Theorem(4-7):

Let $H\Delta G$ and both H, G/H are solvable, then (G,*) is a solvable.

Proof: since (H,*) is a solvable \Rightarrow

there is a finite collection of subgroups of (G,*), H_0, H_1, \dots, H_n such that

$$1. G = H_0 \supset H_1 \supset \cdots \supset H_{n-1} \supset H_n = \{e\},\$$

$$2.H_{i+1}\Delta H_i \quad \forall i=0,\ldots,n-1,$$

3.
$$H_i/H_{i+1}$$
 is a commutative group $\forall i = 0, ..., n-1$.

Since $(^G/_H, \otimes)$ is a solvable \Longrightarrow

there is a finite collection of subgroups of (G,*),

$$\frac{G_0}{H}$$
, $\frac{G_1}{H}$, ..., $\frac{G_r}{H}$ such that

$$1.\frac{G}{H} = \frac{G_0}{H} \supset \frac{G_1}{H} \supset \cdots \supset \frac{G_r}{H} = \{e\} = H,$$

$$2.\frac{G_{i+1}}{H}\Delta\frac{G_i}{H} \quad \forall i=0,\ldots,r-1,$$

3.
$$\frac{G_i}{H} / \frac{G_{i+1}}{H}$$
 is a commutative group $\forall i = 0, ..., r-1$.

To prove (G,*) is a solvable group.

$$\frac{G}{H} = \frac{G_0}{H} \Longrightarrow G = G_0$$

$$\frac{G_r}{H} = H \Longrightarrow G_r = \{e\} \text{ or } G_r = H$$

$$H\Delta G_r \Longrightarrow H \subseteq G_r \Longrightarrow G_r = H$$

So, there is a finite collection $G_0, G_1, \dots, G_r = H_0, H_1, \dots, H_n$ such that

$$1. G = G_0 \supset G_1 \supset \cdots \supset G_r = H = H_0 \supset H_1 \supset \cdots \supset H_n = \{e\}.$$

2. To prove
$$G_{i+1}\Delta G_i \quad \forall i=0,\ldots,r-1$$

Let $x \in G_i$ and $a \in G_{i+1}$ to prove $x * a * x^{-1} \in G_{i+1}$

$$x \in G_i \Longrightarrow x * H \in \frac{G_i}{H}$$

$$a \in G_{i+1} \Longrightarrow a * H \in \frac{G_{i+1}}{H}$$

$$\frac{G_{i+1}}{H} \Delta \frac{G_i}{H} \Longrightarrow (x * H) \otimes (a * H) \otimes (x * H)^{-1} \in \frac{G_{i+1}}{H}$$

$$\Rightarrow (x * a * x^{-1}) * H \in \frac{G_{i+1}}{H} \Rightarrow x * a * x^{-1} \in G_{i+1}$$
$$\Rightarrow G_{i+1} \Delta G_i$$

3. To prove $\frac{G_i}{G_{i+1}}$ is a commutative group $\forall i = 0, ..., r-1$

$$\frac{\frac{G_i}{H}}{\frac{G_{i+1}}{H}} \text{ is a commutative group and } \frac{\frac{G_i}{H}}{\frac{G_{i+1}}{H}} \cong \frac{G_i}{G_{i+1}} \left(\frac{\frac{G}{H}}{\frac{K}{H}} \cong \frac{G}{K}\right)$$

$$\Longrightarrow \frac{G_i}{G_{i+1}}$$
 is a commutative group

Therefore, (G,*) is a solvable group

Exercises(4-8);

- Show that every *p*-group is a solvable group.
- Show that (S_4, \circ) is a solvable group.
- Show that $(Z_4, +_4)$ is a solvable group.
- Show that $(Z_8, +_8)$ is a solvable group.
- Show that $(Z_5, +_5)$ is a solvable group.
- Show that $(Z_6, +_6)$ is a solvable group.
- Show that $(Z_{12}, +_{12})$ is a solvable group.
- Show that $(Z_{24}, +_{24})$ is a solvable group.

