

1. The homomorphism  $f$  from  $\mathbb{Z}/n\mathbb{Z}$  to  $\mathbb{Z}/m\mathbb{Z}$  iff  $g = \gcd(m, n) > 1$ .

For  $g = 1$  is the trivial case. Because the homomorphism is determined by  $f(\bar{1})$ . According to the Lagrange's theorem, the order of  $f(\bar{1})$  should be divide by both  $m$  and  $n$ . So the order of  $f$  is 1.

For  $g > 1$ , let  $k = \frac{m}{g}$ , we have that  $f(\bar{a}) = \bar{k}a$  then  $a = b + xn$  for some integer  $x$  and then  $f(\bar{a}) = k(b + xn) = \bar{k}b + \bar{k}xn = f(\bar{b})$ . Also,  $kxn$  is divisible by  $m$ :  $kxn = \frac{m}{g}xn = mx\frac{m}{g}$ . Also,  $f(\bar{a} + \bar{b}) = f(\overline{a+b}) = \bar{k}(a+b) = f(\bar{a}) + f(\bar{b})$ .

2. i.

a.

Denote the homomorphism from  $G_i \rightarrow \prod_{i \in I} G_i$  be  $H_i$ . Let  $e_G$  be the identity for  $(G, *)$ . Let  $e_H$  be the identity for  $(H, *_2)$ .

$$(g, h) \circ (e_G, e_H) = (g *_1 e_G, h *_2 e_H) = (g, h)$$

$$(e_G, e_H) \cdot (g, h) = (e_G *_1 g, e_H *_2 h) = (g, h)$$

Thus  $(e_G, e_H)$  is the identity of the group direct product. Thus the direct product of groups are groups.

b.

Suppose the groups here are finite groups. Denote the homomorphism  $H_1, H_2 \dots H_n$  are  $n$  normal subgroup of  $G$ .

The direct sum is commutative up to isomorphism. of  $G = \Sigma H_i$  we have  $\forall g_i$  in  $H_1, g'_i$  in  $H_2$ , we have  $g_i * g'_i = g'_i * g_i$  and  $\exists$  one  $g_i$  and  $g'_i$  s.t.

$(g_i)_{i \in I} * (g'_i)_{i \in I} \dots (g''_i)_{i \in I} := (g_i *_i g'_i \dots *_i g''_i)_{i \in I}$  also, the cancellation of the sum in a quotient, so that  $(\Sigma H_i + H_2)/H_2$  is isomorphic to  $\Sigma H_i$

From above, we have multiplication of elements in a direct sum is isomorphic to multiplication of the corresponding elements. Thus, from  $a$ , we have the direct sum of groups are groups.

ii.

By Lagrange theorem:  $[S_3 : S'_3] = 2$  and  $S'_3 \leq \ker \phi$  So  $S_3 / \ker \phi$  has order at most 2. Let  $\phi$  be  $S_3 \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}_6$ . The possible kernels are  $\{e\}$ ,  $A_3$  and  $S_3$ .

First  $\{e\}$  is the trivial case but the order is 1, so just circle out.

Then Check for  $S_3$ , then  $S_3 / S_3$  is identity, so you can map every element of  $S_3$  to the identity of  $\mathbb{Z}_6$ .  $\phi(s) = 0, \forall s \in S_3$  and 0 is the identity of  $\mathbb{Z}_6$ .

The last is  $A_3$ , the order of the factor group is 2, Using isomorphism theorem:  $S_3 / A_3 \simeq \phi(S_3)$ . Then  $\phi(S_3)$  is  $\{3, 0\}$

Thus all normal subgroups are  $A_3$  and  $S_3$ .

3.  $\forall a \in \mathbb{Q}$  there exists some non-zero element ( $r$ ) in  $\mathbb{Z}$  s.t.  $ra \in \mathbb{Z}$ . But we know that every ( $a$ ) can be written as  $x/y$ , where  $x, y \in \mathbb{Z}$  thus we can always take  $r = y$  and we can then conclude that every  $\mathbb{Q}/\mathbb{Z}$  is a torsion group.

Let  $H$  be a non-zero subgroup of  $\mathbb{Q}$  and let  $0 \neq h = \frac{m}{n} \in H$ , It's clear that  $m = n \cdot h \in H$  and  $\mathbb{Z} < H$  we have  $h\mathbb{Q} \subseteq H$ , so that  $G/H$  is torsion, which  $\simeq G$

4. First, we have  $Aut(G)$  is  $G/\mathbb{Z}(G)$  which is cyclic.  $\exists x \in G$ , s.t.  $G/\mathbb{Z}(G) = \langle x\mathbb{Z}(G) \rangle$

We can write that  $x = g^k h$  for some  $k$  and some  $h \in \mathbb{Z}(G)$ . Given  $x, y \in G$  we have  $x = g^k h$  and  $y = g^l h'$  Thus  $xy = (g^k h)(g^l h') = g^k g^l h h' = (g^l h') (g^k h) = yx$  so that  $G$  is abelian.  $\square$

5. Find the subgroup of  $GL_2(\mathbb{R})$  generated by the matrices  $A$ .

$$C(\mathbb{U}_2(\mathbb{C}/\mathbb{R})) = C\{A \in GL(\mathbb{C}) \mid A^{-t} = A^{-1}\} \text{ which is } \simeq S' = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} z & 0 \\ 0 & z \end{pmatrix} \mid |z| = 1 \right\}$$

So that where the matrix can be  $\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$  or  $\begin{pmatrix} -1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$ .