

Cayley's Thm
 $|G| = n$. Then \exists injective hom $\phi: G \rightarrow S_n$.
 So $G \cong \phi(G) \leq S_n$

Tool Groups acting on themselves via multiplication.

$G \curvearrowright G$ via $g \cdot a = ga$

$|G| = n$
 $G = \{g_1, g_2, \dots, g_n\} \rightarrow \{1, 2, \dots, n\} = A$
 \uparrow
 $G \curvearrowright G \rightarrow G \curvearrowright A$
 $g \cdot g_i \cdot g_j \rightarrow g \cdot i = j$
 $G \xrightarrow{\phi} S_A = S_n$
 $g \mapsto \sigma_g$
Lemma
 $\phi: G \rightarrow S_n$
 $g \mapsto \sigma_g$
 $g \cdot g_i = g_j \iff \sigma(g) = j$

Let $a \neq \phi$ is inj.
 Pf/ $\phi(g) = \sigma_g \in S_n$
 $g \in \ker \phi$
 $\sigma_g(1) = 1$
 \downarrow
 $g \cdot g_1 = g_1$
 $\Rightarrow g = 1$ \square

Ex $V_4 = \{1, a, b, c\} \leftrightarrow \{1, 2, 3, 4\}$
 $a^2 = b^2 = c^2 = 1$
 $a \cdot b = c$

 1) $1 \cdot a = a \leftarrow \sigma_a(1) = 2$
 2) $a \cdot a = 1 \leftarrow \sigma_a(2) = 1$
 3) $b \cdot a = c \leftarrow \sigma_a(3) = 4$
 4) $c \cdot a = b \leftarrow \sigma_a(4) = 3$
 $\sigma_a = (12)(34) \in S_4$
 $\sigma_b = (13)(24)$
 $\sigma_c = (14)(23)$
 $\sigma_1 = (1)$

So $\phi: V_4 \rightarrow S_4$
 $V_4 \cong \phi(V_4)$
 $= \{(1), (12)(34), (13)(24), (14)(23)\} \leq S_4$

Def
 $G \curvearrowright A$ is transitive if it has only one orbit.
 i.e. $a, b \in A, \exists g \text{ w/ } b = g \cdot a$

Construction
 $H \leq G, A = G/H = \{xH\}$
 (Not always a group.)

Def $G \curvearrowright A$
 $g \cdot xH = gxH \in A$
 1) $H = \{1\}$, this is $G \curvearrowright G$ by mult
 2) $|G:H| = n \Rightarrow A = \{x_1H, x_2H, \dots, x_nH\}$
 get $\sigma_g(i) = j$
 $G \rightarrow S_n$
 $g \cdot x_iH = x_jH$

Ex $G = D_8, H = \{1, s\}$
 $A = \{H, rH, r^2H, r^3H\}$
 $\sigma_s = (24)$
 1) $s \cdot H = H \quad \sigma_s(1) = 1$
 2) $s \cdot rH = r^{-1}sH = r^3H \quad \sigma_s(2) = 4$
 3) $s \cdot r^2H = r^2H \quad \sigma_s(3) = 3$
 4) $s \cdot r^3H = rH \quad \sigma_s(4) = 2$
 $\sigma_r = (1234)$
 $\phi: D_8 \rightarrow S_4$
 $\sigma_{r^2s} = \sigma_r \sigma_s$

Thm $H \leq G, A = G/H, G \curvearrowright A$
 1) G acts transitively
 2) $G_H = H$
 3) $\pi_H: G \rightarrow S_A$ perm rep
 $\ker \pi_H = \bigcap_{x \in G} xHx^{-1}$
 This is the largest normal subgroup of G in H

Pf ① $xH, yH \in A$
 $g = yx^{-1}$
 $gH = yx^{-1}xH = yH \checkmark$

② $G_H = \{g \in G \mid g \cdot H = H\} = H$
 ③ $\ker \pi_H = \{g \mid g \cdot xH = xH \forall x\}$
 $= \{g \mid x^{-1}gx \in H \forall x\}$
 $= \{g \mid g \in xHx^{-1} \forall x\}$
 $= \bigcap_{x \in G} xHx^{-1}$
 1) Normal \checkmark
 2) $g \in \ker \pi_H \Rightarrow g \cdot H = H \Rightarrow g \in G_H = H$
 $\ker \pi_H \leq H$

$N \leq H \leq G$ normal
 $\forall x, N = xNx^{-1} \leq xHx^{-1}$
 $N \leq \bigcap xHx^{-1} = \ker \pi_H$
Corollary $|G| = n, G \hookrightarrow S_n$.
 Pf/ Let $H = \{1\}$
 $G \rightarrow S_n$
 w/ $\ker \leq H = 1$ \square

Thm $|G| = n$, $p \mid n$
 smallest prime dividing n , if $H \leq G$ w/ $|G:H| = p$, then $H \trianglelefteq G$

Pf $H \leq G$ index p .
 $A = G/H = \{x_1H, \dots, x_pH\}$
 Action $G \curvearrowright A$
 $\pi_H: G \rightarrow S_p$
 $K = \ker \pi_H \leq H$
 $|H:K| = k \leftarrow \text{done}$
 so $|G:K| = |G:H| \cdot |H:K| = p \cdot k$

 order G/K divides $|S_p|$
 $k \mid p! = p \cdot (p-1) \dots$
 $k \mid (p-1)!$
 All prime factors of $k < p$.
 $\Rightarrow k = 1$
 so $|H:K| = 1$
 $\Rightarrow H = K = \ker \pi_H \trianglelefteq G$