

if $n > 1$ then $U(n)$ is group with respect to multiplication modulo n .

Proof $U(n) = \{x \in \mathbb{N} : 1 \leq x \leq n \text{ and } \text{g.c.d}(x, n) = 1\}$
 $\neq \emptyset$ $n > 1$.

(i) Let $a \in U(n)$ then $1 \leq a \leq n$ and $\text{g.c.d}(a, n) = 1$
 $b \in U(n)$ then $1 \leq b \leq n$ and $\text{g.c.d}(b, n) = 1$

Now since $\text{g.c.d}(a, n) = 1$ and $\text{g.c.d}(b, n) = 1$

$$\Rightarrow \text{g.c.d}(ab, n) = 1$$

$\Rightarrow a \cdot b \in U(n)$ under multiplication modulo n .

\Rightarrow Closure property hold.

(ii) Let $a, b, c \in U(n)$

then $1 \leq a \leq n$, and $\text{g.c.d}(a, n) = 1$

$1 \leq b \leq n$ and $\text{g.c.d}(b, n) = 1$

$1 \leq c \leq n$ and $\text{g.c.d}(c, n) = 1$

$$a \cdot (b \cdot c) = (a \cdot b) \cdot c \quad \forall a, b, c \in U(n)$$

hence Associative property hold.

(iii) since $1 < n$ and $\text{g.c.d}(1, n) = 1$ then $1 \in U(n)$

such that $a \cdot 1 = a \quad \forall a \in U(n)$,

$\Rightarrow \exists$ identity 1 .

(iv) Let $a \in U(n)$ then $\text{g.c.d}(a, n) = 1$

$\Rightarrow ax \equiv 1 \pmod{n}$ has solⁿ then $x = a^{-1}$ exist
 w.r to modulo n .

then $x = a^{-1} \in U(n)$ s.t. $aa^{-1} = a^{-1}a = 1$
 i.e. \exists inverse $\forall a \in U(n)$

$\Rightarrow U(n)$ is group w.r.t. to multiplication modulo n .

Ex 1) To show $U(7)$ is group.

$$U(7) = \{x \in \mathbb{N} : 1 \leq x \leq n \text{ and } \gcd(x, n) = 1\}$$

$$U(7) = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6\}$$

(i) Let $a, b \in U(7)$ s.t. $a \cdot b \in U(7)$ under multiplication modulo n .

for eg:- $3 \in U(7), 6 \in U(7)$

$$6 \cdot 3 = 18 = 4 \in U(7) \quad \left. \begin{array}{r} 7 \overline{) 18} \\ \underline{14} \\ 4 \end{array} \right\}$$

again $5 \in U(7), 2 \in U(7)$

$$5 \cdot 2 = 10 = 3 \in U(7)$$

$$\left. \begin{array}{r} 7 \overline{) 10} \\ \underline{7} \\ 3 \end{array} \right\}$$

\Rightarrow closure property hold.

(ii) Let $a, b, c \in U(7)$ s.t.

$$(a \cdot b) \cdot c = a \cdot (b \cdot c) \in U(7), \forall a, b, c \in U(7)$$

under multiplication modulo n .

for eg:- $3, 4, 5 \in U(7)$

$$(3 \cdot 4) \cdot 5 = 60 = 4 \in U(7)$$

$$(3 \cdot (4 \cdot 5)) = 60 = 4 \in U(7)$$

Associative property hold.

(iii)

 $\exists 1 \in U(7)$ s.t. $1 \cdot a = a \cdot 1 = a \quad \forall a \in U(7)$ under multiplication modulo 7.hence \exists identity $1 \in U(7)$.

(iv)

let $a \in U(7)$ then $\text{g.c.d}(a, 7) = 1$ $ax \equiv 1 \pmod{7}$ has solⁿ then $x = a^{-1}$ exist w.r.to. modulo 7.then $x = a^{-1} \in U(7)$ s.t. $aa^{-1} = a^{-1}a = 1$ ie. \exists inverse $\forall a \in U(7)$.for eg:- $6 \in U(7)$, $\text{g.c.d}(6, 7) = 1$

$$6x \equiv 1 \pmod{7}$$

$$x = 6^{-1} = 6$$

$$\text{ie. } 6 \cdot 6^{-1} = 6 \cdot 6 = 36 = 1 \pmod{7}.$$

now, $5 \in U(7)$, $\text{g.c.d}(5, 7) = 1$

$$5x \equiv 1 \pmod{7}$$

$$x \equiv 5^{-1} = 3$$

$$5 \cdot 5^{-1} = 5 \cdot 3 = 15 = 1 \pmod{7}$$

 $\Rightarrow U(7)$ is a group under multiplication modulo 7.

So

To show $U(8)$ is a group under multiplication modulo 8 $U(8) = \{1, 3, 5, 7\}$ and Find the inverse of each element of $U(8)$.

Q11 $G = U(12) = \{1, 5, 7, 11\}$. To show $U(12)$ is a group under multiplication modulo 12 and find inverse of each element.

Q12 $U(10) = \{1, 3, 7, 9\}$. To show $U(10)$ is a group under multiplication modulo 10. and find inverse of each element.

Quaternion Group

Show that Quaternion group Q_4 form a group under multiplication.

$$Q_4 = \{-1, 1, i, -i, -j, j, k, -k\}$$

s.t. $i^2 = j^2 = k^2 = -1$

$$i \cdot j = -j \cdot i = k$$

$$j \cdot k = -k \cdot j = i$$

$$k \cdot i = -i \cdot k = j$$

(i) $\forall a \in Q_4, \forall b \in Q_4$ s.t. $a \cdot b \in Q_4$ [closure property]

(ii) $a \cdot (b \cdot c) = a \cdot bc = (a \cdot b) \cdot c \quad \forall a, b, c \in Q_4$. [Associative Property]

(iii) $1 \in Q_4$ s.t. $a \cdot 1 = a \quad \forall a \in Q_4$. [existence of identity]

(iv) Inverse of each element of Q_4 .

$$1^{-1} = 1 \quad (\text{i.e. } 1 \cdot 1 = 1)$$

$$-1^{-1} = -1 \quad (\text{i.e. } (-1) \cdot (-1) = 1)$$

$$i^{-1} = -i \quad [i \cdot (-i) = 1]$$

$$-j^{-1} = j \quad (\text{i.e. } (-j) \cdot j = 1) \quad 5.$$

$$j^{-1} = -j \quad (\text{i.e. } j \cdot (-j) = 1)$$

$$k^{-1} = -k \quad (\text{i.e. } k \cdot (-k) = 1)$$

$$-k^{-1} = k \quad (\text{i.e. } (-k) \cdot k = 1)$$

$\Rightarrow K_4$ is a group.

Ex 2 Show that K_4 (Klein's group) under multiplication.

Proof: $K_4 = \{e, a, b, ab : a^2=e, b^2=e, ab=ba\}$.

\cdot	e	a	b	ab
e	e	a	b	ab
a	a	e	ab	b
b	b	ab	e	a
ab	ba	b	a	e

(i) From Table, $\forall a \in K_4, \forall b \in K_4$ s.t.

$ab \in K_4$ (Closure Property hold)

(ii) $a \cdot (b \cdot c) = (a \cdot b) \cdot c \quad \forall a, b, c \in K_4$
Associative property hold.

(iii) $e \in K_4$ s.t. $a \cdot e = e \cdot a = a \quad \forall a \in K_4$.

(iv) Inverse of each element of K_4 .

$$e^{-1} = e \quad (\text{i.e. } e \cdot e = e^2 = e)$$

$$a^{-1} = a \quad (\text{i.e. } a \cdot a = e)$$

$$b^{-1} = b \quad (\text{i.e. } b \cdot b = e)$$

$$(ab)^{-1} = ab \quad (\text{i.e. } (ab)(ab) = a(ba)b = a(ab)b = a^2 b^2 = e \cdot e = e)$$

$\Rightarrow (K_4, \cdot)$ is group