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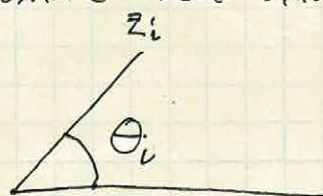
$$\begin{aligned}(1-6i) \cdot (-9+4i) &= (1-6i)(-9) + (1-6i)(4i) \\&= -9 + 36i + 4i - 24i^2 \\&= 40i - 9 - 24i^2 \quad \text{BECAUSE } i = \sqrt{-1}, i^2 = -1 \\&= 40i - 9 + 24 \\&= 15 + 40i\end{aligned}$$

#2

a

$$\text{LET } z_1 = 2+i, z_2 = 2+7i$$

Compute arguments of each number (i.e. the angles with the positive real axis)



$$\begin{cases} |z| = \sqrt{a^2 + b^2} \\ \text{Arg}(z) = \tan^{-1}(b/a) \end{cases}$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{IF } a \neq 0$$

$$\begin{cases} |z| = \sqrt{a^2 + b^2} \\ \text{Arg}(z) = \pm \frac{\pi}{2} \end{cases}$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{IF } a = 0, \text{ but } b \neq 0$$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Arg}(z_1) &= \tan^{-1}(1/2) \quad (0^\circ \leq \theta_1 < 360^\circ) \\&\approx 0.463647609\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Arg}(z_2) &= \tan^{-1}(7/2) \quad (0^\circ \leq \theta_2 < 360^\circ) \\&\approx 1.29249667\end{aligned}$$

b

~~arctan~~

$$\arctan(a) + \arctan(b) = \arctan\left(\frac{a+b}{1-ab}\right)$$
$$a = \frac{1}{2}, b = \frac{7}{2}, a+b = \frac{8}{2} = 4$$
$$(a)(b) = \frac{7}{4}$$
$$1-ab = 1 - \frac{7}{4} = -\frac{3}{4}$$

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$$\theta_1 + \theta_2 = \arctan \left(\frac{\frac{1}{2} + \frac{7}{2}}{1 - \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)\left(\frac{7}{2}\right)} \right)$$

$$= \arctan \left(\frac{4}{1 - \frac{7}{4}} \right) = \arctan \left(\frac{4}{-\frac{3}{4}} \right)$$

$$= \cancel{\arctan \left(4 \cdot \left(-\frac{3}{4} \right) \right)} = \arctan \left(4 \cdot -\frac{4}{3} \right)$$

$$= \cancel{\arctan(-3)} = \boxed{\arctan \left(-\frac{16}{3} \right)}$$

(a)

$$\cancel{z_1 \cdot z_2 = (2+i) + (2+7i)} \\ = \boxed{4 + 8i}$$

$$\begin{aligned} z_1 \cdot z_2 &= (2+i) \cdot (2+7i) \\ &= (4 + 14i) + (2i + 7i^2) \\ &= 4 - 7 + 16i \\ &= -3 + 16i \end{aligned}$$

(c)

$$w = z_1 \cdot z_2 = -3 + 16i$$

$$\text{Arg}(w) = \arctan(-16/3)$$

#2

$$\begin{aligned} \text{a) } |z_1| &= \sqrt{(2)^2 + 1} & |z_2| &= \sqrt{(2)^2 + (7)^2} \\ &= \sqrt{5} & &= \sqrt{4 + 49} \\ & & &= \sqrt{53} \end{aligned}$$

$$|z_1| \cdot |z_2| = \sqrt{265}$$

$$\begin{aligned} |z_1 \cdot z_2| &= |w| = \sqrt{(-3)^2 + (16)^2} \\ &= \sqrt{9 + 256} \\ &= \sqrt{265} \end{aligned}$$

#3

$$\frac{2+5i}{-9+2i} = \left(\frac{2+5i}{-9+2i} \right) \cdot \left(\frac{-9-2i}{-9-2i} \right) = \gamma$$

complex conjugate of

~~the complex conjugate of~~

$$\bar{z} \cdot z = |z|^2 \quad \text{THEREFORE } \Rightarrow$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Numerator } \Rightarrow & (2+5i) \cdot (-9-2i) \\ \text{(normal)} & = -18 - 4i + -49i - 10i^2 \\ & = -18 + 10 - 53i \\ & = -8 - 53i \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Denominator } \Rightarrow | -9 + 2i |^2 &= \left(\sqrt{(-9)^2 + 2^2} \right)^2 \\ &= 81 + 4 \\ &= 85 \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore \Rightarrow \gamma = \frac{-8 - 53i}{85}$$

$$= -\frac{8}{85} - \frac{53}{85}i$$

#4

(a) $(5-2i) + (5-6i) =$
 $10 - 8i$

(b) $(2-3i) \cdot (-2+5i) =$
 $= -4 + 10i + 6i - 15i^2$
 $= -4 + 16i + 15$
 $= 11 + 16i$

(c) $\frac{1-8i}{-2+4i}$ multiply by 1, but with complex conjugate,
where complex conjugate of
 $a+bi$ is $a-bi$

$$\left(\frac{1-8i}{-2+4i} \right) \left(\frac{-2-4i}{-2-4i} \right) = \frac{(1-8i)(-2-4i)}{(\sqrt{(-2)^2 + (4)^2})^2} = \frac{1}{20} (1-8i)(-2-4i)$$

$$= \frac{1}{20} (-2 - 4i + 16i + 32i^2) = \frac{1}{20} (-34 + 12i)$$

$$= -\frac{9}{5} + \frac{3}{5}i$$

(d) $|5-6i| = \sqrt{5^2 + (-6)^2}$
 $= \sqrt{25 + 36}$
 $= \sqrt{61}$

#5

(a)

$$(a+bi)^2 = (a^2 - b^2) + 2abi$$

$(-3+8i)^2 = (-3+8i)(-3+8i)$
 $= (9 - 24i - 24i + 64i^2)$
 $= (9 - 64 - 48i)$
 $= -55 - 48i$

#9

$$\begin{cases} a^2 - b^2 = 33 \\ 2ab = -56 \end{cases}$$

$$b = -28a$$

$$b = -28 \left(\sqrt{\frac{33}{785}} \right)$$

$$a^2 + (-28a)^2 = 33$$

$$a^2 + 784a^2 = 33$$

$$785a^2 = 33$$

$$a = \pm \sqrt{\frac{33}{785}}$$

~~$$b = \pm 28 \cdot \sqrt{\frac{33}{785}}$$~~

This one is confusing, skipping ahead.
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#6

if $z \in \mathbb{C}$ with $|z| = r$ then $z = r \cdot (\cos(\theta) + \sin(\theta)i)$

(a) $\theta = 64.316352819504^\circ$

$$r = 7.2680809021364$$

$$z = r \cdot (\cos(\theta) + \sin(\theta)i)$$

$$z = r \cdot (0.433402 + (0.901201)i)$$

$$z = 3.15 + 6.55i$$

(b) $z = 10 + 4i \rightarrow$ TO POLAR $\therefore r = |z| = \sqrt{(10)^2 + (4)^2}$
 $= \sqrt{116}$
 ≈ 10.7703

~~tan~~

$$\tan(\theta) = \frac{\text{Im}(z)}{\text{Re}(z)}$$

$$\tan(\theta) = \frac{4}{10} = \frac{2}{5}$$

$$\theta = \arctan\left(\frac{2}{5}\right)$$

$$\approx 21.8014$$

#7

a

$$\theta = \text{Arg}(4 + 10i)$$

For $z = a + bi$, $\text{Arg}(z) = \tan^{-1}(b/a)$ if $a \neq 0$

$$\theta = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{5}{2}\right)$$

$$r = |4 + 10i| = \sqrt{(4)^2 + (10)^2} = \sqrt{116}$$

$$r = \sqrt{116}$$

b

$$\bar{\theta} = \text{Arg}(4 + 10i)/2 = \frac{\arctan\left(\frac{5}{2}\right)}{2}$$

$$\bar{r} = \sqrt{|4 + 10i|} = \sqrt{\sqrt{116}} = 29^{\frac{1}{4}} \sqrt{2} = \sqrt[4]{116}$$

c

$$\sqrt{z} = \bar{r} \cdot (\cos(\bar{\theta}) + \sin(\bar{\theta})i)$$

$$\sqrt{z} = 2.71757 + 1.83988i$$

#8

a

$$\begin{bmatrix} (9-8i)(5-9i) \\ (1-8i)(-4+6i) \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} (1-3i)(-2+3i) \\ (3+6i)(8+i) \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} (10-11i) & (3-6i) \\ (4-2i) & (4+7i) \end{bmatrix}$$

b

$$(1+4i) \cdot \begin{bmatrix} 5-9i & 3+8i \\ -2+3i & 1-8i \end{bmatrix} = M_{2 \times 2}$$

$$\begin{aligned} M_{1,1} &= (1+4i)(5-9i) \\ &= 5-9i+20i-36i^2 \\ &= 5+36+11i \\ &= 41+11i \end{aligned}$$

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(b) Cont.

$$\begin{aligned}
 M_{1,2} &= (1+4i) \cdot (3+6i) \\
 &= 3 + 6i + 12i + 24i^2 \\
 &= 3 - 24 + 18i \\
 &= -21 + 18i
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 M_{2,1} &= (1+4i) \cdot (-2+3i) \\
 &= -2 + 3i - 8i + 12i^2 \\
 &= -14 - 5i
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 M_{2,2} &= (1+4i) \cdot (1-8i) \\
 &= 1 - 8i + 4i - 32i^2 \\
 &= 1 + 32 - 4i \\
 &= 33 - 4i
 \end{aligned}$$

$$M = \begin{bmatrix} (41 + 11i) & (-21 + 18i) \\ (-14 - 5i) & (33 - 4i) \end{bmatrix}$$

#9

In $M_{2 \times 2}(\mathbb{F}_4)$:

$$\textcircled{a} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ b & a \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} b & 1 \\ b & a \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} a & 1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

+	0	1	a	b
0	0	1	a	b
1	1	0	b	a
a	a	b	0	1
b	b	a	1	0

·	0	1	a	b
0	0	0	0	0
1	0	1	a	b
a	0	a	b	1
b	0	b	1	a

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$$\textcircled{b} a \cdot \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ b & a \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} a & 0 \\ 1 & b \end{bmatrix}$$

 \mathbb{F}_7 : multiply normally, mod 7

 : add normally. If ≥ 7 then subtract 7

#10

 \textcircled{a} In $M_{2 \times 2}(\mathbb{F}_7)$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 6 & 2 \\ 4 & 3 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 6 & 3 \\ 6 & 2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 5 \\ 3 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$$

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

·	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

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(b) In \mathbb{F}_7 :

$$5 \cdot \begin{bmatrix} 6 & 3 \\ 4 & 5 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 6 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$$

#11

In \mathbb{F}_4 :

$$(a) \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ b \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} a \\ 1 \\ b \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} b \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

In \mathbb{F}_4 , a value added to itself is zero.

$$(b) a \cdot \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ b \\ a \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} a \\ 1 \\ b \end{bmatrix}$$

In \mathbb{F}_4 , $a \cdot a = b$, $b \cdot b = a$, and 0, 1 behave normally

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In \mathbb{F}_7 :

$$(a) \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 5 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ 6 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 4 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$(b) 6 \cdot \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 3 \\ 5 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 4 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

#13

In \mathbb{F}_4 :(a) Find all $x \in \mathbb{F}_4$ such that $b + x = 0$ (otherwise known as the opposite of b)

$$x = b \quad (\text{the opp. of } b \text{ in } \mathbb{F}_4 \text{ is } b)$$

(b) Find all $x \in \mathbb{F}_4$ such that $b \cdot x = 1$ (aka reciprocal of b)

$$x = a \quad (\text{the reciprocal of } b \text{ in } \mathbb{F}_4 \text{ is } a)$$

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c) Find all $x \in \mathbb{F}_4$ such that $x^2 = b$ (aka square root of b)
 $x = a$ (meaning $\sqrt{b} = a$) or "a is the square root of b")

d) Do all elements of \mathbb{F}_4 have square roots? Yes

Are square roots unique in \mathbb{F}_4 ? ~~Not another way, does any number in \mathbb{F}_4 have more than~~ Yes

Can this be rephrased to be "all values in \mathbb{F}_4 have one and only one square root"?

e) Find all $x \in \mathbb{F}_4$ such that $x^3 = 1$ (aka cube root)

try a: $a \cdot a \cdot a =$
 $b \cdot a = 1$
 1

try b: $b \cdot b \cdot b =$
 $a \cdot b =$
 1

$$a^3 = 1, b^3 = 1, 1^3 = 1$$

$$x = a, b, \text{ or } 1$$

This doesn't match the site...

$$x = \{1, a, b\}$$

f) - g) on later pages, skipping for now.

#15 In \mathbb{F}_4 :

a) $(bt^3 + at^2 + t + b) + (t^3 + at^2 + t + b)$
 $(b+1)t^3 + (a+a)t^2 + (1+1)t + \cancel{b} + b$
 $at^3 + 0 \cdot t^2 + 0t + 0$

$$at^3$$

b)

$$b \cdot (t^3 + at^2 + at + b) =$$

$$(b \cdot 1)t^3 + (b \cdot a)t^2 + (b \cdot a)t + (b \cdot b) =$$

$$bt^3 + 1t^2 + t + 0$$

$$bt^3 + t^2 + t$$

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#16 In \mathbb{F}_7

$$\begin{aligned} \textcircled{a} \quad & (6t^3 + 5t^2 + 2t + 3) + (6t^3 + 5t^2 + 4t + 3) = \\ & (6+6)t^3 + (5+5)t^2 + (2+4)t + (3+3) = \\ & \boxed{5t^3 + 3t^2 + 6t + 6} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \textcircled{b} \quad & 3 \cdot (5t^3 + 3t^2 + 4t + 6) \\ & (3 \cdot 5)t^3 + (3 \cdot 3)t^2 + (3 \cdot 4)t + (3 \cdot 6) \\ & \boxed{t^3 + 2t^2 + 5t + 4} \end{aligned}$$

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$$\textcircled{b} \quad \begin{cases} a^2 - b^2 = 33 \\ 2ab = -56 \end{cases} \quad \begin{aligned} 2ab &= -56 \\ a &= -\frac{28}{b} \end{aligned}$$

$$\left(-\frac{28}{b}\right)^2 - b^2 = 33$$

$$\frac{784}{b^2} - b^2 = 33$$

$$\frac{784 - b^4}{b^2} = 33 \quad \rightarrow \quad b \neq 0$$

$$784 - b^4 = 33b^2$$

$$0 = -b^4 - 33b^2 + 784$$

$$\text{substitute } u = b^2 \quad \therefore \quad u^2 = b^4 \quad \rightarrow \text{Substitution}$$

$$0 = -u^2 - 33u + 784 \quad \rightarrow \text{use quadratic formula}$$

$$u = \frac{33 \pm \sqrt{(-33)^2 + 4(784)}}{2}$$

$$x = \frac{-b \pm \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a}$$

$$u = \frac{33 \pm 65}{-2}$$

$$u = -49, \quad u = 16 \quad \text{reverse substitution}$$

$$\begin{aligned} b^2 &= -49 \\ &= 7i, -7i \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} b^2 &= 16 \\ &= 4, -4 \end{aligned}$$

$$b = \{-7i, -4, 4, 7i\}$$

QUESTION ASKS FOR 1 SOLUTION. ARBITRARILY CHOOSE $b = 7i$

$$2(a)(7i) = -56$$

$$14ai = -56$$

$$a = -\frac{56}{14}i$$

$$\boxed{a = -4i}, \quad \boxed{b = 7i}$$

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$$(c) \sqrt{-32i} = a + bi$$

SQUARE BOTH SIDES

$$\begin{aligned} -32i &= (a + bi)^2 \\ -32i &= a^2 + 2abi + b^2i^2 \\ -32i &= a^2 + 2abi - b^2 \\ (-32i - 2abi) &= a^2 - b^2 \\ -(32 + 2ab)i &= a^2 - b^2 \end{aligned}$$

REWRITE $(-32 - 2ab)i = a^2 - b^2$ IN STANDARD COMPLEX FORM

$$0 + (-32 - 2ab)i = (a^2 - b^2) + 0i$$

REWRITE AS A SYSTEM OF EQUATIONS

$$0 = a^2 - b^2$$

$$0 = -32 - 2ab \rightarrow \text{ISOLATE } a$$

$$32 = -2ab$$

$$a = -\frac{16}{b}$$

$$0 = \left(-\frac{16}{b}\right)^2 - b^2$$

$$0 = \frac{256}{b^2} - b^2$$

MULTIPLY BOTH SIDES BY b^2

$$0 = 256 - b^4$$

$$b = \{-4, 4\}$$

$$\Rightarrow a = -\frac{16}{-4} = 4$$

$$a = -\frac{16}{4} = -4$$

 $\therefore \rightarrow$

$$\boxed{\begin{cases} a = 4 \\ b = -4 \end{cases} \text{ OR } \begin{cases} a = -4 \\ b = 4 \end{cases}}$$

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(F) Do all elements \mathbb{F}_4 have cube roots? $0 \rightarrow$ has cube root of 0 AND $0^3 = 0$ $1 \rightarrow$ has cube root of 1 AND $1^3 = 1$

$$\begin{aligned} a^3 &= a \cdot a \cdot a & b^3 &= b \cdot b \cdot a \\ &= b \cdot a & &= a \cdot a \\ &= 1 & &= b \end{aligned}$$

THEREFORE ALL ELEMENTS HAVE CUBE ROOTS, BUT THEY ARE NOT UNIQUE BECAUSE IN \mathbb{F}_4 , $\sqrt[3]{1} = 1$ AND $\sqrt[3]{a} = 1$ (G) How many solutions does the equation $x^4 + x = 0$ have in \mathbb{F}_4 ? 0 is a solution 1 is not a solution

$$a: a^4 + a = 0$$

$$a \cdot a \cdot a \cdot a + a = 0$$

$$b \cdot b + a = 0$$

$$a + a = 0$$

$$0 = 0$$

 a is a solution

$$b: b^4 + b = 0$$

$$b \cdot b \cdot b \cdot b + b = 0$$

$$a \cdot a + b = 0$$

$$b + b = 0$$

$$0 = 0$$

 b is a solutionSolutions: $\{0, a, b\}$, so there are 3 solutionsCONTINUED ON PAGE #14 \Rightarrow

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(h) $x^5 + x = a \Rightarrow$ How many solutions in \mathbb{F}_4 ?

0 is not a solution

1 is not a solution

$$a^5 + a = a$$

$$a \cdot a \cdot a \cdot a \cdot a + a = a$$

$$b \cdot b \cdot a + a = a$$

$$a \cdot a + a = a$$

$$b + a = a$$

$$1 = a$$

a is not a solution

$$b^5 + b = a$$

$$b \cdot b \cdot b \cdot b \cdot b + b = a$$

$$a \cdot a \cdot b + b = a$$

$$b \cdot b + b = 0$$

$$a + a = 0$$

$$0 = 0$$

b is the only solution

#14

(a) Find all $x \in \mathbb{F}_7$ such that $5 + x = 0$

$$x = 2$$

(b) Find all $x \in \mathbb{F}_7$ such that $3 \cdot x = 1$

$$x = 5$$

(c) Find all $x \in \mathbb{F}_7$ such that $x^2 = 1$

$$x = \{1, 6\}$$

(d) Do all elements of \mathbb{F}_7 have square roots? No. Only $\{0, 1, 2, 4\}$ in \mathbb{F}_7 have square roots0 only has 1 square root, $\{1, 2, 4\}$ all have 23, 5, 6 have no square roots CONTINUED ON PAGE #15 \Rightarrow

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e) Find all $x \in \mathbb{F}_7$ such that $x^3 = 6$

0, 1, 3, 6 can be excluded, because 0 and 1 won't work
 2: $2 \cdot 2 \cdot 2 = 6$ and 3 & 7 are given.

$$4 \cdot 2 = 6$$

$$1 = 6 \quad 2 \text{ is not a solution}$$

$$4: 4 \cdot 4 \cdot 4 = 6$$

$$2 \cdot 4 = 6$$

$$1 = 6 \quad 4 \text{ is not a solution}$$

$$5: 5 \cdot 5 \cdot 5 = 6$$

$$4 \cdot 5 = 6$$

$$6 = 6 \quad \boxed{5 \text{ is a solution}}$$

f) ~~From part e~~ Do all elements of \mathbb{F}_7 have cube roots?

From part e above; and common sense:

$$0^3 = 0$$

$$1^3 = 1$$

$$2^3 = 1$$

$$3^3 = 6$$

$$4^3 = 1$$

$$5^3 = 6$$

$$6^3 = 6$$

Only 0, 1, and 6 have cube roots

In \mathbb{F}_7 the following have no cube roots:

$$\{2, 3, 4, 5\}$$

g) Solutions for $x^4 + x = 0$ in \mathbb{F}_7 :

0 is a solution. ~~Actually the only solution.~~

$$1: 1^4 = 1^3 \cdot 1 = 1 + 1 = 2, \text{ not a solution}$$

$$2: 2^4 = 2^3 \cdot 2 = 1 \cdot 2 = 2, \quad 2 + 2 = 4 \text{ not a solution}$$

$$3: 3^4 = 3^3 \cdot 3 = 6 \cdot 3 = 4, \quad 3 + 4 = 0 \therefore 3 \text{ is a solution}$$

$$4: 4^4 = 4^3 \cdot 4 = 1 \cdot 4 = 4, \quad 4 + 4 = 1 \text{ not a solution}$$

$$5: 5^4 = 5^3 \cdot 5 = 6 \cdot 5 = 2, \quad 2 + 5 = 0 \therefore 5 \text{ is a solution}$$

$$6: 6^4 = 6^3 \cdot 6 = 6 \cdot 6 = 1, \quad 6 + 1 = 0 \therefore 6 \text{ is a solution}$$

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⑧ How many solutions are there in \mathbb{F}_7 for equation $x^5 + x = 2$?

0: Not a solution

1: Is a solution

2: $(2^5) + 2 = 2$

$2^4 \cdot 2 + 2 = 2$

$2 + 2 = 2$

 $4 \neq 2$ not a solution

4: $4^5 + 4 = 2$

$4 \cdot 4 \cdot 4 \cdot 4 \cdot 4 + 4 = 2$

$2 \cdot 2 \cdot 4 + 4 = 2$

$4 \cdot 4 + 4 = 2$

$2 + 4 = 2$

 $6 \neq 2$ not a solution

6: $6^5 + 6 = 2$

$6 \cdot 6 \cdot 6 \cdot 6 \cdot 6 + 6 = 2$

$1 \cdot 1 \cdot 6 + 6 = 2$

$1 \cdot 6 + 6 = 2$

$6 + 6 = 2$

 $5 \neq 2$ not a solution.

3: $3^5 + 3 = 2$

$3 \cdot 3 \cdot 3 \cdot 3 \cdot 3 + 3 = 2$

$2 \cdot 2 \cdot 3 + 3 = 2$

$4 \cdot 3 + 3 = 2$

$5 + 3 = 2$

 $1 \neq 2$ not a solution

5: $5^5 + 5 = 2$

$5 \cdot 5 \cdot 5 \cdot 5 \cdot 5 + 5 = 2$

$4 \cdot 4 \cdot 5 + 5 = 2$

$2 \cdot 5 + 5 = 2$

$3 + 5 = 2$

 $1 \neq 2$ not a solution

$\therefore \rightarrow$ Only 1 solution