

# VE203 Assignment 3

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## Exercise 3.1

- i) (i)  $a \cdot (b \cdot c) = (a \cdot b) \cdot c$  for all  $a, b, c \in S$   
(ii)  $1 \in S$  satisfies  $a \cdot 1 = 1 \cdot a = a$  for all  $a \in S$   
(iii)  $|z| = 1 \Rightarrow z = x + yi (x^2 + y^2 = 1)$  for every  $a = x + yi \in S$  there exists an element  $a^{-1} = x - yi \in S$  such that  $a \cdot a^{-1} = a^{-1} \cdot a = 1$

So it is proved.

- ii) (i)  $a \cdot (b \cdot c) = (a \cdot b) \cdot c$  for all  $a, b, c \in S$   
(ii)  $1 \in S$  satisfies  $a \cdot 1 = 1 \cdot a = a$  for all  $a \in S$   
(iii)  $z^n = 1 \Rightarrow |z|^n = 1 \Rightarrow |z| = 1 \Rightarrow z = x + yi (x^2 + y^2 = 1)$   
for every  $a = x + yi \in S (x^2 + y^2 = 1)$  there exists an element  $a^{-1} = x - yi \in S$  such that  $a \cdot a^{-1} = a^{-1} \cdot a = 1$

So it is proved.

## Exercise 3.2

- i) (i)  $A \cdot (B \cdot C) = (A \cdot B) \cdot C$  for all  $A, B, C \in S$   
(ii)

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

$E \in S$  satisfies  $A \cdot E = E \cdot A = A$  for all  $A \in S$

(iii)

$$A^T = \begin{pmatrix} \cos \varphi & \sin \varphi \\ -\sin \varphi & \cos \varphi \end{pmatrix} \text{ When } \varphi = -\varphi_0$$

$$A \cdot A^T = \begin{pmatrix} \cos^2 \varphi + \sin^2 \varphi & 0 \\ 0 & \cos^2 \varphi + \sin^2 \varphi \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

for every  $A \in S$  there exists an element  $A^{-1} = A^T \in S$  such that  $A \cdot A^{-1} = A^{-1} \cdot A = E$

So it is proved.

- ii) (a) (i)  $A \cdot (B \cdot C) = (A \cdot B) \cdot C$  for all  $A, B, C \in SL$   
(ii)

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

$E \in SL$  satisfies  $A \cdot E = E \cdot A = A$  for all  $A \in SL$

(iii)

$$\det(A) = \det(A^T) = 1$$

$$A \cdot A^T = E$$

for every  $A \in SL$  there exists an element  $A^{-1} = A^T \in SL$  such that  $A \cdot A^{-1} = A^{-1} \cdot A = E$

So it is proved.

(b) (i)  $A \cdot (B \cdot C) = (A \cdot B) \cdot C$  for all  $A, B, C \in O$

(ii)

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

$E \in O$  satisfies  $A \cdot E = E \cdot A = A$  for all  $A \in O$

(iii)

$$A \cdot A^T = E$$

for every  $A \in O$  there exists an element  $A^{-1} = A^T \in O$  such that  $A \cdot A^{-1} = A^{-1} \cdot A = E$

So it is proved.

(c) (i)  $A \cdot (B \cdot C) = (A \cdot B) \cdot C$  for all  $A, B, C \in SO$

(ii)

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

$E \in SO$  satisfies  $A \cdot E = E \cdot A = A$  for all  $A \in SO$

(iii)

$$\det(A) = \det(A^T) = 1$$

$$A \cdot A^T = E$$

for every  $A \in O$  there exists an element  $A^{-1} = A^T \in SO$  such that  $A \cdot A^{-1} = A^{-1} \cdot A = E$

So it is proved.

### Exercise 3.3

i) reflexive:  $2|a - a$  is true for all  $a \in Z$

symmetric: if  $2|a - b$  is true, then  $2|b - a$  is true for all  $a, b \in Z$

transitive: if  $2|a - b$  and  $2|b - c$  is true, then  $2|a - b + b - c$  is true, so  $2|a - c$  is true for all  $a, b, c \in Z$

ii)  $\{2Z, 2Z + 1\}$

iii) Let  $m_1, m_2 = m_1 + 2a \in m, n_1, n_2 = n_1 + 2b \in n, 2|n_1 - n_2, 2|m_1 - m_2$

$$2|n_1 - n_2 + m_1 - m_2 \iff 2|(m_1 + n_1) - (m_2 + n_2)$$

$$[m] + [n] := [m + n]$$

$$m_1n_1 - m_2n_2 = -4ab - 2m_1b - 2n_1a$$

$$2 \mid -4ab - 2m_1b - 2n_1a$$

$$[m] \cdot [n] := [m \cdot n]$$

### Exercise 3.4

Suppose  $c = \gcd(a, b)$ , then  $a = cm$ ,  $b = cn$  where  $m, n \in \mathbb{N}^*$  and  $\gcd(m, n) = 1$

$n = ax + by = (mx + ny)c$  where  $mx + ny \in \mathbb{Z}$

So all elements in  $\mathbb{T}$  are integer multiples of  $\gcd(a, b)$

According to Theorem 1.6.7,  $c \mid a$  and  $c \mid b$  implies  $c \mid (ax + by)$  for any  $x, y \in \mathbb{Z}$ . So it is proved.

### Exercise 3.5

When  $n = 3k$ ,  $n^2 = 3(3k^2)$ , which is divided

When  $n = 3k + 1$ ,  $n^2 = 3(3k^2 + 2k) + 1$

When  $n = 3k + 2$ ,  $n^2 = 3(3k^2 + 4k + 1) + 1$

So it is proved.

### Exercise 3.6

Suppose  $c = \gcd(a, a + n)$ , then  $a = qb$ ,  $a + n = qc$

$n = q(c - b)$ , so  $c$  divides  $n$

When  $n = 1$ ,  $\gcd(a, a + 1)$  divides 1, so  $a$  and  $a + 1$  are always relatively prime.

### Exercise 3.7

i)

$$72 = 1 \cdot 56 + 16$$

$$56 = 3 \cdot 16 + 8$$

$$16 = 8 \cdot 2 + 0$$

$$d = \gcd(56, 72) = 8$$

$$8 = 56 - 3 \cdot (72 - 56) = 4 \cdot 56 - 3 \cdot 72$$

$$20 \cdot 56 - 15 \cdot 72 = 40$$

$$x = 20 + \frac{72}{8}t = 20 + 9t$$

$$y = 15 - \frac{56}{8}t = 15 - 7t$$

ii)

$$439 = 5 \cdot 84 + 19$$

$$84 = 4 \cdot 19 + 8$$

$$19 = 2 \cdot 8 + 3$$

$$8 = 2 \cdot 3 + 2$$

$$3 = 1 \cdot 2 + 1$$

$$d = \gcd(84, 439) = 1$$

$$1 = 3 - 2 = 3 - (8 - 2 \cdot 3) = -8 + 3(19 - 2 \cdot 8) = 3 \cdot 19 - 7(84 - 4 \cdot 19) = -7 \cdot 84 + 31(439 - 5 \cdot 84) = 31 \cdot 439 - 162 \cdot 84$$

$$-25272 \cdot 84 - (-4836) \cdot 439 = 156$$

$$x = -25272 + 439t$$

$$y = -4836 + 84t$$

### Exercise 3.8

i) Since  $\gcd(a, b) = 1 | c$ , we can apply Theorem 1.6.26

The general solution of  $ax + by = c$  is

$$x = x_0 + \frac{b}{d}$$

$$y = y_0 - \frac{a}{d}$$

where  $x_0, y_0$  is a solution to  $ax + by = c$

Let  $b' = -b$ , the general solution of  $ax - by = c$  is

$$x = -x_0 - \frac{b}{d}$$

$$y = -y_0 - \frac{a}{d}$$

ii)

$$158 = 2 \cdot 57 + 44$$

$$57 = 1 \cdot 44 + 13$$

$$44 = 3 \cdot 13 + 5$$

$$13 = 2 \cdot 5 + 3$$

$$5 = 1 \cdot 3 + 2$$

$$d = \gcd(158, 57) = 1$$

$$1 = -5 + 2(13 - 2 \cdot 5) = 2 \cdot 13 - 5(44 - 3 \cdot 13) = -5 \cdot 44 + 17(57 - 44) = 17 \cdot 57 - 22 \cdot (158 - 2 \cdot 57) = -22 \cdot 158 + 61 \cdot 57$$

$$-154 \cdot 158 - (-427) \cdot 57 = 7$$

$$x = -154 + 57t$$

$$y = -4276 + 158t$$

### Exercise 3.9

- i) Suppose  $a = 3k_1 + 1$ ,  $b = 3k_2 + 1$ , then

$$ab = (3k_1 + 1)(3k_2 + 1) = 3(3k_1k_2 + k_1 + k_2) + 1$$

Suppose a member of the set is not a prime, the number can be expressed by two members of the set. If either of the factor numbers isn't a prime, it can be expressed by another two members of the set. This procedure will last until all of the factor numbers are prime, so the number is a product of primes.

- ii)

$$100 = 10 \cdot 10 = 4 \cdot 25$$

### Exercise 3.10

- i)  $(4k + 3) \mid 4 \cdot (3 \cdot 7 \cdots p)$ , which means  $4k + 3 \mid d + 1$

Suppose there exist a prime of form  $(4k + 3) \mid d$ ,  $\gcd(d, d + 1) \geq 4k + 3$ , but according to Exercise 3.6,  $\gcd(d, d + 1) = 1$ , so it is impossible, no prime of this form divides  $d$

- ii)  $d = 4 \cdot (3 \cdot 7 \cdots (p - 1)) + 3$ , which is in the form of  $4k + 3$

According to i), no prime of the form  $4k + 3$  divides  $d$ , so if it can be divided, the factors of  $d$  can only be  $4k + 1$  (since it is an odd number). Suppose  $a = 4k_1 + 1$ ,  $b = 4k_2 + 1$ ,  $ab = 4(4k_1k_2 + k_1 + k_2) + 1$ , which is in the form of  $4k + 1$ . So the product of numbers in the form of  $4k + 1$  will never be in the form of  $4k + 3$ . It suggests that  $d$ , which is in the form of  $4k + 3$ , can't be divided by  $4k + 1$

- iii) According to i), ii),  $d$  is an odd and no odd prime numbers divides  $d$ , which means  $d$  is a prime number. Since  $d > p$ , we can choose  $d$  as a prime number to form another  $d' = 4 \cdot (3 \cdot 7 \cdots d)$ , and  $d'$  is also a prime number. Repeat the procedure infinitely and we can get infinite number of primes of the form  $4k + 3$