

# Math 116 HW7

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$$1) 19 = \underbrace{2^4}_{16} + \underbrace{2^2}_4 - \underbrace{2^0}_1$$

$\Rightarrow$  3 terms  $\checkmark$

2) a) Bob computes the point

$$Q_B = n_B P = 1943 \cdot (1980, 431) \\ = \boxed{(1432, 667)} \in E(\mathbb{F}_{2671})$$

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In [12]: E = EllipticCurve(GF(2671), [171, 853])
P = E.point([1980, 431])
1943 * P
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Out[12]: (1432 : 667 : 1)
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b) Calculate the shared secret point:

$$n_B Q_A = 1943 \cdot (2110, 543) \\ = (2424, 911) \in E(\mathbb{F}_{2671})$$

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In [13]: Q = E.point([2110, 543])
1943 * Q
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Out[13]: (2424 : 911 : 1)
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Now, they discard the  $y$ -coordinate to get that their secret shared value is 2424

c) We have that  $n_A \cdot P = Q_A$ , so

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In [16]: E = EllipticCurve(GF(2671), [171, 853])
P = E.point([1980, 431])
QA = E.point([2110, 543])
QA_guess = P
nA_guess = 1
while QA_guess != QA:
    QA_guess = QA_guess + P
    nA_guess += 1

nA_guess
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Out[16]: 726

This gives us that  $n_A = \underline{726}$

d) Bob will compute  $Q_B = 875 \cdot (1980, 431)$   
 $= (161, 2040) \in E(\mathbb{F}_{2671})$ .

Bob will also only send the  $x$ -coordinate

$x_B = 161$  to Alice.

Now, we calculate the shared value:

$$y_A^2 = x_A^3 + 171x_A + 853 \quad \text{and use } x_A = 2$$

$$2^3 + 171(2) + 853 = 1203.$$

$$\text{So, } y_A = 1203^{(2671+1)/4} = 1203^{668} \equiv 2575 \pmod{2671}$$

So, the shared point is

$$\begin{aligned} n_B(x_A, y_A) &= 875(2, 2575) \\ &= (1708, 1419) \in E(\mathbb{F}_{2671}) \end{aligned}$$

Thus, the secret shared value is 1708

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In [14]: 875*P
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Out[14]: (161 : 2040 : 1)
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In [15]: R = E.point([2,2575])
          875*R
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Out[15]: (1708 : 1419 : 1)
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3)

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In [1]: F = Zmod(589)
        E = EllipticCurve(F,[4,9])
        P = E.point([2,5])

        print(P, factorial(2)*P, factorial(3)*P, factorial(4)*P)

(2 : 5 : 1) (564 : 156 : 1) (33 : 460 : 1) (489 : 327 : 1)
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We have that this throws an error when we try to compute  $5! \cdot P$ , so we look into that case.

$$5! \cdot P = 5 \cdot 4! \cdot P = 5 \cdot (489, 327)$$

$$= 4 \cdot (489, 327) + (489, 327) \pmod{589}$$

$$= (223, 61) + (489, 327)$$

So, we need the reciprocal of  
 $223 - 489 \pmod{589}$ , but

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In [4]: gcd(223-489, 589)
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Out[4]: 19
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, so 19 is a factor,

and we see that  $589 = \boxed{19 \cdot 31} \checkmark$