

*On the Tensor Product for the
Representations of the Dihedral Groups D_n*

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حول الضرب الممتد لتمثيلات زمرة D_n

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Abstract

This paper covers our computational work and the algorithms designed for the determination of the tensor product of representations for the dihedral group D_n , which give us the general tensor product of representations for D_n , $\forall n \in \mathbb{Z}_+$.

الخلاصة

في هذا العمل قمنا بحساب الضرب الممتد (Tensor) لتمثيلات الزمرة D_n عندما n عدد صحيح موجب وذلك من خلال تقديم بعض الخوارزميات المصممة لتحديد عملية الضرب الممتد (Tensor) لتمثيلات زمرة D_n .

1. Introduction

The tensor product of representations and the representations of dihedral group D_n has been given by [5], [7] respectively.

The importance of representation and character theory for the study of groups stems and should it be necessary to present a concrete description of a group, this can be achieved with a matrix representation.

In this work our focus will lie on the tensor product of representations for D_n , and we give algorithms designed of programs to calculate tensor product for D_n .

2. Preliminaries

In this section some definitions and basic concepts are introduced.

Definition (2-1) ^[5]

The **tensor product** for matrices $A = (a_{ij})$ and $B = (b_{ij})$ of degree n and m respectively defined by:

$$A \otimes B = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11}B & a_{12}B & \cdots & a_{1n}B \\ a_{21}B & a_{22}B & \cdots & a_{2n}B \\ \vdots & \vdots & \cdots & \vdots \\ a_{n1}B & a_{n2}B & \cdots & a_{nn}B \end{bmatrix}_{nm \times mn}$$

Example

Consider $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ 0 & 2 \end{bmatrix}_{2 \times 2}$ and $B = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 0 \\ 2 & 1 & -1 \\ 4 & 2 & 3 \end{bmatrix}_{3 \times 3}$ then:

$$A \otimes B = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 0 & -1 & 1 & 0 \\ 2 & 1 & -1 & -2 & -1 & 1 \\ 4 & 2 & 3 & -4 & -2 & -3 \\ \hline 0 & 0 & 0 & 2 & -2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 4 & 2 & -2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 8 & 4 & 6 \end{bmatrix}_{6 \times 6}$$

Proposition (2-2) ^[8]

Let $A, A' \in M_n(F)$ and $B, B' \in M_m(F)$ then:

- 1- $(A + A') \otimes B = (A \otimes B) + (A' \otimes B)$
- 2- $(A \otimes B)(A' \otimes B') = AA' \otimes BB'$

Definition (2-3) ^[1]

Let F be a field, the **general linear group** $GL(k, F)$ is a multiplicative group of all $k \times k$ matrices over the field F .

Definition (2-4) ^[3]

Let G be an arbitrary group, a **matrix representation** of G is homomorphism.

$T: G \rightarrow GL(k, F)$, such that

$$T(xy) = T(x) T(y), \forall x, y \in G$$

Where, the integer k is the degree (or dimension) of T , and if $T(e) = I$, then I is the identity matrix of degree k .

Example

Let G be the cyclic group of degree 2, and write $G = \{1, x\}$

Then $T: G \rightarrow GL(2, R)$ where

$T(1) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ and $T(x) = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$ is a representation of G and the dimension of T is also 2.

Definition (2-5) ^[5]

Let T and S be two representations of degree k and ℓ respectively of the any group G then:

$$\begin{aligned} \text{The tensor product of } T \text{ and } S \text{ defined by } K(g) &= (T \otimes S)_{(g)} \\ &= T(g) \otimes S(g), \forall g \in G. \end{aligned}$$

Hence

$K(g)$ is representation of degree $k \times \ell$.

Definition (2-6) ^[7]

If T is a matrix representation of finite group G over a field F , **the character** χ is the mapping $\chi: G \rightarrow F$ defined by

$\chi(g) = \text{tr}(T(g))$, $\forall g \in G$ where $\text{tr}(T(g))$ refers to the trace of the matrix $T(g)$.

Example

In a cyclic group of degree 2, the representation $T: C_2 \rightarrow GL(2, R)$,

$$T(1) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \text{ and } T(x) = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

The character X of T is

$$\chi(T_{(1)}) = 1 + 1 = 2, \text{ and}$$

$$\chi(T_{(x)}) = 0 + 0 = 0$$

Proposition (2-7) ^[5]

If A and B are $n \times n$ matrices then:

$$1- \text{tr} (AB) = \text{tr} (BA).$$

2- If A is non-singular then $\text{tr}(A^{-1}BA) = \text{tr}(B)$.

Proof

1- Let $A = (a_{ij})$ and $B = (b_{ij})$ with $1 \leq i, j \leq n$ then

$$\begin{aligned} \text{tr}(AB) &= \text{tr}\left(\sum_{k=1}^n a_{ik}b_{kj}\right) \\ &= \sum_{i=1}^n \sum_{k=1}^n a_{ik}b_{kj} \\ &= \sum_{k=1}^n \sum_{i=1}^n b_{kj}a_{ik} = \text{tr}\left(\sum_{i=1}^n b_{kj}a_{ik}\right) \\ &= \text{tr}(BA) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{2- By step (1) } \text{tr}(A^{-1}(BA)) &= \text{tr}((BA)A^{-1}) \\ &= \text{tr}(B(AA^{-1})) \\ &= \text{tr}(B) \end{aligned}$$

Definition (2-8) ^[6]

A **class function** on a group G is a function:
 $f: G \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$ which is constant on conjugacy classes, that is:
 $f(x^{-1}yx) = f(y), \forall y \in G$.

Proposition (2-9) ^[5]

If χ is a character of G, then χ is a class function on G, that is if x and y are conjugate in G, then $\chi(x) = \chi(y)$.

Proof:

By hypothesis, there exists $g \in G$ such that $g^{-1} \times g = y$

Let T be the representation associated with χ , then

$$\begin{aligned} \chi(y) &= \text{tr}(T(y)) = \text{tr}(T(g^{-1} \times g)) \\ &= \text{tr}(T(g^{-1})(T(x)T(g))) \\ &= \text{tr}(T(g^{-1})T(g)T(x)) \\ &= \text{tr}(T(g^{-1}g)T(x)) \\ &= \text{tr}(T(x)) = \chi(x) \end{aligned}$$

Theorem (2-10) ^[6]

Sum and product of characters are character where χ and Ψ are characters of a group G, then

1- The sum of χ and Ψ will be defined by:

$$(\chi + \Psi)(g) = \chi(g) + \Psi(g)$$

2- The multiplication of χ and Ψ will be defined by:

$$(\chi \cdot \Psi)(g) = \chi(g) \cdot \Psi(g), \text{ for } g \in G$$

3. The Algorithms

This part contains a collection of the computer-ready Fortran algorithms for many standard methods of number theory installed in our main program.

Algorithm 1	The number of degree of presentation for dihedral groups D_n
Algorithm 2	The tensor product of two representations for dihedral groups D_n
Algorithm 3	The tensor product of three representations for dihedral groups D_n
Algorithm 4	The character representations for dihedral groups D_n
Algorithm 5	The main algorithm of tensor product for dihedral groups D_n , $n \geq 4$.

Algorithm (1)

The number of degree of representation for dihedral groups D_n

Input: n (the degree of dihedral groups D_n)

Step 1: to evaluate k where

$$T: D_n \rightarrow GL(n, \mathbb{R})$$

Where n is the degree (dimension) of the T .

$$\text{If } A \in GL(n, \mathbb{R}) \Rightarrow A = \begin{bmatrix} \alpha_{11} & \cdots & \alpha_{1k} \\ \vdots & & \vdots \\ \alpha_{k1} & \cdots & \alpha_{kk} \end{bmatrix}_{k \times k}$$

Step 2: Do $p = 1$ to k

Do $q = 1$ to k

PRINT PU(p, q)

END q -Loop

END p -Loop

Output: The number of degree of representation for dihedral groups D_n .

Example (1)

Consider the dihedral group D_4 of symmetries of the square in the Euclidean plane \mathbb{R}^2 , we may write:

$$D_4 = \langle \alpha, \beta: \alpha^4 = \beta^2 = 1, \alpha\beta = \alpha^3\beta \rangle$$

The clockwise rotations of the square about the center and through angles of 90° , 180° , 270° , 360° , say, r_{90} , r_{180} , r_{270} , r_{360} respectively; reflections h and v about the horizontal and vertical axes, reflections d_1 , d_2 about the diagonals.

Let us write $\alpha = r_{90}$ and $\beta = d_2$, then $\alpha^2 = r_{180}$, $\alpha^3 = r_{270}$, $\alpha^4 = r_{360}$, $\beta*\alpha = v$, $\beta*\alpha^2 = d_1$ and $\beta*\alpha^3 = h$. Also, note that $\beta*\alpha = \alpha^{-1}*\beta = \alpha^3*\beta$.

Thus we see that

$$D_4 = \{e, \alpha, \alpha^2, \alpha^3, \beta, \beta*\alpha, \beta*\alpha^2, \beta*\alpha^3\}$$

Let $T: D_4 \rightarrow GL(2, \mathbb{C})$ is a function, defined by

$$T(\alpha) = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \text{ and } T(\beta) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

We say

$$T(e) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned} T(\alpha^2) &= (T(\alpha))^2 = T(\alpha) \cdot T(\alpha) \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} T(\alpha^3) &= (T(\alpha))^3 = (T(\alpha))^2 T(\alpha) \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

Then,

$$T(\alpha^4) = (T(\alpha))^4 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = T(e)$$

$$T(\beta) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow T(\beta^2) = (T(\beta))^2 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = T(e)$$

And

$$T(\beta * \alpha) = T(\beta)T(\alpha) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$T(\alpha^3 * \beta) = T(\alpha^3)T(\beta) = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

Then, $T(\beta * \alpha) = T(\alpha^3 * \beta)$

Hence, we obtain

T is representations of degree 2.

Algorithm (2)

Two representations for dihedral groups D_n

Input: n (the degree of dihedral groups D_n)

Step 1: HL is the matrix of dimension $kn \times nk$

$L(0, 0) = 0$

Do p = 1 to n

Do q = 1 to n

$T(s) = A(p, q)$

END q-Loop

END p-Loop

Step 2: Do p = 1 to k

Do q = 1 to k

Set $T(S) = V(p, q)$

END q-Loop

END p-Loop

Step 3: Call algorithm 1

Step 4: To evaluate L where

$$L(i, j) = U(p, q) * V$$

Step 5: Set $L(1, 1) = U(1, 1) * V$

$$L(1, 2) = U(1, 2) * V$$

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$$L(p, n) = U(1, n) * V$$

$$\text{Where } V = \begin{bmatrix} v_{11} & v_{12} & \cdots & v_{1k} \\ v_{21} & v_{22} & \cdots & v_{2k} \\ \vdots & \vdots & & \vdots \\ v_{k1} & v_{k2} & \cdots & v_{kk} \end{bmatrix}_{k \times k}$$

$$L = \begin{bmatrix} l_{11} & l_{12} & \cdots & l_{1nk} \\ l_{21} & l_{22} & \cdots & l_{2nk} \\ \vdots & \vdots & & \vdots \\ l_{nk1} & l_{nk2} & \cdots & l_{nkkn} \end{bmatrix}_{nk \times kn}$$

Output: The tensor product of representation of dihedral D_n $C(kn, kn)$.

Example (2)

$$\text{We take } T(\alpha) = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, T(\alpha^2) = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix}, T(\alpha^3) = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix},$$

$$T(\beta) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$T(\alpha) \otimes T(\beta) = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \otimes \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix} = \left[\begin{array}{cc|cc} 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 \\ \hline -1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \end{array} \right]_{4 \times 4}$$

$$T(\alpha^2) \otimes T(\alpha) = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \otimes \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = \left[\begin{array}{cc|cc} 0 & -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ \hline 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \end{array} \right]_{4 \times 4}$$

$$T(\alpha^3) \otimes T(\beta) = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \otimes \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix} = \left[\begin{array}{cc|cc} 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ \hline 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 0 & 0 \end{array} \right]_{4 \times 4}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
T(\alpha^2) \otimes T(\beta) &= \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \otimes \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix} = \left[\begin{array}{cc|cc} -1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ \hline 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right]_{4 \times 4} \\
T(\beta) \otimes T(\alpha) &= \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \otimes \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = \left[\begin{array}{cc|cc} 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ -1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ \hline 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \end{array} \right]_{4 \times 4} \\
T(\alpha) \otimes T(\alpha^2) &= \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \otimes \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix} = \left[\begin{array}{cc|cc} 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 \\ \hline 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \end{array} \right]_{4 \times 4} \\
T(\beta) \otimes T(\alpha^3) &= \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \otimes \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = \left[\begin{array}{cc|cc} 0 & -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ \hline 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 \end{array} \right]_{4 \times 4} \\
T(\beta) \otimes T(\alpha^2) &= \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \otimes \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix} = \left[\begin{array}{cc|cc} -1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 0 & 0 \\ \hline 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right]_{4 \times 4} \\
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T(\alpha^3) \otimes T(\alpha^2) &= \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \otimes \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix} = \left[\begin{array}{cc|cc} 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ \hline -1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 0 & 0 \end{array} \right]_{4 \times 4}
\end{aligned}$$

Algorithm (3)

Three representations for dihedral groups D_n

Input: n (the degree of dihedral groups D_n)

Step 1: Call algorithm 2

Step 2: Do $p = 1$ to m

Do q = 1 to m

H(p, q)

END q-Loop

END p-Loop

Step 3: To evaluate R where

$R(p, q) = L(p, q) \cdot H$

Step 4: Set

$R(1, 1) = L(1, 1) \cdot H$

$R(1, 2) = L(1, 2) \cdot H$

Where

$$H = \begin{bmatrix} h_{11} & h_{12} & \cdots & h_{1m} \\ h_{21} & h_{22} & \cdots & h_{2m} \\ \vdots & \vdots & & \vdots \\ h_{k1} & h_{k2} & \cdots & h_{km} \end{bmatrix}_{m \times m}$$

$$E = \begin{bmatrix} e_{11} & e_{12} & \cdots & e_{1f} \\ e_{21} & e_{22} & \cdots & e_{2f} \\ \vdots & \vdots & & \vdots \\ e_{f1} & e_{f2} & \cdots & e_{ff} \end{bmatrix}_{f \times f}$$

Where $f = nk \times m$

Step 6: Do p = 1 to f

Do q = 1 to f

PRINT E(p, q)

END q-Loop

END p-Loop

Output: The three representations of dihedral group D_n $E(f, f)$

Example (3)

$$T(\alpha) = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, T(\beta\alpha) = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix},$$

$$T(e) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}, T(\alpha^3) = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned} T(\alpha) \otimes T(\beta\alpha) \otimes T(\alpha) &= \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \otimes \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \otimes \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \left[\begin{array}{cc|cc} 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ \hline 0 & -1 & 0 & 0 \\ -1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{array} \right]_{4 \times 4} \otimes \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}_{2 \times 2} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= \left[\begin{array}{cc|cc|cc|c}
0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\
0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 \\
\hline
0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\
0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\
\hline
0 & 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\
0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\
\hline
0 & -1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\
1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0
\end{array} \right]_{8 \times 8} \\
\mathbf{T}(\mathbf{e}) \otimes \mathbf{T}(\beta\alpha) \otimes \mathbf{T}(\alpha) &= \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \otimes \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \otimes \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \\
&= \left[\begin{array}{cc|cc}
0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\
1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\
\hline
0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\
0 & 0 & 1 & 0
\end{array} \right] \otimes \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \\
&= \left[\begin{array}{ccc|ccc}
0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\
0 & 0 & -1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\
\hline
0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\
-1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\
\hline
0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\
0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 \\
\hline
0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\
0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 & 0 & 0
\end{array} \right]_{8 \times 8} \\
\mathbf{T}(\mathbf{e}) \otimes \mathbf{T}(\alpha^3) \otimes \mathbf{T}(\alpha) &= \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \otimes \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \otimes \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \\
&= \left[\begin{array}{cc|cc}
0 & -1 & 0 & 0 \\
1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\
\hline
0 & 0 & 0 & -1 \\
0 & 0 & 1 & 0
\end{array} \right] \otimes \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= \left[\begin{array}{cc|cc|cc|cc} 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ \hline 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ -1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ \hline 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ \hline 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{array} \right]_{8 \times 8} \\
T(e) \otimes T(\alpha) \otimes T(e) &= \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \otimes \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \otimes \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \\
&= \left[\begin{array}{cc|cc} 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ -1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ \hline 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 \end{array} \right] \otimes \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \\
&= \left[\begin{array}{cc|cc|cc|cc} 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ \hline -1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ \hline 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ \hline 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 & 0 \end{array} \right]_{8 \times 8}
\end{aligned}$$

Algorithm (4)

The character of representation for dihedral groups D_n

Input: n (the degree of D_n)

Step 1: $\chi(0) = 0$

Step 2: Do $p = 1$ to k

$\chi(p)$

END p-Loop

Step 3: Do $q = 1$ to n

$\chi(q)$

END q-Loop

Step 4: Do $p = 1$ to k

Do $q = 1$ to n

$\chi(m) = \chi(p) * \chi(q)$

END q-Loop

END p-Loop

PRINT $\chi(m)$

Step 5: Set $\chi(m) = \begin{bmatrix} \chi_{(1)} \\ \chi_{(2)} \\ \chi_{(3)} \\ \vdots \\ \chi_{(f)} \end{bmatrix}$

$$f = (n.k)/2$$

Step 6: Call algorithm 3

Step 7: Call algorithm 4

Output: The character of representation of dihedral groups D_n

$$\chi(m), m = 1 \text{ to } f$$

Example (4)

The character table of representation for D_4 is

g	1	α^2	α	β	$\alpha\beta$
$ C_{D_4}(g) $	8	8	4	4	4
χ_1	1	1	1	1	1
χ_2	1	1	1	-1	-1
χ_3	1	1	-1	1	-1
χ_4	1	1	-1	-1	1
χ_5	2	-2	0	0	0

In 1

$$\chi(1) \otimes \chi(2) = 1 * 1 = 1$$

$$\chi(1) \otimes \chi(3) = 1 * 1 = 1$$

$$\chi(1) \otimes \chi(4) = 1 * 1 = 1$$

$$\chi(1) \otimes \chi(5) = 1 * 2 = 2$$

$$\chi(2) \otimes \chi(3) = 1 * 1 = 1$$

$$\chi(2) \otimes \chi(4) = 1 * 1 = 1$$

$$\chi(2) \otimes \chi(5) = 1 * 2 = 2$$

$$\chi(3) \otimes \chi(4) = 1 * 1 = 1$$

$$\chi(3) \otimes \chi(5) = 1 * 2 = 2$$

$$\chi(4) \otimes \chi(5) = 1 * 2 = 2$$

In α^2

$$\chi(1) \otimes \chi(2) = 1 * 1 = 1$$

$$\chi(1) \otimes \chi(3) = 1 * 1 = 1$$

$$\chi(1) \otimes \chi(4) = 1 * 1 = 1$$

$$\chi(1) \otimes \chi(5) = 1 * (-2) = -2$$

$$\chi(2) \otimes \chi(3) = 1 * 1 = 1$$

$$\begin{aligned}
\chi(2) \otimes \chi(4) &= 1 * 1 = 1 \\
\chi(2) \otimes \chi(5) &= 1 * (-2) = -2 \\
\chi(3) \otimes \chi(4) &= 1 * 1 = 1 \\
\chi(3) \otimes \chi(5) &= 1 * (-2) = -2 \\
\chi(4) \otimes \chi(5) &= 1 * (-2) = -2
\end{aligned}$$

In α

$$\begin{aligned}
\chi(1) \otimes \chi(2) &= 1 * 1 = 1 \\
\chi(1) \otimes \chi(3) &= 1 * -1 = -1 \\
\chi(1) \otimes \chi(4) &= 1 * -1 = -1 \\
\chi(1) \otimes \chi(5) &= 1 * 0 = 0 \\
\chi(2) \otimes \chi(3) &= 1 * -1 = -1 \\
\chi(2) \otimes \chi(4) &= 1 * -1 = -1 \\
\chi(2) \otimes \chi(5) &= 1 * 0 = 0 \\
\chi(3) \otimes \chi(4) &= -1 * -1 = 1 \\
\chi(3) \otimes \chi(5) &= -1 * 0 = 0 \\
\chi(4) \otimes \chi(5) &= -1 * 0 = 0
\end{aligned}$$

In β

$$\begin{aligned}
\chi(1) \otimes \chi(2) &= 1 * -1 = -1 \\
\chi(1) \otimes \chi(3) &= 1 * 1 = 1 \\
\chi(1) \otimes \chi(4) &= 1 * -1 = -1 \\
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Algorithm (5)

The algorithm of the main program

The tensor product of representation for dihedral groups D_n

$$1 \leq n \leq 6$$

Input: n (the degree of the dihedral groups)

Step 1: Call algorithm 1

Step 2: Call algorithm 2

Step 3: Call algorithm 3

Step 4: Call algorithm 4

Output: $(T(p), p = 1 \text{ to } k)$ to evaluate the tensor product of representation for dihedral groups D_n

End

Proposition

The $\bigotimes_{i=1}^n T$ it is true, $\forall n \in \mathbb{Z}_+$.

Proof

We prove by an inductive argument the statement is certainly true for $K = 1$ (call Algorithm (1)).

Assuming it holds for an arbitrary K , then $\bigotimes_{i=1}^K T$ (call Algorithm (5)).

We must show that it also holds for $K + 1$. but this is immediate from

Algorithm (1) and Algorithm (5) imply $\bigotimes_{i=1}^{K+1} T$.

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Recommendations

The Recommendations for future work are:

1- Evaluation the tensor product for representation for groups

$$C_n = \langle x : x^n = e \rangle$$

2- Evaluating the tensor product of representation of the alternating group A_n .