

# Review

$$S = \{0, 1, 2, \dots, N\}$$

① last time we introduced two groups on the set of integers 0 to  $N$ .

$$\mathbb{Z}_N$$

$$\mathbb{Z}_N^*$$

Identity: 0

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Operation: +

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Order:  $N$

$$\phi(N)$$

elements:  $\{0, 1, \dots, N\}$

Invertible elements of  $\mathbb{Z}_N^*$   $\leftrightarrow (e, N) = 1$

② It's important to note that even though these groups are acting on many of the same elements they are not related to each other on a group level.

$$\text{I.E. } \mathbb{Z}_N^* \not\cong \mathbb{Z}_N$$

① Finish going

② Mark page

③ Finish notes

④ videos

Thm. Let  $N = \prod_i p_i^{e_i}$  where  $\{p_i\}$  are distinct primes } Homework!  
 and  $e_i \geq 1$ . Then  $\phi(N) = \prod_i p_i^{e_i-1} (p_i - 1)$

$$\phi(p^2) = \left| \{1, p, 2p, \dots, (p-1)p\}^c \right| = p^2 - \phi(p-1) = p^2 - p + 1$$

$$= p^2 - p + 1$$

$$(p-1)p$$

$$p^2 - p = p(p-1)$$

$$\phi(p^3) \quad \{1, p, \dots, (p-1)p^2\}$$

$$\underbrace{\quad}_{p^2} \quad \underbrace{1 \cdot p^2 \quad \dots \quad (p-1) \cdot p^2}_{p-1}$$

$$p^3 - p^2$$

$$p^2(p-1)$$

$$p^3 - p^2 + p - 1$$

Last time we stated the following Thm -

- This allows us to compute the order of  $\mathbb{Z}_n$  with the multiplicative operation

Here is a rewording of the previous corollaries.

Corollary

① Let  $N > 1$  and  $a \in \mathbb{Z}_N^*$ . Then  $a^{\phi(N)} = 1 \pmod{N}$ .

② If  $N$  is prime and  $a \in \{1, \dots, p-1\}$  then  $a^{p-1} = 1 \pmod{p}$  } FLT

Note. If  $\mathbb{Z}_p^*$ , where  $p$  is prime, then  $|\mathbb{Z}_p^*| = p-1$ .

③ Fix  $N > 1$ . If  $(e, \phi(N)) = 1$  then  $f_e$  is a permutation.

④ If  $d = [e^{-1} \pmod{\phi(N)}]$  then  $f_d$  is the inverse of  $f_e$ . } Permutation

• We would like to understand the group structure of  $\mathbb{Z}_n$  and  $\mathbb{Z}_n^*$ . To do this we need to introduce the CRT.

• Let's define the cross product of groups and review isomorphisms.

Def. Let  $(G, *)$ ,  $(H, \circ)$  be groups. A function

$f: G \rightarrow H$  is an isomorphism if

①  $f$  is a bijection (injection + surjection)

②  $f(g_1 * g_2) = f(g_1) \circ f(g_2)$

More or less

The groups are

the same group

if they are isomorphic.

If we prove something

about one, we learn

about the other.

②

• Classic structure that you have seen in Calc III and Linear Algebra.  
Def. Let  $(G, *)$ ,  $(H, \circ)$  be groups. Then  $G \times H$  is the cross product of  $G, H$ .  $G \times H$  is a group where

- ①  $a \in (G \times H)$  s.t.  $a = (g, h)$  where  $g \in G, h \in H$
- ②  $(g, h) \circ (g', h') = (g * g', h \circ h')$
- ③ If  $G, H$  is finite then  $|G \times H| = |G| |H|$
- ④  $e \in G \times H \mapsto (e_G, e_H)$

Thm. Chinese Remainder Thm.

Let  $N = pq$  where  $(p, q) = 1$ . Then

$$\mathbb{Z}_N \cong \mathbb{Z}_p \times \mathbb{Z}_q \quad \text{and} \quad \mathbb{Z}_N^* \cong \mathbb{Z}_p^* \times \mathbb{Z}_q^*$$

The modular group is isomorphic to the cross product of the modular groups determined by the factors of  $N$ .

Continued

Note.

$$\mathbb{Z}_N^* \text{ need not be cyclic} - \mathbb{Z}_6^* \cong \mathbb{Z}_2^* \times \mathbb{Z}_3^*$$

$\mathbb{Z}_N$  is always cyclic

$$\mathbb{Z}_N^* \cong C\phi(N) \quad \text{if } \mathbb{Z}_N^* \text{ is cyclic}$$

Let  $f$  map  $x \in \{0, \dots, N-1\}$  to  $(x_p, x_q)$  with  $x_p \in \{0, \dots, p-1\}$  and  $x_q \in \{0, \dots, q-1\}$  is defined by

$$f(x) = ([x \bmod p], [x \bmod q])$$

Second part.  
Extremely useful for  
Computations

Then  $f$  is an isomorphism from  $\mathbb{Z}_N$  to  $\mathbb{Z}_p \times \mathbb{Z}_q$  and from  $\mathbb{Z}_N^*$  to  $\mathbb{Z}_p^* \times \mathbb{Z}_q^*$ .

Note.

- ①  $\mathbb{Z}_n^*$  is not necessarily cyclic:  $\mathbb{Z}_8^* \cong \mathbb{Z}_2^* \times \mathbb{Z}_2^*$ .
- ② It is known when  $\mathbb{Z}_n^*$  is cyclic not needed (yet.)
- ③  $\mathbb{Z}_n$  is always a cyclic group. Generator  $g$  are of the following form  $(g, n) = 1$ .  $1$  is a generator.
- ④  $\mathbb{Z}_p^*$  is cyclic if  $p$  is prime.

Proof.

If  $x \in \mathbb{Z}_n$  then  $x \mapsto (x \bmod p, x \bmod q)$ .

So  $f(x) = (x_p, x_q)$ .

①  $f$  is 1-1.

$$f(x) = f(x') \rightarrow$$

$p$	$q$
$x = x \bmod p$	$x = x \bmod q$
$x' = x \bmod p$	$x' = x \bmod q$
$x - x' = 0 \bmod p$	$x - x' = 0 \bmod q$

$x - x'$  are divisible by  $p$  and  $q$   
but  $\gcd(p, q) = 1$

$x - x'$  is divisible by  $pq$   
 $x - x' = 0 \bmod N$

$$x = x' \bmod N$$

$$x = x' \in \mathbb{Z}_N$$

$\rightarrow f$  is 1-1

② Surjection

$$|\mathbb{Z}_N| = N = pq$$

$$|\mathbb{Z}_p \times \mathbb{Z}_q| = |\mathbb{Z}_p| |\mathbb{Z}_q| = pq$$

Since  $f$  is an injection and each element maps uniquely, this implies  $\forall (x_p, x_q) \in \mathbb{Z}_p \times \mathbb{Z}_q, \exists g \in \mathbb{Z}_N$  s.t.

$$f(g) = (x_p, x_q)$$

③  $f(a+b) = f(a_p, a_q) + f(b_p, b_q)$

$$([a+b \bmod p], [a+b \bmod q])$$

$$= ([a \bmod p], [a \bmod q]) + ([b \bmod p], [b \bmod q])$$

$$= f(a) + f(b)$$

$\mathbb{Z}_N^*$ 

$x \in \mathbb{Z}_N^*$  then  $(x, p, x, q) \in \mathbb{Z}_p^* \times \mathbb{Z}_q^*$ .

Suppose not.  $x_p \notin \mathbb{Z}_p^*$  then  $\gcd([x \bmod p], p) \neq 1$ .

Then  $(x, p) \neq 1 \Rightarrow (x, N) \neq 1$

$$f(a) + f(b) = ([a \bmod p], [a \bmod q]) + ([b \bmod p], [b \bmod q])$$

$$= \left( [ [a \bmod p] + [b \bmod p] ], [ [a \bmod q] + [b \bmod q] ] \right)$$

$$= \left( [a \bmod p + b \bmod p], [a + b \bmod q] \right)$$

$$[ [a \bmod p] + [b \bmod p] ] = [a + b \bmod p]$$

$$[a' + b']$$

$$a + b = mp + r$$

$$a = m'p + r'$$

$$b = m''p + r''$$

$$[ [a \bmod p] + [b \bmod p] ] = [a + b \bmod p]$$

$$[ a \% p + b \% p ] = [ a + b \% p ] = [ a \% p + b \% p ]$$



Let's use the CRT, to simplify elements

Exampk. Let's compute  $11^4 \pmod{15}$  where  $11 \in \mathbb{Z}_{15}^*$

$$11^4 = \left( 1 \pmod{5}, 2 \pmod{3} \right) = \left( 1^4 \pmod{5}, 2^4 \pmod{3} \right) = \left( 1 \pmod{5}, 1 \pmod{3} \right)$$

$\nwarrow$   
Homomorphism

$$f(11 \cdot 11 \cdot 11 \cdot 11) = f(11) f(11) f(11) f(11) = (1, 1) = 1 \pmod{15}$$

① It is easy to map an element  $x$  modulo  $N$  to the corresponding representation modulo  $p, q$ .

$$x \in \mathbb{Z}_N^* \longmapsto (x \pmod{p}, x \pmod{q}) \in \mathbb{Z}_p^*, \mathbb{Z}_q^*$$

② We can go in the reverse direction if we know the factorization of  $N$ .

① Any element  $(x_p, x_q) \in \mathbb{Z}_p^* \times \mathbb{Z}_q^*$  can be written as

$$(x_p, x_q) = x_p(1, 0) + x_q(0, 1)$$

② If we find  $l_p, l_q \in \{0, \dots, N-1\}$  s.t.  $l_p \mapsto (1, 0) \mapsto$   
 $l_q \mapsto (0, 1)$  then

$$(x_p, x_q) = x_p(1, 0) + x_q(0, 1) \xrightarrow{f^{-1}} [x_p \cdot l_p + x_q \cdot l_q \pmod{N}]$$

Since  $p, q$  are distinct primes.

③ Claim  $l_p = [Y_q \pmod{N}]$  and  $l_q = [X_p \pmod{N}]$  ; f

$X_p + Y_q = 1$ . (exists and is true since  $p, q$  are primes)

$$\star [ [Y_q \pmod{N}] \pmod{p} ] = [Y_q \pmod{p}] = [ (1 - X_p) \pmod{p} ] = 1$$

By Lemma  $\exists$  unique  $X, Y$  s.t.

$$X_p + Y_q = 1.$$

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Claim  $I_p = [Y_q \bmod N]$  (I.c.  $Y_q \bmod N \rightarrow (1, 0)$ )

$$\left[ [Y_q \bmod N] \bmod p \right] = [Y_q \bmod p] = [(1 - X_p) \bmod p] = 1 \bmod p$$

↑

b/c  $[Y_q \bmod N] < N-1$   
and not divisible  
by  $p$

$$[ [Y_q \bmod N] \bmod q ] = [Y_q \bmod q] = 0 \bmod q$$

$$I_p = [Y_q \bmod N] \rightarrow (1, 0)$$

by symmetry

$$I_q = [X_p \bmod N] \rightarrow (0, 1)$$

Summary  $(x_p, x_q) \mapsto x_N$

- ① Compute  $X, Y$  s.t.  $Xp + Yq = 1$  (By <sup>Extended</sup> Euclidean algorithm)
- ② Set  $I_p = [Yq \bmod N]$  and  $I_q = [Xp \bmod N]$  Use calculator.
- ③ Compute  $x = [(x_p \cdot I_p + x_q \cdot I_q) \bmod N]$

Compute  $2021^{2020} \bmod 35$ .

$$35 = 7 \cdot 5$$

$$2021 \mapsto \left( 2021 \bmod 5, 2021 \bmod 7 \right) = \left( 1 \bmod 5, 5 \bmod 7 \right)$$

$$\begin{aligned} 2021^{2020} &\mapsto \left( 1 \bmod 5, 5 \bmod 7 \right)^{2020} = \left( \underbrace{1^{2020}}_{\mathbb{Z}_5^*}, \underbrace{5^{2020}}_{\mathbb{Z}_7^*} \bmod 7 \right) \\ &= \left( 1^{2020} \bmod 5, 5^4 \bmod 7 \right) = \left( 1 \bmod 5, 2 \bmod 7 \right) \\ &= [51 \bmod 35] = \boxed{16 \bmod 35} \end{aligned}$$

$$X \cdot 5 + Y \cdot 7 = 1 \quad X=3, Y=-2$$

$$[7 \bmod N] = -14 \quad + 3 \cdot 5 \bmod 35 = 15$$

$$I_p = 21$$

$$I_q = 15$$

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Compute  $18^{25} \pmod{35}$ .

$$18 \xrightarrow{\text{crt}} ([18 \pmod{5}], 18 \pmod{7}) = (3, 4)$$

$$18^{25} \longrightarrow \left( 3^{25} \pmod{5}, 4^{25} \pmod{7} \right) = \left( 3^{25 \pmod{4}} \pmod{5}, 4^{25 \pmod{6}} \pmod{7} \right)$$

$$\mathbb{Z}_5^*$$

$$\mathbb{Z}_7^*$$

$$3 \in \mathbb{Z}_5^*$$

$$3^{25} \pmod{5}$$

$$= (3^1 \pmod{5}, 4 \pmod{7})$$

① compute  $X, Y$  for  $Xp_1 + Yq = 1$

$$X=3 \quad Y=-2$$

③  $1_p 3 + 1_q 4 \pmod{35}$

$$63 + 45 \pmod{35}$$

②  $1_p = -2 \cdot 7 \pmod{35} = 21 \pmod{35}$

$$188 \pmod{35} = 18$$

$$1_q = 3 \cdot 5 \pmod{35} = 15 \pmod{35}$$