Dummit & Foote Ch. 1.5: The Quaternion Group

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1. (3/24/23)

Compute the order of each of the elements of Q_8 .

Element	1	-1	i	-i	j	-j	k	-k
Order	1	2	4	4	4	4	4	4

2. (3/24/23)

Write out the group tables for S_3, D_8 and Q_8 .

1	(1,2)	(1,3)	(2,3)	(1, 2, 3)	(1, 3, 2)
(1,2)	1	(1, 3, 2)	(1, 2, 3)	(2,3)	(1,3)
(1,3)	(1, 2, 3)	1	(1, 3, 2)	(1,2)	(2,3)
(2,3)	(1, 3, 2)	(1, 2, 3)	1	(1,3)	(1,2)
(1, 2, 3)	(1,3)	(2,3)	(1,2)	(1, 3, 2)	1
(1, 3, 2)	(2,3)	(1,2)	(1,3)	1	(1, 2, 3)

1	r	r^2	r^3	s	sr	sr^2	sr^3
r	r^2	r^3	1	sr^3	s	sr	sr^2
r^2	r^3	1	r	sr^2	sr^3	s	sr
r^3	1	r	r^2	sr	sr^2	sr^3	s
s	sr	sr^2	sr^3	1	r	r^2	r^3
sr	sr^2	sr^3	s	r^3	1	r	r^2
sr^2	sr^3	s	sr	r^2	r^3	1	r
sr^3	s	sr	sr^2	r	r^2	r^3	1

1	-1	i	-i	j	-j	k	-k
-1	1	-i	i	-j	j	-k	k
i	-i	-1	1	k	-k	-j	j
-i	i	1	-1	-k	k	j	-j
j	-j	-k	k	-1	1	i	-i
-j	j	k	-k	1	-1	-i	i
k	-k	j	-j	-i	i	-1	1
-k	k	-j	j	i	-i	1	-1