

W4 Number Theory

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Outline

- Concept of groups, rings, and fields
- Modular arithmetic with integers
- Finite fields GF(p)
- Polynomial arithmetic in general and in GF(2ⁿ)
- Prime number
- Fermat's & Euler's Theorem & phi(n)
- Primitive roots

Introduction

Groups

- General

- Define: groups

A set of elements with a **binary operation** denoted by \bullet that associates to each ordered pair **(a,b)** of elements in G an element $(a \bullet b)$ in G, such that the following axioms are obeyed:

- a. A1 - Closure

$$a, b \in G \rightarrow a \cdot b \in G$$

- b. A2 - Associate

$$a \cdot (b \cdot c) = (a \cdot b) \cdot c, \text{ for all } a, b, c \in G$$

- c. A3 - Identity element

$$\exists e \in G, \text{st. } a \cdot e = e \cdot a = a \text{ for } \forall a$$

- d. A4 - Inverse element

$$\forall a, \exists a' \text{st. } a \cdot a' = a' \cdot a = e$$

- e. A5 - For **Abelian group**: commutative

$$a \cdot b = b \cdot a, \text{ for all } a, b \in G$$

- **Cyclic group**

- Define: exponentiation a^n

- Identity $e = a^0$

- **Cyclic group:**

- $b = a^k$, for some a and every $b \in G$, k is integer
- a: generator of the group
- Cyclic \in abelian, fini/inf

Rings

- Define: ring R

- {R, +, x}

- 2 binary operations

- Addition

- Multiplication

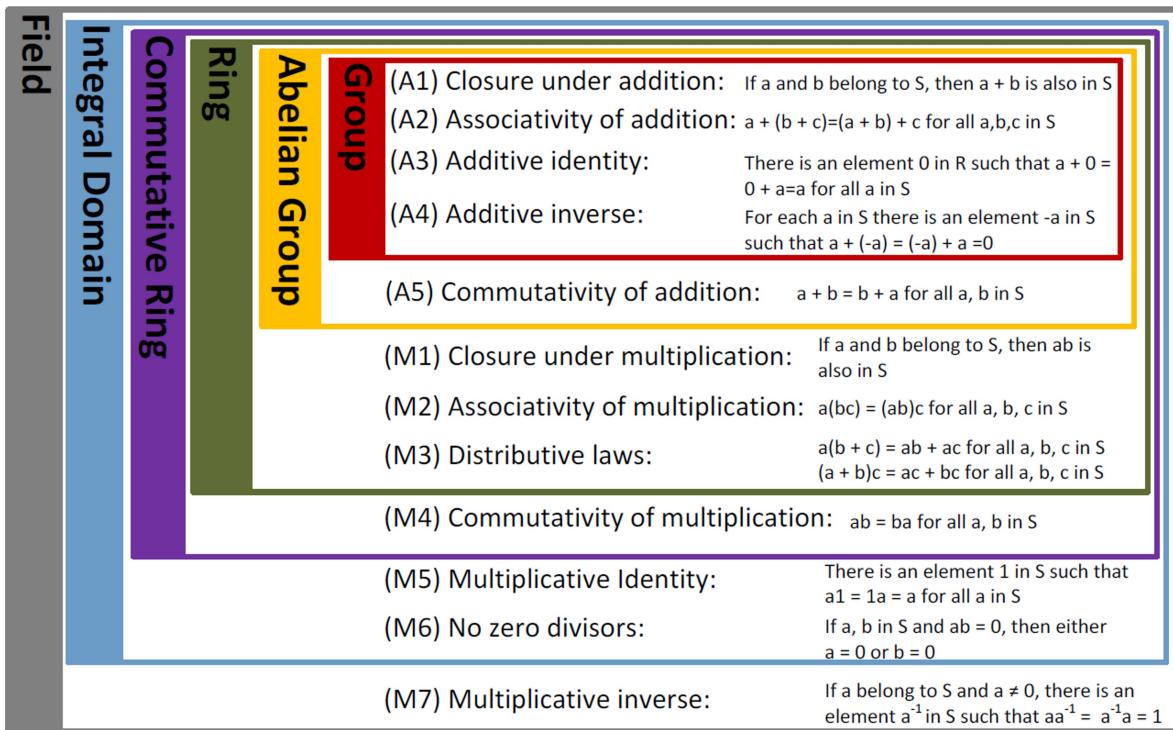
- Obey:

- A1 - A5: Abelian group
- M1 - Closure under multiplication
 $a, b \in R \rightarrow ab \in R$
- M2 - Associativity of multiplication
 $a(bc) = (ab)c, \text{ for all } a, b, c \in R$
- M3 - Distributive laws
 $a(b + c) = ab + ac, \text{ for all } a, b, c \in R$
 $(a + b)c = ac + bc, \text{ for all } a, b, c \in R$
- Subtraction also applied
 $a - b = a + (-b)$
- Commutative rings
 - Rings
 - M4 - Commutativity of multiplication
 $ab = ba, \text{ for all } a, b \in R$
- Integral domain
 - Commutative rings
 - M5 - Multiplicative identity
 $\exists 1 \in R, \text{st. } a1 = 1a = a \text{ for all } a \in R$
 - M6 - No zero divisors
 $a, b \in R \& ab = 0 \rightarrow a = 0 \text{ or } b = 0 \text{ or } a = b = 0$

Fields

- Define: field F
 - $\{F, +, \times\}$
 - 2 binary operations
 - Addition
 - Multiplication
 - A1 - M6
 - M7 - Multiplicative inverse
 $\forall a \in F, \text{except } 0, \exists a^{-1} \in F, \text{st. } aa^{-1} = a'a = 1$
 - Division also applied.
 $a/b = ab^{-1}$

Groups, Rings, & Fields



Divisibility and Division Algorithm

- $a = mb \leftrightarrow b|a$: b divides a
- b : divisor
- $\frac{a}{n} = qn + r, 0 \leq r < n$

GCD: Greatest Common Divisor

- E.g. $\text{GCD}(60, 24) = 12$
- No common factor \rightarrow relatively prime
 - E.G. $\text{GCD}(8, 15) = 1$
- Euclidean Algorithm \rightarrow calculate GCD

Modular Arithmetic

- Basic
 - modulo operator: $a \bmod n \rightarrow$ remainder, n : modulus
 - $a \bmod n = b \bmod n \leftrightarrow a = b \pmod{n} \leftrightarrow a, b$ congruent modulo n
 - $a = qn + b$, b : residue, usually smallest.
 - $-12 \bmod 7 = -5 \bmod 7 = 2 \bmod 7 = 9 \bmod 7 \rightarrow$ modulo reduction
- Modular Arithmetic Operations
 - Arithmetic with residue
 - Finite
 - $+, \times$, modulo reduction
 - $(a \pm b) \bmod n = [a \bmod n \pm b \bmod n] \bmod n$
 - $(a \times b) \bmod n = [a \bmod n \times b \bmod n] \bmod n$
- Modular Arithmetic
 - the set of residues: $Z_n = \{0, 1, \dots, n-1\}$
 - commutative ring for addition with a multiplicative identity
 - $(a + b) \bmod n = (a + c) \bmod n \rightarrow b = c \bmod n$
 - $(a \times b) \bmod n = (a \times c) \bmod n \& (a, n)$ relatively prime $\rightarrow b = c \bmod n$

$$\begin{aligned}
 a &= xy \\
 n &= 3y
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\frac{xy \cdot b}{3y} = \frac{xb}{3}$$

$$\frac{xy \cdot c}{3y} = \frac{xc}{3}$$

$$\Rightarrow (xb) \equiv (x \cdot c) \pmod{3}$$

- Properties

Property	Expression
Commutative laws	$(w+x) \bmod n = (x+w) \bmod n$ $(w \times x) \bmod n = (x \times w) \bmod n$
Associative laws	$[(w+x)+y] \bmod n = [w+(x+y)] \bmod n$ $[(w \times x) \times y] \bmod n = [w \times (x \times y)] \bmod n$
Distributive law	$[w \times (x+y)] \bmod n = [(w \times x) + (w \times y)] \bmod n$
Identities	$(0+w) \bmod n = w \bmod n$ $(1 \times w) \bmod n = w \bmod n$
Additive inverse ($-w$)	For each $w \in \mathbb{Z}_n$, there exists a z such that $w+z = 0 \bmod n$

Commutative Ring	Ring	Abelian Group	(A1) Closure under addition: If x and y belong to \mathbb{Z}_n , then $(x+y) \bmod n$ is also in \mathbb{Z}_n	
			(A2) Associativity of addition: $[w + (x + y)] \bmod n = [(w + x) + y] \bmod n$ for all $w, x, y \in \mathbb{Z}_n$	(A3) Additive identity: There is an element 0 in \mathbb{Z}_n such that $(w+0) \bmod n = (0+w) \bmod n = w \bmod n$ for all $w \in \mathbb{Z}_n$
			(A4) Additive inverse: For each $w \in \mathbb{Z}_n$ there is an element z in \mathbb{Z}_n such that $(w+z) \bmod n = 0$	(A5) Commutativity of addition: $(w+x) \bmod n = (x+w) \bmod n$ for all $w, x \in \mathbb{Z}_n$
			(M1) Closure under multiplication: If w and x belong to \mathbb{Z}_n , then $(wx) \bmod n$ is also in \mathbb{Z}_n	(M2) Associativity of multiplication: $[w \times (x \times y)] \bmod n = [(w \times x) \times y] \bmod n$ for all $w, x, y \in \mathbb{Z}_n$
			(M3) Distributive laws: $[w \times (x+y)] \bmod n = [(w \times x) + (w \times y)] \bmod n$ for all $w, x, y \in \mathbb{Z}_n$ $[(w+x) \times y] \bmod n = [(w \times y) + (x \times y)] \bmod n$ for all $w, x, y \in \mathbb{Z}_n$	(M4) Commutativity of multiplication: $(w \times x) \bmod n = (x \times w) \bmod n$ for all $w, x \in \mathbb{Z}_n$

- Inverse Example

- Modulo 8 Addition Example

+	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
0	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
1	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	0
2	2	3	4	5	6	7	0	1
3	3	4	5	6	7	0	1	2

e.g.

$$(2+6) \bmod 8 = 0$$

	+	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
0	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	
1	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	0	
2	2	3	4	5	6	7	0	1	
3	3	4	5	6	7	0	1	2	
4	4	5	6	7	0	1	2	3	
5	5	6	7	0	1	2	3	4	
6	6	7	0	1	2	3	4	5	
7	7	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	

e.g.

$$(2+6) \bmod 8 = 0$$

- Additive inverse: $(x + y) \bmod z = 0$

- Modulo 8 Multiplication Example

X	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
1	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
2	0	2	4	6	0	2	4	6
3	0	3	6	1	4	7	2	5
4	0	4	0	4	0	4	0	4
5	0	5	2	7	4	1	6	3
6	0	6	4	2	0	6	4	2
7	0	7	6	5	4	3	2	1

e.g.

$$(3 \times 3) \bmod 8 \\ = 1$$

- Multiplicative Inverse: $(x * y) \bmod z = 1$
- Additive and Multiplicative Inverses Modulo 8

w	$-w$	w^{-1}
0	0	—
1	7	1
2	6	—
3	5	3
4	4	—
5	3	5
6	2	—
7	1	7

Galois Fields

- number of elements in a finite field must be a power of a prime, p^n (n is a positive number)
- $GF(p^n)$
- Often used:
 - $GF(p)$
 - $GF(2^n)$
- **Galois Fields $GF(p)$**
- $\{0, 1, \dots, p-1\} + \text{mod } p$
- finite field
 - multiplicative inverses: all integer in Z_n relatively prime to p
- addition, subtraction, multiplication, division ❤
- **$GF(7)$ Multiplication Example**

\times	0	1	2	3	4	5	6
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
1	0	1	2	3	4	5	6
2	0	2	4	6	1	3	5
3	0	3	6	2	5	1	4
4	0	4	1	5	2	6	3
5	0	5	3	1	6	4	2
6	0	6	5	4	3	2	1

e.g.

$$2^{-1} = 4 \quad \text{since}$$

$$2 \cdot 4 = 8 \Rightarrow 1 \pmod{7}$$

Polynomial Arithmetic

1. Ordinary polynomial arithmetic: basic rules of algebra
 2. On mod p : coefficients $\rightarrow GF(p)$
 3. Coe: $GF(p)$, && polynomial $m(x)$
- Ordinary Polynomial Arithmetic

- E.g.
 $f(x) = x^3 + x^2 + 2$ and $g(x) = x^2 - x + 1$

$$f(x) + g(x) = x^3 + 2x^2 - x + 3$$

$$f(x) \times g(x) = x^5 + 3x^2 - 2x + 2$$

- **Polynomial Arithmetic With Coefficients in Z_p**

- On rings
- On fields: division possible
 - Not fields: division not always defined

- **Polynomial Division**

- Any polynomial: $f(x) = q(x)g(x) + r(x) \leftrightarrow r(x)$ remainder $\leftrightarrow r(x) = f(x) \bmod g(x)$

- No $r(x) \rightarrow g(x)$ divides $f(x)$
 - $g(x) \mid f(x)$
 - $g(x)$ is a **factor/divisor** of $f(x)$
 - No divisor (except 1 & itself): **irreducible(or prime)** polynomial

- arithmetic modulo an irreducible polynomial forms a field

- **Polynomial GCD**

- $\text{GCD}(a(x), b(x)) = c(x)$ if:
 - $c(x) \mid a(x) \& c(x) \mid b(x)$
 - $d(x) \mid a(x) \& d(x) \mid b(x) \rightarrow d(x) \mid c(x)$

$\leftarrow \text{gcd}[a(x), b(x)]$ is the **polynomial of maximum degree** that divides both $a(x)$ and $b(x)$

- Euclidean algorithm $\rightarrow \text{gcd}[a(x), b(x)]$, coe in field

- **GF(2^n)**

- Cryptographic: integers
- $\text{GF}(2^n)$: the set of polynomials of **degree n-1** with coefficients in $Z_2=\{0,1\}$, addition and multiplication are defined **modulo irreducible m(x) of degree n**

- E.g.

Polynomial Arithmetic Modulo ($x^3 + x + 1$)

	+	000	001	010	011	100	101	110	111
		0	1	x	$x+1$	x^2	x^2+1	x^2+x	x^2+x+1
000	0	0	1	x	$x+1$	x^2	x^2+1	x^2+x	x^2+x+1
001	1	1	0	$x+1$	x	x^2+1	x^2	x^2+x+1	x^2+x
010	x	x	$x+1$	0	1	x^2+x	x^2+x+1	x^2	x^2+1
011	$x+1$	$x+1$	x	1	0	x^2+x+1	x^2+x	x^2+1	x^2
100	x^2	x^2	x^2+1	x^2+x	x^2+x+1	0	1	x	$x+1$
101	x^2+1	x^2+1	x^2+x+1	x^2+x	1	0	$x+1$	x	
110	x^2+x	x^2+x+1	x^2	x^2+1	x	$x+1$	0	1	
111	x^2+x+1	x^2+x	x^2+1	x^2	$x+1$	x	1	0	

(a) Addition

	*	000	001	010	011	100	101	110	111
		0	1	x	$x+1$	x^2	x^2+1	x^2+x	x^2+x+1
000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
001	1	0	1	x	$x+1$	x^2	x^2+1	x^2+x	x^2+x+1
010	x	0	x	x	x^2+x	$x+1$	1	x^2+x+1	x^2+1
011	$x+1$	0	$x+1$	x^2+x	x^2+1	x^2+x+1	x^2	1	x
100	x^2	0	x^2	x^2+1	$x+1$	x^2+x+1	x^2+x	x^2+1	1
101	x^2+1	0	x^2+1	1	x^2	x	x^2+x+1	$x+1$	x^2+x
110	x^2+x	0	x^2+x	x^2+x+1	1	x^2+1	$x+1$	x	x^2
111	x^2+x+1	0	x^2+x+1	x^2+1	x	1	x^2+x	x^2	$x+1$

(b) Multiplication

$$\text{e.g. } 100 \times 010 = x^2 \cdot x : x^3 \Rightarrow x^3 \bmod (x^3 + x + 1) = x + 1$$

- Computational Considerations

- Coefficient: 0, 1 --> bit string
- Add: XOR
- Multiply: shift & XOR
- modulo reduction: substituting highest power with remainder repeatedly
- GF(2^n): $x^n \bmod g(x) = g(x) - x^n$
- Computational Example
- GF(2^3):
 $x^2 + 1 = 101_2$
 $x + 1 = 011_2$
 $m(x) = x^3 + x + 1 = 1011$

Addition:

$$(x^2+1) + (x+1) = x^2 + x \leftrightarrow 101 \text{ XOR } 011 = 110_2$$

Multiplication:

$$(x^2+1)(x+1) = x^3 + x + x^2 + 1 = x^3 + x^2 + x + 1$$

$$\Leftrightarrow 101 \cdot 011 = 101 (010 \oplus 001)$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 101 \\ \times 011 \\ \hline 010 \\ 101 \\ \hline 1010 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 101 \\ \times 011 \\ \hline 0001 \\ 101 \\ \hline 1010 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 101 \\ \times 011 \\ \hline 0001 \\ 101 \\ \hline 1010 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 101 \\ \times 011 \\ \hline 101 \\ 011 \\ \hline 1010 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 101 \\ \times 610 \\ \hline 000 \\ 101 \\ \hline 01610 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 101 \\ \times 001 \\ \hline 101 \end{array} \oplus \begin{array}{r} 1010 \\ 101 \\ \hline 1111 \end{array} \Rightarrow \begin{array}{r} 1010 \\ 101 \\ \hline 1111 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 101 \\ \times 101 \\ \hline 1111 \end{array}$$

polynomial modulo reduction: obtain $q(x)$ & $r(x)$

$$(x^3 + x^2 + x + 1) = 1 \cdot (x^3 + x + 1) + x^2$$

$$(x^3 + x^2 + x + 1) = x^2 \bmod (x^3 + x + 1), q(x) = 1, r(x) = x^2$$

Prime Numbers

- Divisors: 1 & itself

2 3 5 7 11 13 17 19 23 29 31 37 41 43 47 53
 59 61 67 71 73 79 83 89 97 101 103 107 109
 113 127 131 137 139 149 151 157 163 167 173
 179 181 191 193 197 199

• Prime Factorization

- Factor: $n = a * b * c$
- The prime factorisation: product of prime

E.g. $3600 = 9 \times 4 \times 100 = 3 \times 3 \times 2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 5 \times 5 = 2^4 \times 3^2 \times 5^2$

• Relatively Prime Numbers & GCD

- a, b common divisor: only 1 \rightarrow relatively prime
- \rightarrow determine GCD

o E.g.

$$300 = 2^2 \times 3^1 \times 5^2$$

$$18 = 2^1 \times 3^2$$

$$\gcd(18, 300) = 2^1 * 3^1 * 5^0 = 6$$

• Fermat's Theorem

- $a^{p-1} \equiv 1 \pmod p$

o p : prime

o a : \mathbb{N}^+

o $\gcd(a, p) = 1$

- alternative form: $a^p \equiv a \pmod p$*

- \rightarrow public key cryptography

• Euler's Totient Function $\varphi(n)$

- Mod n:

o Complete set of residue: $\{0, 1, \dots, n-1\}$

o Reduced set of residue: relatively prime to n

▪ E.g. $n=10$

□ Cos: $\{0, 1, \dots, 9\}$

□ Ross: {1, 3, 5, 7, 9}

- # of elements in reduced set of residue = Euler's Totient Function $\phi(n)$

- Calculate $\phi(n)$

1. P is prime: $\phi(p) = p - 1$

E.g. $\phi(37) = 36$

2. $N = p * q$, pq prime: $\phi(pq) = (p-1)(q-1)$

Eg. $\phi(21) = (3-1)*(7-1) = 12$

3. General: prime factorization

- Euler's Theorem

- Generalisation of Fermat's Theorem

- $a^{\phi(n)} \equiv 1 \pmod{n}$

○ For any a, n if $\gcd(a, n) = 1$

○ Eg. $a=3, n=10, \phi(10) = (2-1)(5-1) = 4 \rightarrow 3^4 = 81 = 1 \pmod{10}$

Eg. $a=2, n=11, \phi(11) = 10 \rightarrow 2^{10} = 1,024 = 1 \pmod{11}$

- Chinese Remainder Theorem (CRT)

- Eg.

$Z_{10} = \{0, 1, \dots, 9\}$

Can be reconstructed from two residues mod 2 and 5 (relatively prime factors of 10)

For example, $x \pmod{2} = 0 \& \& x \pmod{5} = 3 \rightarrow x=8$ unique

- Powers of an Integer, Modulo n

$7=7 \pmod{19}$

$7^2 = 49 = 2*19 + 11 = 11 \pmod{19}$

$7^3 = 343 = 18*19+1 = 1 \pmod{19}$

$7^4 = 2,401 = 7 \pmod{19}$

$7^5 = 11 \pmod{19}$

--> $7^m = 1 \pmod{19}$ when $m = 3i, i=1, 2, \dots$

- Primitive Roots

- Euler's theorem: $a^{\phi(n)} \pmod{n} = 1$

- Think: $a^m = 1 \pmod{n} \& \& \gcd(a, n)$

$m = \phi(n)$ or maybe smaller --> cycle

- Smallest $m = \phi(n) \rightarrow a =$ primitive root

- if n is prime, then successive powers of a primitive root "generate" all residues mod n

Powers of Integers, Modulo 19

$$\phi(19) = 18$$

a	a^2	a^3	a^4	a^5	a^6	a^7	a^8	a^9	a^{10}	a^{11}	a^{12}	a^{13}	a^{14}	a^{15}	a^{16}	a^{17}	a^{18}
1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
2	4	8	16	13	7	14	9	18	17	15	11	3	6	12	5	10	0
3	9	8	5	15	7	2	6	18	16	10	11	14	4	12	17	13	0
4	16	7	9	17	11	6	5	1	4	16	7	9	17	11	6	5	1
5	6	11	17	9	7	16	4	1	5	6	11	17	9	7	16	4	1
6	17	7	4	5	11	9	16	1	6	17	7	4	5	11	9	16	1
7	11	1	7	11	1	$m \neq b$	11	1	7	11	1	7	11	1	7	11	1
8	7	18	11	12	1	8	7	18	11	12	1	8	7	18	11	12	1
9	5	7	6	16	11	4	17	1	9	5	7	6	16	11	4	17	1
10	5	12	6	3	11	15	17	18	9	14	7	13	16	8	4	2	0
11	7	1	11	7	1	11	7	1	11	7	1	11	7	1	11	7	1
12	11	18	7	8	1	12	11	18	7	8	1	12	11	18	7	8	1
13	17	12	4	14	11	10	16	18	6	2	7	15	5	8	9	3	0
14	6	8	17	10	7	3	4	18	5	13	11	2	9	12	16	15	0
15	16	12	9	2	11	13	5	18	4	3	7	10	17	8	6	14	0
16	9	11	5	4	7	17	6	1	16	9	11	5	4	7	17	6	1
17	4	11	16	6	7	5	9	1	17	4	11	16	6	7	5	9	1

$$m=18$$

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↳ primitive

root

15	16	12	9	2	11	13	5	18	4	3	7	10	17	8	6	14	1
16	9	11	5	4	7	17	6	1	16	9	11	5	4	7	17	6	1
17	4	11	16	6	7	5	9	1	17	4	11	16	6	7	5	9	1
18	1	18	1	18	1	18	1	18	1	18	1	18	1	18	1	18	1

Summary

- Groups, rings, fields
- Mod
- GF(p)
- Poly GF(2^n)
- Prime #
- Fermat / Euler
- Miller-Rabin Algorithm(?) --> tb
- CRT
- Primitive Roots