

**NEW DISCOVERIES ON THE FINITE p -GROUPS
OF ORDER $2^{(n+6)}$**

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Abstract

The finite nilpotent groups can now be formed in various dimensions. As such, results up to two dimensions are now obtainable. In this paper, the fuzzy subgroups of the nilpotent product of two abelian subgroups of orders 2^n and 64. Here, the integers $n > 6$ have been successfully considered and the derivation for the explicit formulae for its number distinct fuzzy subgroups were calculated.

1. Introduction

From inception, several methods, techniques and approaches were used for the classification of which some are obtainable in [6], and, for example, the natural equivalence relation was introduced in [10]. In this work, an essential role in solving counting problems is played by adopting the “Inclusion-Exclusion Principle”. The process leads to some recurrence relations from which the solutions are finally computed with ease. In the process of our computation, the use of GAP (Group Algorithm and Programming) was actually applied.

2. Basic Definitions and Terms

Suppose that (G, \cdot, e) is a group with identity e . Let $S(G)$ denote the collection of all fuzzy subsets of G . An element $\lambda \in S(G)$ is said to be a fuzzy subgroup of G if the following two conditions are satisfied:

- (i) $\lambda(ab) \geq \min\{\lambda(a), \lambda(b)\}, \forall a, b \in G;$
- (ii) $\lambda(a^{-1}) \geq \lambda(a)$ for any $a \in G$.

And, since $(a^{-1})^{-1} = a$, we have that $\lambda(a^{-1}) = \lambda(a)$, for any $a \in G$.

Also, by this notation and definition, $\lambda(e) = \sup \lambda(G)$ (Marius [7]). Define by M_1, M_2, \dots, M_t , the maximal subgroups of G , and denote by $h(G)$ the number of chains of subgroups of G which ends in G .

Theorem (Marius [7]). *The set $FL(G)$ possessing all fuzzy subgroups of G forms a lattice under the usual ordering of fuzzy set inclusion. This is called the fuzzy subgroup lattice of G .*

We define the level subset: $\lambda G_\beta = \{a \in G / \lambda(a) \geq \beta\}$ for each $\beta \in [0, 1]$. The fuzzy subgroups of a finite p -group G are thus, characterized, based on these subsets. In the sequel, λ is a fuzzy subgroup of G if and only if its level subsets are subgroups in G . This theorem gives a link between $FL(G)$ and $L(G)$, the classical subgroup lattice of G .

Moreover, some natural relations on $S(G)$ can also be used in the process of classifying the fuzzy subgroups of a finite q -group G (see [9] and [10]). One of them is defined by: $\lambda \sim \gamma$ iff $(\lambda(a) > \lambda(b) \iff \nu(a) > \nu(b), \forall a, b \in G)$. Also, two fuzzy subgroups λ, γ of G are said to be distinct if $\lambda \neq \nu$.

As a result of this development, let G be a finite p -group and suppose that $\lambda : G \rightarrow [0, 1]$ is a fuzzy subgroup of G . Put $\lambda(G) = \{\beta_1, \beta_2, \dots, \beta_k\}$ with the assumption that $\beta_1 < \beta_2 < \dots < \beta_k$. Then, ends in G is determined by λ .

$$\lambda G_{\beta_1} \subset \lambda G_{\beta_2} \subset \dots \subset \lambda G_{\beta_k} = G. \quad (a)$$

Also, we have that

$$\lambda(a) = \beta_t \iff t = \max\{r / a \in \lambda G_{\beta_r}\} \iff a \in \lambda G_{\beta_t} \setminus \lambda G_{\beta_{t-1}}, \text{ for any } a \in G \text{ and } t = 1, \dots, k, \text{ where by convention, set } \lambda G_{\beta_0} = \emptyset.$$

3. The Techniques

The method that will be used in counting the chains of fuzzy subgroups of an arbitrary finite p -group G is described. Suppose that M_1, M_2, \dots, M_t are the maximal subgroups of G , and denote by $h(G)$ the number of chains of subgroups of G which ends in G . By simply applying the technique of computing $h(G)$, using the application of the Inclusion-Exclusion Principle, we have that

$$h(G) = 2 \left(\sum_{r=1}^t h(M_r) - \sum_{1 \leq r_1 < r_2 \leq t} h(M_{r_1} \cap M_{r_2}) + \dots + (-1)^{t-1} h \left(\bigcap_{r=1}^t M_r \right) \right). \quad (1)$$

In [8], (#) was used to obtain the explicit formulas for some positive integers n .

Theorem (*) (Marius [10]). *The number of distinct fuzzy subgroups of a finite p -group of order p^n which have a cyclic maximal subgroup is:*

- (i) $h(\mathbb{Z}_{p^n}) = 2^n$;
- (ii) $h(\mathbb{Z}_p \times \mathbb{Z}_{p^{n-1}}) = h(M_{p^n}) = 2^{n-1}(2 + (n-1)p)$.

Proposition A (see [4]). *Suppose that $G = \mathbb{Z}_{16} \times \mathbb{Z}_{2^n}$.*

Then

$$h(G) = \frac{1}{3} (2^{n+2})(n^3 + 12n^2 + 17n - 24) + 2^n(200) \\ + \frac{1}{3} (2^{n+1}) \sum_{k=1}^{n-5} [(n-k)^3 + 12(n-k)^2 + 17(n-k) - 24].$$

Proposition B (see [5]). *Suppose that $G = \mathbb{Z}_{32} \times \mathbb{Z}_{2^n}$.*

Then

$$h(G) = 2[h(\mathbb{Z}_{16} \times \mathbb{Z}_{2^n}) + h(\mathbb{Z}_{16} \times \mathbb{Z}_{2^{n-1}})] + \sum_{k=1}^{n-6} 2^{k+1} (h(\mathbb{Z}_{16} \times \mathbb{Z}_{2^{n-1-k}})).$$

4. Computation for $G = \mathbb{Z}_{64} \times \mathbb{Z}_{2^n}$

Suppose that $G = \mathbb{Z}_{64} \times \mathbb{Z}_{64}$ Then, $h(G) = 2h(\mathbb{Z}_{32} \times \mathbb{Z}_{2^6})$.

If $G = \mathbb{Z}_{64} \times \mathbb{Z}_{2^7}$, then $h(G) = 2[h(\mathbb{Z}_{64} \times \mathbb{Z}_{2^6}) + h(\mathbb{Z}_{32} \times \mathbb{Z}_{2^7}) - h(\mathbb{Z}_{32} \times \mathbb{Z}_{2^6})]$.

For $G = \mathbb{Z}_{64} \times \mathbb{Z}_{2^8}$, we have that

$$h(G) = 2[h(\mathbb{Z}_{64} \times \mathbb{Z}_{2^7}) + h(\mathbb{Z}_{32} \times \mathbb{Z}_{2^8}) - h(\mathbb{Z}_{32} \times \mathbb{Z}_{2^7})].$$

Also, if $G = \mathbb{Z}_{64} \times \mathbb{Z}_{2^9}$, then

$$h(G) = 2[h(\mathbb{Z}_{64} \times \mathbb{Z}_{2^8}) + h(\mathbb{Z}_{32} \times \mathbb{Z}_{2^9}) - h(\mathbb{Z}_{32} \times \mathbb{Z}_{2^8})].$$

Now, let $G = \mathbb{Z}_{64} \times \mathbb{Z}_{2^n}$, then

$$\begin{aligned} h(G) &= 2h(\mathbb{Z}_{32} \times \mathbb{Z}_{2^n}) - 2h(\mathbb{Z}_{32} \times \mathbb{Z}_{2^{n-1}}) + 2h(\mathbb{Z}_{64} \times \mathbb{Z}_{2^{n-1}}) \\ &= 2h(\mathbb{Z}_{32} \times \mathbb{Z}_{2^n}) + 2h(\mathbb{Z}_{32} \times \mathbb{Z}_{2^{n-1}}) - 4h(\mathbb{Z}_{32} \times \mathbb{Z}_{2^{n-2}}) \\ &\quad + 4h(\mathbb{Z}_{64} \times \mathbb{Z}_{2^{n-2}}) \\ &= 2h(\mathbb{Z}_{32} \times \mathbb{Z}_{2^n}) + 2h(\mathbb{Z}_{32} \times \mathbb{Z}_{2^{n-1}}) + 4h(\mathbb{Z}_{32} \times \mathbb{Z}_{2^{n-2}}) \\ &\quad - 8h(\mathbb{Z}_{32} \times \mathbb{Z}_{2^{n-3}}) + 8h(\mathbb{Z}_{64} \times \mathbb{Z}_{2^{n-3}}) \\ &= 2h(\mathbb{Z}_{32} \times \mathbb{Z}_{2^n}) + 2h(\mathbb{Z}_{32} \times \mathbb{Z}_{2^{n-1}}) + 4h(\mathbb{Z}_{32} \times \mathbb{Z}_{2^{n-2}}) \\ &\quad + 8h(\mathbb{Z}_{32} \times \mathbb{Z}_{2^{n-3}}) - 16h(\mathbb{Z}_{32} \times \mathbb{Z}_{2^{n-4}}) + 16h(\mathbb{Z}_{64} \times \mathbb{Z}_{2^{n-4}}) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= 2h(\mathbb{Z}_{32} \times \mathbb{Z}_{2^n}) + 2h(\mathbb{Z}_{32} \times \mathbb{Z}_{2^{n-1}}) \\
&\quad + 4 \sum_{k=1}^{t-2} 2^{k-1} (h(\mathbb{Z}_{32} \times \mathbb{Z}_{2^{n-1-k}})) - 2^t h(\mathbb{Z}_{32} \times \mathbb{Z}_{2^{n-t}}) \\
&\quad + 2^t h(\mathbb{Z}_{64} \times \mathbb{Z}_{2^{n-t}}),
\end{aligned}$$

where, $n - t = 6$, implying that $t = n - 6$.

Therefore

$$\begin{aligned}
h(G) &= 2h(\mathbb{Z}_{32} \times \mathbb{Z}_{2^n}) + 2h(\mathbb{Z}_{32} \times \mathbb{Z}_{2^{n-1}}) + 4 \sum_{k=1}^{n-8} 2^{k-1} (h(\mathbb{Z}_{32} \times \mathbb{Z}_{2^{n-1-k}})) \\
&\quad - 2^{n-6} h(\mathbb{Z}_{32} \times \mathbb{Z}_{2^6}) + 2^{n-6} h(\mathbb{Z}_{64} \times \mathbb{Z}_{2^6}) \\
&= 2^{n-4} [h(\mathbb{Z}_{32} \times \mathbb{Z}_{2^5}) + h(\mathbb{Z}_{16} \times \mathbb{Z}_{2^6}) - h(\mathbb{Z}_{16} \times \mathbb{Z}_{2^5})] \\
&\quad + 2h(\mathbb{Z}_{32} \times \mathbb{Z}_{2^n}) + 2h(\mathbb{Z}_{32} \times \mathbb{Z}_{2^{n-1}}) \\
&\quad + 4 \sum_{k=1}^{n-8} 2^{k-1} (h(\mathbb{Z}_{32} \times \mathbb{Z}_{2^{n-1-k}})),
\end{aligned}$$

where, $h(\mathbb{Z}_{32} \times \mathbb{Z}_{2^n})$ is found using Proposition B. □

5. Conclusion

We have been able to successfully classified and the number of distinct fuzzy subgroups for the abelian structure formed from two nilpotent subgroups of orders 64 and 2^n , respectively where $n \geq 6$. This has been made possible by a comprehensive analysis and the application of GAP (Group Algorithms and Programming, Version 4.8.7; <https://www.gap-system.org>).

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