

CMSC 414: HW 2 Grading Key

Total 20 points

4. [4 points]

1- writing something

2- saying d is unique in $Z_{(p-1)(q-1)}$

3,4-a) saying d is unique in $Z_{(p-1)(q-1)}$

b) e has a multiplicative inverse mod $(p-1)(q-1)$ iff e is relatively prime to $(p-1)(q-1)$. So multiplying the elements of $Z_{(p-1)(q-1)}$ by e results in a permutation of $Z_{(p-1)(q-1)}$

c) d is the multiplicative inverse of e mod $(p-1)(q-1)$

Note: If you say that d is not unique and you give examples of different d 's, then also you will get full points.

5. [4 points]

1- writing something

2,3,4- a) Let s_1 be the signature of m_1 , i.e., $s_1 = m_1^d \text{ mod-}n$.

Let s_2 be the signature of m_2 , i.e., $s_2 = m_2^d \text{ mod-}n$.

Signature(m_1^j) = $s_1^j \text{ mod-}n$

Signature(m_1^{-1}) = $s_1^{-1} \text{ mod-}n$, assuming m_1^{-1} exists.

b) Signature($m_1 \cdot m_2$) = $s_1 \cdot s_2 \text{ mod-}n$ [because $(m_1 \cdot m_2)^d \text{ mod-}n = (m_1^d) \cdot (m_2^d) \text{ mod-}n$].

c) Signature($m_1^j \cdot m_2^k$) = $s_1^j \cdot s_2^k \text{ mod-}n$ [from above].

6 [3 points] (Correct answer without explanation will lose points.)

a) $25 = (11001)_2$ [25 = 16 + 8 + 1]

b) $131^{(1)} \text{ mod-}15 = 11$

$131^{(10)} \text{ mod-}15 = 11 \cdot 11 \text{ mod-}15 = 121 \text{ mod-}15 = 1$

$131^{(11)} \text{ mod-}15 = 1 \cdot 11 \text{ mod-}15 = 11 \text{ mod-}15 = 11$

$131^{(110)} \text{ mod-}15 = 11 \cdot 11 \text{ mod-}15 = 121 \text{ mod-}15 = 1$

$131^{(1100)} \text{ mod-}15 = 1 \cdot 1 \text{ mod-}15 = 1$

$131^{(11000)} \text{ mod-}15 = 1 \cdot 1 \text{ mod-}15 = 1$

$131^{(11001)} \text{ mod-}15 = 1 \cdot 11 \text{ mod-}15 = 11$

c) $131^{25} \text{ mod-}15 = 11$

8. [3 points]

1- writing something

2- a) $\phi(p^a) = (p-1) \cdot p^{a-1}$ for p prime and $a > 0$

$\phi(p \cdot q) = \phi(p) \cdot \phi(q)$ for p and q relatively prime

b) If p_1, p_2, \dots, p_n, q are distinct primes, then $(p_1^{a_1} \cdot p_2^{a_2} \cdot \dots \cdot p_n^{a_n})$ and q^b are relatively prime.

c) $\phi(p_1^{a_1} \cdot p_2^{a_2} \cdot \dots \cdot p_k^{a_k}) = (p_1-1) \cdot p_1^{a_1-1} \cdot (p_2-1) \cdot p_2^{a_2-1} \cdot \dots \cdot (p_k-1) \cdot p_k^{a_k-1}$

9 [2 points]

2- correct answer

11. [4 points]

a) Applying the CRT to z_1 and z_2 yields the following:

- Let a and b satisfy $1 = a \cdot z_1 + b \cdot z_2$ [a and b can be computed by $\text{Euclid}(z_1, z_2)$]
- Let $p = [x_2 \cdot a \cdot z_1 + x_1 \cdot b \cdot z_2] \bmod z_1 \cdot z_2$
- Then $p \bmod z_1 = x_1$ and $p \bmod z_2 = x_2$

b) Applying the CRT to $z_1 \cdot z_2$ and z_3 yields the following:

- Let c and d satisfy $1 = c \cdot (z_1 \cdot z_2) + d \cdot z_3$ [c and d can be computed by $\text{Euclid}(z_1 \cdot z_2, z_3)$]
- Let $q = [p \cdot c \cdot (z_1 \cdot z_2) + x_3 \cdot d \cdot z_3] \bmod z_1 \cdot z_2 \cdot z_3$
- Then $q \bmod (z_1 \cdot z_2) = p$ and $q \bmod z_3 = x_3$

Thus q is the number x we want.

c) In summary, $x = [p \cdot c \cdot (z_1 \cdot z_2) + x_3 \cdot d \cdot z_3] \bmod z_1 \cdot z_2 \cdot z_3$ where

- $p = [x_2 \cdot a \cdot z_1 + x_1 \cdot b \cdot z_2] \bmod z_1 \cdot z_2$
 - c and d satisfy $1 = c \cdot (z_1 \cdot z_2) + d \cdot z_3$
 - a and b satisfy $1 = a \cdot z_1 + b \cdot z_2$
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Note: For problem 5 and problem 11, giving the final answer with no explanation is ok.