

## The intersection map of subgroups and certain classes of finite groups

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### ABSTRACT

$\mathcal{T}$ -groups are those groups  $G$  in which normality is a transitive relation, that is, those groups  $G$  for which  $H \trianglelefteq K \trianglelefteq G$  always implies  $H \trianglelefteq G$ . To generalize, one considers  $\mathcal{PT}$ -groups and  $\mathcal{PST}$ -groups. We call a subgroup  $H$  of a group  $G$  *permutable* (*Sylow-permutable*) in  $G$  provided  $HK = KH$  for each subgroup (Sylow subgroup)  $K$  of  $G$ . That normal subgroups are permutable (Sylow-permutable) is clear from the definition of normality. So, the class of groups in which permutability (Sylow-permutability) is a transitive relation, the so-called  $\mathcal{PT}$ -groups ( $\mathcal{PST}$ -groups), is a natural way to generalize the class of  $\mathcal{T}$ -groups. To start the talk, a brief overview of some known results concerning  $\mathcal{T}$ -groups and their generalizations will be given. The remainder of the talk will concern some recently established characterizations of  $\mathcal{T}$ -groups and their generalizations in connection with the intersection map of subgroups. Consider the following definition.  $H \leq G$  is said to be *normal sensitive* if the intersection map  $N \rightarrow H \cap N$  sends the lattice of normal subgroups of  $G$  onto the lattice of normal subgroups of  $H$ . A seemingly forgotten theorem of S. Bauman states the following:

**Theorem.** *Let  $G$  be a finite group. Every subgroup  $H \leq G$  is normal sensitive if and only if  $G$  is a solvable  $\mathcal{T}$ -group.*

Does this result extend nicely to  $\mathcal{PT}$ -groups as well as  $\mathcal{PST}$ -groups? Also, are there local characterizations of  $\mathcal{T}$ -groups,  $\mathcal{PT}$ -groups, and  $\mathcal{PST}$ -groups in terms of the intersection map of subgroups? We will answer these questions among others. This is joint work with Jim Beidleman.

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