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Abstract

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THEOREMS OF SYLOW TYPE

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§ 1. A cycle of papers ⁽¹⁻¹⁰⁾ contains numerous analogues and generalizations of Sylow's theorem on the embedding of subgroups in the theory of finite groups. In the article ⁽¹³⁾ (see also ⁽¹⁴⁾) we proved two theorems on the embedding of subgroups; moreover, theorem 1 generalizes the known results of G. Wielandt ⁽¹⁾ and Tibiletti ⁽⁹⁾.

In the present note we give a further series of theorems obtained by us on the embedding of subgroups, connected with the cyclicity of certain Sylow subgroups of the given group. From theorem 1 of the present note there follows the result of K. Honda ⁽¹⁰⁾, as well as theorem 2 proved by us earlier ⁽¹³⁾.

§ 2. We shall denote by Π some nonempty set of primes; by $\Pi(d)$ the totality of all prime divisors of the number d ; and by \mathfrak{G} a finite group of order (\mathfrak{G}) . Following S. A. Chunikhin ⁽¹¹⁾, every divisor d of the number (\mathfrak{G}) such that $\Pi(d) \subseteq \Pi$ will be called a Π -divisor of (\mathfrak{G}) .

Definition 1. We shall call a subgroup of the group \mathfrak{G} a Π -subgroup if its order is a Π -divisor of (\mathfrak{G}) .

It is obvious that the identity subgroup of the group \mathfrak{G} also belongs to the class of Π -subgroups.

A subgroup whose order is equal to the greatest Π -divisor of (\mathfrak{G}) will be called, following Wielandt ⁽²⁾, a Π -Hall subgroup of the group \mathfrak{G} .

Definition 2. We shall say that for the group \mathfrak{G} the strong Π -Sylow theorem holds if, for every Π -subgroup \mathfrak{H} of the group \mathfrak{G} and for every subgroup \mathfrak{M} whose order divides the order of \mathfrak{H} , there exists an element $G \in \mathfrak{G}$ such that

$$\mathfrak{M}^G = G^{-1}\mathfrak{M}G \subseteq \mathfrak{H}.$$

Definition 3. If there exists a Π -Hall subgroup \mathfrak{G}_Π , and for every subgroup \mathfrak{M} whose order divides the order of \mathfrak{G}_Π there is an embedding

$$\mathfrak{M}^G \subseteq \mathfrak{G}_\Pi, \quad G \in \mathfrak{G},$$

then we shall say that for \mathfrak{G} the Π -Sylow theorem holds ⁽²⁾.

In the present paper we also use the concept of a $\Pi\Delta$ -group, introduced by us in ⁽¹²⁾.

§ 3. Theorem 1. *Let to each prime divisor from Π there correspond a cyclic Sylow subgroup of the group \mathfrak{G} . Then for \mathfrak{G} the strong Π -Sylow theorem holds.*

Theorem 2. *Let Π , $\sigma = \{p\}$, and τ be sets of primes such that $\sigma \cap \tau$ is empty and $\Pi = \sigma \cup \tau$, and suppose that to the prime number p there corresponds a cyclic Sylow subgroup of the group \mathfrak{G} .*

Let \mathfrak{G} have a Π -subgroup

$$\mathfrak{H} = \mathfrak{H}_p \times \mathfrak{G}_\tau,$$

where \mathfrak{H}_p is a p -Sylow subgroup of the group \mathfrak{H} , and \mathfrak{G}_τ is a τ -Hall subgroup of the group \mathfrak{G} .

If for \mathfrak{G} the τ -Sylow theorem holds, then for any subgroup \mathfrak{M} whose order divides the order of \mathfrak{H} , there exists an element $G \in \mathfrak{G}$ such that

$$\mathfrak{M}^G \subseteq \mathfrak{H}.$$

Theorem 3. *Let Π , σ , and τ be such (empty or nonempty) sets of prime numbers that $\sigma \cap \tau$ is empty and $\Pi = \sigma \cup \tau$, and suppose that to each prime number from σ there corresponds a cyclic Sylow subgroup of the group \mathfrak{G} .*

Let G have a Π -subgroup $H = H_\sigma \times G_\tau$, where H_σ is a σ -Hall subgroup of H , and G_τ is a τ -Hall subgroup of G .

If the τ -Sylow theorem holds for G , then for any σ -solvable subgroup M whose order divides the order of H , there exists an element $G \in G$ such that $M^G \subseteq H$.

Theorem 4. Let Π , σ , and τ be such (empty or nonempty) sets of primes that $\sigma \cap \tau$ is empty, $\Pi = \sigma \cup \tau$, and every element of σ is smaller than every element of τ ; moreover, to each prime number in σ there corresponds a cyclic Sylow subgroup of the group G .

Let G have a Π -subgroup $H = H_\sigma \times G_\tau$, where H_σ is a σ -Hall subgroup of H , and G_τ is a τ -Hall subgroup of G .

If the τ -Sylow theorem holds for G and M is any subgroup whose order divides the order of H , then there exists an element $G \in G$ such that $M^G \subseteq H$.

Theorem 5. Let Π , σ , and τ be such (empty or nonempty) sets of primes that $\sigma \cap \tau$ is empty and $\Pi = \sigma \cup \tau$, and to each prime number in σ there corresponds a cyclic Sylow subgroup of the group G .

Let G have a Π -subgroup $H = H_\sigma \times G_\tau$, where H_σ is a σ -Hall subgroup of H , and G_τ is a τ -Hall subgroup of G .

If the τ -Sylow theorem holds for G , then for any $\sigma\Delta$ -subgroup M whose order divides the order of H , there exists an element $G \in G$ such that $M^G \subseteq H$.

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