

5.

Let \bar{a} be the inverse of a modulo m

a) $a=4, m=9$. Then by Euclidean Algorithm, we have

$$\begin{aligned} \gcd(4, 9) &= \gcd(4, 9 \bmod 4) \quad \left| \begin{array}{l} \rightarrow 9 = 2 \times 4 + 1 \\ \Rightarrow 1 = 9 - 2 \times 4 \end{array} \right. \\ &= \gcd(4, 1) = 1 \quad (\text{it means } \bar{a} \text{ exists}) \end{aligned}$$

Thus, $\bar{a} \equiv -2 \bmod 9 = -2, \text{ or } 7 \text{ or } 16 \dots$

b) $a=19, m=141$. Then by Euclidean Algorithm, we have

$$\begin{aligned} \gcd(19, 141) &= \gcd(19, 141 \bmod 19) \quad \left| \begin{array}{l} 141 = 7 \times 19 + 8 \Rightarrow 8 = 141 - 7 \times 19 \quad -④ \\ 19 = 2 \times 8 + 3 \Rightarrow 3 = 19 - 2 \times 8 \quad -① \\ 8 = 2 \times 3 + 2 \Rightarrow 2 = 8 - 2 \times 3 \quad -② \\ 3 = 1 \times 2 + 1 \Rightarrow 1 = 3 - 1 \times 2 \quad -③ \end{array} \right. \\ &= \gcd(19, 8) = \gcd(19 \bmod 8, 8) \\ &= \gcd(3, 8) = \gcd(3, 8 \bmod 3) \\ &= \gcd(3, 2) = \gcd(3 \bmod 2, 2) \\ &= \gcd(1, 2) = 1 \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{From ③: } 1 = 3 - 1 \times 2 = 3 - 1 \times (8 - 2 \times 3) = 3 \times 3 - 1 \times 8$$

$$\text{From ③} \Rightarrow 3 \times (19 - 2 \times 8) - 1 \times 8 = -7 \times 8 + 3 \times 19$$

$$\text{From ④} \Rightarrow -7 \times (141 - 7 \times 19) + 3 \times 19 = -7 \times 141 + 52 \times 19$$

Thus, $\bar{a} \equiv 52 \pmod{141}$

c) $a=55, m=89$. Then by Euclidean Algorithm, we have

$$\begin{aligned} \gcd(55, 89) &= \gcd(55, 89 \bmod 55) \quad \left| \begin{array}{l} 89 = 1 \times 55 + 34 \Rightarrow 34 = 89 - 1 \times 55 \quad -① \\ 55 = 1 \times 34 + 21 \Rightarrow 21 = 55 - 1 \times 34 \quad -② \\ 34 = 1 \times 21 + 13 \Rightarrow 13 = 34 - 1 \times 21 \quad -③ \\ 21 = 1 \times 13 + 8 \Rightarrow 8 = 21 - 1 \times 13 \quad -④ \\ 13 = 1 \times 8 + 5 \Rightarrow 5 = 13 - 1 \times 8 \quad -⑤ \\ 8 = 1 \times 5 + 3 \Rightarrow 3 = 8 - 1 \times 5 \quad -⑥ \end{array} \right. \\ &= \gcd(55, 34) = \gcd(55 \bmod 34, 34) \\ &= \gcd(21, 34) = \gcd(21, 34 \bmod 21) \\ &= \gcd(21, 13) = \gcd(21 \bmod 13, 13) \\ &= \gcd(8, 13) = \gcd(8, 13 \bmod 8) \\ &= \gcd(8, 5) = \gcd(8 \bmod 5, 5) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \gcd(3, 5) = \gcd(3, 5 \bmod 3) \rightarrow 5 = 1 \times 3 + 2 \rightarrow 2 = 5 - 1 \times 3 \quad - (2) \\
 &= \gcd(3, 2) = \gcd(3 \bmod 2, 2) \rightarrow 3 = 1 \times 2 + 1 \rightarrow 1 = 3 - 1 \times 2 \quad - (1) \\
 &= \gcd(1, 2) = 1
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{From (1): } 1 = 3 - 1 \times 2 = 3 - 1 \times (5 - 1 \times 3) = 2 \times 3 - 1 \times 5$$

From (2)

$$\text{From (3)} \Rightarrow 2 \times (8 - 1 \times 5) - 1 \times 5 = 2 \times 8 - 3 \times 5$$

$$\text{From (4)} \Rightarrow 2 \times 8 - 3 \times (13 - 1 \times 8) = 5 \times 8 - 3 \times 13$$

$$\text{From (5)} \Rightarrow 5 \times (21 - 1 \times 13) - 3 \times 13 = 5 \times 21 - 8 \times 13$$

$$\text{From (6)} \Rightarrow 5 \times 21 - 8 \times (34 - 1 \times 21) = 13 \times 21 - 8 \times 34$$

$$\text{From (7)} \Rightarrow 13 \times (55 - 1 \times 34) - 8 \times 34 = 13 \times 55 - 21 \times 34$$

$$\text{From (8)} \Rightarrow 13 \times 55 - 21 \times (89 - 1 \times 55) = \underline{34} \times 55 - 21 \times 89$$

\bar{a}

$$\text{Thus, } \bar{a} \equiv 34 \pmod{89}$$

d) $a = 89$, $m = 232$. Then by Euclidean Algorithm, we have

$$\gcd(89, 232) = \gcd(89, 232 \bmod 89) \rightarrow 232 = 2 \times 89 + 54 \rightarrow 54 = 232 - 2 \times 89 \quad - (6)$$

$$= \gcd(89, 54) = \gcd(89 \bmod 54, 54) \rightarrow 89 = 1 \times 54 + 35 \rightarrow 35 = 89 - 1 \times 54 \quad - (5)$$

$$= \gcd(35, 54) = \gcd(35, 54 \bmod 35) \rightarrow 54 = 1 \times 35 + 19 \rightarrow 19 = 54 - 1 \times 35 \quad - (4)$$

$$= \gcd(35, 19) = \gcd(35 \bmod 19, 19) \rightarrow 35 = 1 \times 19 + 16 \rightarrow 16 = 35 - 1 \times 19 \quad - (3)$$

$$= \gcd(16, 19) = \gcd(16, 19 \bmod 16) \rightarrow 19 = 1 \times 16 + 3 \rightarrow 3 = 19 - 1 \times 16 \quad - (2)$$

$$= \gcd(16, 3) = \gcd(16 \bmod 3, 3) \rightarrow 16 = 5 \times 3 + 1 \rightarrow 1 = 16 - 5 \times 3 \quad - (1)$$

$$= \gcd(1, 3) = 1$$

From (2)

$$\text{From (1): } 1 = 16 - 5 \times 3 = 16 - 5 \times (19 - 1 \times 16) = 6 \times 16 - 5 \times 19$$

$$\text{From (3)} \Rightarrow 6 \times (35 - 1 \times 19) - 5 \times 19 = -1 \times 19 + 6 \times 35$$

$$\text{From (4)} \Rightarrow -11 \times (54 - 1 \times 35) + 6 \times 35 = 17 \times 35 - 11 \times 54$$

$$\text{From (5)} \Rightarrow 17 \times (89 - 1 \times 54) - 11 \times 54 = 17 \times 89 - 28 \times 54$$

$$\text{From (6)} \Rightarrow 17 \times 89 - 28 \times (232 - 2 \times 89) = 73 \times 89 - 28 \times 232$$

$$\Rightarrow 1 = 73 \times 89 - 28 \times 232$$

$$\text{Then } \bar{a} \equiv 73 \pmod{232}$$

11. (a) solve $19x \equiv 4 \pmod{141}$

Sol: By 5(b), the inverse of 19 modulo 141 is 52.

$$\text{Thus, we have } 52 \cdot 19x \equiv 52 \cdot 4 \pmod{141}$$

$$52 \cdot 19 \equiv 1 \pmod{141}$$

$$\Rightarrow 1 \cdot x \equiv 208 \pmod{141} = 67 \pmod{141}$$

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(b) solve $55x \equiv 34 \pmod{89}$

By 5(c), the inverse of 55 modulo 89 is 34.

$$\text{Thus, we have } 34 \cdot 55x \equiv 34 \cdot 34 \pmod{89}$$

$$\equiv 1 \pmod{89}$$

$$\Rightarrow x \equiv 1156 \pmod{89} = 88 \pmod{89}$$

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$$\begin{array}{r} 34 \\ 34 \\ \hline 136 \\ 102 \quad 12 \\ \hline 89 \overline{) 1156} \\ \underline{89} \\ 266 \\ \underline{178} \\ 88 \end{array}$$

(c) solve $89x \equiv 2 \pmod{232}$

By 5(d), the inverse of 89 modulo 232 is 73.

$$\text{Thus, we have } 73 \cdot 89x \equiv 73 \cdot 2 \pmod{232}$$

$$73 \cdot 89 \equiv 1 \pmod{232}$$

\Rightarrow

$$X \equiv 146 \pmod{232}$$