

Question 1

1 / 1 pts

We learned in class about "divisionless mod" where $x \bmod y$ is computed in steps. One step is to consider y in the form of $2^a - b$. When y is 250, what are a and b ?

$$y = 250$$

$$x \bmod y$$

$$x \bmod 250$$

$$\uparrow$$

$$256 - 6$$

$$2^8 - 6$$

$$2^a - b$$

$$a = 8$$

$$b = 6$$

Question 2

1 / 1 pts

We learned in class about "divisionless mod" where $x \bmod y$ is computed in steps. One step is to break x into two pieces. If $a=6$, $b=1$ and $x=F11$ (in hex), what are x_{hi} and x_{lo} ? Write your answers in binary with no spaces or leading zeros.

$$x_{hi} = 111100$$

$$x_{lo} = 010001$$

$$x \bmod y$$

$$3,857 \bmod y$$

$$\uparrow$$

$$2^a - b$$

$$= 2^6 - 1$$

$$= 63$$

$$x = \underbrace{1111}_{hi} \underbrace{0001}_{lo} \underbrace{0001}_{lo}$$

$$x_{hi} = 111100$$

$$x_{lo} = 010001$$

Question 3

1 / 1 pts

We learned in class about "divisionless mod" where $x \bmod y$ is computed in steps. One step is to use x_{hi} , x_{lo} , a and b to compute a value that is congruent to $x \bmod y$. If $x_{hi}=14$, $x_{lo}=4$, $a=5$, and $b=3$, what is the computed value?

Given: $x_{hi} = 14$ $a = 5$

$x_{lo} = 4$ $b = 3$

$$x = x_{hi} * b + x_{lo}$$

$$= 14 * 3 + 4$$

$$= 46$$

Question 4

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For each dropdown, select the answer that best matches the definition of the cryptographic hash property for H.

Pre-image resistance: Given b , it is hard to find a such that

[Select] $H(a) = b$.

Second pre-image resistance: Given [Select] b , it is hard

to find [Select] $a \neq b$ such that

[Select] $H(a) = H(b)$.

Collision resistance: Given [Select] nothing , it is hard to find

[Select] $a \neq b$ such that $H(a) = H(b)$.

Question 5

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If a correct algorithm is written with the following structure:

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ASolver(x):
...
BSolver(x')
...
return x solution
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Which of the following logical implications does the algorithm establish? Select all that apply.

- ☐ ASolver exists implies BSolver exists
- ☒ BSolver exists implies ASolver exists
- ☒ ASolver doesn't exist implies BSolver doesn't exist
- ☐ BSolver doesn't exist implies ASolver doesn't exist

From lecture notes

Question 6

2 / 2 pts

Consider the following version of Horner's method which computes a polynomial hash of (a_1, a_2, \dots, a_n) using randomly chosen k (all values in Z_p .)

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acc = k
for i = 1 to n
    acc = (acc + a[ i ]) % p
    acc = (acc * k) % p
return acc
```

It is ϵ -almost-universal for which ϵ ? Choose the

- ☐ n/p
- ☒ $(n+1)/p$
- ☐ $n/(p+1)$
- ☐ $(n+1)/(p+1)$

$$\text{Poly}_k(M) = a_1 P + a_2 P^2 + \dots + a_n P^n$$

$$\therefore \frac{(n+1)}{p}$$

Question 7

3 / 3 pts

Consider the following collection of hash functions $Z_5 \rightarrow Z_4$.

		hash functions					
		h1	h2	h3	h4	h5	h6
I	0	0	2	2	3	0	1
n	1	2	3	0	1	0	2
p	2	1	0	2	3	2	0
u	3	1	3	0	2	0	1
t	4	3	2	1	1	2	0
s							

Each column h1 - h6 represents a function's outputs for the inputs listed on the left.

What pair of inputs maximizes the probability of collision? Write your answer as a pair of integers separated by a comma without any spaces (for example "6,8").

1,3

For what ϵ is this collection of hash functions ϵ -almost-universal? Write your answer as a pair of integers separated by a slash without any spaces (for example "6/8")

3/6

(0, 1) $\frac{1}{6}$

(0, 2) $\frac{2}{6}$

(0, 3) $\frac{2}{6}$

(0, 4) $\frac{1}{6}$

(1, 2) 0

(1, 3) $\frac{3}{6}$

(1, 4) $\frac{1}{6}$

(2, 3) $\frac{1}{6}$

(2, 4) $\frac{2}{6}$

(3, 4) 0