

Ex-2 Let $G = \{1, 8, 17, 19, 26, 28, 37, 44, 46, 53, 62, 64, 71, 73, 82, 89, 91, 98, 107, 109, 116, 118, 127, 134\}$

then $|G| = 24$

(X) 135.

$$\begin{aligned}\therefore G &\cong \mathbb{Z}_8 \oplus \mathbb{Z}_3 \times \mathbb{Z}_{24} \\ &\mathbb{Z}_4 \oplus \mathbb{Z}_2 \oplus \mathbb{Z}_3 \cong \mathbb{Z}_{12} \oplus \mathbb{Z}_2 \\ &\mathbb{Z}_2 \oplus \mathbb{Z}_2 \oplus \mathbb{Z}_2 \oplus \mathbb{Z}_3 \cong \mathbb{Z}_6 \oplus \mathbb{Z}_2 \oplus \mathbb{Z}_2\end{aligned}$$

Then 8 has order 12. This rules out (3).

Then $8^6 = 109$ and $8^{12} = 1$

also $|109| = 2 = |134| \rightarrow$ this rules out (1)

Then, $G \cong \mathbb{Z}_2 \oplus \mathbb{Z}_2$.

and $G = \langle 8 \rangle \times \langle 134 \rangle$.

Corollary:- Existence of subgroups of Abelian gp
If m divides the order of a finite Abelian gp G , then G has a subgroup of order m . (Proof not included)

Ex:- Suppose $|G| = 72 = 2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 3 \times 3 = 2^3 \cdot 3^2$

$$\mathbb{Z}_{2^3} \oplus \mathbb{Z}_{3^2}$$

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$$\mathbb{Z}_{2^2} \oplus \mathbb{Z}_2 \oplus \mathbb{Z}_3 \oplus \mathbb{Z}_3$$

$$\mathbb{Z}_2 \oplus \mathbb{Z}_2 \oplus \mathbb{Z}_2 \oplus \mathbb{Z}_{3^2}$$

$$\mathbb{Z}_2 \oplus \mathbb{Z}_2 \oplus \mathbb{Z}_2 \oplus \mathbb{Z}_3 \oplus \mathbb{Z}_3$$

then, $Z_8 \oplus Z_9 \cong Z_{72}$ which has a subgp of order 12. $\textcircled{17}$
 $\langle 6 \rangle$.

and $Z_4 \oplus Z_2 \oplus Z_3 \oplus Z_3 \cong Z_{12} \oplus Z_6$ this also has a
subgp of order 12.

$Z_4 \oplus Z_2 \oplus Z_9 \cong Z_4 \oplus Z_{18} \rightarrow$ also a subgp of order 12.
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$$\{(a, 0, b) \mid a \in Z_4, b \in \{0, 3, 6\}\}.$$

Thm:- For two finite subgroups H and K of a gp G ,

$$|HK| = \frac{|H||K|}{|H \cap K|}.$$

Proof:- first the set $\{HK\}$ has $|HK|$ products, all not
need be distinct. i.e. we may have $hk = h'k'$
where $h' = h$ & $k = k'$.

Now, to determine $|HK|$, we need to determine
the extent to which this happens.

Now let $t \in H \cap K$, then

$$hk = (ht)(t^{-1}k) = h'k'$$

so each element in HK is represented by at least
 $|H \cap K|$ products in HK .

But if $hk = h'k' \Rightarrow h^{-1}h' = k k'^{-1} \in H \cap K$ say t

$$\text{so } h' = ht \text{ and } k' = t^{-1}k.$$

$\therefore$ Each element in HK is represented by
exactly $|H \cap K|$ products

$$\therefore |HK| = \frac{|H||K|}{|H \cap K|}$$

Lemma 1:- Let G be a finite Abelian group of order $p^n m$ where p is prime that does not divide m . Then $G = H \times K$, where $H = \{x \in G \mid x^m = e\}$ and $K = \{x \in G \mid x^{p^n} = e\}$. Moreover $|H| = p^n$.

Proof:- first check H & K are subgrps.
Hence they are normal subgrps.

Now to prove $G = HK$ we need to show
 $G = HK$ and $H \cap K = \{e\}$.

Since $\gcd(m, p^n) = 1$

$\exists$ integers s and t s.t.

$$sm + tp^n = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow x = x^{sm + tp^n} = x^{sm} x^{tp^n}$$

$$\Rightarrow x^{sm} \in H \text{ \& } x^{tp^n} \in K$$

Thus $G = HK$.

Now let $x \in H \cap K$

$$\Rightarrow x \in H \quad \text{and} \quad x \in K$$

$$\Rightarrow x^{p^n} = e \quad \quad x^m = e$$

$$\text{let } |x| = k \Rightarrow k \mid p^n \text{ \& } k \mid m$$

$$\Rightarrow k \mid \gcd(p^n, m) \Rightarrow k = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow x = \{e\}$$

$$\text{Thus } G = H \times K.$$

Claim! $|H| = p^n$

$$|HK| = |H||K| = p^n \cdot m$$

p does not divide $|K|$ (if p divides $|K|$, then K has an element of order p)

$$\Rightarrow |H| = p^n.$$

Now let $|G| = p_1^{n_1} p_2^{n_2} \dots p_k^{n_k}$, where p_i 's are distinct primes.

$$G(p_i) = \{x \in G \mid x^{p_i^{n_i}} = e\}.$$

then

$$G = G(p_1) \times G(p_2) \times \dots \times G(p_k).$$

$$\text{and } |G(p_i)| = p_i^{n_i}.$$

Lemma 2:- let G be an Abelian gp of prime-power order and let a be an element of maximal order in G . Then G can be written in the form $\langle a \rangle \times K$.

Proof:- let $|G| = p^n$, we prove it by induction.

If $n=1$, then $G = \langle a \rangle \times \langle e \rangle \rightarrow$ done.

Now assume that statement is true for all Abelian gps of order p^k s.t. $k < n$.

Now we prove the statement for a gp of order p^n .

Choose ' a ' of maximal order in G say p^m .

then $x^{p^m} = e \quad \forall x \in G$,

and we may assume that $G \neq \langle a \rangle$

Now choose a element ' b ' from G of smallest order s.t. $b \notin \langle a \rangle$.

Claim:- $|b| = p$.

and since $|b^p| = \frac{|b|}{p} \Rightarrow |b^p| < |b|$

so $b^p \in \langle a \rangle$ ($\because$ if not, then our choice would be b^p not b)

$$\therefore \Rightarrow b^p = a^i \text{ for some } i$$

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$$\text{And } e = (b^p)^{p^{m-1}} = (a^i)^{p^{m-1}} = e$$

$$\Rightarrow |a^i| \leq p^{m-1}$$

$\Rightarrow a^i$ is not a generator of $\langle a \rangle$.

$$\Rightarrow \gcd(p^{m-1}, i) \neq 1$$

$\Rightarrow p$ divides i

$$\Rightarrow i = p^j \text{ for some } j.$$

$$\text{Then } b^p = a^i = a^{p^j}$$

Consider $c = a^{-j}b$, then $c \in G$ but $c \notin \langle a \rangle$
 (if it does then $b \in \langle a \rangle$ N.P.)

$$\text{Claim!- } |c| = p$$

$$\begin{aligned} c^p &= (a^{-j}b)^p = a^{-jp} \cdot b^p = a^{-i} \cdot b^p \\ &= b^{-p} \cdot b^p = e \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow c^p = e$$

$$\Rightarrow |c| = p$$

$$\Rightarrow |b| = p \left(\text{As if } |b| \neq p, \text{ then } |c| \nmid |b| \text{ of } c \notin \langle a \rangle \text{ so our choice would be } c \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow \langle a \rangle \cap \langle b \rangle = \{e\}$$

(if intersection is not empty, then $b \in \langle a \rangle$)

Now, Consider the factor group $\bar{G} = \frac{G}{\langle b \rangle}$

then $|\bar{G}| = p^{n-1}$

$$\bar{n} = n \langle b \rangle.$$

and If $|\bar{a}| = |a \langle b \rangle| < |a| \leq p^m$

then $\bar{a} p^{m-1} = \bar{e} = e \langle b \rangle = \langle b \rangle$

$$\bar{a} p^{m-1} = a p^{m-1} \langle b \rangle = \langle b \rangle$$

$$\Rightarrow a p^{m-1} \in \langle b \rangle \quad (\text{Not possible})$$

hence $|\bar{a}| = |a| = p^m$

$\Rightarrow \bar{a}$ is the element of maximal order in $\bar{G}$.

and by induction $\bar{G} = \bar{a} \times \bar{K}$ for some subgroup $\bar{K}$ of $\bar{G}$.

Now let K be the pullback of $\bar{K}$ under natural homomorphism from G to $\bar{G}$.

$$K = \{x \in G \mid \bar{x} \in \bar{K}\}$$

Claim:- $G = \langle a \rangle \times K$.

K is subgroup:- let $x, y \in K$

$$\Rightarrow \bar{x}, \bar{y} \in \bar{K}$$

$$\Rightarrow \bar{x}\bar{y} \in \bar{K}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow \bar{x}\bar{y} &= \overline{x \langle b \rangle y \langle b \rangle} \\ &= \overline{xy \langle b \rangle} \\ &= \overline{xy} \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow xy \in K.$$

$$\underline{\langle a \rangle \cap K = \{e\}}, \text{ let } x \in \langle a \rangle \cap K$$

$$\Rightarrow x \in \langle a \rangle \text{ \& \& } x \in K$$

$$\Rightarrow \bar{x} \in \langle \bar{a} \rangle \text{ \& \& } \bar{x} \in \bar{K}$$

$$\Rightarrow \bar{x} \in \langle \bar{a} \rangle \cap \bar{K} = \{e\}$$

$$\Rightarrow \bar{x} = \{e\} \Rightarrow x \in \langle b \rangle$$

$$\Rightarrow x \in \langle a \rangle \cap \langle b \rangle$$

$$\text{Hence } x = \{e\}$$

$$\Rightarrow \langle a \rangle \cap K = \{e\}$$

$$\underline{G = \langle a \rangle K} \quad \text{We can see that } \bar{K} = \frac{K}{\langle b \rangle}$$

$$\Rightarrow p|\bar{K}| = K$$

$$\text{Now } |\langle a \rangle K| = \frac{|\langle a \rangle| |K|}{|\langle a \rangle \cap K|} = |\langle a \rangle| |K|$$

$$= |\langle \bar{a} \rangle| |\bar{K}| p$$

$$= |\bar{G}| p = |G|$$

$$\Rightarrow |G| = |\langle a \rangle K|$$

$$\Rightarrow G = \langle a \rangle \times K$$

So lemma proved.

$$\text{Now as } |K| < |G|$$

By induction $K = \langle a' \rangle \times K'$ and so on

$$\therefore G = \langle a \rangle \times \langle a' \rangle \times \langle a'' \rangle \times \dots \times \langle a^{(n)} \rangle$$

So By lemma (1) if $|G| = p_1^{n_1} p_2^{n_2} \dots p_k^{n_k}$

$$G = G(p_1) \times G(p_2) \times \dots \times G(p_k)$$

and $|G(p_i)| = p_i^{n_i}$ If we do it

So $G(p_i) = \langle a_1^i \rangle \times \langle a_2^i \rangle \times \dots \times \langle a_{l_i}^i \rangle$ (By lemma (2))

So $G = \langle a_1^1 \rangle \times \langle a_2^1 \rangle \times \dots \times \langle a_{l_1}^1 \rangle \times \langle a_1^2 \rangle \times \langle a_2^2 \rangle \times \dots$

Hence G can be written as the direct product of cyclic g/s.

Lemma 3:- Suppose that G is a finite Abelian group of prime-power order. If $G = H_1 \times H_2 \times \dots \times H_m$ and $G = K_1 \times K_2 \times \dots \times K_n$, where H_i 's and K_i 's are non-trivial cyclic subg/s with $|H_1| \geq |H_2| \geq \dots \geq |H_m|$ and $|K_1| \geq |K_2| \geq \dots \geq |K_n|$, then $m = n$ and $|H_i| = |K_i|$ for all i .

Proof:- We prove it by induction, $|G| = p^n$
for $n=1$, $|G| = p \rightarrow$ done.

Now suppose that the statement is true for all abelian g/s of order less than $|G|$.

(for any Abelian gp G , $G^p = \{x^p \mid x \in G\}$ is a subgp of G)

Ex:- Let $G = \{1, 8, 12, 14, 18, 21, 27, 31, 34, 38, 44, 47, 51, 53, 57, 64\}$ under $(\times)_{65}$.

E	1	8	12	14	18	21	27	31	34	38	44	47	51	53	57	64
0	1	4	4	2	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	2	4	4	2

previously:- $G = \langle 8 \rangle \times \langle 12 \rangle$ $|G| = 2^4$

Acc. to lemma:- Let $\langle a \rangle = \langle 8 \rangle$

then we have to find b , s.t. $b \notin \langle a \rangle$. So let $b = 14$

$$\langle 8 \rangle = \{1, 8, 64, 57\} \quad \langle 14 \rangle = \{1, 14\}$$

$$\bar{G} = \frac{G}{\langle b \rangle} = \frac{G}{\langle 14 \rangle}$$

$$\bar{G} = \left\{ \overset{8 \langle 14 \rangle}{\{1, 14\}}, \overset{12 \langle 14 \rangle}{\{8, 47\}}, \overset{14 \langle 14 \rangle}{\{12, 38\}}, \overset{18 \langle 14 \rangle}{\{1, 14\}}, \{18, 57\}, \right.$$

$$\{21, 34\}, \{27, 53\}, \{31, 44\}, \{34, 21\}, \{38, 12\},$$

$$\{44, 31\}, \{47, 8\}, \{51, 64\}, \{53, 27\}, \{57, 18\}, \{64, 57\}$$

$$|\bar{G}| = 8$$

$$\bar{G} = \left\{ \overset{\langle 14 \rangle}{\{1, 14\}}, \overset{8 \langle 14 \rangle}{\{8, 47\}}, \overset{12 \langle 14 \rangle}{\{12, 38\}}, \overset{18 \langle 14 \rangle}{\{18, 57\}}, \overset{21 \langle 14 \rangle}{\{21, 34\}}, \overset{27 \langle 14 \rangle}{\{27, 53\}}, \right.$$

$$\overset{31 \langle 34 \rangle}{\{31, 44\}}, \overset{51 \langle 14 \rangle}{\{51, 64\}} \}$$

$$\bar{G} = \left\{ \overset{8 \langle 14 \rangle}{\{1, 14\}}, \overset{64 \langle 14 \rangle}{\{8, 47\}}, \overset{18 \langle 14 \rangle}{\{51, 64\}}, \{18, 57\} \right\}$$

$$\bar{G} = \bar{8} \times \bar{K} \quad \text{here } \bar{K} = \langle \bar{12} \rangle = \{\langle 14 \rangle, 12 \langle 14 \rangle\}$$

$$\bar{12} = \{ \{1, 14\}, \{12, 38\} \} \quad \langle 12 \rangle = \{1, 12, 14, 38\}$$

$$K = \langle 12 \rangle = \{x \in G \mid x \in K\}$$

$$G = \langle 8 \rangle \times \langle 12 \rangle.$$