

6. If $K_2 \leq G_2$, let

$$\varphi^{-1}(K_2) = \{g \in G_1 \mid \varphi(g) \in K_2\} \subseteq G_1$$

"preimage
of K_2 "

$$\text{Then } \varphi^{-1}(K_2) \leq G_1.$$

(Two step subgroup test)

- $\varphi^{-1}(K_2)$ nonempty because $e_1 \in \varphi^{-1}(K_2)$.

- If $a, b \in \varphi^{-1}(K_2)$, then $\varphi(a), \varphi(b) \in K_2$

$$\text{So } \varphi(ab) = \varphi(a)\varphi(b) \in K_2.$$

Thus $ab \in \varphi^{-1}(K_2)$.

- If $a \in \varphi^{-1}(K_2)$, then $\varphi(a) \in K_2$ so $[\varphi(a)]^{-1} \in K_2$

$$\text{But } [\varphi(a)]^{-1} = \varphi(a^{-1}) \text{ so } \varphi(a^{-1}) \in K_2.$$

Thus $\varphi^{-1}(K_2)$ is closed under inverses. ✓

7. If $K_2 \trianglelefteq G_2$, then $\varphi^{-1}(K_2) \trianglelefteq G_1$.

(Normal subgroup test.)

Let $g \in \varphi^{-1}(K_2)$ and $x \in G_1$. (NTS: $xgx^{-1} \in \varphi^{-1}(K_2)$)
Then $\varphi(xgx^{-1}) = \varphi(x)\varphi(g)\varphi(x^{-1})$

conjugation by element
of G_2 .

in K_2 $[\varphi(x)]^{-1}$

This is an element of K_2 because $K_2 \trianglelefteq G_2$.

So $xgx^{-1} \in \varphi^{-1}(K_2)$. Thus $\varphi^{-1}(K_2) \trianglelefteq G_1$.

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Corollary : $\ker\varphi \trianglelefteq G$,
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↓ because $\ker\varphi = \varphi^{-1}(e_2)$
and $\{e_2\} \trianglelefteq G_2$.

So $G/\ker\varphi$ is a group