

MAT 534: HOMEWORK 5
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Problems marked by asterisk (*) are optional.

1. Let G be abelian group, which is generated by x, y, z with relations $x^3 = xy^2z^3 = 1$. Represent G as a product of cyclic groups.
Hint: You can write G additively and work out Smith normal form.
2. Same question for the group \mathbb{Z}^3/L , where L is generated by $u_1 = (3, 2, 5), u_2 = (0, 1, 3), u_3 = (0, 1, 5)$.
3. Let A be $n \times n$ matrix with integer coefficients, and let $L \leq \mathbb{Z}^n$ be the subgroup generated by the rows of A . Prove that \mathbb{Z}^n/L is infinite if $\det A = 0$ and if $\det A \neq 0, |\mathbb{Z}^n/L| = |\det A|$. (You can use existence of Smith normal form).
- *4. From Dummit and Foote, problems 2 and 3 on p. 165.
- *5. From Dummit and Foote, problem 8 on p. 166.
- *6. From Dummit and Foote, problem 14 on p. 167.