

Quiz I

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QUESTION 1. (8 points) i) Find the $\gcd(121, 220)$, show the work

$$\begin{array}{r}
 121 \overline{) 220} \\
 \underline{121} \\
 99 \\
 99 \overline{) 121} \\
 \underline{99} \\
 22
 \end{array}
 \quad
 \begin{array}{r}
 22 \overline{) 99} \\
 \underline{88} \\
 11 \\
 11 \overline{) 22} \\
 \underline{22} \\
 0 \rightarrow \text{stop}
 \end{array}$$

$\gcd(121, 220) = 11$ ✓

ii) Find the $\text{LCM}[121, 220]$, show the work

$$= \frac{(121)(220)}{\gcd(121, 220)} = \frac{(121)(220)}{11} = \underline{2420} \quad \checkmark$$

QUESTION 2. (6 points) i) Solve $8x = 12$ over the planet \mathbb{Z}_{20}

$\gcd(a, n) = \gcd(8, 20) = 4$

Is 4 a factor of 12? Yes $\Rightarrow 4$ solutions

$d = \frac{n}{\gcd(a, n)} = \frac{20}{4} = 5$

Solution set = $\{4, 9, 14, 19\}$ ✓

ii) Let $D = \{1 \leq a < 500\}$. Find $|D|$.

$n = 500 = 250 \times 2 = 25 \times 10 \times 2 = 5 \times 5 \times 5 \times 2 \times 2 = 5^3 \times 2^2$

$|D| = \phi(500) = 5^2(5-1) \times 2^1(2-1) = \underline{200}$ ✓

QUESTION 3. i) Find $-47 \pmod{19}$

$= 19 - (47 \pmod{19}) = 19 - 9 = \underline{10}$ ans ✓

ii) Find $203 \pmod{23}$

$$\begin{array}{r}
 23 \overline{) 203} \\
 \underline{184} \\
 19 \text{ ans}
 \end{array}$$

$203 \pmod{23} = \underline{19}$ ✓

$$125 = 5^3$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 125 \\ \uparrow \\ 5 \cdot 5 \cdot 5 \end{array}$$

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$$\gcd(2, 125) = 1 \Rightarrow 2^{\phi(n)} \equiv 1 \pmod{125}$$

$$\phi(5^3) = 5^2(5-1) = 100$$

$$2006 = 16(125) + 6$$

QUESTION 1. (4 points) Find $2^{2006} \pmod{125}$, show the work

$$2^{2006} \pmod{125} = 2^{\cancel{16(125)} + 6} \pmod{125}$$

$$\equiv 2^{20(100) + 6} \pmod{125} \equiv 1 \cdot 2^6 \pmod{125}$$

$$\equiv 64 \pmod{125} = 64$$

$$2^{\phi(125)} \equiv 1 \pmod{125}$$

$$2^{\phi(5^3)} \equiv 1 \pmod{125}$$

$$2^{100} \equiv 1 \pmod{125}$$

QUESTION 2. (4 points) (direct proof). Let x, y be odd integers. Prove that $x + y + 49$ is an odd integer.

Suppose that x, y are odd. Then there exists $m, n \in \mathbb{Z}$ such that

$$x = 2m + 1 \text{ and } y = 2n + 1. \text{ Then we have that } x + y + 49 = 2m + 2n + 50$$

which can be written as $2(m + n + 25) + 1$ which is by definition odd as $m + n + 25 \in \mathbb{Z}$.

QUESTION 3. (4 points) (contradiction) Let x be an irrational number. Prove that $7x + 10$ is irrational.

Suppose that x is irrational. Now assume that $7x + 10$ is rational.

$$\text{This implies that } 7x + 10 = \frac{p}{q} \text{ for some } p, q \in \mathbb{Z}, q \neq 0.$$

This then implies that $x = \frac{p}{7q} - \frac{10}{7} = \frac{p - 10q}{7q}$, which is a contradiction as x is irrational. $7x + 10$ must be irrational.

QUESTION 4. (8 points) Find the smallest positive integer x such that $x \pmod{21} = 11$ and $x \pmod{5} = 4$. Show the work.

Note that $\gcd(21, 5) = 1$, hence we may apply the Chinese remainder theorem.

$$x \equiv 11 \pmod{21} \quad (r_1, m_1)$$

$$x \equiv 4 \pmod{5} \quad (r_2, m_2)$$

$$1. \text{ Let } n_1 = \frac{21 \cdot 5}{21} = 5$$

$$\frac{85}{5} = 17$$

$$5 \pmod{21} = 5$$

$$\Rightarrow 5^{-1} \text{ in } \mathbb{Z}_{21} = 17$$

$$x = 5 \cdot 17 \cdot 11 + 21 \cdot 1 \cdot 4 \pmod{105}$$

$$= 1019 \pmod{105}$$

$$2. \text{ Let } n_2 = \frac{5 \cdot 21}{5} = 21$$

$$x = 64 \cdot 74$$

$$21 \pmod{5} = 1$$

$$1^{-1} \text{ in } \mathbb{Z}_5 = 1$$

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QUESTION 1. (10 points) Use the 4th method and prove that $\sqrt{15}$ is an irrational number.

Deny. $\sqrt{15}$ is rational.

$$\sqrt{15} = \frac{a}{b} \quad 15 = \frac{a^2}{b^2}$$

$$a^2, b^2 \in \mathbb{Z} \quad b \neq 0$$

$$15 = \frac{(2n+1)^2}{(2m+1)^2}$$

~~a^2, b^2~~ a^2 is odd, a is odd
 b^2 is odd, b is odd

$$a = 2n+1 \quad b = 2m+1$$

$$m, n \in \mathbb{Z}$$

$$15(4m^2 + 4m + 1) = 4n^2 + 4n + 1$$

$$4 \cdot 15m^2 + 4 \cdot 15m + 15 = 4n^2 + 4n + 1$$

$$4 \cdot 15m^2 + 4 \cdot 15m + 14 = 4n^2 + 4n$$

$$\underbrace{15m^2 + 15m + \frac{7}{2}}_{\text{not integer}} = \underbrace{\frac{n^2 + n}{4}}_{\text{integer}}$$

A contradiction. Hence, $\sqrt{15}$ is irrational.

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QUESTION 2. (10 points) Use math induction and prove $\sum_{i=1}^n \frac{1}{i(i+1)} = \frac{n}{n+1}$. i.e. show that $n \geq 1$

$$\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{6} + \dots + \frac{1}{n(n+1)} = \frac{n}{n+1}$$

1- Prove for smallest $n, n=1$. $\sum_{i=1}^1 \frac{1}{i(i+1)} = \frac{1}{2}$, $\frac{n}{n+1} = \frac{1}{1+1} = \frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{1}{2} = \frac{1}{2}$.

2- Assume $\sum_{i=1}^n \frac{1}{i(i+1)} = \frac{n}{n+1}$ for some $n \geq 1$

$$3. \sum_{i=1}^{n+1} \frac{1}{i(i+1)} = \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{1}{i(i+1)} + \frac{1}{(n+1)(n+2)} = \frac{n}{n+1} + \frac{1}{(n+1)(n+2)} = \frac{n(n+2) + 1}{(n+2)(n+1)}$$

↳ replace from step 2.

$$= \frac{n^2 + 2n + 1}{(n+2)(n+1)}$$

$$= \frac{(n+1)^2}{(n+2)(n+1)} = \frac{n+1}{n+2}$$

Proved $\sum_{i=1}^n \frac{1}{i(i+1)} = \frac{n}{n+1}$ by induction.

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QUESTION 1. (7 points) Use math induction and prove $6 \mid [n(n+2)(n+4)]$, for every EVEN integer $n \geq 2$.

1- Show true for smallest n , $n=2$

$2(4)(6) = 6(8)$, factor of 6. ✓

2- Assume $6 \mid [n(n+2)(n+4)]$ for some even integer $n \geq 2$. ✓

3- Prove.

$$(n+2)(n+4)(n+6) = \frac{n(n+2)(n+4)}{\text{factor of 6 by step 2}} + \frac{6(n+2)(n+4)}{\text{factor of 6}}$$

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Hence, proved by math induction.

QUESTION 2. (6 points) Use truth table and show $S_1 \Rightarrow S_2 \equiv S_1 \cdot \overline{S_2}$.

S_1	S_2	$S_1 \Rightarrow S_2$	$\overline{S_1 \Rightarrow S_2}$	$S_1 \cdot \overline{S_2}$
1	1	1	0	0
1	0	0	1	1
0	1	1	0	0
0	0	1	0	0

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QUESTION 3. (7 points) Use math induction and prove $\sum_{i=1}^n (4i+3) = n(2n+5)$, for every $n \geq 1$.

1- Prove for smallest n , $n=1$

$\sum_{i=1}^1 4i+3 = 7$, $1(2+5) = 7$ $7=7$ ✓

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2- Assume $\sum_{i=1}^n (4i+3) = n(2n+5)$ for some $n \geq 1$. ✓

3- Proof $\sum_{i=1}^{n+1} (4i+3) = (n+1)(2n+7)$

$$\sum_{i=1}^{n+1} (4i+3) = \underbrace{\sum_{i=1}^n (4i+3)}_{\text{replace by } \#2} + 4n+7 = n(2n+5) + 4n+7 = 2n^2 + 9n + 7 = (n+1)(2n+7)$$

✓

Hence, proved by math induction

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QUESTION 1. (8 points)

Let $A = \{2, \{2\}, 3, 5\}$, $B = \{3, 5, 6, \{3\}\}$. Find

(i) $A \cup B =$

$\{2, \{2\}, 3, 5, 6, \{3\}\}$ ✓

(ii) $A \cap B =$

$\{3, 5\}$ ✓

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(iii) $A - B =$

$\{2, \{2\}\}$ ✓

(iv) $B - A = \{6, \{3\}\}$ ✓

QUESTION 2. Let $A = \{3, \{1, 3\}, \{3\}\}$

a) (3 points) Write down all elements of $P(A)$.

$\phi = \{\}, \{\{3\}\}, \{\{1, 3\}\}, \{\{3\}, \{1, 3\}\}, \{3, \{1, 3\}\}, \{3, \{3\}\},$
 $\{\{1, 3\}, \{3\}\}, \{3, \{1, 3\}, \{3\}\}$ ✓ 3/3

b) (9 points) Write T or F

(i) $\{3\} \in A$ T ✓

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(ii) $\{3\} \subseteq A$ T ✓

(iii) $\{1, 3\} \in P(A)$ F

(iv) $\{3, \{1, 3\}\} \subseteq P(A)$ $3 \notin P(A)$. F ✓

(v) $\{\{3\}, \{1, 3\}\} \in P(A)$ T ✓

(vi) $\{\phi, \{3\}\} \subseteq P(A)$. $\{3\} \in P(A)$ & $\phi \in A$. T ✓

Faculty information

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$$\frac{19}{20} + 1 = \frac{20}{20}$$

QUESTION 1. (9 points) Write down T OR F

(i) $\exists! x \in Z$ such that $\forall y \in Z, yx^2 - 9y = 0$. F ✓
 $x=3$
 $x=-3$
 $9y - 9y = 0$

(ii) $\exists x \in Z$ such that $2x - 5 = 0$ iff $3y + 5 = 0$ for some $y \in Q$. F ✓
 $S_1 = F$ $x = \frac{5}{2} \notin Z$ $S_2 = T$ $y = -\frac{5}{3} \in Q$

(iii) $\forall y \in Z, \exists x \in Z$ such that $3x + y = 0$ iff $w^2 - 2 = 0$ for some $w \in Z$. T ✓
 $S_1 = F$ $x = -\frac{y}{3} \in Z$ $S_2 = F$ $w = \pm\sqrt{2} \notin Z$

(iv) $\forall y \in Q, \exists x \in Z^*$ such that $xy \in Z$. (note $Z^* = Z - \{0\}$) T ✓

(v) $\exists x \in Z$ such that $\forall y \in Z, 2xy - 6y = 0$ T ✓
 $x=3$ $6y - 6y = 0$

(vi) If $2x^2 - 8 = 0$ for some $x \in Z$, then $w^2 - 5 = 0$ for some $w \in R$. T ✓
 $S_1 = T$ $S_2 = T$

each = 1.5

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QUESTION 2. (10 points)

For $k = 6$ to $n^3 + 7$

$$x = 7 * k^5 + 3 * k^3 - 10 \quad \begin{matrix} 8 \rightarrow + \\ 2 \rightarrow +/- \end{matrix}$$

For $i = 1$ to k

$$y = x^7 + 2 * i^4 \quad \begin{matrix} 10 \rightarrow + \\ 1 \rightarrow + \end{matrix}$$

Next i

Next k

a) Find the exact number of the arithmetic operations that the code will execute.

b) Find $O(\text{code})$

outer loop

inner loop

of times it runs:
 $(n^3 + 7 - 6) + 1$
 $= (n^3 + 2)$ times

of times it runs:
 k times
 # of arithmetic op. %

$$66, \dots, 11(n^3 + 7)$$

of arithmetic op. %
 $10(n^3 + 2)$

$11k$

of total arithmetic op. % $(n^3 + 2) \left[\frac{66 + 11(n^3 + 7)}{2} \right] + 10(n^3 + 2)$

$O(\text{code}) = n^6$

$$\frac{10}{10}$$

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QUESTION 1. (14 points)

Given (*) $a_n = 6a_{n-1} - 9a_{n-2}$, where $a_1 = 0, a_2 = -9$.

(a) Find a general formula for a_n

HLR:

$$a_n - 6a_{n-1} + 9a_{n-2} = 0$$

$$\frac{x^n - 6x^{n-1} + 9x^{n-2}}{x^{n-2}} = 0$$

$$x^2 - 6x + 9 = 0$$

$$x_1 = 3 \quad x_2 = 3$$

$$a_h = C_1 (3)^n + C_2 n (3)^n$$

$$a_1 = 3C_1 + 3C_2 = 0$$

$$a_2 = 9C_1 + 18C_2 = -9$$

12 points

$$a_n = (1)3^n + (1)n(3)^n$$

$$a_n = 3^n - n(3)^n \rightarrow \text{general formula}$$

by calculator:

$$C_1 = 1 \quad C_2 = -1$$

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2 points (b) Use (*) and find a_3 . Then use (a) and find a_3 .

$$a_3 = 3^3 - (3)(3^3) = -54$$

$$a_3 = 6a_2 - 9a_1 = 6(-9) - 9(0) = -54$$

QUESTION 2. (6 points) Let $a_n = 6a_{n-1} - 9a_{n-2} + 12n + 18$. Find a general formula for a_n . Note that $a_h(n)$ is the same as in Q1. So find $a_p(n)$. Do not find c_1, c_2 .

Particular:

$$a_p = 12n + 18 = an + b$$

$$a_n - 6a_{n-1} + 9a_{n-2} = 12n + 18$$

$$an + b - 6(a(n-1) + b) + 9(a(n-2) + b) = 12n + 18$$

$$an + b - 6(an - a + b) + 9(an - 2a + b) = 12n + 18$$

$$an + b - 6an + 6a - 6b + 9an - 18a + 9b = 12n + 18$$

$$4an + 4b - 12a = 12n + 18$$

$$4a = 12 \quad 4b - 12a = 18 \rightarrow 4b = 54$$

$$a = 3 \quad b = \frac{27}{2}$$

$$a_p = 3n + \frac{27}{2}$$

$$a_n = a_h + a_p$$

$$a_n = 3^n - n(3)^n + 3n + \frac{27}{2}$$

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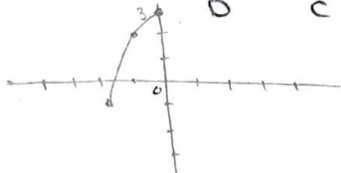
Quiz VIII, TR

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QUESTION 1. (10 points)

Let $f : [-2, 0] \rightarrow [-1, 3]$ such that $f(x) = -x^2 + 3$. DRAW the CURVE.

x	-2	-1	0
y	-1	2	3



range = $[-1, 3]$ ✓

a) Is f ONTO? explain briefly

onto \Rightarrow range = codomain
 $[-1, 3] = [-1, 3]$

Yes it is onto because range of f is equal to the codomain ✓

b) Is f one-to-one? explain briefly.

By Horizontal line test $\forall b \in C$ $y = b$ intersects the curve at exactly one point so it is one-to-one. ✓

c) If yes for (a) and (b), find the inverse of f and find the domain and the range of f^{-1} .

$f(x) = -x^2 + 3$

$f^{-1}(x) = -\sqrt{3-x}$ $f^{-1} : [-1, 3] \rightarrow [-2, 0]$ ✓

$f^{-1}(x) \Rightarrow y = -x^2 + 3 \Rightarrow x = -y^2 + 3$ $y^2 = 3 - x$ ✓

$y = \pm\sqrt{3-x}$ we need to choose 1 we choose $-\sqrt{3-x}$ because it lies the range of $f^{-1} [-2, 0]$ ✓

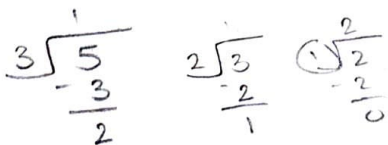
QUESTION 2. (10 points) Let $f = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 & 5 & 6 & 7 & 8 \\ 3 & 4 & 7 & 8 & 1 & 5 & 6 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$

a) Find the smallest integer n such that $f^n = I(x)$

$(1, 3, 7, 6, 5)$ 5-cycle $(2, 4, 8)$ 3-cycle ✓

Smallest $n = \text{LCM}[5, 3] = \frac{5 \times 3}{\text{gcd}(5, 3)} = \frac{15}{1}$

$n = 15$ ✓



b) Find the smallest integer m such that $f^m = f^{-1}$, and find f^{-1}

$f^{-1} = f^m = f^{m-1} = f^{14}$ $m = 14$ ✓

$f^{-1} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 & 5 & 6 & 7 & 8 \\ 5 & 8 & 1 & 2 & 6 & 7 & 3 & 4 \end{pmatrix}$ ✓