

# Artin's character table of the group( $Q_{2m} \times C_4$ ) When $m=2^h$ , $h \in \mathbb{Z}^+$

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**Abstract**— Let  $Q_{2m}$  be the Quaternion group of order  $4m$  when  $m=2^h$ ,  $h \in \mathbb{Z}^+$  and  $C_4$  be the cyclic group of order 4. Let  $(Q_{2m} \times C_4)$  be the direct product of  $Q_{2m}$  and  $C_4$  such that  $(Q_{2m} \times C_4) = \{(q, c) : q \in Q_{2m}, c \in C_4\}$  and  $|Q_{2m} \times C_4| = |Q_{2m}| \cdot |C_4| = 4m \cdot 4 = 8m$ . In this paper, we prove that the general form of Artin's characters table of the group  $(Q_{2m} \times C_4)$  this table depends on Artin's characters table of a quaternion group of order  $4m$  when  $m=2^h$ ,  $h \in \mathbb{Z}^+$ . which is denoted by  $Ar(Q_{2m} \times C_4)$ .

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## INTRODUCTION

let  $G$  be a finite group, two elements of  $G$  are said to be  $\Gamma$ -conjugate if the cyclic subgroups they generate are conjugate in  $G$  and this defines an equivalence relation on  $G$  and its classes are called  $\Gamma$ -classes. let  $R(G)$  denotes the abelian group generated by  $Z$  - valued characters of  $G$  under the operation of point wise addition. Inside this group there is a subgroup generated by Artin characters (The characters induced from the principal characters of cyclic subgroups of  $G$ ). In 1967, T.Y.Lam [9] proves a sharp form of Artin theorem and he determines the least positive integer  $A(G)$  such that  $[R(G) : T(G)] = A(G)$ . In 1976, I. M. Isaacs [4] studied Character Theory of Finite Groups. In 2008, A.H.Abdul-Mun' em[1] studied the Artin cokernel of the Quaternion Group  $Q_{2m}$  when  $m$  is an Odd Number.

The aim of this paper is to find the general form of the Artin's characters table of the group  $(Q_{2m} \times C_4)$  When  $m=2^h$ ,  $h \in \mathbb{Z}^+$ .

## 1.Preliminaries

This section introduce some important definitions and basic concepts of the group  $(Q_{2m} \times C_4)$ , the Artin characters and the Artin characters table.

### 1.2 Definition:[11]

Let  $G$  be a finite group, all characters of  $G$  induced from a principal character of cyclic subgroups of  $G$  are called **Artin's characters of G**.

### 1.3 Proposition:[2]

The number of all distinct Artin's characters on a group  $G$  is equal to the number of  $\Gamma$ -classes on  $G$  Furthermore, Artin's characters are constant on each  $\Gamma$ -classes.

### 1.4 Definition: [1]

Artin's characters of finite group  $G$  can be displayed in a table called **Artin's characters table of G** which is denoted by  $Ar(G)$ . The first row is the  $\Gamma$ - conjugate classes, the second row is the number of elements in each conjugate classes, the third row is the size of the centralizer  $|C_G(CL_\alpha)|$  and the rest rows contain the values of Artin's characters.

### 1.5 Proposition: [10]

The Artin's characters table of the Quaternion group  $Q_{2m}$  when  $m=2^h$ ,  $h \in \mathbb{Z}^+$  is given as follows  
 $Ar(Q_{2^{h+1}}) =$

Table (1)

$\Gamma$ - classes	$\Gamma$ - classes of $C_{2m}$					[y]	[xy]
	[1]	$[x^{2^h}]$	2	2	...		
$ CL_\alpha $	1	1	2	2	...	2	$2^h$
$ C_{Q_{2^{h+1}}}(CL_\alpha) $	$2^{h+2}$	$2^{h+2}$	$2^{h+1}$	$2^{h+1}$	...	$2^{h+1}$	4
$\Phi_1$	$2Ar(C_{2^{h+1}})$					0	0
$\Phi_2$						0	0
⋮						⋮	⋮
$\Phi_l$						0	0
$\Phi_{l+1}$	$2^h$	$2^h$	0	0	...	0	2
$\Phi_{l+2}$	$2^h$	$2^h$	0	0	...	0	0

where  $l$  is the number of  $\Gamma$ - classes of  $C_{2m}$  and  $\Phi_j$ ;  $1 \leq j \leq l+2$  are the Artin characters of the Quaternion group  $Q_{2m}$  when  $m=2^h$ ,  $h \in \mathbb{Z}^+$

## 2. The main results

In this section we find the general form of Artin's characters of the group  $(Q_{2m} \times C_4)$  when  $m=2^h$ ,  $h \in \mathbb{Z}^+$

### **2.1 Proposition:**

The general form of the Artin's characters table of the group  $(Q_2^{h+1} \times C_4)$  when  $m=2^h$ ,  $h \in \mathbb{Z}^+$  is given as follows:

$\text{Ar}(Q_2^{h+1} \times C_4) =$

$\Gamma$ - classes of $(Q_{2m}) \times \{I\}$						$\Gamma$ - classes of $(Q_{2m}) \times \{z^2\}$					$\Gamma$ - classes of $(Q_{2m}) \times \{z\}$							
$\Gamma$ - classes	[1, I]	[ $x^m, I$ ]	...	[x, I]	[y, I]	[xy, I]	[I, $z^2$ ]	[ $x^m, z^2$ ]	...	[x, $z^2$ ]	[y, $z^2$ ]	[xy, $z^2$ ]	[I, z]	[ $x^m, z$ ]	...	[x, z]	[y, z]	[xy, z]
$ CL_\alpha $	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	...	<b>2</b>	<b>m</b>	<b>m</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	...	<b>2</b>	<b>m</b>	<b>m</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	...	<b>2</b>	<b>m</b>	<b>m</b>
$ C_{Q_{2m} \times C_4}(CL_\alpha) $	<b>16</b> <b>m</b>	<b>16</b> <b>m</b>	...	<b>8m</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>16</b> <b>m</b>	<b>16</b> <b>m</b>	...	<b>8m</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>16m</b>	<b>16</b> <b>m</b>	...	<b>8m</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>16</b>
$\Phi_{(1,1)}$	<b>4Ar(<math>Q_{2m}</math>)</b>						<b>0</b>						<b>0</b>					
$\Phi_{(2,1)}$																		
$\Phi_{(l,1)}$																		
$\Phi_{(l+1,1)}$																		
$\Phi_{(l+2,1)}$																		
$\Phi_{(1,2)}$	<b>2Ar(<math>Q_{2m}</math>)</b>						<b>2Ar(<math>Q_{2m}</math>)</b>						<b>0</b>					
$\Phi_{(2,2)}$																		
$\Phi_{(l,2)}$																		
$\Phi_{(l+1,2)}$																		
$\Phi_{(l+2,2)}$																		
$\Phi_{(1,3)}$	<b>Ar(<math>Q_{2m}</math>)</b>						<b>Ar(<math>Q_{2m}</math>)</b>						<b>Ar(<math>Q_{2m}</math>)</b>					
$\Phi_{(2,3)}$																		
$\Phi_{(l,3)}$																		
$\Phi_{(l+1,3)}$																		
$\Phi_{(l+2,3)}$																		

Table (2)

**Proof :**

Let  $g \in (Q_{2m} \times C_4)$ ;  $g=(q, I)$  or  $g=(q, z)$  or  $g=(q, z^2)$  or  $g=(q, z^3)$   $q \in Q_{2m}, I, z, z^2, z^3 \in C_4$

Case (I):

If H is a cyclic subgroup of  $Q_{2m} \times \{I\}$ , then:

$$1. H = \langle (x, I) \rangle \quad 2. H = \langle (y, I) \rangle \quad 3. H = \langle (xy, I) \rangle$$

And  $\Phi$  the principal character of  $H$ ,  $\Phi_j$  Artin characters of  $Q_{2m}$  where  $1 \leq j \leq l+2$  then by using Theorem (1.8)

$$1. H = \langle (x, I) \rangle$$

(i) If  $g = (1, I)$  and  $g \in H$

$$\Phi_{(j,1)}((1, I)) = \frac{|C_{Q_{2m} \times C_4}(g)|}{|C_H(g)|} \cdot \varphi(g) = \frac{16m}{|C_H(I, 1)|} \cdot 1 = \frac{4.4m}{|C_H(I, 1)|} \cdot 1 = \frac{4|C_{Q_{2m}}(1)|}{|C_{\langle x \rangle}(1)|} \cdot \varphi(1) = 4 \cdot \Phi_j(1) \quad \text{since}$$

$$H \cap CL(1, I) = \{(1, I)\}$$

(ii) if  $g = (x^m, I)$  and  $g \in H$

$$\Phi_{(j,1)}(g) = \frac{|C_{Q_{2m} \times C_4}(g)|}{|C_H(g)|} \cdot \varphi(g) = \frac{16m}{|C_H(g)|} \cdot 1 = \frac{4.4m}{|C_H(g)|} \cdot 1 = \frac{4|C_{Q_{2m}}(x^m)|}{|C_{\langle x \rangle}(x^m)|} \cdot \varphi(g) = 4 \cdot \Phi_j(x^m)$$

$$\text{since } H \cap CL(g) = \{g\}, \varphi(g) = 1$$

(iii) if  $g = (x^i, I), i \neq m$  and  $i \neq 2m$  and  $g \in H$

$$\Phi_{(j,1)}(g) = \frac{|C_{Q_{2m} \times C_4}(g)|}{|C_H(g)|} \cdot (\varphi(g) + \varphi(g^{-1})) = \frac{8m}{|C_H(g)|} (1+1) =$$

$$\frac{4.2m}{|C_H(g)|} \cdot (1+1) = \frac{4|C_{Q_{2m}}(q)|}{|C_{\langle x \rangle}(q)|} \cdot (\varphi(g) + \varphi(g^{-1})) = 4 \cdot \Phi_j(q)$$

$$\text{since } H \cap CL(g) = \{g, g^{-1}\} \text{ and } \Phi(g) = \Phi(g^{-1}) = 1, g = (q, I), q \in Q_{2m} \text{ and } q \neq x^m, q \neq 1$$

(iv) if  $g \notin H$

$$\Phi_{(j,1)}(g) = 4 \cdot 0 = 4 \cdot \Phi_j(q) \quad \text{Since}$$

$$H \cap CL(g) = \emptyset$$

$$2. H = \langle (y, I) \rangle = \{(1, I), (y, I), (y^2, I), (y^3, I)\}$$

(i) If  $g = (1, I)$   $H \cap CL(1, I) = \{(1, I)\}$

$$\Phi_{(l+1,1)}(g) = \frac{|C_{Q_{2m} \times C_4}(g)|}{|C_H(g)|} \cdot \varphi(g) = \frac{16m}{4} \cdot 1 = 4m = 4 \cdot \Phi_{l+1}(1)$$

(ii) If  $g = (x^m, I) = (y^2, I)$  and  $g \in H$

$$\Phi_{(l+1,1)}(g) = \frac{|C_{Q_{2m} \times C_4}(g)|}{|C_H(g)|} \cdot \varphi(g) = \frac{16m}{4} \cdot 1 = 4m = 4 \cdot \Phi_{l+1}(x^m)$$

$$\text{Since } H \cap CL(g) = \{g\}, \varphi(g) = 1$$

(iii)  $g = (y, I)$  or  $g = (y^3, I)$  and  $g \in H$

$$\Phi_{(l+1,1)}(g) = \frac{|C_{Q_{2m} \times C_4}(g)|}{|C_H(g)|} \cdot (\varphi(g) + \varphi(g^{-1})) = \frac{16}{4} \cdot (1+1) = 4.2 = 4 \cdot \Phi_{l+1}(y)$$

$$\text{since } H \cap CL(g) = \{g, g^{-1}\} \text{ and } \Phi(g) = \Phi(g^{-1}) = 1$$

Otherwise

$$\Phi_{(l+1,1)}(g) = 0 \quad \text{since } H \cap CL(g) = \emptyset$$

3-  $H = \langle(xy, I) \rangle = \{(1, I), (xy, I), ((xy)^2, I), ((xy)^3, I)\}$

(i) If  $g = (1, I)$   $H \cap CL(1, I) = \{(1, I)\}$

$$\Phi_{(l+2,1)}(g) = \frac{|C_{Q_{2m} \times C_4}(g)|}{|C_H(g)|} \cdot \varphi(g) = \frac{16m}{4} \cdot 1 = 4m = 4 \cdot \Phi_{l+2}(1)$$

(ii) If  $g = (x^m, I) = ((xy)^2, I) = (y^2, I)$  and  $g \in H$

$$\Phi_{(l+2,1)}(g) = \frac{|C_{Q_{2m} \times C_4}(g)|}{|C_H(g)|} \cdot \varphi(g) = \frac{16m}{4} \cdot 1 = 4m = 4 \cdot \Phi_{l+2}(x^m)$$

Since  $H \cap CL(g) = \{g\}$ ,  $\varphi(g) = 1$

(iii) If  $g = (xy, I)$  or  $g = ((xy)^3, I) = (xy^3, I)$  and  $g \in H$

$$\Phi_{(l+2,1)}(g) = \frac{|C_{Q_{2m} \times C_4}(g)|}{|C_H(g)|} \cdot (\varphi(g) + \varphi(g^{-1})) = \frac{16}{4} \cdot (1+1) = 4 \cdot 2 = 4 \cdot \Phi_{l+2}(xy)$$

since  $H \cap CL(g) = \{g, g^{-1}\}$  and  $\varphi(g) = \varphi(g^{-1}) = 1$

Otherwise

$$\Phi_{(l+2,1)}(g) = 0 \quad \text{since } H \cap CL(g) = \emptyset$$

#### Case (II):

If  $H$  is a cyclic subgroup of  $Q_{2m} \times \{z^2\}$ , then:

$$1. H = \langle(x, I) \rangle = \langle(x, z^2) \rangle \quad 2. H = \langle(y, I) \rangle = \langle(y, z^2) \rangle \quad 3. H = \langle(xy, I) \rangle = \langle(xy, z^2) \rangle$$

And  $\Phi_j$  the principal character of  $H$ ,  $\Phi_j$  Artin characters of  $Q_{2m}$  where  $1 \leq j \leq l+2$  then by using Theorem (1.8)

$$1. H = \langle(x, I) \rangle = \langle(x, z^2) \rangle$$

(i) If  $g = (1, I)$  or  $g = (1, z^2)$  and  $g \in H$

$$\Phi_{(j,2)}((1, I)) = \frac{|C_{Q_{2m} \times C_4}(g)|}{|C_H(g)|} \cdot \varphi(g) = \frac{16m}{|C_H(1, I)|} \cdot 1 = \frac{4.4m}{|C_H(1, I)|} \cdot 1 = \frac{4|C_{Q_{2m}}(1)|}{2|C_{\langle x \rangle}(1)|} \cdot \varphi(1) = 2 \cdot \Phi_j(1) \quad \text{since } H \cap CL(1, I) = \{(1, I), (1, z^2)\}$$

(ii) if  $g = (x^m, I)$  and  $g \in H$

$$\Phi_{(j,2)}(g) = \frac{|C_{Q_{2m} \times C_4}(g)|}{|C_H(g)|} \cdot \varphi(g) = \frac{16m}{|C_H(g)|} \cdot 1 = \frac{4.4m}{|C_H(g)|} \cdot 1 = \frac{4|C_{Q_{2m}}(x^m)|}{2|C_{\langle x \rangle}(x^m)|} \cdot \varphi(g) = 2 \cdot \Phi_j(x^m)$$

since  $H \cap CL(g) = \{g\}$ ,  $\varphi(g) = 1$

(iii) if  $g = (x^i, I)$ ,  $i \neq m$  and  $i \neq 2m$  and  $g \in H$

$$\Phi_{(j,2)}(g) = \frac{|C_{Q_{2m} \times C_4}(g)|}{|C_H(g)|} \cdot (\varphi(g) + \varphi(g^{-1})) = \frac{8m}{|C_H(g)|} \cdot (1+1) = \frac{4.2m}{|C_H(g)|} \cdot (1+1) = \frac{4|C_{Q_{2m}}(q)|}{2|C_{\langle x \rangle}(q)|} \cdot (\varphi(g) + \varphi(g^{-1})) = 2 \cdot \Phi_j(q)$$

since  $H \cap CL(g) = \{g, g^{-1}\}$  and  $\varphi(g) = \varphi(g^{-1}) = 1$ ,  $g = (q, I)$ ,  $q \in Q_{2m}$  and  $q \neq x^m$ ,  $q \neq 1$

(iv) if  $g \notin H$

$$\Phi_{(j,2)}(g) = 2 \cdot 0 = 2 \cdot \Phi_j(q) \quad \text{Since}$$

$$H \cap CL(g) =$$

$$2. H = \langle(y, I) \rangle = \{(1, I), (y, I), (y^2, I), (y^3, I), (1, z^2), (y, z^2), (y^2, z^2), (y^3, z^2)\}$$

(i) If  $g=(1,I)$  or  $g=(1,z^2)$   $H \cap CL(1,I) = \{(1,I), (1,z^2)\}$

$$\Phi_{(l+1,2)}(g) = \frac{|C_{Q_{2m} \times C_4}(g)|}{|C_H(g)|} \cdot \varphi(g) = \frac{16m}{8} \cdot 1 = 2m = 2 \cdot \Phi_{l+1}(1)$$

(ii) If  $g = (x^m, I) = (y^2, I)$  or  $g = (y^2, z^2)$  and  $g \in H$

$$\Phi_{(l+1,2)}(g) = \frac{|C_{Q_{2m} \times C_4}(g)|}{|C_H(g)|} \cdot \varphi(g) = \frac{16m}{8} \cdot 1 = 2m = 2 \cdot \Phi_{l+1}(x^m)$$

Since  $H \cap CL(g) = \{g\}$ ,  $\varphi(g) = 1$

(iii)  $g = (y, I)$  or  $g = (y^3, I)$  or  $g = (y, z^2)$  or  $g = (y^3, z^2)$  and  $g \in H$

$$\Phi_{(l+1,2)}(g) = \frac{|C_{Q_{2m} \times C_4}(g)|}{|C_H(g)|} \cdot (\varphi(g) + \varphi(g^{-1})) = \frac{16}{8} \cdot (1+1) = 2 \cdot 2 = 2 \cdot \Phi_{l+1}(y)$$

since  $H \cap CL(g) = \{g, g^{-1}\}$  and  $\Phi(g) = \Phi(g^{-1}) = 1$

Otherwise

$$\Phi_{(l+1,2)}(g) = 0 \quad \text{since } H \cap CL(g) = \emptyset$$

3-  $H = \langle (xy, I) \rangle = \{(1,I), (xy,I), ((xy)^2,I), ((xy)^3,I), (1, z^2), (xy, z^2), ((xy)^2, z^2), ((xy)^3, z^2)\}$

(i) If  $g = (1,I)$  or  $g = (1,z^2)$   $H \cap CL(1,I) = \{(1,I), (1,z^2)\}$

$$\Phi_{(l+2,2)}(g) = \frac{|C_{Q_{2m} \times C_4}(g)|}{|C_H(g)|} \cdot \varphi(g) = \frac{16m}{8} \cdot 1 = 2m = 2 \cdot \Phi_{l+2}(1)$$

(ii) If  $g = (x^m, I) = ((xy)^2, I) = (y^2, I)$  or  $g = (x^m, z^2) = ((xy)^2, z^2) = (y^2, z^2)$  and  $g \in H$

$$\Phi_{(l+2,2)}(g) = \frac{|C_{Q_{2m} \times C_4}(g)|}{|C_H(g)|} \cdot \varphi(g) = \frac{16m}{8} \cdot 1 = 2m = 2 \cdot \Phi_{l+2}(x^m)$$

Since  $H \cap CL(g) = \{g\}$ ,  $\varphi(g) = 1$

(iii) If  $g = (xy, I)$  or  $g = ((xy)^3, I) = (xy^3, I)$  or  $g = (xy, z^2)$  or  $g = ((xy)^3, z^2) = (xy^3, z^2)$  and  $g \in H$

$$\Phi_{(l+2,2)}(g) = \frac{|C_{Q_{2m} \times C_4}(g)|}{|C_H(g)|} \cdot (\varphi(g) + \varphi(g^{-1})) = \frac{16}{8} \cdot (1+1) = 2 \cdot 2 = 2 \cdot \Phi_{l+2}(xy)$$

since  $H \cap CL(g) = \{g, g^{-1}\}$  and  $\Phi(g) = \Phi(g^{-1}) = 1$

Otherwise

$$\Phi_{(l+2,2)}(g) = 0 \quad \text{since } H \cap CL(g) = \emptyset$$

### Case (III):

If  $H$  is a cyclic subgroup of  $(Q_{2m} \times \{z\})$ , then:

$$1. H = \langle (x, z) \rangle = \langle (x, z^2) \rangle = \langle (x, z^3) \rangle \quad 2. H = \langle (y, z) \rangle = \langle (y, z^2) \rangle = \langle (y, z^3) \rangle$$

$$3. H = \langle (xy, z) \rangle = \langle (xy, z^2) \rangle = \langle (xy, z^3) \rangle$$

And  $\Phi$  the principal character of  $H$ ,  $\Phi_j$  Artin characters of  $Q_{2m}$  where  $1 \leq j \leq l+2$  then by using Theorem (1.8)

$$1. H = \langle (x, z) \rangle$$

(i) If  $g = (1,I)$  or  $g = (1,z)$  or  $g = (1,z^2)$  or  $g = (1,z^3)$  and  $g \in H$

$$\Phi_{(j,3)}(g) = \frac{|C_{Q_{2m} \times C_4}(g)|}{|C_H(g)|} \cdot \varphi(g) = \frac{16m}{|C_H(g)|} \cdot 1 = \frac{4.4m}{|C_{\langle(x,z)\rangle}(g)|} \cdot 1 = \frac{4|C_{Q_{2m}}(1)|}{4|C_{\langle x \rangle}(1)|} \cdot \varphi(1) = \Phi_j(1)$$

since  $H \cap CL(g) = \{(1,I), (1,z), (1,z^2), (1,z^3)\}$

(ii) If  $g = (1,I)$  or  $g = (x^m, I)$  or  $g = (x^m, z)$  or  $g = (1, z)$  or  $g = (x^m, z^2)$  or  $g = (1, z^2)$  or  $g = (1, z^3)$  or  $g = (x^m, z^3)$  and  $g \in H$

(a) if  $g = (1,I)$  or  $g = (1,z)$  or  $g = (1,z^2)$  or  $g = (1,z^3)$  and  $g \in H$ .

$$\Phi_{(j,3)}(g) = \frac{|C_{Q_{2m} \times C_4}(g)|}{|C_H(g)|} \cdot \varphi(g) = \frac{16m}{|C_H(g)|} \cdot 1 = \frac{4.4m}{|C_{\langle(x,z)\rangle}(g)|} \cdot 1 = \frac{4|C_{Q_{2m}}(1)|}{4|C_{\langle x \rangle}(1)|} \cdot \varphi(1) = \Phi_j(1)$$

since  $H \cap CL(g) = \{g\}, \varphi(g) = 1$

(b) If  $g = (x^m, I)$  or  $g = (x^m, z)$  or  $g = (x^m, z^2)$  or  $g = (x^m, z^3)$  and  $g \in H$

$$\Phi_{(j,3)}(g) = \frac{|C_{Q_{2m} \times C_4}(g)|}{|C_H(g)|} \cdot \varphi(g) = \frac{16m}{|C_H(g)|} \cdot 1 = \frac{4.4m}{|C_{\langle x \rangle}(g)|} \cdot 1 = \frac{4|C_{Q_{2m}}(x^m)|}{4|C_{\langle x \rangle}(x^m)|} \cdot \varphi(x^m) = \Phi_j(x^m)$$

since  $H \cap CL(g) = \{g\}, \varphi(g) = 1$

(iii) If  $g = \{(x^i, I), (x^i, z), (x^i, z^2), (x^i, z^3)\}, i \neq m, i \neq 2m$  and  $g \in H$

$$\Phi_{(j,3)}(g) = \frac{|C_{Q_{2m} \times C_4}(g)|}{|C_H(g)|} \cdot (\varphi(g) + \varphi(g^{-1})) = \frac{8m}{|C_H(g)|} \cdot (1+1) \cdot \frac{4.2m}{|C_H(g)|} \cdot (1+1) = \frac{4|C_{Q_{2m}}(q)|}{4|C_{\langle x \rangle}(q)|} \cdot (\varphi(g) + \varphi(g^{-1})) = \Phi_j(q)$$

since  $H \cap CL(g) = \{g, g^{-1}\}$  and  $\Phi(g) = \Phi(g^{-1}) = 1, g = (q, z) = (q, z^3), q \in Q_{2m}$  and  $q \neq x^m, q \neq 1$

(iv) if  $g \notin H$

$$\Phi_{(j,3)}(g) = 0 \quad \text{Since} \quad H \cap CL(g) = \emptyset$$

2.  $H = \langle(y, z) \rangle = \{(1,I), (y,I), (y^2,I), (y^3,I), (1,z), (y,z), (y^2,z), (y^3,z), (1,z^2), (y,z^2), (y^2,z^2), (y^3,z^2), (1,z^3), (y,z^3), (y^2,z^3), (y^3,z^3)\}$

(i) If  $g = (1,I)$  or  $g = (1,z)$  or  $g = (1,z^2)$  or  $g = (1,z^3)$  and  $g \in H$   $H \cap CL(g) = \{(1,I), (1,z), (1,z^2), (1,z^3)\}$

$$\Phi_{(l+1,3)}(g) = \frac{|C_{Q_{2m} \times C_4}(g)|}{|C_H(g)|} \cdot \varphi(g) = \frac{16m}{16} \cdot 1 = m = \Phi_{l+1}(1)$$

(ii) If  $g = (x^m, I) = (y^2, I)$  or  $g = (y^2, z)$  or  $g = (y^2, z^2)$  or  $g = (y^2, z^3)$  and  $g \in H$

$$\Phi_{(l+1,3)}(g) = \frac{|C_{Q_{2m} \times C_4}(g)|}{|C_H(g)|} \cdot \varphi(g) = \frac{16m}{16} \cdot 1 = m = \Phi_{l+1}(x^m)$$

Since  $H \cap CL(g) = \{g\}, \varphi(g) = 1$

(iii)  $g = (y, I)$  or  $g = (y, z)$  or  $g = (y, z^2)$  or  $g = (y, z^3)$  or  $g = (y^3, I)$  or  $g = (y^3, z)$  or  $g = (y^3, z^2)$  or  $g = (y^3, z^3)$  and  $g \in H$

$$\Phi_{(l+1,3)}(g) = \frac{|C_{Q_{2m} \times C_4}(g)|}{|C_H(g)|} \cdot (\varphi(g) + \varphi(g^{-1})) = \frac{16}{16} \cdot (1+1) = 2 = \Phi_{l+1}(y)$$

since  $H \cap CL(g) = \{g, g^{-1}\}$  and  $\Phi(g) = \Phi(g^{-1}) = 1$

Otherwise

$$\Phi_{(l+1,3)}(g) = 0 \quad \text{since} \quad H \cap CL(g) = \emptyset$$

3.  $H = \langle(xy, z) \rangle = \{(1,I), (xy, I), ((xy)^2, I) = (y^2, I), ((xy)^3, I) = (xy^3, I), (1, z), (xy, z),$

$((xy)^2, z)), ((xy)^3, z), (1, z^2), (xy, z^2), ((xy)^2, z^2)), ((xy)^3, z^2), (1, z^3) (xy, z^3), ((xy)^2, z^3)), ((xy)^3, z^3)\}$

(i) If  $g=(1, I)$  or  $g=(1, z)$  or  $g=(1, z^2)$  or  $g=(1, z^3)$   $H \cap CL(g)=\{g\}$

$$\Phi_{(l+2,3)}(g) = \frac{|C_{Q_{2m} \times C_4}(g)|}{|C_H(g)|} \cdot \varphi(g) = \frac{16m}{16} \cdot 1 = m = \Phi_{l+2}(1)$$

(ii) If  $g=(x^m, I) = ((xy)^2, I) = (y^2, I)$  or  $g=((xy)^2, z) = (y^2, z)$  or  $g=((xy)^2, z^2) = (y^2, z^2)$  or  $g=((xy)^2, z^3) = (y^2, z^3)$  and  $g \in H$

$$\Phi_{(l+2,3)}(g) = \frac{|C_{Q_{2m} \times C_4}(g)|}{|C_H(g)|} \cdot \varphi(g) = \frac{16m}{16} \cdot 1 = m = \Phi_{l+2}(x^m)$$

Since  $H \cap CL(g)=\{g\}$ ,  $\varphi(g)=1$

(iii) If  $g=(xy, I)$  or  $g=((xy)^3, I)$  or  $g=(xy, z)$  or  $g=((xy)^3, z)$  or  $g=(xy, z^2)$  or

(iv)  $g=((xy)^3, z^2)$  or  $g=(xy, z^3)$  or  $g=((xy)^3, z^3)$  and  $g \in H$

$$\Phi_{(l+2,3)}(g) = \frac{|C_{Q_{2m} \times C_4}(g)|}{|C_H(g)|} \cdot (\varphi(g) + \varphi(g^{-1})) = \frac{16}{16} \cdot (1+1) = 2 = \Phi_{l+2}(xy)$$

since  $H \cap CL(g)=\{g, g^{-1}\}$  and  $\Phi(g)=\Phi(g^{-1})=1$

Otherwise

$$\Phi_{(l+2,3)}(g) = 0 \quad \text{since } H \cap CL(g)=\emptyset$$

## **2.2 Example:**

To construct  $Ar(Q_{16} \times C_4)$  by using the theorem (2.1) we get the following table:

$Ar(Q_2^{16} \times C_4) =$

- classes	[1 ,I]	[x <sup>8</sup> ,I]	[x <sup>4</sup> ,I]	[x <sup>2</sup> ,I]	[x ,I]	[y ,I]	[xy ,I]	[1, z <sup>2</sup> ]	[x <sup>8</sup> , z <sup>2</sup> ]	[x <sup>4</sup> , z <sup>2</sup> ]	[x <sup>2</sup> , z <sup>2</sup> ]	[x, z <sup>2</sup> ]	[y, z <sup>2</sup> ]	[xy, z <sup>2</sup> ]	[1, z]	[x <sup>8</sup> , z]	[x <sup>4</sup> , z]	[x <sup>2</sup> , z]	[x, z]	[y, z]	[xy, z]
CL <sub>α</sub>	1	1	2	2	2	8	8	1	1	2	2	2	8	8	1	1	2	2	2	8	8
C <sub>Q</sub> <sup>i</sup> (CL <sub>α</sub> )	12 8	12 8	64	64	64	16	16	12 8	128	64	64	64	16	16	12 8	12 8	64	64	64	16	16
Φ <sub>(1,1)</sub>	12 8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Φ <sub>(2,1)</sub>	64	64	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Φ <sub>(3,1)</sub>	32	32	32	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Φ <sub>(4,1)</sub>	16	16	16	16	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Φ <sub>(5,1)</sub>	8	8	8	8	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Φ <sub>(6,1)</sub>	32	32	0	0	0	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Φ <sub>(7,1)</sub>	32	32	0	0	0	0	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Φ <sub>(1,2)</sub>	64	0	0	0	0	0	0	64	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Φ <sub>(2,2)</sub>	32	32	0	0	0	0	0	32	32	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Φ <sub>(3,2)</sub>	16	16	16	0	0	0	0	16	16	16	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Φ <sub>(4,2)</sub>	8	8	8	8	0	0	0	8	8	8	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Φ <sub>(5,2)</sub>	4	4	4	4	4	0	0	4	4	4	4	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Φ <sub>(6,2)</sub>	16	16	0	0	0	4	0	16	16	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Φ <sub>(7,2)</sub>	16	16	0	0	0	0	4	16	16	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Φ <sub>(1,3)</sub>	32	0	0	0	0	0	0	32	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	32	0	0	0	0	0

$\Phi_{(2,3)}$	16	16	0	0	0	0	0	16	16	0	0	0	0	0	16	16	0	0	0	0	0
$\Phi_{(3,3)}$	8	8	8	0	0	0	0	8	8	8	0	0	0	0	8	8	8	0	0	0	0
$\Phi_{(4,3)}$	4	4	4	4	0	0	0	4	4	4	4	0	0	0	4	4	4	4	0	0	0
$\Phi_{(5,3)}$	2	2	2	2	2	0	0	2	2	2	2	0	0	0	2	2	2	2	2	0	0
$\Phi_{(6,3)}$	8	8	0	0	0	2	0	8	8	0	0	0	2	0	8	8	0	0	0	2	0
$\Phi_{(7,3)}$	8	8	0	0	0	0	2	8	8	0	0	0	0	2	8	8	0	0	0	0	2

Table (3)

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