

Keywords, statements, definitions

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1. **Schur's theorem:** If the index of the center of a group is finite, then the commutator subgroup is finite.

steps of the proof:

- Finite index subgroup of a finitely generated group is finitely generated.
 - If the center is of finite index, then the commutator subgroup is finitely generated.
 - $G' \cap Z(G)$ is a finite index subgroup of G' (so it is also finitely generated)
 - The exponent of $G' \cap Z(G)$ is finite.
2. e is the **exponent** of a group G if $g^e = 1$ for every $g \in G$ and for every $f \leq e$ there is $g_f \in G$ such that $g_f^f \neq 1$.
 3. **normal series:** Let G be a group

$$N_0 \leq N_1 \leq \dots \leq N_n = G$$

is a (sub)normal series of G if $N_i \trianglelefteq N_{i+1}$ for $i = 0, \dots, n-1$.

4. **composition series:** Let G be a group

$$N_0 \leq N_1 \leq \dots \leq N_n = G$$

is a composition series of G if $N_i \trianglelefteq N_{i+1}$ for $i = 0, \dots, n-1$ and the factors N_{i+1}/N_i are simple.