

Hw 4.

$$1. M = 17 \times 19 \times 23 \times 29 = 223483$$

$$M_1 = 13147 \quad M_2 = 11764 \quad M_3 = 9712 \quad M_4 = 7709$$

$$y_1 = 3 \quad y_2 = 13 \quad y_3 = 4 \quad y_4 = 23$$

$$x = (b_1 \times 13147 \times 3 + b_2 \times 11764 \times 13 + b_3 \times 9712 \times 4 + b_4 \times 7709 \times 23) \bmod 223483$$

$$2. \quad x = 15t_1 + b_1 = 21t_2 + b_2$$

$$t_1, t_2 \text{ have solutions} \Leftrightarrow \gcd(15, 21) \mid b_2 - b_1$$

$$\gcd(15, 21) = 3 \quad \text{i.d.} \quad 3 \mid b_2 - b_1$$

$$3. \quad \forall x, y, z \in M_2(\mathbb{R})$$

$$\det xy = \det x \cdot \det y \neq 0 \Rightarrow xy \in M_2(\mathbb{R})$$

$$x y z = x (y z)$$

$$E = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \quad EX = XE = X$$

$$\forall x, \det x \neq 0 \Rightarrow \exists x^{-1}, x x^{-1} = x^{-1} x = E$$

so. it is a group.

$$\text{but} \quad \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

so. not Abelian.

4. let $k = m \cdot o(a) + t$ $0 \leq t < o(a)$
 if $a^k = 1 \Rightarrow a^{m \cdot o(a) + t} = a^t = 1$
 but $o(a)$ is the smallest one.
 $\Rightarrow t = 0$.
 so $o(a) \mid k$

5. if $(i, m) = 1$ $g^i = g^{i \% m}$ so, we only need consider $0 < i < m$

$$e \cdot g \cdot g^2 \cdots g^{m-1} \Rightarrow g^m = e, \text{ i.e. } o(g) = m$$

consider $e^i \cdot g^i \cdot (g^2)^i \cdots (g^{m-1})^i$

$$\text{if } (g^{k_1})^i = (g^{k_2})^i \quad g^{(k_2 - k_1)i} = e.$$

but we have proved that in question 4
 that $\forall t, g^t = e \Rightarrow o(g) \mid t$

$$\text{so } m \mid (k_2 - k_1)i \quad \text{but } (m, i) = 1 \Rightarrow m \mid k_2 - k_1$$

$$-m < k_2 - k_1 < m \quad \text{so } k_2 - k_1 = 0 \quad k_1 = k_2$$

so. if $(m, i) = 1$

g^i can be a generator of G

the number of i is $\phi(m)$

so we only need to prove that

if $(m, i) \neq 1$, g^i cannot be a generator

if $\gcd(m, i) = k$

consider $(g^i)^1 (g^i)^2 \cdots (g^i)^{\frac{m}{k}}$

$$\text{so } (g^i)^{\frac{m}{k}} = g^{\frac{mi}{k}} = (g^m)^{\frac{i}{k}} = e \quad \text{so } o(g^i) \leq \frac{m}{k} < m \quad \text{contradiction!}$$

In conclusion. the number of i is $\phi(m)$