

Ex 8.)

Euler's criterion

Let  $p > 2$  be a prime number $c \in \mathbb{Z}_p^*$  is a QR mod  $p$ 

// Prop 9.2

$$\Leftrightarrow c^{\frac{p-1}{2}} \equiv 1 \pmod{p}$$

Proof:

 $\boxed{u \Rightarrow v}$  (Assume)  $c$  is a QR mod  $p$  (holds)

$$(if) \Rightarrow \exists x \in \mathbb{Z}_p^* : x^2 \equiv c \pmod{p} \quad // \text{c.f. Def. 9.1}$$

$$\Rightarrow (x^2)^{\frac{p-1}{2}} \equiv c^{\frac{p-1}{2}} \pmod{p}$$

$$\Rightarrow x^{p-1} \stackrel{\text{Fermat}}{\equiv} 1 \pmod{p}$$

 $\boxed{v \Leftarrow u}$ (Assume)  $c^{\frac{p-1}{2}} \equiv 1 \pmod{p}$  (holds)

(only if)

(to assure the assumption) let  $y$  be a PE mod  $p$ 

$$\Rightarrow c \equiv y^j \pmod{p} \quad // y \text{ is a generator of } \mathbb{Z}_p^* // \text{Def. 7.1}$$

$$c^{\frac{p-1}{2}} \equiv (y^j)^{\frac{p-1}{2}} \stackrel{!}{\equiv} 1 \pmod{p}$$

Fermat:

$$\Rightarrow p-1 \mid j \cdot (p-1)/2$$

$$\Rightarrow j \text{ must be even!}$$

$$\exists x \in \mathbb{Z}_p^* : x \equiv y^{j/2} \pmod{p}$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 \equiv y^j \pmod{p}$$

$$\Rightarrow c \text{ is a QR mod } p \quad \square$$

Ex 8.)

Rabin cryptosystem

• Decipher  $c = 1935$  given  $n = 4757$

a.) find the private key by factoring

Quadratic Sieve

$$\sqrt{n} = \sqrt{4757} < 69$$

$$\text{try } p = 67 \Rightarrow 67 \cdot 71 = 4757 \Rightarrow q = 71$$

b.)

Decipher  $m = \sqrt{c} \pmod{n}$

1.) check if  $p, q \equiv 3 \pmod{4}$  ✓

2.) Compute square roots  $\pmod{p}$ ,  $\pmod{q}$

$$k_p = \frac{p-1}{4} = 17, \quad k_q = \frac{q-1}{4} = 18$$

$$\pm x_1 = 1935^{17} \pmod{67} = \begin{cases} 40 \\ 67-40=27 \end{cases}$$

$$\pm x_2 = 1935^{18} \pmod{71} = \begin{cases} 36 \\ 71-36=35 \end{cases}$$

3.) find  $\sqrt{c} \pmod{n} = m$

$f = a \cdot x + b \cdot y$  solves  $f^2 \equiv c \pmod{n}$

$$a = t \cdot q, \quad b = s \cdot p$$

$$\Rightarrow t \cdot q + s \cdot p \stackrel{\text{EEA}}{=} 1 \Rightarrow 1 = 17 \cdot 71 - 18 \cdot 67 \\ = t \cdot q + s \cdot p$$

$$a = t \cdot q = 17 \cdot 71 = 1207 \pmod{n}$$

$$b = -s \cdot p = -18 \cdot 67 = -1206 \pmod{n}$$

$$m_1 = a(+x_1) + b(+x_2) = 107 \pmod{n}$$

$$m_2 = a(+x_1) + b(+x_2) = 1313 \pmod{n}$$

$$m_3 = a(-x_1) + b(+x_2) = 3444 \pmod{n}$$

$$m_4 = a(-x_1) + b(-x_2) = 4650 \pmod{n}$$

last two digits must be 1:

$$\text{binary: } m_1 = 00000011010\underline{11}$$

$$m_2 = 0010100100001$$

$$m_3 = \dots$$

$$\boxed{\text{check: } \forall i: m_i^2 \equiv \underbrace{1935}_6 \pmod{n}}$$

Ex 10.)

a.) If  $x \equiv -x \pmod{p}$ , then  $x \equiv 0 \pmod{p}$

$$-x \equiv x \pmod{p}$$

$$\stackrel{+x}{\Leftrightarrow} 0 \equiv 2x \pmod{p} \quad 2 \in \mathbb{Z}_p^*$$

$$\stackrel{1 \cdot 2^{-1}}{\Leftrightarrow} 0 \equiv x \pmod{p} \quad \square$$

b.) Given  $x, y \not\equiv 0 \pmod{p}$  and  $x^2 \equiv y^2 \pmod{p^2}$

proof: show that  $x \equiv \pm y \pmod{p^2}$

first rewrite and use power rules

$$x \equiv \pm y \pmod{p^2} \Leftrightarrow x \pm y \equiv 0 \pmod{p^2}$$

$$p^2 \mid (x^2 - y^2) \Leftrightarrow p^2 \mid (x+y)(x-y)$$

$p^2$  can have 3 divisors:  $\{1, p, p^2\}$

$\boxed{\text{Assume for some } a, b, c \text{ that}}$

$$a \mid bc, \text{ if } \gcd(a, b) = 1 \Rightarrow a \mid c$$

$$\boxed{\text{set } a = p^2, b = x-y, c = x+y}$$

$$1.) \text{ If } \gcd(p^2, x-y) = 1 \Rightarrow p^2 \mid (x+y) \\ \Rightarrow x \equiv -y \pmod{p^2}$$

$$2.) \text{ If } \gcd(p^2, x+y) = 1 \Rightarrow p^2 \mid (x-y) \Rightarrow x \equiv y \pmod{p^2}$$

$$3.) \text{ if } \gcd(p^2, x-y) = p^2 \Rightarrow p^2 \mid (x-y) \left. \vphantom{\begin{array}{l} 3.) \\ 4.) \end{array}} \right\} x \equiv \pm y \pmod{p^2}$$

$$4.) \text{ if } \gcd(p^2, x+y) = p^2 \Rightarrow p^2 \mid (x+y)$$

$$5.) \text{ if } \gcd(p^2, x-y) = p \Rightarrow p \mid p^2 \wedge p \mid (x-y) \left. \vphantom{\begin{array}{l} 5.) \\ 6.) \end{array}} \right\} x \equiv \pm y \pmod{p}$$

$$6.) \text{ if } \gcd(p^2, x+y) = p \Rightarrow p \mid p^2 \wedge p \mid (x+y)$$

but as 5.) and 6.) imply  $p \mid (x+y) \cdot (x-y)$

$$\Rightarrow x \equiv -x \pmod{p}$$

$$\Rightarrow x, y \equiv 0 \pmod{p}$$

but  $x, y \not\equiv 0 \pmod{p}$  by assumption

$\Rightarrow$  1.), 2.), 3.), 4.) are the remaining solutions

$$x \equiv \pm y \pmod{p^2}$$

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c.) [on the web]