

Quiz one, MTH 221, Fall 2022

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QUESTION 1. Find the least positive integer x such that

$$\begin{aligned} x \pmod{7} &= 6 \\ x \pmod{11} &= 9 \\ x \pmod{5} &= 3 \end{aligned}$$

$\gcd(7, 11) = 1; \gcd(7, 5) = 1, \gcd(11, 5) = 1$

We can use CRT

$$m = m_1 m_2 m_3 = (7)(11)(5) = 385$$

$$b_1 = \frac{m}{m_1} = \frac{7 \times 11 \times 5}{7} = 55$$

$$b_2 = \frac{m}{m_2} = \frac{7 \times 11 \times 5}{11} = 35$$

$$b_3 = \frac{m}{m_3} = \frac{7 \times 11 \times 5}{5} = 77$$

Solve $\left. \begin{array}{l} b_1 d_1 = 1 \text{ over } \mathbb{Z}_{m_1} \\ 55 d_1 = 1 \text{ over } \mathbb{Z}_7 \\ 6 d_1 = 1 \text{ over } \mathbb{Z}_7 \\ d_1 = 6 \end{array} \right\} \left. \begin{array}{l} b_2 d_2 = 1 \text{ over } \mathbb{Z}_{m_2} \\ 35 d_2 = 1 \text{ over } \mathbb{Z}_{11} \\ 2 d_2 = 1 \text{ over } \mathbb{Z}_{11} \\ d_2 = 6 \end{array} \right\} \left. \begin{array}{l} b_3 d_3 \text{ over } \mathbb{Z}_{m_3} \\ 77 d_3 = 1 \text{ over } \mathbb{Z}_5 \\ 2 d_3 = 1 \text{ over } \mathbb{Z}_5 \\ d_3 = 3 \end{array} \right\}$

Least positive $x; 0 \leq x < 385$

$$x = [b_1 d_1 r_1 + b_2 d_2 r_2 + b_3 d_3 r_3] \pmod{m}$$

$$x = [(55)(6)(6) + (35)(6)(9) + (77)(5)(3)] \pmod{385}$$

$$x = 4563 \pmod{385}$$

$$x = 328$$

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QUESTION 2. Solve over \mathbb{Z}_9 $6x = 3$ over \mathbb{Z}_9 .

$$a = 6, b = 3, n = 9$$

0.5 $d = \gcd(a, n) = \gcd(6, 9) = 3$

Is $3|3$? Yes, there are 3 distinct solutions

$$f = \frac{9}{3} = 3$$

1.5 $x_1 = 2$

1.5 $x_2 = 2 + 3 = 5$

1.5 $x_3 = 2 + 2(3) = 8$

$$\text{Solution set} = \{2, 5, 8\}$$

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QUESTION 1. Let $n = 26$ and $m = 195$
Find $\gcd(n, m) = \gcd(26, 195)$

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$$26 \overline{) 195} \begin{array}{r} 7 \\ 195 \\ \underline{182} \\ 13 \end{array} \Rightarrow \begin{array}{r} \text{gcd} \\ \downarrow \\ (13) \overline{) 26} \begin{array}{r} 2 \\ 26 \\ \underline{26} \\ 0 \rightarrow \text{stop!!} \end{array} \end{array}$$

$\gcd(n, m) = 13$ ✓

$2 \cdot 13$
 $3 \cdot 5 \cdot 13$

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Find $\text{LCM}[26, 195]$

$\text{lcm} = \frac{26 \cdot 195}{\gcd(26, 195)} = 390$ ✓

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Find $(11^{6\phi(25)+2}) \pmod{25}$

$11^{\phi(25)} \pmod{25} = 1$ since $\gcd(11, 25) = 1$

$11^{6\phi(25)+2} \pmod{25} = 11^{6\phi(25)} \cdot 11^2 \pmod{25}$

$= \left[11^{\phi(25)} \right]^6 \cdot 11^2 \pmod{25} = 1^6 \cdot 11^2 \pmod{25} = 11^2 \pmod{25} = 121 \pmod{25} = 21$ ✓

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Let $n = 104$ and $k = 4$ and $D = \{m \in \mathbb{Z}_{104} \mid \gcd(n, m) = 4\}$
Find $|D|$.

$|D| = \phi\left(\frac{104}{4}\right) = \phi(26) = \phi(2 \times 13) = (2-1)(13-1) = 1 \times 12 = 12$ ✓

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QUESTION 1. (16 points)

(i) Let x be an even integer and y be an odd integer. Prove that $x + y$ is an odd integer.

$$x = 2m, m \in \mathbb{Z}$$

$$y = 2n + 1, n \in \mathbb{Z}$$

$$x + y = 2m + 2n + 1 = 2(\underbrace{m+n}_w) + 1 = 2w + 1$$

$2w + 1$ is an odd integer $\in \mathbb{Z}$.

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(ii) Use the 4th method and prove that $\sqrt{27}$ is an irrational number.

Deny. $\sqrt{27}$ is rational.

Hence $(\sqrt{27} = \frac{a}{b})$ s.t. $\gcd(a, b) = 1$ and $b \neq 0$

$$27 = \frac{a^2}{b^2} \quad \gcd(a^2, b^2) = 1$$

odd = $\frac{a^2}{b^2}$ a^2 and b^2 are odd

$$a = 2m + 1, m \in \mathbb{Z}$$

$$b = 2n + 1, n \in \mathbb{Z}$$

$$27 = \frac{(2m+1)^2}{(2n+1)^2} = \frac{4m^2 + 4m + 1}{4n^2 + 4n + 1}$$

$$(27 \cdot 4n^2 + 27 \cdot 4n + 27) = (4m^2 + 4m + 1) \cdot 4$$

$$\underbrace{(27n^2 + 27n + \frac{27}{4})}_{\in \mathbb{Z}} = \underbrace{(m^2 + m)}_{\in \mathbb{Z}} \quad \text{a contradiction.}$$

Hence, our denial is invalid. $\sqrt{27}$ is irrational.

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(iii) Prove that $(1 + \sqrt{27})^2$ is an irrational number. (use (ii))

$$(1 + \sqrt{27})^2 = 1 + 2\sqrt{27} + 27 = 28 + 2\sqrt{27}$$

Through (ii), $\sqrt{27}$ is irrational.

Hence, $2\sqrt{27}$ is irrational.

$(1 + \sqrt{27})^2 = 28 + 2\sqrt{27}$ is also irrational.

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QUESTION 1. Use Math Induction and prove that $12 | (5^{4n} - 1)$

2/2 1) We prove for $n=1$. If $n=1$, $5^{4n} - 1 = 5^4 - 1 = 624$
 $\frac{624}{12} = 52$, $624 = 12 \times 52$, therefore $12 | 5^{4n} - 1$ is true for $n=1$

2/2 2) We assume that $12 | 5^{4k} - 1$ is true for some $n=k \geq 1$.
 We say $12 | 5^{4k} - 1$. We prove for $n=k+1$

5/5 3) If $n=k+1$, $5^{4n} - 1 = 5^{4(k+1)} - 1 = 5^{4k+4} - 1$
 $\Rightarrow 5^{4k} \cdot 5^4 - 1 = 5^{4k} \cdot 5^4 - 5^4 + 5^4 - 1$

$\rightarrow 5^4 (5^{4k} - 1) + 5^4 - 1$ Therefore $12 | 5^{4n} - 1$ for $n \geq 1$

Divisible by 12 by step 2 Divisible by 12 by step 1

QUESTION 2. Write T or F

- (i) If I am on the moon now, then I am smoking Hooka "arjeela" \rightarrow T
- (ii) there is an $x \in Q$ such that $x^2 - 2 = 0$ if and only if $2y + 5 = 0$ for some $y \in Z$. \rightarrow T
- (iii) If there is a unique $x \in Z$ such that $2x^2 - x = 0$, then $y^2 + 1 = 0$ for some $y \in R$. \rightarrow F
- (iv) There is a unique $x \in Q^*$ such that $xy = 1$ for every $y \in Z^*$. \rightarrow F

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QUESTION 1. Let $A = \{2, 3, 7, \{7\}, \phi\}$ and $B = \{2, \phi, 7\}$

(i) Find $A \cap B$

$A \cap B : \{2, 7, \phi\}$ ✓

$A \times B : \{(2, 2), (2, \phi), (2, 7), (3, 2), (3, \phi), (3, 7), (7, 2), (7, \phi), (7, 7), (\{7\}, 2), (\{7\}, \phi), (\{7\}, 7), (\phi, 2), (\phi, \phi), (\phi, 7)\}$

(ii) Find $A - B$

$A - B : \{3, \{7\}\}$
 elements in A not in B ✓

(iii) Write down T or F

a. $\{7\} \in A$ T ✓

b. $\{7\} \subset A$ T ✓

c. $\{(3, \phi)\} \in P(A \times B)$ T ✓

d. $\{(7, 2)\} \subset P(A \times B)$ F ✓

e. $\{(3, 7), (\{7\}, 2)\} \subset A \times B$ T ✓

f. $\{7, \phi, 3\} \in P(A)$ T ✓

g. $\{2, 7\} \subset B$ T ✓

h. $\{\phi, 3, 2\} \in P(A)$ T ✓

each = 1.5

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MTH 213, Quiz 6

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QUESTION 1. Let $A = \{2, 4, 9, 10, 11, 16, 23, 25\}$. Define "=" on A such that $\forall a, b \in A$, we have $a = b$ if $a \pmod{7} = b \pmod{7}$. Then "=" is an equivalence relation (do not show that)

1) Find all equivalence classes of A

$$\bar{2} = \{2, 9, 16, 23\}$$

$$\bar{4} = \{4, 11, 25\}$$

$$\bar{10} = \{10\}$$

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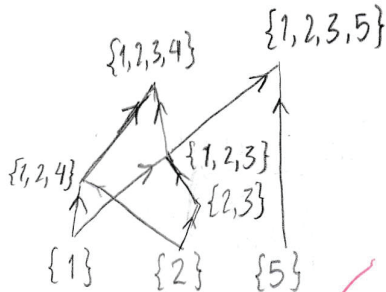
2) View "=" as a subset of $A \times A$. How many elements does "=" have?

$$\begin{aligned} |"="| &= (4 \times 4) + (3 \times 3) + (1 \times 1) \\ &= 16 + 9 + 1 \\ &= 26 \end{aligned}$$

✓ ✓

QUESTION 2. Let $A = \{\{1\}, \{2\}, \{5\}, \{2, 3\}, \{1, 2, 4\}, \{1, 2, 3\}, \{1, 2, 3, 4\}, \{1, 2, 3, 5\}\}$. Define \leq on A such that $\forall a, b \in A$, we have $a \leq b$ if $a \subseteq b$. Then \leq is a partial order relation on A (do not show that)

1) Draw the Hasse diagram of \leq .



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2) Find

a) $\gcd(\{1, 2, 3\}, \{1, 2, 4\}) = \text{DNE}$ ✓

b) $\text{lcm}(\{2\}, \{5\}) = \{1, 2, 3, 5\}$ ✓

c) $\text{lcm}(\{1, 2, 3\}, \{1, 2, 4\}) = \{1, 2, 3, 4\}$ ✓

d) $\gcd(\{2, 3\}, \{1, 2, 4\}) = \{2\}$ ✓

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MTH 213, Quiz 7

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QUESTION 1. For $k = 3$ to $(n + 5)$ do

$x = k^4 + 3k + 2$

For $i = 1$ to $(k + 1)$ do

$y = i^2 + 3i + k^2$

next i

next k

$(3+1+1+1)$

$\frac{7}{7}$ (i) How many arithmetic operations does the code execute?

outer loop: executed $n+5-3+1$ times = $n+3$, no. of arithmetic ops. = $6(n+3)$

inner loop: ~~ex~~ every time the inner loop runs it is executed $k+1-1+1 = k+1$ times
no. of arithmetic ops. = $5(k+1)$

first term: for $k=3$ $5(3+1) = 20$ ops.

Last term: for $k=n+5$ $5(n+6)$ ops.

Total no. of arithmetic ops. = $6(n+3) + \left[\frac{20 + 5(n+6)}{2} \right] \times (n+3)$

$\frac{1}{1}$ (ii) Find the complexity of the code, i.e., $O(\text{CODE})$.

$O(\text{code}) = O(n^2) = n^2$

QUESTION 2. Let $a_n = -2a_{n-1} + 15a_{n-2}$, where $a_1 = 1$ and $a_2 = 43$

$\frac{1}{1}$ 1) Find a_3 $a_3 = -2a_2 + 15a_1 = -2(43) + 15(1) = -71$

2) Find a general formula for a_n .

$\frac{5}{5}$ $a_n + 2a_{n-1} - 15a_{n-2} = 0$
 $\alpha^n + 2\alpha^{n-1} - 15\alpha^{n-2} = 0 \Rightarrow \alpha^2 + 2\alpha - 15 = 0$

$(\alpha - 3)(\alpha + 5) = 0$

$\alpha_1 = 3, \alpha_2 = -5$

$a_n = c_1(3)^n + c_2(-5)^n$

$a_1 = 3c_1 - 5c_2 = 1$
 $a_2 = 9c_1 + 25c_2 = 43$ $\Rightarrow c_1 = 2, c_2 = 1$

$\Rightarrow a_n = 2(3)^n + (-5)^n$

$\frac{1}{1}$ 3) use (2) and find a_3 .

$n = 3 \Rightarrow a_n = 2(3)^3 + (-5)^3 = -71$

Quiz 8, MTH 213, Fall 2022

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QUESTION 1. The following numbers will be used to create car license plates: $\boxed{2}, \boxed{3}, \boxed{4}, \boxed{5}, \boxed{6}, \boxed{7}, \boxed{8}$. Each plate number must have six digits.

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a) In the event where repetition is prohibited, how many even plate numbers can be created?

$$2 \times 3 \times 4 \times 5 \times 6 \times 1 + 2 \times 3 \times 4 \times 5 \times 6 \times 1 + 2 \times 3 \times 4 \times 5 \times 6 \times 1 + 2 \times 3 \times 4 \times 5 \times 6 \times 1$$

$$= 2880 \checkmark$$

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b) How many possible license plate numbers may be made if adjacent digits must differ?

$$7 \times 6 \times 6 \times 6 \times 6 \times 6 = 54432 \checkmark$$

$\frac{2}{2}$

c) There are 3 men and 4 women in the class, so we need to form a committee of 4 persons. How many different ways can we set up this committee so that there is at least one woman on it? [Hint: stare carefully]

3M and 1W or 2M and 2W or 1M and 3W or 4W

$${}^3C_3 \cdot {}^4C_1 + {}^3C_2 \cdot {}^4C_2 + {}^3C_1 \cdot {}^4C_3 + {}^4C_4 = 35 \checkmark$$

QUESTION 2. Let $a_n = 3a_{n-1} + 4a_{n-2} + 6n + 2$. Find a general formula for a_n [no need to find c_1, c_2]

$a_h(n)$:

$$a_n - 3a_{n-1} - 4a_{n-2} = 0$$

$$\frac{\alpha^n - 3\alpha^{n-1} - 4\alpha^{n-2}}{\alpha^{n-2}} = 0$$

$$\alpha^2 - 3\alpha - 4 = 0$$

$$\alpha = 4, \alpha = -1$$

$$a_n(n) = c_1(4)^n + c_2(-1)^n \checkmark \frac{4}{4}$$

$a_p(n)$:

$$a_p(n) - 3a_p(n-1) - 4a_p(n-2) = 6n + 2$$

$$Cn + d - 3(C(n-1) + d) - 4(C(n-2) + d) = 6n + 2$$

$$Cn + d - 3(Cn - C + d) - 4(Cn - 2C + d) = 6n + 2$$

$$\underline{Cn + d} - \underline{3Cn + 3C - 3d} - \underline{4Cn + 8C - 4d} = 6n + 2$$

$$\underline{-6Cn} - \underline{6d + 11C} = \underline{6n + 2}$$

$$-6Cn = 6n \Rightarrow C = -1$$

$$-6d + 11C = 2 \Rightarrow d = \frac{13}{-6} \checkmark$$

$$\Rightarrow a_p(n) = -n - \frac{13}{6} \checkmark$$

$$a_n = c_1(4)^n + c_2(-1)^n - n - \frac{13}{6}$$

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Quiz 9, MTH 213, Fall 2022

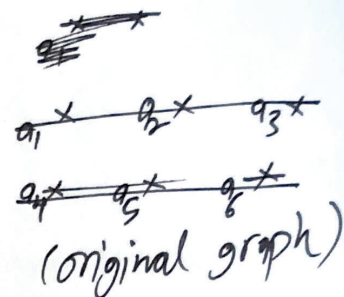
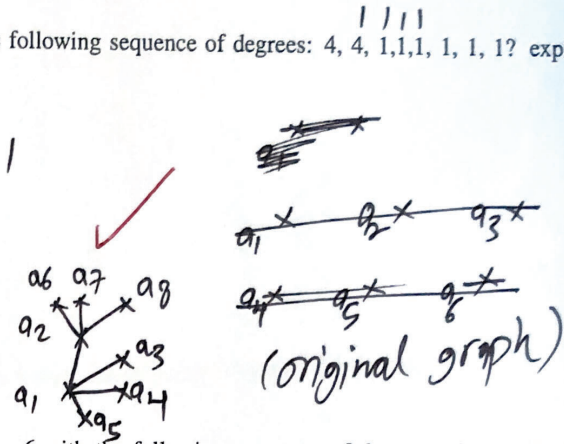
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QUESTION 1.

Can we construct a graph of order 8 with the following sequence of degrees: 4, 4, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1? explain. THEN DRAW SUCH GRAPH

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 Halkimi algorithm: $4, 4, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1$
 $3, 0, 0, 0, 0, 1, 1, 1$
 $3, 1, 1, 1, 0, 0, 0, 0$
 $0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0$
 we can

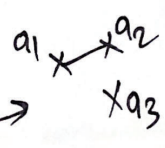


Yes, we can according to the algorithm!

QUESTION 2. Can we construct a graph of order 6 with the following sequence of degrees: 4, 4, 4, 3, 3, 2? Explain.

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 $4, 4, 4, 3, 3, 2$
 $3, 3, 2, 2, 2$
 $2, 1, 1, 2$
 $2, 2, 1, 1$
 $1, 0, 1$
 $1, 1, 0$
 we can

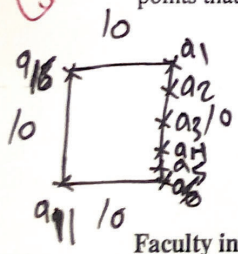
Yes we can according to the Halkimi algorithm.



QUESTION 3. A crowd of 1203 persons. The only thing we know that all of them were born in 2000. You said "there are at least m persons were born on the same day and the same month. Consider that each month has 30 days. What is the best value of m so your statement is correct?"

2/2 $m = \left\lceil \frac{1203}{30 \times 12} \right\rceil = 4$ ✓

(b) A square has length 10. You need to plot points (randomly) on the sides of the square so that there are at least 2 points, say A, B, where the distance between A, B is strictly less than 2. What is the minimum number of points that you need to plot?



minimum no. of pts. = $\frac{4 \times 10}{2} + 1 = 21$ ✓

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