

1. The definition

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow c} f(x) = L \iff \forall \varepsilon > 0 \quad \exists \delta > 0 \quad \text{so that}$$

$$\text{if } x \in \text{Domain}, 0 < |x - c| < \delta \quad \text{then } |f(x) - L| < \varepsilon.$$

2. (b)

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow -3} x^2 + 1 = 10$$

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$$\begin{aligned} & \boxed{\delta \leq 1} \\ & |x - (-3)| < \delta \leq 1 \\ & -1 < x + 3 < +1 \\ & -3 \quad \quad \quad -3 \\ & -4 < x < -2 \\ & \text{so } |x| < 4 \\ & \& \boxed{\delta \leq \varepsilon/7} \end{aligned}$$
$$\begin{aligned} |f(x) - L| &= |x^2 + 1 - 10| \quad |x - c| < \delta \\ &= |x - 3| |x + 3| \\ &\leq (|x| + 3) |x + 3| \quad \text{by T1} \\ &< (4 + 3) |x + 3| \\ &< 7 \cdot \frac{\varepsilon}{7} \quad \boxed{\delta \leq \varepsilon/7} \end{aligned}$$

so $\delta \leq 1$ AND $\delta \leq \varepsilon/7$

Proof. Let $\varepsilon > 0$. Let $\delta = \min \{1, \varepsilon/7\}$. Let $x \in \mathbb{R}$ so that $0 < |x - (-3)| < \delta$. Thus $|x + 3| < 1$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{so } -1 < x + 3 < 1 \\ -4 < x < -2, \quad \text{so } |x| < 4 \quad (\times) \end{aligned}$$

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(2b) (CONTINUED)

$$\text{Note } |f(x) - L| = |x^2 - 10| = |x^2 - 9|$$

$$= |x - 3| |x + 3|$$

$$\leq (|x| + 3) |x + 3| \text{ by TRIANGLE INEQUALITY}$$

$$< (4 + 3) |x + 3| \text{ by (*)}$$

$$< 7 \cdot \delta \text{ since } |x + 3| < \delta$$

$$\leq 7 \left(\frac{\varepsilon}{7}\right) = \varepsilon \quad \square$$

(2d) $\lim_{x \rightarrow 2} x^3 = 8$

$$|x - c| < \delta$$

$$\boxed{\delta \leq 1}$$
$$|x - c| < \delta$$

$$|x - 2| < 1$$

$$-1 < x - 2 < 1$$

$$1 < x < 3$$

$$\text{so } |x| < 3 \text{ (*)}$$

$$|f(x) - L| = |x^3 - 8| = |x - 2| |x^2 + 2x + 4|$$

$$\leq |x - 2| (|x|^2 + 2|x| + 4) \text{ by T.I.}$$

$$< |x - 2| (3^2 + 2(3) + 4) \text{ by (*)}$$

$$< \delta \cdot 19$$

$$\leq \left(\frac{\varepsilon}{19}\right) \cdot 19$$

$$\delta \leq 1$$

$$\delta \leq \varepsilon/19 \Rightarrow \delta = \min \{1, \varepsilon/19\}$$

Proof. Let $\varepsilon > 0$. Define $\delta = \min \{1, \varepsilon/19\}$. Let $x \in \mathbb{R}$ s.t. that

$$0 < |x - 2| < \delta. \text{ Thus } |x - 2| < 1$$

$$-1 < x - 2 < 1$$

$$1 < x < 3, \text{ so } |x| < 3 \text{ (*)}$$

$$\text{So } |f(x) - L| = |x^3 - 8| = |x - 2| (x^2 + 2x + 4) \leq |x - 2| (|x|^2 + 2|x| + 4) \text{ by T.I.}$$

$$< |x - 2| (9 + 6 + 4) \text{ by (*)}$$

$$< \frac{\varepsilon}{19} \cdot 19 = \varepsilon \quad \square$$

7. Let G be a group, and let g be a fixed element in G .

Define $H = \{g a g^{-1} \mid a \in G\}$

Show H is a subgroup of G .

Proof. We will use the 2-step subgroup test to

show H is a subgroup of G . First note

$$g e g^{-1} = e \in H \text{ for } a = e.$$

So H is nonempty.

Let $x, y \in H$. So $x = g a g^{-1}$ and

$y = g b g^{-1}$ where $a, b \in G$. Note

$$x \cdot y = g a g^{-1} g b g^{-1} = g a b g^{-1}$$

since $ab \in G$ we have $xy = g(ab)g^{-1} \in H$.

Now we will show $x^{-1} \in H$. Since

$$\begin{aligned} x = g a g^{-1} \text{ we have } x^{-1} &= (g a g^{-1})^{-1} \\ &= (g^{-1})^{-1} a^{-1} g^{-1} \\ &= g a^{-1} g^{-1}, \text{ Note } a^{-1} \in G. \end{aligned}$$

So $x^{-1} \in H$.

By 2-step subgroup test H is a subgroup of G . $\square$

(9.) Let $G_1 = \mathbb{Z}_2 \times \mathbb{Z}_2 \times \mathbb{Z}_2$ AND $G_2 = (\mathbb{Z}_8, +)$
 (a) Find orders of $(1, 1, 1)$ AND $(1, 0, 1)$ in G_1

the identity of $\mathbb{Z}_2 \times \mathbb{Z}_2 \times \mathbb{Z}_2$

$$(1, 1, 1) + (1, 1, 1) = (0, 0, 0)$$

So $|(1, 1, 1)| = 2$

Similarly $|(1, 0, 1)| = 2$

The orders of 1, 2, 3 in $\mathbb{Z}_8$

$$\begin{aligned} 1 &= 1 \\ 1+1 &= 2 \\ 1+1+1 &= 3 \\ &\vdots \\ 1+\dots+1 &= 8 \equiv 0 \\ \uparrow \\ |1| &= 8 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} &2 \\ &2+2 \\ &2+2+2 \\ &2+2+2+2 \equiv 0 \\ &\uparrow \\ &|2| = 4 \end{aligned} \quad \text{AND} \quad |3| = 8$$

(b) G_1 has NO generators

but 1, 3, 5, 7 are all generators for $(\mathbb{Z}_8, +)$.

(c) $G_1 \not\cong G_2$ since G_1 has NO generators

but G_2 does have a generator.

(10) $G_1 = (\mathbb{Z}_9^*, \cdot)$ $G_2 = (\mathbb{Z}_6, +)$

(a) $2, 5, 7 \in \mathbb{Z}_9^*$

$$\begin{aligned} 2 &= 2 \\ 2^2 &= 4 \\ 2^3 &= 8 \\ 2^4 &= 16 \equiv 7 \\ 2^5 &= 14 \equiv 5 \\ 2^6 &= 10 \equiv 1 \end{aligned}$$

$|2| = 6$

$$\begin{aligned} 5 &= 5 \\ 5^2 &= 25 \equiv 7 \\ 5^3 &= 35 \equiv 8 \\ 5^6 &\equiv 1 \pmod{9} \end{aligned}$$

$|5| = 6$

$$\begin{aligned} 7 &= 7 \\ 7^2 &= 49 \equiv 4 \\ 7^3 &= 4 \cdot 7 = 28 \equiv 1 \pmod{9} \\ |7| &= 3 \end{aligned}$$

$1, 2, 3 \in \mathbb{Z}_6$

$|1| = 6$, $|2| = 3$, $|3| = 2$

(b) 2 is a generator in $\mathbb{Z}_9^*$

AND 1 is a generator in $\mathbb{Z}_6$

(c)

2	$= 2$	$\longrightarrow$	$1 = 1$
2	$= 4$	$\longrightarrow$	$1+1 = 2$
2^2	$= 8$	$\longrightarrow$	$1+1+1 = 3$
2^4	$\equiv 7$	$\longrightarrow$	$1+1+1+1 = 4$
2^5	$\equiv 5$	$\longrightarrow$	$1+1+1+1+1 = 5$
2^6	$\equiv 1$	$\longrightarrow$	$1+1+1+1+1+1 = 6 \equiv 0$

So

$\mathbb{Z}_9^*$	f	$\mathbb{Z}_6$
1	$\longrightarrow$	0
2	$\longrightarrow$	1
4	$\longrightarrow$	2
5	$\longrightarrow$	3
7	$\longrightarrow$	4
8	$\longrightarrow$	5

is an isomorphism.

(11.) $G = \{2^n : n \in \mathbb{N}\}$

Show $(G, \cdot)$ satisfies G1, G2 and G3.

Proof. We will show $(G, \cdot)$ is associative (G1).

Let $a, b, c \in G$. Note

$$(ab)c = a(bc) \quad \text{since } a, b, c \in \mathbb{R} \text{ and mult. over } \mathbb{R}$$

$\mathbb{R}$ is associative.

The multiplicative identity is $e=1$ and $1 \in G$ since $1=2^0$ where $n=0$. So $(G, \cdot)$ satisfies G2.

Let $a \in G$. So $a=2^n$ for some $n \in \mathbb{Z}$. Note $-n \in \mathbb{Z}$ so $2^{-n} \in G$. Note $a \cdot 2^{-n} = 2^n \cdot 2^{-n} = 2^0 = 1$, and

$$2^{-n} \cdot a = \dots = 1.$$

So $(G, \cdot)$ is closed inverse (ie $(G, \cdot)$ satisfies G3). $\square$

(12.) Hint: Let $f: \mathbb{Z} \rightarrow G$ be defined by

$$f(n) = 2^n. \quad \text{You must show}$$

(1) f is a bijection, and

$$(2) f(n+m) = f(n) \cdot f(m) \quad \forall n, m \in \mathbb{Z}.$$