

6301: HW7

~~Due Monday 13 March.~~

~~Hand in solutions to questions 1(a)i, 1(b)ii, 3(b), 3(c), 4.~~

1. (a) Find $\phi(245)$ and calculate:

i. $4^{169} \pmod{245}$,

ii. $13^{1696968} \pmod{245}$.

- (b) Solve the congruences

i.

$$x^{101} \equiv 2 \pmod{245},$$

ii.

$$y^{29} \equiv 1 \pmod{245}.$$

2. Solve the congruence $x^{11} \equiv 5 \pmod{41}$.

3. Consider the matrices:

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 3 & 2 & 9 & 1 \\ 3 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ -1 & 0 & 3 & 0 \\ 2 & 2 & 9 & 2 \end{pmatrix}, \quad B = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -2 \\ 0 & 1 \\ 2 & 0 \end{pmatrix}, \quad C = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 \end{pmatrix}.$$

- (a) Calculate AB , BC

- (b) $(AB)C$ and $A(BC)$. Check that they are equal (associativity).

- (c) Calculate C^{-1} .

4. Let $T : \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$ be the linear map defined by the matrix

$$\begin{pmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 3 & -1 \\ 5 & 4 \end{pmatrix}.$$

Is this map injective?