

Mandatory Exercise 7

Computationally hard problems

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1 Exercise 7.4

In order to show the Jacobi symbol of $\left[\frac{773}{1373}\right]$ we follow the rules outlined in the lecture notes Theorem 5.23. We note that we are also given that $\gcd(773, 1373) = 1$.

On the left side of the : we have which rule we utilized, and on the right side the calculation and result.

$$I3 : \quad (-1)^{\frac{772}{2} \times \frac{1372}{2}} \left[\frac{1373}{773}\right] = \left[\frac{1373}{773}\right] \quad (1)$$

$$I2 : \quad 1373 \bmod 773 = \left[\frac{600}{773}\right] \quad (2)$$

$$I1 : \quad \left[\frac{300}{773}\right] \left[\frac{2}{773}\right] = \left[\frac{300}{773}\right](-1) \quad (3)$$

$$I1 : \quad \left[\frac{150}{773}\right](-1) \times \left[\frac{2}{773}\right] = \left[\frac{150}{773}\right] \quad (4)$$

$$I1 : \quad \left[\frac{75}{773}\right] \times \left[\frac{2}{773}\right] = \left[\frac{75}{773}\right](-1) \quad (5)$$

$$I3 : \quad (-1)(-1)^{\frac{74}{2} \times \frac{772}{2}} \left[\frac{773}{75}\right] = \left[\frac{773}{75}\right](-1) \quad (6)$$

$$I2 : \quad 773 \bmod 75 = \left[\frac{23}{75}\right](-1) \quad (7)$$

$$I3 : \quad (-1)^{\frac{22}{2} \times \frac{74}{2}} \left[\frac{75}{23}\right] = \left[\frac{75}{23}\right] \quad (8)$$

$$I2 : \quad 75 \bmod 23 = \left[\frac{6}{23}\right] \quad (9)$$

$$I1 : \quad \left[\frac{3}{23}\right] \times \left[\frac{2}{23}\right] = \left[\frac{3}{23}\right] \quad (10)$$

$$I3 : \quad (-1)^{\frac{2}{2} \times \frac{22}{2}} \left[\frac{23}{3}\right] = \left[\frac{23}{3}\right](-1) \quad (11)$$

$$I2 : \quad 23 \bmod 3 = \left[\frac{2}{3}\right](-1) \quad (12)$$

$$I5 : \quad 3 \bmod 8 = 1 \quad (13)$$

We see that the Jacobi symbol for $\left[\frac{773}{1373}\right]$ is 1.