

$$\mathbb{Z}/4 \triangleright \mathbb{Z}/2 \triangleright \{e\}$$

$$(\mathbb{Z}/2)^2 \triangleright \mathbb{Z}/2 \triangleright \{e\}$$

$$\#3(3) \quad H \xrightarrow[\tau]{\alpha} \text{Aut}(N) \quad j: H \rightarrow N \quad \text{s.t.} \quad \alpha(h)(n) = j(n) \cdot (\beta(h)(n)) \cdot (\beta(n)(j(h)^{-1}))$$

$$\Rightarrow N \rtimes_{\alpha} H \xrightarrow{\sim} N \rtimes_{\beta} H$$

$$(n, h) \longmapsto (n \cdot j(h), h)$$

$$\#4 \quad \begin{array}{ccc} G \rtimes_{\alpha} G & & (g_1, g_2) \\ \downarrow & & \downarrow \\ G \times G & & (g_1 g_2, g_2) \end{array}$$

$$\#14 \quad \begin{array}{c} \text{Aut}(\mathbb{Z}/2 \times \mathbb{Z}/4) \\ \downarrow \end{array}$$

\swarrow all options ok \downarrow None ok \searrow all ok.

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} (1, 0) \longmapsto (1, 0) \text{ or } (0, 2) \text{ or } (1, 2) \\ (0, 1) \longmapsto (0, 1) \text{ or } (1, 1) \text{ or } (0, 3) \text{ or } (1, 3) \end{array} \right\}$$

So there are 8 elements.

$$\text{Aut}(S_n) \cong S_n?$$

$$S_n \xrightarrow{C} \text{Aut}_{\text{gp}}(S_n)$$

$$\sigma \longmapsto \{x \mapsto \sigma x \sigma^{-1}\}$$

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$$\text{Ker}(C) = Z(S_n) \stackrel{\text{check}}{=} \{e\}$$

$$\varphi: S_n \longrightarrow S_n \text{ gp iso}$$

T/F: Let $f: G \longrightarrow G$ be gp iso.

Does f preserve conjugacy classes?

(orbits of $G \curvearrowright G$ by conjugation).

i.e. is it true that $f(x) \sim x$
 \uparrow
 conjugacy.

No: Abelian groups: each element is its own conj. class.

In general, if $x \sim y$, $f(x) \sim f(y)$.

Consider $S_5 \longrightarrow S_5$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} (12) & \xrightarrow{\textcircled{1}} & (x_1, x_2) \\ & \searrow \textcircled{2} & \\ & & (x_1, x_2) (x_3, x_4) \end{array}$$

2nd case $\Rightarrow \# 2 \text{ cycles} = \# 2\text{-}2 \text{ cycles}$

which is false

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$$\varphi \begin{cases} (1 \ 2) \longmapsto (x_1 \ x_2) \\ (2 \ 3) \longmapsto (x_2 \ x_3) \\ \vdots \\ (n-1 \ n) \longmapsto (x_{n-1} \ x_n) \end{cases} \quad \varphi = \text{conj. by } \{j \mapsto x_j\}$$

$$\#1: S_5 = A_5 \rtimes \mathbb{Z}/2\mathbb{Z}?$$

$$\text{to check: } A_5 \trianglelefteq S_5, \quad \mathbb{Z}/2\mathbb{Z} \leq S_5, \quad A_5 \cap \mathbb{Z}/2\mathbb{Z} = \{e\}$$

$$A_5 \cdot \mathbb{Z}/2\mathbb{Z} = G.$$

$$\text{Now } A_5 \triangleleft S_5.$$

$$\mathbb{Z}/2\mathbb{Z} < S_5$$

$$\langle (12) \rangle \quad (\text{not } \langle (12)(34) \rangle \text{ since } (12)(34) \in A_5 \text{ (inv.)})$$

$$A_5 \cap \langle (12) \rangle = \{e\}$$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \{e, (12)\} & = & S_5/A_5 \cong \{\pm 1\} \\ \downarrow & & \downarrow \\ 1 & & -1 \end{array}$$

$$\Rightarrow A_5 \cdot \mathbb{Z}/2\mathbb{Z} = S_5$$

$$\text{So } S_n = A_n \rtimes \mathbb{Z}/2\mathbb{Z}$$