

Please remember when submitting any work via email or in person to...

**PUT YOUR NAME ON YOUR WORK!**

#1 Workin' mod whatever.

(a) Working mod 12. Create (and fill) a table as follows

(if an entry is undefined, write "DNE" = does not exist):

element $x =$	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
additive inverse $-x =$	0											
additive order $ x  =$	1											
multiplicative inverse $x^{-1} =$	DNE											
multiplicative order $ x  =$	DNE											

*Note:* Additive inverses and orders go with the group structure of  $(\mathbb{Z}_{12}, + \text{ mod } 12)$  whereas the multiplicative inverses and orders go with the group structure of  $(U(12), \cdot \text{ mod } 12)$ .

(b) Compute  $2^{100} + (13 - 26) \cdot 5^{-2} \pmod{8}$ .

(c) Let  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 \\ 2 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$ .

Explain why  $A$  does not belong to  $\text{GL}_2(\mathbb{Z}_{12})$ .

Then explain why  $A$  does belong to  $\text{GL}_2(\mathbb{Z}_7)$  and compute  $A^{-1}$ .

#2 Use the extended Euclidean Algorithm to find  $109^{-1}$  in  $U(4115)$ .

Show your work. Simplify your answer (your answer should be a number between 0 and 4114).

#3 Let  $a, b \in \mathbb{Z}$  (not both zero) such that  $d = \gcd(a, b)$ . In addition, let  $a = da'$  and  $b = db'$ .

Show that  $\gcd(a', b') = 1$ .

#4 Show that for every  $n \in \mathbb{Z}$ , we have  $n^3 = n \pmod{6}$ .

#5 **RESUBMIT** Type up Homework #1 Problem #2 and its solution in L<sup>A</sup>T<sub>E</sub>X.

Let  $G$  be a group with identity  $e \in G$ .

(a) Give a concrete example of a group  $G$  and elements  $a, b \in G$  where  $(ab)^{-1} \neq a^{-1}b^{-1}$ .

(b) Prove  $G$  is an abelian group if and only if for all  $a, b \in G$ ,  $(ab)^{-1} = a^{-1}b^{-1}$ .

When typing this problem up, write it up carefully: Restate the problem. Write in complete sentences.