

# Answers for Homework 1

Working with the following set of Integers

$$S = \{0,1,2,3,4,5,6\}$$

1. a)  $4 + 4$   
 $= 1 \bmod 7$   
b)  $3 \times 5$   
 $= 1 \bmod 7$

c) what is the inverse of 3 ?

Using

$$\begin{aligned} a^{-1} &\equiv a^{p-2} \pmod{p} \\ &= 3^{(7-2)} = 3^5 = 243 \\ &= 5 \bmod 7 \end{aligned}$$

2. For  $S = \{0,1,2,3,4,5,6\}$   
Can we consider 'S' and the operation '+' a group ?
  - yes it follows all of the group properties
3.  $-13 \bmod 5$   
 $= 2 \bmod 5.$

## Use cases

What problems are there when using zkps in real world situations ?

- The problems often involve trusting centralised data sources for provision of public or private inputs to the proofs