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Sylow p -subgroups and its applications

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Abstract

Let p be a prime st. p^n divides order of a group G and p^{n+1} does not divide it G . then a subgroup H of G s.t. $O(H) = p^n$ is called a sylow p -subgroup of G . there are three postulates of Sylow p -subgroups first theorem shows the existence of a sylow p -subgroup of G for every prime p dividing order of G while. Second theorem shows that any two sylow p -subgroups of G are conjugate and the third theorem says about the number of sylow p -subgroups of G .

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Introduction

Let p be a prime and m , a +ve integer st. $p^n \mid O(G)$. Then a subgroup H of G . st $O(H) = p^n$.

Any two sylow p -subgroups of a finite group G are conjugate to one another.

Let p be sylow p -subgroups of G is of the form $1+kp$ whon $1+kp \mid O(G)$, k being a non-negative integer Let p be a sylow p -subgroups of G . Then the number of sylow p -subgroups of G is equal to $\frac{O(G)}{O(N(P))}$. This is also a matter to discuss that the number of sylow p -subgroups

of G is of the form $1+kp$ where $1+kp \mid O(G)$, k being a none negative integer.

Note: If $O(G) = p^n q$, ($p, q=1$) then the number of sylow p -subgroups is $1+kp$ where $1+kp \mid p^n q$.

Example: Let G be a group of order 231. Show that N -Sylon subgroup of G is contained in the centre of G .

Soln: Let $O(G) = 231 = 3 \times 7 \times 11$

The number of sylow 11-subgroup of G is $1+11k$ and $(1+11k) \mid 21$. Clearly then it is possible if $k=0$ so, sylon 11-subgroup H of G is normal in G .

The number of sylo 7-subgroup of G is $1+7k'$ and $(1+7k') \mid 33$. So $k'=0$, thus, Sylo 7-subgroup k of G is normal in G $O(H) = 11$, $O(k) = 7$

Now $O\left(\frac{G}{k}\right) = \frac{3 \times 7 \times 11}{7} = 33 = 3 \times 11$ and $3 \times (11-1)$, Thus $\frac{G}{k}$ is cyclic, [If $O(G) = pq$,

where p, q are distinct primes, $p < q$, $p \times q - 1$, then G is cyclic]. Thus $\frac{G}{k}$ is cyclic and so $\frac{G}{k}$ is

abelian. But G' is the smallest subgroup of G such that G/G' is abelian (G' denote the commutator subgroup of G)

$\therefore G' \subseteq k \Rightarrow O(G') = 1$ or 7 if $O(G) = 1$ Then $G' = \{e\} \Rightarrow x^{-1}y^{-1}xy = e \Rightarrow xy = yx$ for all $x, y \in G \Rightarrow G$ is abelian $\Rightarrow G = Z(G) \Rightarrow H \subseteq Z(G)$. Let $O(G) = 7 \Rightarrow G' = K$. Clearly $H \cap k = \{e\}$ as $O(H \cap k)$ divides $O(H) = 11$ and $O(k) = 7$. Let $x \in H, Y \in G$ Then $x^{-1}y^{-1}xy \in G' = k$. also $x^{-1}y^{-1}xy = x^{-1}(y^{-1}xy) \in H$ as H is normal in G

$\therefore x^{-1}y^{-1}xy \in H \cap k = \{e\} \Rightarrow xy = yx, y \in G, x \in H \Rightarrow H \subseteq Z(G)$.

If p is sylow p -subgroup of G Let $X \in N(p)$ st $O(x) = p^1$, then $X \in p$. If every p -subgroup of a finite group is contained in some sylow p -subgroup of G .

$\Rightarrow 1+kp/q$ as $(1+kp, p^n) = 1$

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of p is the only sylow p -subgroups of G then p is normal in G and if p is normal G then p is only sylow p -subgroups of G . If p is sylow p -subgroups of G to very p -Subgroup of a finite group is contained in some sylow p -subgroups of G .

Aim

In a finite group G no sylow p -subgroups can be properly contained in a p -subgroup. If let G be a finite group and p be a p -subgroup of G , then p is sylow p -subgroups of G if and only of no p -subgroup of G properly contains p . If $O(G) = p, q$, where p, q are distinct prime, $p < q, p \times q - 1$ then it is cyclie. Using sylow's theorem we can find $\neg p - 1 = 1 \pmod p$ for every prime p . Let p we a prime dividing $O(G)$ and if $(ab)^p = a^p b^p$ for all $a, b \in G$. then sylow p -subgroups p is normal in G and \setminus a normal subgroup N of G St. $P \cap N = \{e\}$ and $G = PN$ together with G has non trivial centre.

Conclusion

Let G be a finite group and $H \leq G$ suppose p is a prime dividing $O(G)$. Let p be a sylow p -subgroups of H contained in some sylow p -subgroups of G . then $p = S \cap H$. Let G be a finite group and let H be normal in G . If p be a prime dividing $O(G)$. If $([G:H], p) = 1$ Then H contains every sylow p -subgroups of G for finite group G and p being a prime dividing $O(H)$ where $H \leq G$ then the number of sylow p -subgroups of H is less than or equal to the number of sylow p -subgroups of G .

Let p be a prime dividing $O(G)$ St. if K is normal in G and p is a sylow p -subgroups of G . Then $p \cap K$ is a sylow p -subgroups of G and $\frac{pk}{K}$ is a sylow p -subgroups of G/K .

Every sylow p -subgroups of $\frac{G}{K}$ is of the form $\frac{pk}{K}$ where p is a sylow p -subgroup of G . Let G be a group of order pqr , $p < q < r$ being a prime. In this situation some sylow p -subgroup of G is normal in G and then G is can't be simple.

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