

Cyclic Group

Q.1:- The generators of $\mathbb{Z}_6$: 1, 5.

$$s \quad s \quad s \quad \mathbb{Z}_8 : 1, 3, 5, 7.$$
$$Z_{20}: 1, 3, 7, 9, 11, 13, 17, 19.$$

Q.2:- The generators of $\langle a \rangle$: a^1, a^5 .

$$\langle b \rangle: b^1, b^3, b^5, b^7.$$
$$\langle c \rangle: c^1, c^3, c^7, c^9, c^{11}, c^{13}, c^{17}, c^{19}$$

Q. 4:- $\langle 3 \rangle = \{3, 6, 9, 12, 15, 0\}$, $\langle a^3 \rangle = \{a^3, a^6, a^9, a^{12}, a^{15}, a^0\}$

$$\langle 15 \rangle = \{15, 12, 9, 3, 6, 0\}, \quad \langle a^{15} \rangle = \{a^{15}, a^{12}, a^9, a^3, a^6, a^0\}$$

Q.6:- In any Group we show. $\langle a \rangle = \langle a^{-1} \rangle$.

proof:- $a^{-1} \in \langle a \rangle \Rightarrow \langle a^{-1} \rangle \subseteq \langle a \rangle$ - (1)

$$a = (a^{-1})^{-1} \in \langle a^{-1} \rangle \Rightarrow \langle a^{-1} \rangle \subseteq \langle a \rangle \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

From ① & ② $\langle a \rangle = \langle a^\dagger \rangle$.

Q.8:- $|a| = 15$

a) $a^3, a^6, a^9, a^{12} \Rightarrow \text{order} = 5$

b) $a^5, a^{10} \Rightarrow \text{order} = 3$

c) $a^2, a^4, a^8, a^{14} \Rightarrow$ order = 15.

Q.10:- Z_{24} , subgroup of order 8 :- $24/8 = 3$

All subgroups :- 3, 9, 15, 21

$$+ a^0, a^3, a^9, a^{15}, a^{21}$$
$$(a^3)^1, (a^3)^3, (a^3)^5, (a^3)^7$$

Q.11:- let $a^{-1} \in \langle a \rangle \rightarrow \langle a^{-1} \rangle \subseteq \langle a \rangle$ — (1)

and $a = (a^{-1})^{-1} \in \langle a^{-1} \rangle \Rightarrow \langle a \rangle \subseteq \langle a^{-1} \rangle$ — (2)

From (1) & (2) $\Rightarrow \langle a \rangle = \langle a^{-1} \rangle$.

Q.12:- All generators : $\langle 3 \rangle, \langle -3 \rangle$

$\langle a^3 \rangle$: a^3, a^{-3} .

Q.13:- $\langle 21 \rangle = \{0, 21, 18, 15, 12, 9, 6, 3\}$.

$\langle 10 \rangle = \{0, 10, 20, 6, 16, 2, 12, 22, 8, 18, 4, 14\}$.

$\langle 21 \rangle \cap \langle 10 \rangle = \langle 6 \rangle$ } smallest positive multiple.

Ans:- $\langle a^{21} \rangle = \{a^0, a^{21}, a^{18}, a^{15}, a^{12}, a^9, a^6, a^3\}$.

$\langle a^{10} \rangle = \{a^0, a^{10}, a^{20}, a^6, a^{16}, a^2, a^{12}, a^{22}, a^8, a^{18}, a^4, a^{14}\}$.

$\langle a^{21} \rangle \cap \langle a^{10} \rangle = \langle a^6 \rangle$.

Proof:- $\langle a^m \rangle \cap \langle a^n \rangle$, let $k = \text{LCM}(n, m)$

$a^k = (a^n)^{t_1} \in \langle a^n \rangle$ and

$a^k = (a^m)^{t_2} \in \langle a^m \rangle$

$\Rightarrow \langle a^k \rangle \subseteq \langle a^n \rangle \cap \langle a^m \rangle$

let $x \in \langle a^n \rangle \cap \langle a^m \rangle$

then x is multiple of $\underline{m}$ and $\underline{n}$

then x is multiple of k

So $a^x \in \langle a^k \rangle$

$a^x \in \langle a^{\text{LCM}(n,m)} \rangle$

Q.14:- $|G| = 49$.

$\Rightarrow$ let $|G| = n$, 7 and $n/7$ divisors of n .

if $\frac{n}{7} \neq 7$, then G has at least 4 divisors. X

So must $\frac{n}{7} = 7 \Rightarrow n = 7^2 = 49$ / In general $|G| = p^2$

Q.15:- G , abelian group, $H = \{g \in G, |g| \text{ divides } 12\}$.

* One step:

$$ab^{-1} \Rightarrow (ab^{-1})^{12} = a^{12} (b^{-1})^{12} = a^{12} b^{-12} = e \cdot e = e \in H$$

In general the same argument when 12 replace by any integer.

Q.16:- of $\mathbb{Z}_{40}$:- 240

$$\langle 0 \rangle \subset \langle 120 \rangle \subset \langle 60 \rangle \subset \langle 30 \rangle \subset \langle 15 \rangle \subset \langle 5 \rangle \subset \langle 1 \rangle$$

Q.18:- suppose $G = \langle g \rangle$ is cyclic of infinite order.
 let g^k , $(g^k)^n = e$ { g has order dividing kn . }
 (because g finite). unless $k=0$, $g^0 = e$,
 $\Rightarrow$ is the only element of finite order in G .

Q.27:- let complex number $z \Rightarrow z^n = 1$
 let H subgroup = $\{ z \in \mathbb{C}^* : z = (1)^{\frac{1}{n}} \}$. = $\{ z \in \mathbb{C}^* : z = (\cos 0 + \sin 0 i)^{\frac{1}{n}} \}$
 $= \{ z \in \mathbb{C}^* : z = (\cos(0 + 2k\pi) + i \sin(0 + 2k\pi))^{1/n}, k = 0, 1, \dots, n-1 \}$
 $= \{ z \in \mathbb{C}^* : z = (e^{i2k\pi})^{1/n}, k = 0, 1, \dots, n-1 \}$
 $= \{ z \in \mathbb{C}^* : z = (e^{i(2\pi/n)})^k, k = 0, 1, \dots, n-1 \}$
 $= \{ z \in \mathbb{C}^* : z = w^k, k = 0, 1, \dots, n-1, \text{ where } w = e^{i(2\pi/n)} \}$
 $= \{ w^0, w^1, w^2, \dots, w^{n-1} \} = \langle w \rangle \rightarrow$ is the cyclic group.
 and order = n .

Q.28:- $\langle a^i \rangle = \langle a^j \rangle \iff i = \pm j$

✗ If $\langle a^i \rangle = \langle a^j \rangle$ then $a^i = (a^j)^k = a^{jk}$, since a has i/f order

$i = jk \rightarrow j \text{ divides } i \rightarrow \text{like wise } i \text{ divides } j \text{ so } i = \pm j$

$i = jk = imk \Rightarrow mk = 1 \Rightarrow m = k = 1 \rightarrow i = j$

$\{ \dots, -j, -1, 1, j, \dots \} \cap \{ \dots, -i, -1, 1, i, \dots \} = \{ \dots, -j, -1, 1, j, \dots \}$

Q.30:- $a, b \in G$, a odd order, $ab\bar{a} = b^{-1}$, show $b^2 = e$:-

$(ab\bar{a})^2 \Rightarrow a^2 b^2 \bar{a}^2 = e \Rightarrow a(b\bar{a})a^{-1} = a b^{-1} a^{-1}$

$(ab\bar{a})^{-1} = (b^{-1})^{-1} = b$

so $a^2 \in C(b)$, $\langle a^2 \rangle = \langle a \rangle$, a odd order.

$\Rightarrow ab\bar{a} = b$, therefore $b = b^{-1}$ and $b^2 = b \cdot b^{-1} = e$ ✓

Q.34:- Lattice of $\mathbb{Z}_8$:- $\langle 0 \rangle \subset \langle 4 \rangle \subset \langle 2 \rangle \subset \langle 0 \rangle$

$1 \times 2 \times 4$

1, 2, 4, 8

$\langle 1 \rangle$

$\langle 2 \rangle$

$\langle 4 \rangle$

$\langle 0 \rangle$

Q.40:- $\langle m \rangle \cap \langle n \rangle \Rightarrow$ The generators are $\text{LCM}(m, n)$.

let $\langle m \rangle \cap \langle n \rangle = \langle \text{LCM}(m, n) \rangle = K$

if $a \in \langle m \rangle \cap \langle n \rangle$ then K divides a .

let $a = qK + r$, $q, r \in \mathbb{Z}$ and $0 \leq r < K$

$\Rightarrow r = a - qK$, but $K = \text{LCM}(m, n)$

so $r = 0$ and $qK = a$, K divides a .

$\Rightarrow \langle m \rangle \cap \langle n \rangle = \langle K \rangle$

Q.41:- a, b are group, orders m, n , If $\langle a \rangle \cap \langle b \rangle = \{e\}$.

$\Rightarrow$ let $t = \text{LCM}(m, n)$ and $|ab| = s$, then.

$$(ab)^t = a^t b^t = e \text{ and } s \text{ divides } t.$$

Also $e = (ab)^s = a^s b^s$ so $\rightarrow \underline{a^s = b^{-s}}$ and m divides s .
and n divides $s \rightarrow t$ divides s .
belong to $\langle a \rangle \cap \langle b \rangle = \{e\}$.

* R_{120} : Rotation of 120° , and F Reflection in D_3 :-

$\langle R_{120} \rangle \cap \langle F \rangle = \{R_0\}$, $|R_{120}| = 3$, $|F| = 2$
but D_3 its no element of order 6.

Q.53:- $\langle a \rangle \cap \langle b \rangle$ is a subgroup.

$$\langle a \rangle \cap \langle b \rangle \subseteq \langle a \rangle \text{ and } \langle a \rangle \cap \langle b \rangle \subseteq \langle b \rangle$$

$|\langle a \rangle \cap \langle b \rangle|$ is a common divisor of 10, 21 then

$$|\langle a \rangle \cap \langle b \rangle| = 1 \rightarrow |\langle a \rangle \cap \langle b \rangle| = \{e\}.$$

Q.54:- let $x \in \langle a \rangle \cap \langle b \rangle$

$$x \in \langle a \rangle \rightarrow |x| \mid |a| \text{ and } x \in \langle b \rangle \rightarrow |x| \mid |b|$$

$|x|$ is a common divisor of 2 relatively prime integers $|a|$ and $|b|$ so it must be $|x| = 1$.

The only element with order 1 is the identity so $x = e$.

Q.55:- $|\langle a \rangle \cap \langle b \rangle|$ must divide both 24 and 10

$$\text{so } |\langle a \rangle \cap \langle b \rangle| = 1 \text{ or } 2$$