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### EXTENDED SPECIAL LINEAR GROUP $ESL_3(Z)$ , CRITERION OF ROOTS EXISTENCE, ANALYTICAL FORMULAS OF ROOTS IN $SL_2(\mathbb{F})$ , $GL_2(\mathbb{F}_p)$ .

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## 1 Criterion of roots existence in $ESL_3(\mathbb{Z})$

In this research we continue our previous investigation of wreath product normal structure [1]. We generalize the group of unimodular matrices [2] and find its structure. For this goal we propose one extension of the special linear group.

Let  $SL_3(\mathbb{Z})$  denotes the special linear group of degree 3 over integer ring. **Definition 1.** The set of matrices

$$\{M_i: Det(M_i) = \pm 1, M_i \in GL_3(\mathbb{Z})\}\$$

forms extended special linear group in  $GL_3(\mathbb{Z})$  and is denoted by  $ESL_3(\mathbb{Z})$ . Denote a permutation matrix of order 3 by  $P_3$  and the transvection of

group  $SL_3(\mathbb{Z})$  [3] by  $tr_{12}$ . Suppose  $D_{123} = \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$  be additional generator extending SL(3, Z) to ESL(3, Z).

**Proposition 1.** The generating set of ESL(3, Z) is  $D_{123}$ ,  $P_3$ ,  $tr_{12}$  and  $tr_{32}$ .

There is another principal case to generate a splittable extension of  $SL_3(Z)$ by the additional matrix  $D_1 = \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$  having det $(D_1) = -1$ , but do

not centralizing the group  $SL_3(Z)$ . Based on the above, we conclude that structure of group generated by groups  $\langle D_1 \rangle$  and  $SL_3(Z)$  or equivalently by  $D_1$ ,  $tr_{12}$ ,  $tr_{32}$ ,  $P_3$  is  $\langle D_1 \rangle \ltimes SL_3(Z) \simeq ESL_3(Z)$ . If we substitute generator  $D_{123}$  instead of  $D_1$  then in terms of new subgroups decomposition in product takes form  $\langle D_{123} \rangle \times SL_3(Z) \simeq ESL_3(Z)$ , because  $D_{123}$  centralize  $SL_3(Z)$ .

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To increase the size of the generating set, we involve the monomial matrix 
$$M_6 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ -1 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$
. Also suppose that  $\bar{t}_{12} = \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$ .

**Proposition 2.** The generating set of  $ESL_3(\mathbb{Z})$  is  $M_6$ ,  $tr_{12}$ ,  $D_1$ . The relations in  $ESL_3(\mathbb{Z})$ :  $M_6t_{12}M_6^{-1} = t_{31}^{-1}$ ,  $M_6t_{31}M_6^{-1} = t_{23}^{-1}$ ,  $M_6t_{23}M_6^{-1} = t_{12}^{-1}$ ,  $M_6t_{13}M_6^{-1} = t_{32}^{-1}$ ,  $M_6t_{23}^{-1}M_6^{-1} = t_{31}^{-1}$ ,  $M_6^6 = E$ ,  $M_6^3 = -E$ . Furthermore we can consider more elegant set of generators  $\langle \bar{t}_{12}, M_6 \rangle$ .

As it is studied by us  $ESL_3(\mathbb{Z})$  has a structure of semidirect product  $SL_3(\mathbb{Z}) \rtimes \langle \mathbb{D}_1 \rangle$ .

In terms of generating set  $P_3, t_{12}, t_{32}, D_{123}$  wherein  $P_3 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$ , main relations are following:  $P_3 t_{12} P_3^{-1} = t_{31}, P_3 t_{31} P_3^{-1} = t_{23}, P_3 t_{13} P_3^{-1} = t_{32}, P_3 t_{12} P_3^{-1} = t_{23}$ .

Let  $\lambda_1$ ,  $\lambda_2$ ,  $\lambda_3$  be e.v. of  $A \in SL_3[\mathbb{Z}]$  provided  $trA = \lambda_1 + \lambda_2 + \lambda_3 = a$ ,  $b = \lambda_1\lambda_2 + \lambda_1\lambda_3 + \lambda_2\lambda_3$ . Let  $\chi_A(x) = x^3 - ax^2 + bx - 1$  denotes characteristic polynomial for A. According to Lemma 1 [1] if  $B^2 = A$ , then  $\mu_1 = \sqrt{\lambda_1}$ ,  $\mu_2 = \sqrt{\lambda_2}$ ,  $\mu_3 = \sqrt{\lambda_3}$ , where  $\mu_1$ ,  $\mu_2$ ,  $\mu_3$  are e.v. of B. We introduce the following notations  $q = \mu_1\mu_2 + \mu_1\mu_3 + \mu_2\mu_3$ ,  $trB = p = \mu_1 + \mu_2 + \mu_3$ . Let  $\chi_B(x) = x^3 - px^2 + qx - 1$  be characteristic polynomial of B.

**Theorem 1.** The square root of a simple matrix  $A \in SL_3[\mathbb{Z}]$  belongs to  $SL_3[\mathbb{Z}]$  iff

$$p^4 - 2ap^2 - 8p + a^2 - 4b = 0 \tag{1}$$

is solvable over  $p \in \mathbb{Z}$ , then square root (up to matrix similarity)

$$\sqrt{A} \in SL_3(Z).$$

Moreover equivalent condition

$$\begin{array}{l} q^2 - 2p = b \in \mathbb{Z} \\ p^2 - 2q = a \in \mathbb{Z} \end{array} \right\} \quad (equal \ to \ the \ sign)$$

holds.

**Remark 1.** The square root of a simple matrix A belongs to  $SL_3[\mathbb{F}_p]$  up to similarity iff

$$p^4 - 2ap^2 - 8p + a^2 - 4b = 0 (2)$$

is solvable over  $p \in \mathbb{F}_p$ , then square root

$$\sqrt{A} \in SL_3(\mathbb{F}_p).$$

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The equivalent system of conditions

If p = 2 then each matrix  $A \in SL_3(\mathbb{F}_p)$  has square root  $\sqrt{A} \in SL_3(\mathbb{F}_p)$ .

### 2 Matrix roots of higher powers

**Proposition 3.** If  $A, B \in GL_2(\mathbb{F}_p)$  is root of equation  $X^3 = A$ , then

$$B = \frac{A + tr(\sqrt[3]{A})\sqrt[3]{\det(A)}}{\left(tr\sqrt[3]{A}\right)^2 - \sqrt[3]{\det(A)}}$$

In the case  $A \in SL_2(\mathbb{F}_p)$  we specify the values of the formula parameters taking into account that  $\det(A) = 1$ . Let us define sequences  $s_n = \operatorname{tr} B s_{n-1} + t_{n-1}$  and  $t_n = -\det B s_{n-1}$  with initial conditions  $s_1 = 1, t_1 = 0, s_2 = \operatorname{tr} B$ and  $t_2 = -\det B$ . Now we prove the following lemma.

**Lemma 1.** Sequences  $s_n$ ,  $t_n$  satisfy recurrent equation with characteristic polynomial c(x) which is also characteristic polynomial for matrix B.

**Theorem 2.** Let  $n \ge 3$  and  $A \in M_2(\mathbb{F}_p)$ . If  $A \ne c \cdot E$  for any  $c \in \mathbb{F}_p$ and  $R = \{B \in M_2(\mathbb{F}_p) \mid B^n = A\}$  set of it's n-th roots, then next inclusion follows:

$$R \subset \left\{ B \in M_2(\mathbb{F}_p) \, \middle| \, B = \frac{A + b \, Q_{n-2}(a,b) \cdot E}{Q_{n-1}(a,b)}, \ b^n = \det A \ , \ P_n(a,b) = \operatorname{tr} A \right\}.$$

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#### КОЗОБРАЖЕННЯ РОЗШИРЕНОЇ ЛІНІЙНОЇ ГРУПИ ESL<sub>3</sub>(Z) І КРИТЕРІЙ ІСНУВАННЯ КОРЕНЯ З МАТРИЦІ

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