

**Math 421 Problem Set**  
**September 22, 2022**

1. Let  $G$  be a group and  $H \leq G$ .

(a) Show  $H \leq N_G(H)$ .

(b) Show  $H \leq C_G(H)$  if and only if  $H$  is abelian.

(c) Let  $A \subseteq G$  be a nonempty subset (not necessarily a subgroup). Define

$$N_H(A) = \{h \in H \mid hAh^{-1} = A\}.$$

Show that  $N_H(A) = N_G(A) \cap H$ , and thus  $N_H(A)$  is a subgroup of  $H$ .