

# Abstract Algebra Homework 1

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- Which of the following multiplication tables defined on the set  $G = \{a, b, c, d\}$  form a group? Support your answer in each case.

(a)

$\circ$	$a$	$b$	$c$	$d$
$a$	$a$	$c$	$d$	$a$
$b$	$b$	$b$	$c$	$d$
$c$	$c$	$d$	$a$	$b$
$d$	$d$	$a$	$b$	$c$

Closure: Every element multiplied with another gives only an element in the Set  $G$ .

Associative: