

## SOLUTIONS FOR ASSIGNMENT-3

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1) Multiplicative inverses:

(a) Find the set of multiplicative inverses in GF (23).

(b) Use the Extended Euclidean algorithm to find multiplicative inverses of  $(20 \bmod 79)$ ,  $(3 \bmod 62)$ ,  $(22 \bmod 91)$ , and  $(5 \bmod 23)$ .

Answer:

(a)  $GF(23) = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22\}$

Here  $N = 23$

In the context of modular arithmetic, for an integer  $a$  that is not divisible by the modulus  $N$ , its multiplicative inverse is  $a^{-1}$ . So,

$$a \cdot a^{-1} \cong 1 \bmod N$$

$1 \times 1 \equiv 1 \bmod 23 \rightarrow$  Inverse of 1 is 1

$2 \times 12 \equiv 1 \bmod 23 \rightarrow$  Inverse of 2 is 12

$3 \times 8 \equiv 1 \bmod 23 \rightarrow$  Inverse of 3 is 8

..... so on .....

The multiplicative inverse in GF (23) are:

$a \quad a^{-1}$

1  $\rightarrow$  1

2  $\rightarrow$  12

3  $\rightarrow$  8

4  $\rightarrow$  6

5  $\rightarrow$  14

6  $\rightarrow$  4

7  $\rightarrow$  10

8  $\rightarrow$  3

9  $\rightarrow$  18

10 -> 7

11 -> 21

12 -> 2

13 -> 16

14 -> 5

15 -> 20

16 -> 13

17 -> 19

18 -> 9

19 -> 17

20 -> 15

21 -> 11

22 -> 22

0 doesn't have a multiplicative inverse in any field. Because it is undefined

(b) i) Need to use the Extended Euclidean algorithm to find multiplicative inverses of (20 mod 79)

To find the multiplicative inverse of a modulo b, we are looking for an integer x such as:

$$a \cdot x \equiv 1 \pmod{b}$$

In this case,  $a = 20$  and  $b = 79$

The Extended Euclidean Algorithm is a method for determining the coefficients x and y such that:

$$ax + by = \gcd(a, b)$$

Let's use this formula:  $\text{dividend} = \text{divisor} * \text{quotient} + \text{Remainder}$

$$\text{remainder}_1 = 20 \pmod{79} = (20) \quad \text{quotient}_1 = 0$$

$$\text{remainder}_2 = 79 \pmod{20} = (19) \quad \text{quotient}_2 = 3$$

$$\text{remainder}_3 = 20 \pmod{19} = (1) \quad \text{quotient}_3 = 1 \text{ ----- This is the GCD because the remainder is 1 (1)}$$

$$\text{remainder}_4 = 19 \pmod{1} = (0) \quad \text{quotient}_4 = 19$$

Now,

Let's try  $\{\text{remainder} = \text{dividend} - (\text{divisor} * \text{quotient})\}$

From (1) (Can see the above steps)

$$1 = 20 \bmod 19$$

$$1 = 20 - (19) * 1$$

$$= 20 - 1 (79 - (20) * 3)$$

$$= 20 - 79 + 3 * (20)$$

$$= 4(20) - 79$$

$$= 4(20) + (-1)79$$

Therefore, the above equation is in the form of  $ax + by = 1$

So,  **$x = 4$  and  $y = -1$**

ii) Need to use the Extended Euclidean algorithm to find multiplicative inverses of  $(3 \bmod 62)$ .

To find the multiplicative inverse of  $a$  modulo  $b$ , we are looking for an integer  $x$  such as:

$$a.x \equiv 1 \bmod b$$

In this case,  $a = 3$  and  $b = 62$

The Extended Euclidean Algorithm is a method for determining the coefficients  $x$  and  $y$  such that:

$$ax + by = \gcd(a, b)$$

Let's use this formula:  $\text{dividend} = \text{divisor} * \text{quotient} + \text{Remainder}$

$$\text{remainder}_1 = 3 \bmod 62 = 3 \quad \text{quotient}_1 = 0$$

$$\text{remainder}_2 = 62 \bmod 3 = 2 \quad \text{quotient}_2 = 20$$

$$\text{remainder}_3 = 3 \bmod 2 = 1 \quad \text{quotient}_3 = 1 \text{ ----- This is the GCD because the remainder is } 1 - (2)$$

$$\text{remainder}_4 = 2 \bmod 1 = 0 \quad \text{quotient}_4 = 2$$

Now,

Let's try  $\{\text{remainder} = \text{dividend} - (\text{divisor} * \text{quotient})\}$

From (2) (Can see the above steps)

$$1 = 3 - (2) * 1$$

$$= 3 - 1 [62 - 20 * (3)]$$

$$= 3 - 62 + 20 * (3)$$

$$= 21(3) - 1(62)$$

Therefore, the above equation is in the form of  $ax + by = 1$

So,  **$x = 21$  and  $y = -1$**

iii) Need to use the Extended Euclidean algorithm to find multiplicative inverses of  $(22 \bmod 91)$ .

To find the multiplicative inverse of  $a$  modulo  $b$ , we are looking for an integer  $x$  such as:

$$a \cdot x \equiv 1 \bmod b$$

In this case,  $a = 22$  and  $b = 91$

The Extended Euclidean Algorithm is a method for determining the coefficients  $x$  and  $y$  such that:

$$ax + by = \gcd(a, b)$$

Let's use this formula:  $\text{dividend} = \text{divisor} * \text{quotient} + \text{Remainder}$

$$\text{remainder}_1 = 22 \bmod 91 = 22 \quad \text{quotient}_1 = 0$$

$$\text{remainder}_2 = 91 \bmod 22 = 3 \quad \text{quotient}_2 = 4$$

$$\text{remainder}_3 = 22 \bmod 3 = 1 \quad \text{quotient}_3 = 7 \text{ ----- This is the GCD because the remainder is } 1 - (3)$$

$$\text{remainder}_4 = 3 \bmod 1 = 0 \quad \text{quotient}_4 = 3$$

Now,

Let's try  $\{\text{remainder} = \text{dividend} - (\text{divisor} * \text{quotient})\}$

From (3) (Can see the above steps)

$$1 = 22(1) - (3) * 7$$

$$= 22 - ((91 - 22 * (4)) * 7)$$

$$= 22 - 7 * (91) + 28 * (22)$$

$$= 29(22) - 7(91)$$

Therefore, the above equation is in the form of  $ax + by = 1$

So,  **$x = 29$  and  $y = -7$**

iv) Need to use the Extended Euclidean algorithm to find multiplicative inverses of  $(5 \bmod 23)$

To find the multiplicative inverse of  $a$  modulo  $b$ , we are looking for an integer  $x$  such as:

$$a \cdot x \equiv 1 \bmod b$$

In this case,  $a = 5$  and  $b = 23$

The Extended Euclidean Algorithm is a method for determining the coefficients  $x$  and  $y$  such that:

$$ax + by = \gcd(a, b)$$

Let's use this formula:  $\text{dividend} = \text{divisor} * \text{quotient} + \text{Remainder}$

$$\text{remainder}_1 = 5 \bmod 23 = 5 \quad \text{quotient}_1 = 0$$

$$\text{remainder}_2 = 23 \bmod 5 = 3 \quad \text{quotient}_2 = 4$$

$$\text{remainder}_3 = 5 \bmod 3 = 2 \quad \text{quotient}_3 = 1$$

$$\text{remainder}_4 = 3 \bmod 2 = 1 \quad \text{quotient}_4 = 1 \text{----- This is the GCD because the remainder is } 1 - (4)$$

$$\text{remainder}_5 = 2 \bmod 1 = 0 \quad \text{quotient}_5 = 2$$

Now,

Let's try {remainder= dividend - (divisor \* quotient)}

From (4) (Can see the above steps)

$$1 = 3 - (2) * 1$$

$$= 3 - (5 - (3) (1)) * (1)$$

$$= 3 - (5 - 3) = 3 - (5 + 3)$$

$$= 2(3) - 5$$

$$= 2(23) - 2(5)(4) - 5$$

$$= 2(23) - 5(8) - 5$$

$$= 5(-9) + 23(2)$$

Therefore, the above equation is in the form of  $ax + by = 1$

So,  **$x = -9$  and  $y = 2$**

$X = -9$  is the multiplicative inverse of 5 modulo 23. However, since we want a positive inverse, we can add the modulus 23 to -9, which gives:

$$\mathbf{X = -9 + 23 = 14}$$

2) How many integers modulo  $11^3$  have inverses? You may find the following theorem useful.

The theorem states that an integer  $a$  has a multiplicative inverse modulo  $N$  if and only if  $\gcd(a, N) = 1$ . This suggests that  $a$  and  $N$  have no factors in common other than 1. In other words,  $a$  and  $N$  are relatively prime.

One method we can use extended Euclidean algorithm. This one can find the GDC of two integers., which states for any integers  $a$  and  $b$ , which exist integers  $x$  and  $y$  as:

$$ax + by = \gcd(a, b)$$

We'd want to know how many numbers modulo  $11^3$  have inverses.

let  $N = 11^3 = 1331$  (range  $0 < a < 1331$  and  $b$  is  $11^3$ )

If  $\gcd(a, 11^3) = 1$ , then we have:

$$ax + 11^3y = 1$$

Taking this equation modulo  $11^3$ , we get:

$$ax \equiv 1 \pmod{11^3}$$

This indicates that  $x$  is the modulo  $11^3$  multiplicative inverse.

So we just need to count how many  $a$  values in the range  $0 < a < 11^3$  with  $\gcd(a, 11^3) = 1$ .

This may be accomplished by examining each value of  $a$  and using the extended Euclidean method.

We may also use a shortcut by observing that  $\gcd(a, 11^3) = 1$  if and only if  $a$  is not divisible by 11.

This is because 11 is the only prime factor of  $11^3$ . As a result, we may exclude all multiples of 11 from the range 0 to  $11^3$  and count the remaining numbers.

$$11^3 - 1 - \frac{11^3}{11} = \frac{10}{11} \cdot (11^3 - 1) = \frac{10}{11} \cdot (1330) = 1210$$

As a result, using this strategy, there are 1210 numbers modulo  $11^3$  that have inverses.

3) Find the set of polynomials in  $GF(2^4)$  and  $GF(5^2)$ ?

The notation of GF is given as a  $GF(p^n)$

Here the  $2^4$  and  $5^2$  are not in the form of where  $p$  is prime. Therefore, such fields are not typical.

If it meant  $GF(2^4)$  and  $GF(5^2)$ :

$GF(2^4)$ :

It has 16 elements ( $2 * 2 * 2 * 2 = 16$ )

The  $M$  is 4

$$F(x) = a_{m-1}x^{m-1} + a_{m-2}x^{m-2} \dots a_{m-n}x^{m-n}$$

It is represented as polynomials of degree less than 4 with the coefficients in  $GF(2)$  which are 0 and 1. So the polynomials for  $GF(2^4)$  is:

$$= \{0, 1, x, x+1, x^2, x^2+1, x^2+x, x^2+x+1, x^3, x^3+1, x^3+x, x^3+x+1, x^3+x^2, x^3+x^2+1, x^3+x^2+x, x^3+x^2+x+1\}$$

GF ( $5^2$ ):

It has 25 elements ( $5 * 5 = 25$ )

The M is 2

$$F(x) = a_{m-1}x^{m-1} + a_{m-2}x^{m-2} + \dots + a_{m-n}x^{m-n}$$

It is represented as polynomials of degree less than 2 with the coefficients in GF (5) which are 0, 1, 2, 3, 4. So the polynomials for GF ( $5^2$ ) is:

$$= \{0, 1, 2, 3, 4, x, x+1, x+2, x+3, x+4, 2x, 2x+1, 2x+2, 2x+3, 2x+4, 3x, 3x+1, 3x+2, 3x+3, 3x+4, 4x, 4x+1, 4x+2, 4x+3, 4x+4\}$$

4) We worked out a few examples of Euclid's algorithm and the extended Euclidean algorithm in class. Use that as a reference to solve the following:

(a) Find  $d = \gcd(423, 128)$ . Are they co-prime? Find integers  $x$ , and  $y$ , such that  $d = x \cdot 423 + y \cdot 128$ .

(b) Find  $d = \gcd(588, 210)$ . Are they co-prime? Find integers  $x$ ,  $y$ , such that  $d = x \cdot 588 + y \cdot 210$ .

(c) Find  $d = \gcd(899, 493)$ . Are they co-prime? Find integers  $x$ , and  $y$ , such that  $d = x \cdot 899 + y \cdot 493$ .

a)  $d = \gcd(423, 128)$

The Extended Euclidean Algorithm is a method for determining the coefficients  $x$  and  $y$  such that:

$$423 \bmod 128$$

$$ax + by = d$$

Let's use this formula:  $\text{dividend} = \text{divisor} * \text{quotient} + \text{Remainder}$

$$\text{remainder}_1 = 423 \bmod 128 = 39 \quad \text{quotient}_1 = 3$$

$$\text{remainder}_2 = 128 \bmod 39 = 11 \quad \text{quotient}_2 = 3$$

$$\text{remainder}_3 = 39 \bmod 11 = 6 \quad \text{quotient}_3 = 3$$

$$\text{remainder}_4 = 11 \bmod 6 = 5 \quad \text{quotient}_4 = 1$$

$$\text{remainder}_5 = 6 \bmod 5 = 1 \quad \text{quotient}_5 = 1 \text{----- This is the GCD because the remainder is } 1 - (5)$$

$$\text{remainder}_6 = 5 \bmod 1 = 0 \quad \text{quotient}_6 = 5$$

Are they co-prime? Yes, they are co-primes.

Now,

Let's try {remainder= dividend - (divisor \* quotient)}

From (5) (Can see the above steps)

$$1 = 6 - 1 * (5)$$

$$= 6 - 1(11 - 1(6))$$

$$= 2 * (6) - 1 * (11)$$

$$= 2(39 - 3 * (11)) - 1(11)$$

$$= 2(39) - 7(11)$$

$$= 2(39) - 7(128 - 3 * (39))$$

$$= 23(39) - 7(128)$$

$$= 23(423 - 3(128)) - 7(128)$$

$$= 23(423) - 76(128)$$

Therefore, the above equation is in the form of  $ax + by = 1$

So,  **$x = 23$  and  $y = -76$  and  $d = 1$**

$$\mathbf{1 = 23 * 423 + (-76) * 128}$$

$$\text{b) } d = \gcd(588, 210)$$

The Extended Euclidean Algorithm is a method for determining the coefficients  $x$  and  $y$  such that:

$$588 \bmod 210$$

$$ax + by = d$$

Let's use this formula: dividend = divisor \* quotient + Remainder

$$\text{remainder}_1 = 588 \bmod 210 = 168 \quad \text{quotient}_1 = 2$$

$$\text{remainder}_2 = 210 \bmod 168 = 42 \quad \text{quotient}_2 = 1 \text{----- Here the GCD is not 1 -- (6)}$$

$$\text{remainder}_3 = 168 \bmod 42 = 0 \quad \text{quotient}_3 = 4$$

Are they co-prime? No, they are not co-primes.

Now,

Let's try {remainder= dividend - (divisor \* quotient)}

From (6) (Can see the above steps)

$$42 = 210 - 1 * (168)$$



$$= 210 - 1(588 - 2 * (210))$$

$$= 3(210) - 1(588)$$

Therefore, the above equation is in the form of  $ax + by = d$

So,  **$x = -1$  and  $y = 3$  and  $d = 42$**

$$\mathbf{42 = (-1) * 558 + (3) * 210}$$

$$c) d = \gcd(899, 493)$$

The Extended Euclidean Algorithm is a method for determining the coefficients  $x$  and  $y$  such that:

$$899 \bmod 493$$

$$ax + by = d$$

Let's use this formula:  $\text{dividend} = \text{divisor} * \text{quotient} + \text{Remainder}$

$$\text{remainder}_1 = 899 \bmod 493 = 406 \quad \text{quotient}_1 = 1$$

$$\text{remainder}_2 = 493 \bmod 406 = 87 \quad \text{quotient}_2 = 1$$

$$\text{remainder}_3 = 406 \bmod 87 = 58 \quad \text{quotient}_3 = 4$$

$$\text{remainder}_4 = 87 \bmod 58 = 29 \quad \text{quotient}_4 = 1 \text{----- Here the GCD is not 1 -- (7)}$$

$$\text{remainder}_5 = 58 \bmod 29 = 0 \quad \text{quotient}_5 = 2$$

Are they co-prime? No, they are not co-primes.

Now,

Let's try  $\{\text{remainder} = \text{dividend} - (\text{divisor} * \text{quotient})\}$

From (7) (Can see the above steps)

$$29 = 87 - 1 * (58)$$

$$= 87 - 1(406 - 4(87))$$

$$= 5(87) - 1(406)$$

$$= 5(493 - 1 * (406)) - 1(406)$$

$$= 5(493) - 6(406)$$

$$= 5(493) - 6(899 - 1(493))$$

$$= 11(493) - 6(899)$$

Therefore, the above equation is in the form of  $ax + by = d$

So,  $x = -6$  and  $y = 11$  and  $d = 29$

$$42 = (-6) * 899 + (11) * 493$$

5) Compute the following using the Chinese remainder theorem, or the group-order rule. You may also use the modular arithmetic rules in “numTheoryI.pdf”.

(a)  $3^{1000} \bmod 100$

(b)  $101^{4,800,000,002} \bmod 35$

(c)  $46^{51} \bmod 55$

(a) Here  $n=100$

$$|Z_{100}^*| = Z_2^* * Z_5^*$$

According to the above step, I eliminated multiples of 2 and 5 in the 100. So, the remaining are:

$$|Z_n^*| = \{1, 3, 7, 9, 11, 13, 17, 19, 21, 23, 27, 29, 31, 33, 37, 39, 41, 43, 47, 49, 51, 53, 57, 59, 61, 63, 67, 69, 71, 73, 77, 79, 81, 83, 87, 89, 91, 93, 97, 99\} = \{40\}$$

Now,

-  $3^{1000 \bmod 40} \bmod 100$  (Here  $1000 \bmod 40 = 0$ )

-  $3^0 \bmod 100$  ( $3^0 = 1$ )

-  **$1 \bmod 100 = 1$**

(b) Here  $n=35$

$$|Z_{35}^*| = Z_5^* * Z_7^*$$

According to the above step, I eliminated multiples of 5 and 7 in the 35. So, the remaining are:

$$|Z_n^*| = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 8, 9, 11, 12, 13, 16, 17, 18, 19, 22, 23, 24, 26, 27, 29, 31, 32, 33, 34\} = \{24\}$$

Now,

-  $101^{4,800,000,002 \bmod 24} \bmod 35$  (Here  $4,800,000,002 \bmod 24 = 2$ )

-  $101^2 \bmod 35$  ( $101^2 = 10201$ )

-  **$10201 \bmod 35 = 16$**

(c) Here  $n=55$

$$|Z_{55}^*| = Z_5^* * Z_{11}^*$$

According to the above step, I eliminated multiples of 5 and 11 in the 55. So, the remaining are:

$$|Z_n^*| = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 7, 8, 9, 12, 13, 14, 16, 17, 18, 19, 21, 23, 24, 26, 27, 28, 29, 31, 32, 34, 36, 37, 38, 39, 41, 42, 43, 46, 47, 48, 49, 51, 52, 53, 54\} = \{40\}$$

Now,

- $46^{51 \bmod 40} \bmod 55 - (51 \bmod 40 = 11)$
- $46^{11} \bmod 55$
- $(46^5 * 46^5 * 46) \bmod 55 - (\text{Here I am using formula } - a*b \bmod n = (a \bmod n * b \bmod n) \bmod n)$
- $(46^5 \bmod 55 * 46^5 \bmod 55 * 46 \bmod 55) \bmod 55 - (46^5 \bmod 55 = 21 \text{ and } 46 \bmod 55 = 46)$
- $(21 * 21 * 46) \bmod 55$
- $20286 \bmod 55 = \mathbf{46}$

6) Is  $(4^{1862} - 9^{3206})$  divisible by 25?

Now,

$$4^{1862} \bmod 25 - 9^{3206} \bmod 25$$

$$|Z_{25}^*| = Z_5^* \text{ (Now removing the multiple of 5)}$$

According to the above step, I eliminated multiples of 25. So, the remaining are:

$$|Z_n^*| = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 7, 8, 9, 11, 12, 13, 14, 16, 17, 18, 19, 21, 22, 23, 24\} = \{20\}$$

I am dividing  $a = 4^{1862} \bmod 25$  and  $b = 9^{3206} \bmod 25$

$$a - 4^{1862 \bmod 20} \bmod 25 \text{ (1862 mod 20 = 2)}$$

- $4^2 \bmod 25$
- $16 \bmod 25$

$$a - \mathbf{16}$$

$$b - 9^{3206 \bmod 20} \bmod 25 \text{ (3206 mod 20 = 6)}$$

- $9^6 \bmod 25 \text{ (9}^6 = 531441)$
- $531441 \bmod 25$

$$b - \mathbf{16}$$

$$4^{1862} \bmod 25 - 9^{3206} \bmod 25 = \mathbf{16 - 16}$$

$$= 0$$

- Is  $(4^{1862} - 9^{3206})$  divisible by 25? Yes, it is divisible.

7) Is the difference between  $5^{30,000}$  and  $6^{887543}$  a multiple of 23?

$$(5^{30,000} - 6^{887543}) \bmod 23 = 5^{30,000} \bmod 23 - 6^{887543} \bmod 23$$

First, I am doing for  $5^{30,000} \bmod 23$ :

$$|Z_{23}^*| = Z_{23}^* \text{ (Now removing the multiple of 23)}$$

According to the above step, I eliminated multiples of 23. So, the remaining are:

$$|Z_n^*| = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22\} = \{22\}$$

$$- 5^{30,000 \bmod 22} \bmod 23 \text{ (30000 mod 22 - 14)}$$

$$- 5^{14} \bmod 23$$

$$- (5^7 * 5^7) \bmod 23$$

$$- (5^7 \bmod 23 * 5^7 \bmod 23) \bmod 23 \text{ - (Here I am using formula - } a*b \bmod n = (a \bmod n * b \bmod n) \bmod n)$$

$$- (78125 \bmod 23 * 78125 \bmod 23) \bmod 23 - (5^7 - 78125 \text{ and } 78125 \bmod 23 - 17)$$

$$- (17 * 17) \bmod 23$$

$$- 289 \bmod 23 = \mathbf{13}$$

Second, I am doing this for  $6^{887543} \bmod 23$ :

$$|Z_{23}^*| = Z_{23}^* \text{ (Now removing the multiple of 23)}$$

According to the above step, I eliminated multiples of 23. So, the remaining are:

$$|Z_n^*| = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22\} = \{22\}$$

$$- 6^{887543 \bmod 22} \bmod 23 \text{ (887543 mod 22 - 19)}$$

$$- 6^{19} \bmod 23$$

$$- (6^6 * 6^6 * 6^6 * 6) \bmod 23 \text{ (Here I am using formula - } a*b \bmod n = (a \bmod n * b \bmod n) \bmod n)$$

$$- (6^6 \bmod 23 * 6^6 \bmod 23 * 6^6 \bmod 23 * 6 \bmod 23) \bmod 23$$

$$- (12 * 12 * 12 * 6) \bmod 23$$

$$- (10368) \bmod 23 = \mathbf{18}$$

Now,

$$5^{30,000} \bmod 23 - 6^{887543} \bmod 23 = 13 - 18 = -5$$

- Is the difference between  $5^{30,000}$  and  $6^{887543}$  a multiple of 23? -5 is not a multiple of 23.