

My solution to 2 and 3 from Homework November 15, 2004

2. Let G be the group D_3 with elements $\text{id}, \rho, \rho^2, \sigma, \sigma\rho, \sigma\rho^2$. Compute the homomorphism $\Lambda: D_3 \rightarrow \text{Sym}(D_3)$ as described in 1. It is natural to think of $\text{Sym}(D_3)$ as S_6 where the elements of D_3 are identified with $\{1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6\}$ by $1 \leftrightarrow \text{id}, 2 \leftrightarrow \rho, \dots, 6 \leftrightarrow \sigma\rho^2$, using the above order for the elements of D_3 . For each g in D_3 , find the permutation $\Lambda(g)$ in S_6 .

$$\begin{aligned} \text{id} &\mapsto (1) \\ \rho &\mapsto (1, 2, 3)(4, 6, 5) \\ \rho^2 &\mapsto (1, 3, 2)(4, 5, 6) \\ \sigma &\mapsto (1, 4)(2, 5)(3, 6) \\ \sigma\rho &\mapsto (15)(2, 6)(3, 4) \\ \sigma\rho^2 &\mapsto (1, 6)(2, 4)(3, 5) \end{aligned}$$

3. Let G be the group \mathbb{Z}_6 with elements $1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 0$. Compute the homomorphism $\Lambda: \mathbb{Z}_6 \rightarrow \text{Sym}(\mathbb{Z}_6)$ as described in 1. It is natural to think of $\text{Sym}(\mathbb{Z}_6)$ as S_6 where the elements of \mathbb{Z}_6 are identified with $\{1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6\}$ by $1 \leftrightarrow 1, 2 \leftrightarrow 2, \dots, 6 \leftrightarrow 0$, using the above order for the elements of \mathbb{Z}_6 . For each g in \mathbb{Z}_6 , find the permutation $\Lambda(g)$ in S_6 .

$$\begin{aligned} 1 &\mapsto (1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6) \\ 2 &\mapsto (1, 3, 5)(2, 4, 6) \\ 3 &\mapsto (1, 4)(2, 5)(3, 6) \\ 4 &\mapsto (1, 5, 3)(2, 6, 4) \\ 5 &\mapsto (1, 6, 5, 4, 3, 2) \\ 0 &\mapsto (1) \end{aligned}$$