

# composites of ranges of subgroups

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In[1]:= SetDirectory["1:"]; << goedel.12jan24a

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## summary

The **direct product** of two groups  $x$  and  $y$  is the group  $\mathbf{direct}[x, y] = (x \otimes y) \circ \mathbf{TWIST}$ . The range of a subgroup of a direct product of two groups is a relation. It is natural to ask whether constructions involving such relations yield ranges of other subgroups. One such result has already been derived. If  $w$  is the range of a subgroup of the direct product of groups  $x$  and  $y$ , then  $\mathbf{inverse}[w]$  is the range of a subgroup of the direct product of  $y$  and  $x$ .

```
In[2]:= implies[and[member[x, GROUPS], member[y, GROUPS],
  member[w, image[IMAGE[SECOND], intersection[GROUPS, P[direct[x, y]]]]],
  member[inverse[w], image[IMAGE[SECOND], intersection[GROUPS, P[direct[y, x]]]]]]
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Out[2]= True
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In this notebook it is shown that if  $u$  is the range of a subgroup of the direct product of groups  $y$  and  $z$ , and if  $v$  is the range of a subgroup of the direct product of groups  $x$  and  $y$ , then the composite relation  $u \circ v$  is the range of a subgroup of the direct product of  $x$  and  $z$ . One can think of this result as a generalization of the fact that the composite of two binary homomorphisms is a homomorphism. Indeed, the set of binary homomorphisms from a group  $x$  to a group  $y$  is a subclass of the set of ranges of subgroups of the direct product of  $x$  and  $y$ .

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In[3]:= implies[and[member[x, GROUPS], member[y, GROUPS]],
  subclass[binhom[x, y], image[IMAGE[SECOND], intersection[GROUPS, P[direct[x, y]]]]]
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Out[3]= True
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## a general result

The following general result says that ranges of substructures of direct products are relations.

Theorem. The range  $w$  of a substructure of the direct product of  $y$  and  $z$  is a subclass of the cartesian product of the range of  $y$  and the range of  $z$ .

```
In[4]:= SubstTest[implies, and[member[w, u], subclass[u, v]], member[w, v],
  {u -> image[IMAGE[SECOND], intersection[x, P[direct[y, z]]]},
  v -> P[cart[range[y], range[z]]]} // Reverse
```

```
Out[4]= or[not[
  member[w, image[IMAGE[SECOND], intersection[x, P[composite[cross[y, z], TWIST]]]],
  subclass[w, cart[range[y], range[z]]] == True
```

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In[5]:= or[not[member[w_,
  image[IMAGE[SECOND], intersection[x_, P[composite[cross[y_, z_], TWIST]]]],
  subclass[w_, cart[range[y_], range[z_]]] := True
```

For the special case  $x = \mathbf{GROUPS}$ , this theorem says that if  $w$  is the range of a subgroup of the direct product of  $y$  and  $z$ , then  $w \subset \text{range}[y] \times \text{range}[z]$ .

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## binary closed

Theorem. If  $w$  is the range of a subgroup of  $\mathbf{gp}[x]$ , then  $w$  is binary closed under  $\mathbf{gp}[x]$ .

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In[7]:= SubstTest[implies, and[member[w, u], subclass[u, v]],
  member[w, v], {u -> image[IMAGE[SECOND], intersection[GROUPS, P[gp[x]]]},
  v -> binclosed[gp[x]]} // Reverse
```

```
Out[7]= or[not[member[w, image[IMAGE[SECOND], intersection[GROUPS, P[gp[x]]]],
  subclass[image[gp[x], cart[w, w]], w] == True
```

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In[8]:= or[not[member[w_, image[IMAGE[SECOND], intersection[GROUPS, P[gp[x_]]]],
  subclass[image[gp[x_], cart[w_, w_]], w_] := True
```

Corollary. If  $w$  is the range of a subgroup of the direct product of  $\mathbf{gp}[x]$  and  $\mathbf{gp}[y]$ , then  $w$  is binary closed under  $\mathbf{direct}[gp[x], gp[y]]$ .

```
In[9]:= SubstTest[implies, member[w, image[IMAGE[SECOND], intersection[GROUPS, P[gp[z]]]],
  member[w, binclosed[gp[z]]], z -> direct[gp[x], gp[y]] // Reverse
```

```
Out[9]= or[not[member[w, image[IMAGE[SECOND],
  intersection[GROUPS, P[composite[cross[gp[x], gp[y]], TWIST]]]],
  subclass[composite[gp[y], cross[w, w], inverse[gp[x]]], w] == True
```

```
In[11]:= or[not[member[w_, image[IMAGE[SECOND],
    intersection[GROUPS, P[composite[cross[gp[x_], gp[y_]], TWIST]]]]],
    subclass[composite[gp[y_], cross[w_, w_], inverse[gp[x_]]], w_] := True
```

The next step is to consider composites of ranges of subgroups of direct products.

Lemma.

```
In[12]:= (SubstTest[implies, subclass[p, q], subclass[composite[r, p, z], composite[r, q, z]],
    {r -> composite[gp[z], cross[u, u]], p -> id[cart[t, t]],
    q -> composite[inverse[gp[y]], gp[y]],
    z -> composite[cross[v, v], inverse[gp[x]]]} // Reverse) /. t -> range[gp[y]]
```

```
Out[12]= subclass[composite[gp[z], cross[composite[u, id[range[gp[y]]], v],
    composite[u, id[range[gp[y]]], v]], inverse[gp[x]], composite[gp[z],
    cross[u, u], inverse[gp[y]], gp[y], cross[v, v], inverse[gp[x]]]] = True
```

```
In[13]:= (% /. {u -> u_, v -> v_, x -> x_, y -> y_, z -> z_}) /. Equal -> SetDelayed
```

Lemma. (Eliminating the factor `id[range[gp[y]]]`.)

```
In[14]:= SubstTest[implies, equal[t, range[gp[y]]], subclass[composite[gp[z],
    cross[composite[u, id[t], v], composite[u, id[t], v]], inverse[gp[x]]],
    composite[gp[z], cross[u, u], inverse[gp[y]], gp[y], cross[v, v], inverse[gp[x]]]],
    t -> union[domain[u], range[gp[y]]] // Reverse
```

```
Out[14]= or[not[subclass[domain[u], range[gp[y]]]],
    subclass[composite[gp[z], cross[composite[u, v], composite[u, v]], inverse[gp[x]]],
    composite[gp[z], cross[u, u], inverse[gp[y]],
    gp[y], cross[v, v], inverse[gp[x]]]] = True
```

```
In[15]:= (% /. {u -> u_, v -> v_, x -> x_, y -> y_, z -> z_}) /. Equal -> SetDelayed
```

Lemma.

```
In[16]:= Map[not,
    SubstTest[and, implies[and[p1, p2], p3], implies[p0, p4], implies[and[p2, p3, p4], p5],
    not[implies[and[p0, p1, p2], p5]], {p0 -> subclass[domain[u], range[gp[y]]],
    p1 -> subclass[composite[gp[z], cross[u, u], inverse[gp[y]]], u],
    p2 -> subclass[composite[gp[y], cross[v, v], inverse[gp[x]]], v],
    p3 -> subclass[composite[gp[z], cross[u, u], inverse[gp[y]],
    gp[y], cross[v, v], inverse[gp[x]]], composite[u, v]],
    p4 -> subclass[composite[gp[z], cross[composite[u, v], composite[u, v]],
    inverse[gp[x]], composite[gp[z], cross[u, u],
    inverse[gp[y]], gp[y], cross[v, v], inverse[gp[x]]]],
    p5 -> subclass[composite[gp[z], cross[composite[u, v], composite[u, v]],
    inverse[gp[x]], composite[u, v]]] // Reverse
```

```
Out[16]= or[not[subclass[composite[gp[y], cross[v, v], inverse[gp[x]]], v]],
    not[subclass[composite[gp[z], cross[u, u], inverse[gp[y]]], u]],
    not[subclass[domain[u], range[gp[y]]]], subclass[composite[gp[z],
    cross[composite[u, v], composite[u, v]], inverse[gp[x]], composite[u, v]]] = True
```

```
In[17]:= (% /. {u → u_, v → v_, x → x_, y → y_, z → z_}) /. Equal → SetDelayed
```

Theorem. If  $u$  is the range of a subgroup of  $\text{direct}[\text{gp}[y], \text{gp}[z]]$  and  $v$  is the range of a subgroup of  $\text{direct}[\text{gp}[x], \text{gp}[y]]$ , then  $u \circ v$  is binary closed under  $\text{direct}[\text{gp}[x], \text{gp}[z]]$ .

```
In[18]:= Map[not, SubstTest[and, (*implies[p1,p3],implies[p2,p4], implies[p1,p5],*)
  implies[p5, p6], implies[and[p3, p4, p6], p7],
  not[implies[and[p1, p2], p7]], {p1 -> member[u, image[IMAGE[SECOND],
    intersection[GROUPS, P[composite[cross[gp[y], gp[z]], TWIST]]]]],
  p2 -> member[v, image[IMAGE[SECOND], intersection[GROUPS,
    P[composite[cross[gp[x], gp[y]], TWIST]]]]],
  p3 -> subclass[composite[gp[z], cross[u, u], inverse[gp[y]]], u],
  p4 -> subclass[composite[gp[y], cross[v, v], inverse[gp[x]]], v],
  p5 -> subclass[u, cart[range[gp[y]], range[gp[z]]]],
  p6 -> subclass[domain[u], range[gp[y]]],
  p7 -> subclass[composite[gp[z], cross[composite[u, v], composite[u, v]],
    inverse[gp[x]], composite[u, v]]]] // Reverse
```

```
Out[18]= or[not[member[u, image[IMAGE[SECOND],
  intersection[GROUPS, P[composite[cross[gp[y], gp[z]], TWIST]]]]],
  not[member[v, image[IMAGE[SECOND], intersection[GROUPS,
    P[composite[cross[gp[x], gp[y]], TWIST]]]]],
  subclass[composite[gp[z], cross[composite[u, v], composite[u, v]], inverse[gp[x]],
  composite[u, v]]] = True
```

```
In[19]:= (% /. {u → u_, v → v_, x → x_, y → y_, z → z_}) /. Equal → SetDelayed
```

## images under inversion

Lemma. If  $t$  is the range of a subgroup of  $\text{gp}[x]$ , then  $\text{image}[\text{inv}[\text{gp}[x]], t] = t$ .

```
In[20]:= SubstTest[implies, and[member[t, u], subclass[u, v]],
  member[t, v], {u -> image[IMAGE[SECOND], intersection[GROUPS, P[gp[x]]]],
  v -> fix[IMAGE[inv[gp[x]]]]} // Reverse
```

```
Out[20]= or[equal[t, image[inv[gp[x]], t]],
  not[member[t, image[IMAGE[SECOND], intersection[GROUPS, P[gp[x]]]]]] = True
```

```
In[21]:= or[equal[t_, image[inv[gp[x_]], t_]],
  not[member[t_, image[IMAGE[SECOND], intersection[GROUPS, P[gp[x_]]]]]] := True
```

Theorem. If  $w$  is the range of a subgroup of  $\text{direct}[\text{gp}[x], \text{gp}[y]]$ , then  $w$  is fixed under imaging with the inversion function for  $\text{direct}[\text{gp}[x], \text{gp}[y]]$ .

```
In[22]:= SubstTest[implies, member[w, image[IMAGE[SECOND], intersection[GROUPS, P[gp[z]]]],
  member[w, fix[IMAGE[inv[gp[z]]]]], z → direct[gp[x], gp[y]] // Reverse
```

```
Out[22]= or[equal[w, composite[inv[gp[y]], w, inv[gp[x]]], not[member[w, image[IMAGE[SECOND],
  intersection[GROUPS, P[composite[cross[gp[x], gp[y]], TWIST]]]]]] = True
```

```
In[23]:= or[equal[w_, composite[inv[gp[y_]], w_, inv[gp[x_]]],
  not[member[w_, image[IMAGE[SECOND],
    intersection[GROUPS, P[composite[cross[gp[x_], gp[y_]], TWIST]]]]]] := True
```

Lemma.

```
In[24]:= SubstTest[implies, and[equal[u, p], equal[v, q]],
  equal[composite[u, v], composite[p, q]], {p -> composite[inv[gp[z]], u, inv[gp[y]]],
  q -> composite[inv[gp[y]], v, inv[gp[x]]]} // Reverse
```

```
Out[24]= or[equal[composite[u, v], composite[inv[gp[z]], u, id[range[gp[y]]], v, inv[gp[x]]],
  not[equal[u, composite[inv[gp[z]], u, inv[gp[y]]]],
  not[equal[v, composite[inv[gp[y]], v, inv[gp[x]]]]] = True
```

```
In[25]:= (% /. {u -> u_, v -> v_, x -> x_, y -> y_, z -> z_}) /. Equal -> SetDelayed
```

Lemma. (Eliminating `id[range[gp[y]]]`.)

```
In[26]:= SubstTest[implies, equal[t, range[gp[y]]],
  or[equal[composite[u, v], composite[inv[gp[z]], u, id[t], v, inv[gp[x]]],
  not[equal[u, composite[inv[gp[z]], u, inv[gp[y]]]],
  not[equal[v, composite[inv[gp[y]], v, inv[gp[x]]]]],
  t -> union[domain[u], range[gp[y]]] // Reverse
```

```
Out[26]= or[equal[composite[u, v], composite[inv[gp[z]], u, v, inv[gp[x]]],
  not[equal[u, composite[inv[gp[z]], u, inv[gp[y]]]],
  not[equal[v, composite[inv[gp[y]], v, inv[gp[x]]]],
  not[subclass[domain[u], range[gp[y]]]] = True
```

```
In[27]:= (% /. {u -> u_, v -> v_, x -> x_, y -> y_, z -> z_}) /. Equal -> SetDelayed
```

Theorem. If  $u$  is the range of a subgroup of `direct[gp[y], gp[z]]` and  $v$  is the range of a subgroup of `direct[gp[x], gp[y]]`, then  $u \circ v$  is fixed under imaging with the inversion function for `direct[gp[x], gp[z]]`.

```
In[28]:= Map[not, SubstTest[and, (*implies[p1,p3],implies[p2,p4], implies[p1,p5],*)
  implies[p5, p6], implies[and[p3, p4, p6], p7],
  not[implies[and[p1, p2], p7]], {p1 -> member[u, image[IMAGE[SECOND],
    intersection[GROUPS, P[composite[cross[gp[y], gp[z]], TWIST]]]],
  p2 -> member[v, image[IMAGE[SECOND], intersection[GROUPS,
    P[composite[cross[gp[x], gp[y]], TWIST]]]],
  p3 -> equal[u, composite[inv[gp[z]], u, inv[gp[y]]],
  p4 -> equal[v, composite[inv[gp[y]], v, inv[gp[x]]],
  p5 -> subclass[u, cart[range[gp[y]], range[gp[z]]],
  p6 -> subclass[domain[u], range[gp[y]]],
  p7 -> equal[composite[u, v], composite[inv[gp[z]], u, v, inv[gp[x]]]]] // Reverse
```

```
Out[28]= or[equal[composite[u, v], composite[inv[gp[z]], u, v, inv[gp[x]]],
  not[member[u, image[IMAGE[SECOND],
    intersection[GROUPS, P[composite[cross[gp[y], gp[z]], TWIST]]]]],
  not[member[v, image[IMAGE[SECOND], intersection[GROUPS,
    P[composite[cross[gp[x], gp[y]], TWIST]]]]]] = True
```

```
In[29]:= (% /. {u -> u_, v -> v_, x -> x_, y -> y_, z -> z_}) /. Equal -> SetDelayed
```

Lemma.

```
In[30]:= SubstTest[subclass, t, intersection[u, v],
  {u -> binclosed[direct[gp[x], gp[y]]], v -> fix[IMAGE[inv[direct[gp[x], gp[y]]]]]}]
Out[30]= and[subclass[t, binclosed[composite[cross[gp[x], gp[y]], TWIST]]],
  subclass[t, fix[IMAGE[cross[inv[gp[x]], inv[gp[y]]]]]] ==
  subclass[t, union[image[IMAGE[SECOND],
  intersection[GROUPS, P[composite[cross[gp[x], gp[y]], TWIST]]]], set[0]]]
In[31]:= and[subclass[t_, binclosed[composite[cross[gp[x_], gp[y_]], TWIST]]],
  subclass[t_, fix[IMAGE[cross[inv[gp[x_]], inv[gp[y_]]]]]] :=
  subclass[t, union[image[IMAGE[SECOND],
  intersection[GROUPS, P[composite[cross[gp[x], gp[y]], TWIST]]]], set[0]]]
```

Lemma.

```
In[32]:= Map[implies[and[not[empty[t]], #], member[t, image[IMAGE[SECOND],
  intersection[GROUPS, P[composite[cross[gp[x], gp[y]], TWIST]]]]] &,
  SubstTest[member, t, intersection[u, v], {u -> binclosed[direct[gp[x], gp[y]]],
  v -> fix[IMAGE[inv[direct[gp[x], gp[y]]]]]}]
Out[32]= or[equal[0, t], member[t, image[IMAGE[SECOND],
  intersection[GROUPS, P[composite[cross[gp[x], gp[y]], TWIST]]]]],
  not[equal[t, composite[inv[gp[y]], t, inv[gp[x]]]], not[member[t, V]],
  not[subclass[composite[gp[y], cross[t, t], inverse[gp[x]]], t]]] == True
In[33]:= (% /. {t -> t_, x -> x_, y -> y_, z -> z_}) /. Equal -> SetDelayed
```

Lemma.

```
In[34]:= SubstTest[or, equal[0, t], member[t, image[IMAGE[SECOND],
  intersection[GROUPS, P[composite[cross[gp[x], gp[y]], TWIST]]]]],
  not[equal[t, composite[inv[gp[y]], t, inv[gp[x]]]], not[member[t, V]],
  not[subclass[composite[gp[y], cross[t, t], inverse[gp[x]]], t]],
  t -> composite[u, v]] // Reverse
Out[34]= or[equal[0, intersection[domain[u], range[v]]],
  member[composite[u, v], image[IMAGE[SECOND],
  intersection[GROUPS, P[composite[cross[gp[x], gp[y]], TWIST]]]]],
  not[equal[composite[u, v], composite[inv[gp[y]], u, v, inv[gp[x]]]],
  not[member[composite[u, v], V]], not[subclass[composite[gp[y],
  cross[composite[u, v], composite[u, v]], inverse[gp[x]]], composite[u, v]]] == True
In[35]:= (% /. {u -> u_, v -> v_, x -> x_, y -> y_, z -> z_}) /. Equal -> SetDelayed
```

Lemma.

```
In[36]:= Map[not, SubstTest[and, implies[p1, p2], implies[p1, p3],
  implies[and[p0, p2, p3], p4], not[implies[and[p0, p1], p4]],
  {p0 -> and[member[composite[u, v], V], not[disjoint[domain[u], range[v]]]],
  p1 -> and[member[u, image[IMAGE[SECOND], intersection[GROUPS,
    P[composite[cross[gp[y], gp[z]], TWIST]]]], member[v, image[IMAGE[SECOND],
    intersection[GROUPS, P[composite[cross[gp[x], gp[y]], TWIST]]]]],
  p2 -> subclass[composite[gp[z], cross[composite[u, v], composite[u, v]],
    inverse[gp[x]]], composite[u, v]],
  p3 -> equal[composite[u, v], composite[inv[gp[z]], u, v, inv[gp[x]]]],
  p4 -> member[composite[u, v], image[IMAGE[SECOND],
    intersection[GROUPS, P[composite[cross[gp[x], gp[z]], TWIST]]]]]]] // Reverse
```

```
Out[36]= or[equal[0, intersection[domain[u], range[v]]],
  member[composite[u, v], image[IMAGE[SECOND],
    intersection[GROUPS, P[composite[cross[gp[x], gp[z]], TWIST]]]]],
  not[member[u, image[IMAGE[SECOND], intersection[GROUPS,
    P[composite[cross[gp[y], gp[z]], TWIST]]]]], not[member[v, image[IMAGE[SECOND],
    intersection[GROUPS, P[composite[cross[gp[x], gp[y]], TWIST]]]]]]] = True
```

```
In[37]:= (% /. {u -> u_, v -> v_, x -> x_, y -> y_, z -> z_}) /. Equal -> SetDelayed
```

Lemma. (Remove the wrappers.)

```
In[38]:= SubstTest[implies, and[equal[x, gp[r]], equal[y, gp[s]], equal[z, gp[t]]],
  or[equal[0, intersection[domain[u], range[v]]], member[composite[u, v],
  image[IMAGE[SECOND], intersection[GROUPS, P[composite[cross[x, z], TWIST]]]]],
  not[member[u, image[IMAGE[SECOND], intersection[GROUPS,
    P[composite[cross[y, z], TWIST]]]]], not[member[v,
    image[IMAGE[SECOND], intersection[GROUPS, P[composite[cross[x, y], TWIST]]]]]]],
  {r -> x, s -> y, t -> z}] // MapNotNot // Reverse
```

```
Out[38]= or[equal[0, intersection[domain[u], range[v]]], member[composite[u, v],
  image[IMAGE[SECOND], intersection[GROUPS, P[composite[cross[x, z], TWIST]]]]],
  not[member[u, image[IMAGE[SECOND],
    intersection[GROUPS, P[composite[cross[y, z], TWIST]]]]], not[member[v,
    image[IMAGE[SECOND], intersection[GROUPS, P[composite[cross[x, y], TWIST]]]]]]],
  not[member[x, GROUPS]], not[member[y, GROUPS]], not[member[z, GROUPS]]] = True
```

```
In[39]:= (% /. {u -> u_, v -> v_, x -> x_, y -> y_, z -> z_}) /. Equal -> SetDelayed
```

Lemma.

```
In[40]:= SubstTest[implies, and[member[t, image[IMAGE[SECOND], intersection[GROUPS, P[z]]],
  member[z, GROUPS]], member[e[z], t], z -> direct[gp[x], gp[y]]] // Reverse
```

```
Out[40]= or[equal[0, gp[x]], equal[0, gp[y]],
  member[pair[e[gp[x]], e[gp[y]]], t], not[member[t, image[IMAGE[SECOND],
    intersection[GROUPS, P[composite[cross[gp[x], gp[y]], TWIST]]]]]]] = True
```

```
In[41]:= (% /. {t -> t_, x -> x_, y -> y_}) /. Equal -> SetDelayed
```

Theorem. If  $w$  is the range of a subgroup of the direct product of groups  $x$  and  $y$ , then  $\text{pair}[e[x], e[y]] \in w$ .

```
In[43]:= SubstTest[implies, and[equal[x, gp[u]], equal[y, gp[v]]],
  or[equal[0, x], equal[0, y], member[pair[e[x], e[y]], w], not[member[w,
    image[IMAGE[SECOND], intersection[GROUPS, P[composite[cross[x, y], TWIST]]]]]],
  {u → x, v → y}] // Reverse // MapNotNot
```

```
Out[43]= or[member[pair[e[x], e[y]], w], not[member[w,
  image[IMAGE[SECOND], intersection[GROUPS, P[composite[cross[x, y], TWIST]]]]],
  not[member[x, GROUPS]], not[member[y, GROUPS]]] == True
```

```
In[44]:= or[member[pair[e[x_], e[y_]], w_], not[member[w_,
  image[IMAGE[SECOND], intersection[GROUPS, P[composite[cross[x_, y_], TWIST]]]]],
  not[member[x_, GROUPS]], not[member[y_, GROUPS]]] := True
```

Corollary 1. If  $w$  is the range of a subgroup of the direct product of groups  $x$  and  $y$ , then  $e[x] \in \text{domain}[w]$ .

```
In[46]:= Map[not, SubstTest[and, implies[p1, p2],
  implies[p1, p3], implies[and[p2, p3], p4], not[implies[p1, p4]],
  {p1 → and[member[x, GROUPS], member[y, GROUPS], member[w, image[IMAGE[SECOND],
    intersection[GROUPS, P[composite[cross[x, y], TWIST]]]]]],
  p2 → member[pair[e[x], e[y]], w], p3 → subclass[w, cart[range[x], range[y]]],
  p4 → member[e[x], domain[w]]}] // Reverse
```

```
Out[46]= or[member[e[x], domain[w]], not[member[w,
  image[IMAGE[SECOND], intersection[GROUPS, P[composite[cross[x, y], TWIST]]]]],
  not[member[x, GROUPS]], not[member[y, GROUPS]]] == True
```

```
In[47]:= or[member[e[x_], domain[w_]], not[member[w_,
  image[IMAGE[SECOND], intersection[GROUPS, P[composite[cross[x_, y_], TWIST]]]]],
  not[member[x_, GROUPS]], not[member[y_, GROUPS]]] := True
```

Corollary 2. If  $w$  is the range of a subgroup of the direct product of groups  $x$  and  $y$ , then  $e[y] \in \text{range}[w]$ .

```
In[48]:= Map[not, SubstTest[and, implies[p1, p2],
  implies[p1, p3], implies[and[p2, p3], p4], not[implies[p1, p4]],
  {p1 → and[member[x, GROUPS], member[y, GROUPS], member[w, image[IMAGE[SECOND],
    intersection[GROUPS, P[composite[cross[x, y], TWIST]]]]]],
  p2 → member[pair[e[x], e[y]], w], p3 → subclass[w, cart[range[x], range[y]]],
  p4 → member[e[y], range[w]]}] // Reverse
```

```
Out[48]= or[member[e[y], range[w]], not[member[w,
  image[IMAGE[SECOND], intersection[GROUPS, P[composite[cross[x, y], TWIST]]]]],
  not[member[x, GROUPS]], not[member[y, GROUPS]]] == True
```

```
In[49]:= or[member[e[y_], range[w_]], not[member[w_,
  image[IMAGE[SECOND], intersection[GROUPS, P[composite[cross[x_, y_], TWIST]]]]],
  not[member[x_, GROUPS]], not[member[y_, GROUPS]]] := True
```

Main Theorem. If  $u$  is the range of a subgroup of the direct product of groups  $y$  and  $z$ , and if  $v$  is the range of a subgroup of the direct product of groups  $x$  and  $y$ , then the composite relation  $u \circ v$  is the range of a subgroup of the direct product of  $x$  and  $z$ .



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In[50]:= Map[not, SubstTest[and, implies[p1, p2],
  implies[p1, p3], implies[and[p2, p3], p4], implies[and[p1, p4], p5],
  not[implies[p1, p5]], {p1 → and[member[u, image[IMAGE[SECOND],
    intersection[GROUPS, P[composite[cross[y, z], TWIST]]]]], member[v,
    image[IMAGE[SECOND], intersection[GROUPS, P[composite[cross[x, y], TWIST]]]]],
  member[x, GROUPS], member[y, GROUPS], member[z, GROUPS]],
  p2 → member[e[y], domain[u]], p3 → member[e[y], range[v]],
  p4 → not[disjoint[domain[u], range[v]]],
  p5 → member[composite[u, v], image[IMAGE[SECOND],
    intersection[GROUPS, P[composite[cross[x, z], TWIST]]]]]] // Reverse

Out[50]= or[member[composite[u, v],
  image[IMAGE[SECOND], intersection[GROUPS, P[composite[cross[x, z], TWIST]]]]],
  not[member[u, image[IMAGE[SECOND],
    intersection[GROUPS, P[composite[cross[y, z], TWIST]]]]], not[member[v,
    image[IMAGE[SECOND], intersection[GROUPS, P[composite[cross[x, y], TWIST]]]]],
  not[member[x, GROUPS]], not[member[y, GROUPS]], not[member[z, GROUPS]]] = True

In[51]:= or[member[composite[u_, v_],
  image[IMAGE[SECOND], intersection[GROUPS, P[composite[cross[x_, z_], TWIST]]]]],
  not[member[u_, image[IMAGE[SECOND],
    intersection[GROUPS, P[composite[cross[y_, z_], TWIST]]]]], not[member[v_,
    image[IMAGE[SECOND], intersection[GROUPS, P[composite[cross[x_, y_], TWIST]]]]],
  not[member[x_, GROUPS]], not[member[y_, GROUPS]], not[member[z_, GROUPS]]] := True

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## eliminating the variables u and v

In this section, the variables **u** and **v** are eliminated.

Theorem.

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In[52]:= Map[empty[composite[Id, complement[#]]] &,
  SubstTest[class, pair[u, v], implies[and[member[x, r], member[y, r],
    member[z, r], member[pair[u, v], s]], member[pair[u, v], t]], {r → GROUPS, s →
  cart[image[IMAGE[SECOND], intersection[GROUPS, P[composite[cross[y, z], TWIST]]]],
  image[IMAGE[SECOND], intersection[GROUPS, P[composite[cross[x, y], TWIST]]]]],
  t → image[inverse[COMPOSE], image[IMAGE[SECOND],
    intersection[GROUPS, P[composite[cross[x, z], TWIST]]]]]]]

Out[52]= or[not[member[x, GROUPS]], not[member[y, GROUPS]],
  not[member[z, GROUPS]], subclass[image[COMPOSE,
  cart[image[IMAGE[SECOND], intersection[GROUPS, P[composite[cross[y, z], TWIST]]]],
  image[IMAGE[SECOND], intersection[GROUPS, P[composite[cross[x, y], TWIST]]]]],
  image[IMAGE[SECOND], intersection[GROUPS,
  P[composite[cross[x, z], TWIST]]]]]]] = True

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In[53]:= or[not[member[x_, GROUPS]], not[member[y_, GROUPS]],
  not[member[z_, GROUPS]], subclass[image[COMPOSE, cart[
    image[IMAGE[SECOND], intersection[GROUPS, P[composite[cross[y_, z_], TWIST]]]],
    image[IMAGE[SECOND], intersection[GROUPS, P[composite[cross[x_, y_], TWIST]]]]]],
  image[IMAGE[SECOND], intersection[GROUPS,
    P[composite[cross[x_, z_], TWIST]]]]] := True
```

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## fractions as subgroups

Although rational numbers have not yet been formally defined in the **GOEDEL** program, it is perhaps apt to contemplate a possible (but non-standard) definition that would give the rationals some nice algebraic properties. The conventional definition of integers as equivalence classes of a certain equivalence relation amounts to making rational numbers be linear functions in the plane  $\mathbf{Z} \times \mathbf{Z}$  with the point at the origin forcibly removed. Restoring that deleted point would make better algebraic sense.

If  $\mathbf{n}$  and  $\mathbf{d}$  are integers (with nonzero  $\mathbf{d}$ ), it is natural to think of the fraction  $\mathbf{r} = \mathbf{n}/\mathbf{d}$  as a linear function that satisfies  $\mathbf{n} = \mathbf{r}(\mathbf{d})$ . The graph of a linear function is the range of a subgroup of the direct product of **INTADD** with itself. Thus the following lemma would then amount to the statement that one could consider any rational number as a certain subgroup of **direct[INTADD, INTADD]**. A natural candidate for  $\mathbf{n}/\mathbf{d}$  is obtained by rewriting  $\mathbf{n}/\mathbf{d} = (1/\mathbf{d}) \circ (\mathbf{n}/1)$ , and identifying  $\mathbf{n}/1$  with **inttimes[n]** and  $1/\mathbf{d}$  with the inverse of **d/1**. Thus:

$$\mathbf{n}/\mathbf{d} = \text{inverse}[\text{inttimes}[\mathbf{d}]] \circ \text{inttimes}[\mathbf{n}].$$

This proposed definition of rational numbers is also suggested by analogy with the construction of integers in terms of natural numbers. In the latter case, an integer is a function in the plane  $\omega \times \omega$  whose graph is a straight line with slope 1. Such functions have the form **inverse[plus[a]]**  $\circ$  **plus[b]**, where **a** and **b** are natural numbers. These lines are parallel to one another and are the equivalence classes of the equivalence relation **EQUIDIFF**.

Lemma. If  $\mathbf{x}$  and  $\mathbf{y}$  are integers, then **inverse[inttimes[x]]**  $\circ$  **inttimes[y]** is the range of a subgroup of the direct product of **INTADD** with itself.

```
In[57]:= SubstTest[or, member[composite[u, v],
  image[IMAGE[SECOND], intersection[GROUPS, P[composite[cross[r, t], TWIST]]]],
  not[member[u, image[IMAGE[SECOND],
    intersection[GROUPS, P[composite[cross[s, t], TWIST]]]]], not[member[v,
    image[IMAGE[SECOND], intersection[GROUPS, P[composite[cross[r, s], TWIST]]]]]],
  not[member[r, GROUPS]], not[member[s, GROUPS]], not[member[t, GROUPS]],
  {r → INTADD, s → INTADD, t → INTADD,
  u → inverse[inttimes[x]], v → inttimes[y]}] // Reverse
```

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Out[57]= or[member[composite[inverse[inttimes[x]], inttimes[y]], image[IMAGE[SECOND],
  intersection[GROUPS, P[composite[cross[INTADD, INTADD], TWIST]]]],
  not[member[x, Z]], not[member[y, Z]]] = True
```

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(% /. {x → x_, y → y_}) /. Equal → SetDelayed
```

Lemma. The converse statement.

```
In[65]:= SubstTest[or, not[empty[w]], not[member[w,
    image[IMAGE[SECOND], intersection[GROUPS, P[composite[cross[u, v], TWIST]]]]],
    not[member[u, GROUPS]], not[member[v, GROUPS]],
    {u → INTADD, v → INTADD, w → composite[inverse[inttimes[x]], inttimes[y]]} // Reverse
```

```
Out[65]= or[and[member[x, Z], member[y, Z]],
    not[member[composite[inverse[inttimes[x]], inttimes[y]], image[IMAGE[SECOND],
    intersection[GROUPS, P[composite[cross[INTADD, INTADD], TWIST]]]]]] = True
```

```
In[66]:= (% /. {x → x_, y → y_}) /. Equal → SetDelayed
```

Theorem. The relation  $\mathbf{inverse[inttimes[x]] \circ inttimes[y]}$  is the range of a subgroup of the direct product of **INTADD** with itself if and only if  $\mathbf{x}$  and  $\mathbf{y}$  are both integers.

```
In[67]:= equiv[member[composite[inverse[inttimes[x]], inttimes[y]], image[IMAGE[SECOND],
    intersection[GROUPS, P[composite[cross[INTADD, INTADD], TWIST]]]],
    and[member[x, Z], member[y, Z]]]
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Out[67]= True
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In[69]:= member[composite[inverse[inttimes[x_]], inttimes[y_]], image[IMAGE[SECOND],
    intersection[GROUPS, P[composite[cross[INTADD, INTADD], TWIST]]]] :=
    and[member[x, Z], member[y, Z]]
```