

7. Let H be the subgroup $\{(1), (12), (13), (23), (123), (132)\}$ of S_4 . Let x be the element (124) of S_4 , and let $[x] = \{y \in G \mid xy^{-1} \in H\}$. List the elements of $[x]$. (Each element of $[x]$ should appear in your list exactly once.)

The elements of $[x]$ are

$$\begin{aligned} (1)(124) &= (124) \\ (12)(124) &= (24) \\ (13)(124) &= (1243) \\ (23)(124) &= (1324) \\ (123)(124) &= (13)(24) \\ (132)(124) &= (243) \end{aligned}$$

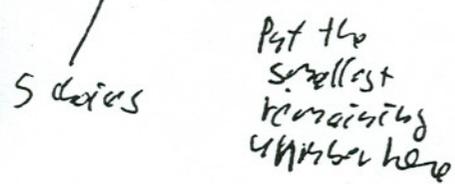


8. How many permutations in S_6 have order 3? Explain your answer.

S_6 has $2 \cdot \binom{6}{3}$ 3-cycles

S_6 has $5 \cdot 4 \cdot 2$ elements of the form $(abc)(def)$

because we may as well put 1 first $(1 _ _)(_ _ _)$



S_6 has $40 + 40 = 80$ elements of order 3