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(a)

$$(1,3)=(1,2)(2,3)(1,2)$$

$$(1,4)=(1,3)(3,4)(1,3)$$

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$$(h,k)=(h,k-1)(k-1,k)(h,k),$$

where $1 \leq h \leq k-1, 2 \leq k \leq h+1$

so $(k-2,k-1)\dots(h+1,h+2)(h,h+1)(h,k)(h,h+1)(h+1,h+2)\dots(k-2,k-1) = (k-1,k)$

thus, $(h,k)=(h,h+1)\dots(k-2,k-1)\dots(h,h+1) \square$

(b)

$$W = \langle S_1, S_2, \dots, S_n \rangle \text{ with } \begin{cases} (S_i S_{i+1})^3 = e = (S_{j+1} S_j)^3 \\ S_i^2 = e \\ (S_i S_j)^2 = e = (S_j S_i)^2 \text{ if } j \neq i+1 \end{cases}$$

$$L = \langle S_1, S_2, \dots, S_n \rangle$$

Let $f : W \rightarrow L$ by $f(S_i) = S_i$

Check

$$(1) (S_i S_{i+1})^3 = I = (S_{i+1} S_i)^3$$

$$(2) S_i^2 = I$$

$$(3) (S_i S_j)^2 = I = (S_j S_i)^2 \text{ if } j \neq i+1$$

$$S_i = \begin{bmatrix} I & \dots & & & \\ & 1 & 1 & 0 & \\ & \vdots & 0 & 1 & 0 & \vdots \\ & & 0 & 1 & 1 & \\ & & & \dots & & I \end{bmatrix}$$

the i th row

(1)

$$(S_i S_{i+1}) = \begin{bmatrix} I & & \dots & & \\ & 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ & \vdots & 0 & 1 & 0 & \vdots \\ & & 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ & & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ & & & \dots & & I \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} I & & \dots & & \\ & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ & \vdots & 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 & \vdots \\ & & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ & & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ & & & \dots & & I \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} I & & \dots & & \\ & 1 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ & \vdots & 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 & \vdots \\ & & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ & & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ & & & \dots & & I \end{bmatrix}$$

then, $(S_i S_{i+1})^3 = I \square$

(2)

$$S_i^2 = \begin{bmatrix} I & & \dots & & \\ & 1 & 1 & 0 & \\ \vdots & 0 & 1 & 0 & \vdots \\ & & 0 & 1 & 1 \\ & & & \dots & I \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} I & & \dots & & \\ & 1 & 1 & 0 & \\ \vdots & 0 & 1 & 0 & \vdots \\ & & 0 & 1 & 1 \\ & & & \dots & I \end{bmatrix} = I \quad \square$$

(3)

$$(S_i S_j) = \begin{bmatrix} I & & \dots & & \\ & 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ \vdots & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ & 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ & & \dots & & & I \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} I & & \dots & & \\ & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ \vdots & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ & 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 \\ & & \dots & & & I \end{bmatrix}$$

then $(S_i S_j)^2 = I_n$ and for $j > i + 2$ $S_i S_j = S_j S_i$
 $(S_i S_j)^2 = (S_i S_j)(S_j S_i) = [(S_i S_j)S_j]S_i = [S_i(S_j S_i)]S_i = S_i S_i = I \quad \square$

(c)

Define L act on S by $g \circ s = gs$

This satisfies Axiom1,2

But we need to check that $gs \in S$, it suffices to assume $g = S_i$

Note that

$$S_i * a_j = \begin{cases} a_{j+1}, & \text{if } j = i \\ a_{j-1}, & \text{if } j = i + 1 \\ a_j, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases} \quad \square$$

(d)

By (c) we define $f_g : S \rightarrow S$

such that $f_g(s) = gs$ for each $g \in L$ and $s \in S$

Then $\phi : L \rightarrow S_{n+1}, g \rightarrow fg$ is a homomorphism. \square

(e)

$X = \{S_1, S_2, S_3\}$

$Y = \{S_1^2, S_2^2, S_3^2, (S_1 S_2)^3, (S_2 S_1)^3, (S_2 S_3)^3, (S_3 S_2)^3, (S_1 S_3)^3, (S_3 S_1)^3\}$

$\phi : F(X) \rightarrow S_4$ define by $S_1 \rightarrow (1, 2), S_2 \rightarrow (2, 3), S_3 \rightarrow (3, 4)$

ϕ is onto by (a),

claim that $\ker \phi = N_y$

$N_y \subseteq \ker \phi$ is trivial.

On the other hand, assume not, there is an element $u \in \ker \phi - N_y$

By claim $W = F(X)/N_y \cong S_4$

Then it's down. \square