonal matrices in $(\text{Mn}(\mathbb{F}), +, \times)$ form a subgroup of $(\text{Mn}(\mathbb{F}), +, \times)$ \times ideal.

③ $\{\tilde{f}(x) \cdot x \mid f(x) \in \mathbb{F}[x]\}$ form a subgroup of $(\mathbb{F}[x], +, \times)$. ideal.

无常数项的 \$f(x)\$

(additive) quotient ring

Def. For a ring R and an ideal I of R , let $R/I := \{r+I \mid r \in R\}$, and

$$(r_1+I) \oplus (r_2+I) = (r_1+r_2)+I.$$

Rank: why ideal?

$$(r_1+I) \otimes (r_2+I) = (r_1 \cdot r_2)+I.$$

$$(r_1+I) \times (r_2+I) = r_1r_2 + \underline{r_1I + I r_2 + II} = rr_2 + I.$$

- $(R/I, \oplus, \otimes)$ is a ring.

$$II \not\subseteq I. \quad x \\ I=2\mathbb{Z}$$

e.g. $\mathbb{Z}/2\mathbb{Z} = \{2\mathbb{Z}, 1+2\mathbb{Z}\} = \{0, 1\}$. also a field.

$$\mathbb{F}[x]/_{x\mathbb{F}[x]} = \{I, r+I \mid r \xrightarrow{\text{const.}} \mathbb{F}\}.$$

$$II=4\mathbb{Z}.$$

we only have $II \subseteq I$.

But I is considered as 0 .

$$\mathbb{Z}/m\mathbb{Z} = \{I, 1+I, \dots, (m-1)+I\}.$$

$$\mathbb{F}[x]/_{x^2\mathbb{F}[x]} = \{a+I, bx+I\}$$

$$\mathbb{F}[x]/_{x^3\mathbb{F}[x]} = \{a+bx \mid a, b \in \mathbb{F}\}.$$

$$\mathbb{F}[x]/_{x^3\mathbb{F}[x]} = \{a+bx+cx^2 \mid a, b, c \in \mathbb{F}\}.$$

Proposition 6. Let R be a ring and let I be an ideal of R . Then the (additive) quotient group R/I is a ring under the binary operations:

$$rs + rI + I s + II.$$

$$(r+I) + (s+I) = (r+s)+I \quad \text{and} \quad (r+I) \times (s+I) = (rs)+I$$

for all $r, s \in R$. Conversely, if I is any subgroup such that the above operations are well defined, then I is an ideal of R .

$$2\mathbb{Z} = \{2n \mid n \in \mathbb{Z}\}$$

$$(a) = ma, -ma, na^k$$

$$= (2). \quad \text{generated by } 2.$$

$$(a) = \left\{ \sum_{\text{finite}} r_i a^i + a^j s_j + r_i a^k r_i + m a^l \mid i, j, k, l \in \mathbb{N}, r_i, s_j, r_i, r_i \in R \right\}.$$

Def. Let $M \subset R$. The ideal generated by M is the intersection of the ideals

which contain M . denoted by (M) .

$(R_1, +, \times)$, $(R_2, +, \times)$.

$\varphi: R_1 \rightarrow R_2$ is a homomorphism if

$$\cdot (r_1 + r_2)^\varphi = r_1^\varphi + r_2^\varphi, \quad \forall r_1, r_2 \in R_1.$$

$$\cdot (r_1 \times r_2)^\varphi = r_1^\varphi \times r_2^\varphi, \quad \forall r_1, r_2 \in R_1.$$

$$\ker \varphi = \{r \in R_1 \mid r^\varphi = 0\} \subseteq R_1.$$

$$\text{im } \varphi = \{r^\varphi \mid r \in R_1\} \subseteq R_2.$$

Lemma. ① $\ker \varphi$ is an ideal of R_1 .

② $\text{im } \varphi$ is a subring of R_2 .

Moreover, $R/\ker \varphi \cong \text{im } \varphi \leq R_2$.

Prof. ① If $r \in \ker \varphi$ and $s \in R$, then $rs \in \ker \varphi$

$$\text{since } (rs)^\varphi = r^\varphi s^\varphi = 0 \cdot s^\varphi = 0.$$

(Also check: subring).

$\tilde{\varphi}: R_1/\ker \varphi \longrightarrow \text{im } \varphi$.

$$r + \ker \varphi \mapsto r^\varphi.$$

$$\text{Claim: } r_1 + \ker \varphi = r_2 + \ker \varphi \iff r_1^\varphi = r_2^\varphi.$$

$$r_1 + \ker \varphi, r_2 + \ker \varphi \mapsto r_1^\varphi, r_2^\varphi.$$

$\tilde{\varphi}$ is \checkmark .

$\nearrow I$ is an ideal of R .

Thm 1. Let $I \triangleleft R$. and let

$\pi: R \rightarrow R/I$.

$$r \mapsto r + I. \quad (\text{natural homo.})$$

Then, (1) The ideals of R containing I and ideals of R/I are one-to-one correspondence.

$$(2) \text{ If } I \triangleleft J \triangleleft R, \text{ then } R/J \cong \frac{(R/I)}{(J/I)}.$$

Thm 2. Let $I \triangleleft R$, $S \leq R$. Then $I+S$ is a subring of R , and

$$(1) S \cap I \triangleleft S, \quad \& \quad I \triangleleft I+S.$$

Theorem 8. Let R be a ring.

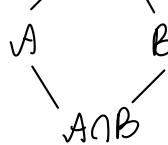
(1) (*The Second Isomorphism Theorem for Rings*) Let A be a subring and let B be an ideal of R . Then $A+B = \{a+b \mid a \in A, b \in B\}$ is a subring of R , $A \cap B$ is an ideal of A and $(A+B)/B \cong A/(A \cap B)$.

$$(2) \frac{I+S}{I} \cong \frac{S}{S \cap I}.$$

$$I+S+I \mapsto S+S\cap I. \quad \text{iso } \checkmark.$$

$$\frac{A+B}{B}$$

$(R, +, \times)$, $(S, +, \times)$ are rings.



$$R \times S = \{ (r, s) \mid r \in R, s \in S \}.$$

$$(r_1, s_1) + (r_2, s_2) = (r_1 + r_2, s_1 + s_2).$$

$$(r_1, s_1) \times (r_2, s_2) = (r_1 r_2, s_1 s_2).$$

$R \times S$ is a ring.

$$\frac{\{ (r, 0) \mid r \in R \}}{I} \oplus \frac{\{ (0, s) \mid s \in S \}}{J}$$

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Division ring R :

each non-zero elt. of R has inverse.

Further, a commutative division ring is a field.

Ex. (a division ring, not field).

$$\mathbb{C} = \{ a+bi \mid a, b \in \mathbb{R} \}$$

$$= \mathbb{R}(i), \quad i = \sqrt{-1}.$$

Check: ① \mathbb{C} is a ring. ✓.

$$\textcircled{2} \left[\begin{array}{cc} \alpha & \beta \\ -\bar{\beta} & \bar{\alpha} \end{array} \right]^{-1} = \frac{1}{\alpha^2 + \beta^2} \left[\begin{array}{cc} \bar{\alpha} & -\beta \\ \bar{\beta} & \bar{\alpha} \end{array} \right] \in \mathbb{C}.$$

③ \mathbb{C} is not commutative ring.

$$\text{Let } R = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} \alpha & \beta \\ -\bar{\beta} & \bar{\alpha} \end{bmatrix} \mid \alpha, \beta \in \mathbb{C} \right\}.$$

$$\text{where } \bar{\alpha} = \overline{a+bi} = a-bi.$$

Then $R \not\subseteq M_n(\mathbb{C})$. and R is a division ring.

which is not commutative. Quaternion Ring
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Let E be a field. $F \subseteq E$ be a subfield. Then E is called an extension field of F .

• $\mathbb{Q} \subset \mathbb{R} \subset \mathbb{C}$. \mathbb{Q} is the smallest field: $1 \in S \xrightarrow{\text{any field}} 1, 1+1, 1+1+1, \dots \in S$.

$$-1, -2, -3, \dots \in S.$$

$$\frac{1}{1}, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{3}, \dots \in S.$$

$$\frac{1}{1}, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{3}, \frac{2}{3}, \frac{1}{4}, \frac{3}{4}, \dots \in S. \quad \mathbb{Q} \subseteq S.$$

$\mathbb{Q} \subset S \subset \mathbb{R}$.

① $S_1 = \mathbb{Q}(\sqrt{2}) = \{a+b\sqrt{2} \mid a, b \in \mathbb{Q}\}$.

↓
commutative ring.

$$\frac{1}{a+b\sqrt{2}} = \frac{1}{a^2+2b^2}(a-b\sqrt{2}) \in S_1.$$

$S_2 = \mathbb{Q}(\sqrt{3}) = \{a+b\sqrt{3} \mid a, b \in \mathbb{Q}\}$.

$S_1 \neq S_2$ Suppose iso $\phi: S_1 \rightarrow S_2$.

$$\begin{array}{ccc} 1 & \xrightarrow{\quad} & 1 \\ \sqrt{2} \cdot \sqrt{2} = 2 & \xrightarrow{\quad} & 2 = (\sqrt{2})^\phi \cdot (\sqrt{2})^\phi \end{array}$$

$$(\sqrt{2})^\phi \in \mathbb{Q}(\sqrt{3}).$$

$$a+b\sqrt{3} \text{ for some } a, b \in \mathbb{Q}$$

$$2 = 2 = (\sqrt{2})^\phi \cdot (\sqrt{2})^\phi = a^2 + 3b^2 + 2ab\sqrt{3} \Rightarrow ab = 0.$$

$$\Rightarrow a=0 \text{ or } b=0. 2 = a^2 + 3b^2 = a^2 \text{ or } 3b^2.$$

$$\text{where } a, b \in \mathbb{Q}. 2 = a^2. \downarrow. 2 = 3b^2. \downarrow.$$

② $S = \mathbb{Q}(2^{\frac{1}{3}})$, the smallest subfield of \mathbb{R}
which contains \mathbb{Q} and $2^{\frac{1}{3}}$.

$$S = \mathbb{Q}(2^{\frac{1}{3}}) = \{a + b2^{\frac{1}{3}} + c2^{\frac{2}{3}} \mid a, b, c \in \mathbb{Q}\}.$$

$$\text{Check: } (a + b2^{\frac{1}{3}} + c2^{\frac{2}{3}})^{-1} = a_1 + b_1 2^{\frac{1}{3}} + c_1 2^{\frac{2}{3}} \in S.$$

Let $F = \mathbb{Q}$ or \mathbb{F}_p .

Let $R = F[x]$. → commutative ring.

Take $p(x) \in R$ such that $p(x)$ is irreducible.

Let $I = (p(x))$. → $\{f(x)p(x) \mid f(x) \in R\}$. \exists $f(x) = x^3 - 2$, irreducible.

Theorem. R/I is a field. (We have already known the quotient ring is a ring).

Proof: The elts of R/I have the form $f(x) + (p(x))$, where $f(x) \in R$.

Suppose $f(x) + I$ has an inverse, say $g(x) + I = (f(x) + I)^{-1}$.

$$\text{i.e. } (f(x) + I)(g(x) + I) = 1 + I.$$

↑ I is an ideal.
 $f(x)g(x) + I$

$$\Rightarrow f(x)g(x) = 1 + p(x)q(x) \text{ for some } q(x) \in R.$$

$$\text{i.e. } f(x)g(x) - p(x)q(x) = 1.$$

This is true due to $\gcd(f(x), p(x)) = 1$, as $p(x)$ is irreducible.

So $R/I = \{g_0(x) + I \mid g_0 \in R \text{ and } \deg g_0 \leq 2\}$.

$$\begin{aligned} &\cong \{g_0(2^{\frac{1}{3}}) \mid g_0 \in R \text{ and } \deg g_0 \leq 2\} \\ &= \{a(2^{\frac{1}{3}})^2 + b2^{\frac{1}{3}} + c \mid a, b, c \in \mathbb{Q}\}. \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{e.g. } g(x) &= x^2 + ax^3 + bx^2 + cx + d, \\ g(x) + (x^3 - 2) &\subset R, \end{aligned}$$

view
 $x^3 = 2$,
since $I = (x^3 - 2)$.

We know \mathbb{F}_p . p prime.

Is there a field of order 6? 8? 9? 10?

Let $F = \mathbb{F}_3 = (\{0, 1, 2\}, \oplus, \otimes)$.

Let $p(x) = x^2 + 1$, irreducible (need check). If $x^2 + 1 = (ax + b)(cx + d)$, $a_1 a x^2 + (a_1 b + b_1 c)x + b_1 d = x^2 + 1$.

$\mathbb{F}[x]/(x^2+1) = \{a+b\alpha \mid a, b \in \mathbb{F}, \alpha^2 = -1 = 2\}$, 9 elts.
is a field of order 3^2 .

Then. If F is a finite field, then $|F| = p^d$, where p prime, $d \geq 1$.

Find a irreducible polynomial of deg 2 over $\mathbb{F}_2 = \{0, 1\}$.

$$x^2 + 1 = x^2 - 1 = (x+1)(x-1) = (x+1)^2 \text{ not irr.}$$

$$p(x) = x^2 + x + 1 \text{ irr.}$$

$\Rightarrow \mathbb{F}_2[x]/(x^2+x+1)$ is a field of order 4.

Is there a field of order 6?

Let F be a field. Let n be the smallest positive integer s.t. $n \cdot 1 = 0$. (If such n doesn't exist,

Then n is called the characteristic of F .

define $\text{char}(F) = 0$.

Lemma. The char of a field is either 0 or a prime number.

Proof: If n exists and $n = pq$, then $(p \cdot 1) \cdot (q \cdot 1) = (pq) \cdot 1 = 0$

Since $p \cdot 1 \neq 0$, $q \cdot 1 \neq 0$. this is not possible. $p \cdot 1$, $q \cdot 1$ are zero factors.
but they are in a field.

e.g. $\text{char}(\mathbb{Q}) = 0$. $\text{char}(\mathbb{F}_3) = 3$.

$\text{char}(\mathbb{R}) = 0$. $\text{char}(\mathbb{F}_9) = 9$. $\mathbb{F}_9 \cong \mathbb{F}_3(\alpha) = \{a+b\alpha \mid a, b \in \{0, 1, 2\}\}$.

$\text{char}(\mathbb{C}) = 0$.

The characteristic of a field of order p^d is p .

Thus there is no order 6 field.

→ prime fields.

Theorem. Any field F contains a subfield which is iso to \mathbb{Q} or \mathbb{F}_p for some prime p

Proof: Let E be the smallest subfield of F . Then $0, 1 \in E$ and hence $n \cdot 1 \in E$ and $\frac{m}{n} \cdot 1 \in E$.

If $\text{char } F = 0$, then $E \cong \mathbb{Q}$
 $n \cdot 1 \mapsto n$.

If $\text{char } F = p$, then $E \cong \mathbb{F}_p$.

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Thm. Let G be a finite abelian group.

Then G is direct prod. of cyclic groups of order prime number.

Proof: $|G| = p_1^{e_1} p_2^{e_2} \cdots p_t^{e_t}$.

$$\textcircled{1} \quad G = G_{p_1} \times G_{p_2} \times \cdots \times G_{p_t}, \text{ where } |G_{p_i}| = p_i^{e_i}.$$

\textcircled{2} Assume $|G| = p^e$ and G is not cyclic.

$$\begin{cases} g \in G, \\ |g| = p_1^{f_1} p_2^{f_2} \cdots p_t^{f_t} \\ g = g_{p_1} g_{p_2} \cdots g_{p_t} \text{ with } |g_{p_i}| = p_i^{f_i} \end{cases}$$

Lemma: Let $g \in G$, which has the largest order. Induction: order: $|G| = p^e \Rightarrow |G| \text{ cyclic. v.}$
 $|G| = \underbrace{\langle g \rangle \times \langle 1 \rangle}_{\text{induction.}} \quad |g| = p$

Then $G = \langle g \rangle \times H$ for some $H < G$.

Suppose $|G| = p^{e-1}$, $G = \langle g \rangle \times H$ for some $H < G$.

Proof of Lemma:

Prove for $|G| = p^e$. induction.

Claim: There exists $h \in G$ st. $\langle h \rangle \cap \langle g \rangle = 1$ and $|h| = p$.

Since $G \neq \langle g \rangle$, there is $y \in G \setminus \langle g \rangle$ such that $y^p \in \langle g \rangle$.

Then $y^p = g^j = g^{pk}$. (Since $|g|$ is the largest).

Let $h = y^{-1}g^k$, then $h \neq 1$ and $h^p = y^{-p}g^{pk} = 1$. So $|h| = p$.

If $h \in \langle g \rangle$, then $y^{-1}g^k \in \langle g \rangle$, so $y^{-1} \in \langle g \rangle$ y .

so $h \notin \langle g \rangle$.

Let $\bar{G} = G/\langle h \rangle$. Then $|\bar{G}| < |G|$ and $|\bar{g}| = |g|$ is the largest order of elts in \bar{G} .

By induction, $\bar{G} = \langle \bar{g} \rangle \times \bar{H}$.

$|g| = |\bar{g}|$.

$$\begin{array}{c} \langle g \rangle / \langle g \rangle \cap \langle h \rangle \cong \langle g \rangle \times \langle h \rangle / \langle h \rangle \subset G / \langle h \rangle. \\ \text{if } \langle g \rangle \cap \langle h \rangle = 1 \end{array}$$

Let H be the full preimage of \bar{H} under $G \rightarrow \bar{G}$. $|\bar{G}| = |\bar{g}||\bar{H}|$

Then $|H| = |\bar{H}| p$. $|G| = |g||H|$

Claim: $\langle g \rangle \cap H = 1$.

Suppose $1 \neq x \in \langle g \rangle \cap H$. Then $\bar{x} = \bar{1}$ as $\langle \bar{g} \rangle \cap \bar{H} = \bar{1}$.

So $x \in \langle h \rangle$ and $x = h^i$, with $(i, p) = 1$. Thus $h \in \langle g \rangle$. $\cancel{h^i \in \langle g \rangle}$.

Therefore, $\langle g \rangle \cap H = 1$, and $G = \langle g \rangle \times H$.

The lemma is proved. #.

Proof of thm: $G = \langle g \rangle \times H$

$$= \langle g \rangle \times (\langle g_1 \rangle \times \dots \times \langle g_\ell \rangle). \quad \square$$

Solvable group

G : finite group.

For $x, y \in G$, let $[x, y] = x^{-1}y^{-1}xy$. called the commutator of x and y .

Def. Let $G' = \langle [x, y] \mid x, y \in G \rangle$.

Then $\boxed{G' \trianglelefteq G}$. called the commutator subgroup, denoted by G' .
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For any $g \in G$. $g^{-1}[x, y]g = g^{-1}x^{-1}y^{-1}xyg = \underline{g^{-1}x^{-1}g} \underline{g^{-1}y^{-1}g} \underline{gg^{-1}x} \underline{gg^{-1}y} g$.

$$= (x^g)^{-1}(y^g)^{-1}x^g y^g = [x^g, y^g] \in G'$$

Cg. ① Let $G = \langle a, b \rangle = D_{2n}$, where $|a|=n$, $|b|=2$, $a^b = a^{-1} = b^{-1}ab$.

Then $G' = \begin{cases} \langle a \rangle & \text{if } n \text{ odd.} \\ \langle a^2 \rangle & \text{if } n \text{ even.} \end{cases}$ and $G/G' = \begin{cases} \langle \bar{b} \rangle = C_2 & \\ \langle \bar{a}, \bar{b} \rangle = C_2 \times C_2 & \end{cases}$

② If G is abelian, then $G' = \{1\}$.

Lemma 1: $G' \trianglelefteq G$, and G/G' is abelian.

Proof: Let $\bar{x}, \bar{y} \in \bar{G} = G/G'$.

Let x, y be the preimages of \bar{x}, \bar{y} under $G \rightarrow \bar{G}$ respectively.

Then $[x, y] = x^{-1}y^{-1}xy \in G'$ by def. and

$$\overline{x^{-1}y^{-1}xy} = \overline{1}$$

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$$\overline{x}^{-1}\overline{y}^{-1}\overline{x}\overline{y}$$

$\Rightarrow \overline{x}\overline{y} = \overline{y}\overline{x}$. and \overline{G} abelian. \square .

Lemma 2. For any $H \triangleleft G$. G/H is abelian $\Leftrightarrow G' \leq H$.

G' is the least normal subgroup of G s.t. G/G' abelian.

Proof: (\Leftarrow)

If $G' \leq H$, then $G/H \cong \frac{G/G'}{H/G'}$ is abelian.

(\Rightarrow). Assume G/H is abelian.

$$xyH = yxH \quad x^{-1}y^{-1}xyH = H \Rightarrow [x, y] \in H.$$

Then for any $\bar{x}, \bar{y} \in \overline{G} = G/H$. $\bar{x}\bar{y} = \bar{y}\bar{x}$. i.e. $\bar{x}^{-1}\bar{y}^{-1}\bar{x}\bar{y} = \bar{1}$.

Let x, y be preimages of \bar{x}, \bar{y} respectively.

Then $x^{-1}y^{-1}xy \in H$.

Solvable groups.

$G \triangleright G' \triangleright (G')' = G'' \triangleright \dots \triangleright G^{(n)} \triangleright \dots$, where $G^{(n)} = (G^{(n-1)})'$.

Since G finite, there exists n s.t. either $G^{(n)} = 1$. or $G^{(n)} = G^{(n+1)}$.

Def. A finite group G is called a solvable group if $G^{(n)} = 1$ for some integer n .

Otherwise, G is non-solvable. Specifically, if $G' = G$, G is a perfect group.

Prop. A group G is solvable \Leftrightarrow there exists a subgroup chain $G = G_0 \triangleright G_1 \triangleright G_2 \triangleright \dots \triangleright G_s = 1$.
 s.t. G_i/G_{i+1} is abelian for all i . $\frac{G}{G_1}, \frac{G}{G_2}, \dots, \frac{G}{G_s}$ abelian.

Proof: (\Rightarrow) clearly true.

(\Leftarrow) Assume $G = G_0 \triangleright G_1 \triangleright \dots \triangleright G_s = 1$ exists s.t. G_i/G_{i+1} is abelian.

Claim: $G^{(i)} \leq G_i \quad \forall i$. (by induction).

First. $G' \leq G_1$, as G/G_1 is abelian, and by Lem. 2.

Suppose $G^{(i)} \leq G_i$ for some $i \geq 1$.

Since G_i/G_{i+1} is abelian, $G_i' \leq G_{i+1}$.

Thus $G^{(i+1)} = (G^{(i)})' \leq G_i' \leq G_{i+1}$. so the claim holds.

and $G^{(s)} \leq G_s = 1$. G is solvable. #.

$$\frac{x \xrightarrow{g} g^{-1}xg}{\text{Conjugate}} \quad G \xrightarrow{\text{1-1.}} \quad g, x \in G.$$

induces an automorphism of G called an inner automorphism.

Theorem 20. (The Fourth or Lattice Isomorphism Theorem) Let G be a group and let N be a normal subgroup of G . Then there is a bijection from the set of subgroups A of G which contain N onto the set of subgroups $\bar{A} = A/N$ of G/N . In particular, every subgroup of \bar{G} is of the form A/N for some subgroup A of G containing N (namely, its preimage in G under the natural projection homomorphism from G to G/N). This bijection has the following properties: for all $A, B \leq G$ with $N \leq A$ and $N \leq B$,

- (1) $A \leq B$ if and only if $\bar{A} \leq \bar{B}$, ✓.
 - (2) if $A \leq B$, then $|B : A| = |\bar{B} : \bar{A}|$, ✓.
 - (3) $\langle A, B \rangle = \langle \bar{A}, \bar{B} \rangle$, ✓.
 - (4) $\bar{A} \cap \bar{B} = \bar{A} \cap \bar{B}$, and ✓.
 - (5) $A \trianglelefteq G$ if and only if $\bar{A} \trianglelefteq \bar{G}$. ✓. everything corresponds!
- one-to-one correspondence!