

# Algebraic Number Theory - PIBMAE5C

## Unit - I

### 1. State Division Algorithm

Given any integer  $a$  and  $b$  with  $a > 0$ , there exist unique integer  $q$  and  $r$  such that  $b = qa + r$ ,  $0 \leq r < a$

If  $a \times b$  then  $r$  satisfies the stronger inequalities  $0 < r < a$

### 2. Let $f(x) = x^2 + x + 7$ find all roots of the congruence $f(x) \equiv 0 \pmod{15}$

$$\text{Let } x = 0$$

$$f(x) = 7 \not\equiv 0 \pmod{15}$$

$$x = 1 \Rightarrow 9 \not\equiv 0 \pmod{15}$$

$$x = -1 \Rightarrow 7 \not\equiv 0 \pmod{15}$$

$$x = 2 \Rightarrow 12 \not\equiv 0 \pmod{15}$$

$$x = -2 \Rightarrow 9 \not\equiv 0 \pmod{15}$$

$a = 0, \pm 1, \pm 2$  has no soln

$\therefore 5/15$  it follow that there is no soln  $\pmod{15}$

### 3. State Fermat's theorem:

Let  $P$  denote a prime If  $P \nmid a$  then  $a^{P-1} \equiv 1 \pmod{P}$  for every integer  $a$  [or]  $a^P \equiv a \pmod{P}$

4. Define: Linear congruence

An equation is of the form  $ax \equiv b \pmod{m}$  is called a linear congruence.

5. P.T  $2^{340} \equiv 1 \pmod{341}$

$$a^p \equiv a \pmod{q}$$

$$a^q \equiv a \pmod{p}$$

$$a^{pq} \equiv a \pmod{pq}$$

$$341 = 11 \times 31$$

$$p = 11, q = 31, a = 2$$

$$a^p \equiv a \pmod{q}$$

$$2^{11} \equiv 2 \pmod{31}$$

$$a^q \equiv a \pmod{p}$$

$$2^{31} \equiv 2 \pmod{11}$$

$$a^{pq} \equiv a \pmod{pq}$$

$$2^{11 \cdot 31} \equiv 2 \pmod{341}$$

$$2^{341} \equiv 2 \pmod{341}$$

$$\div 2$$

$$2^{340} \equiv 1 \pmod{341}$$

## Unit - II

6. state Hensel's lemma:

Suppose that  $f(x)$  is a polynomial with integral co-efft it  $f(a) \equiv 0 \pmod{p^j}$  and  $f'(a) \not\equiv 0 \pmod{p}$  then there is a unique  $t \pmod{p}$

$$f'(a + tp^j) \equiv 0 \pmod{p^{j+1}}$$

7. Order of modulo  $m$ :

Let  $m$  denote a +ve integer and  $a$  any integer such that

$$(a, m) = 1$$

Then the order of  $a$  modulo  $m$  is the smallest +ve integer  $h \exists$

$$a^h \equiv 1 \pmod{m}$$

Ex:

The order of  $2 \pmod{7}$  is 3  
Because,

$$2^1 \equiv 2 \pmod{7}$$

$$2^2 \equiv 4 \pmod{7}$$

$$2^3 \equiv 1 \pmod{7}$$

8. State Euler's Criterion

If  $p$  is an odd prime and  $(a, p) = 1$  then  $x^2 \equiv a \pmod{p}$  has solution or no solution according as

$$a^{(p-1)/2} \equiv 1 \pmod{p} \text{ (or) } a^{(p-1)/2} \equiv -1 \pmod{p}$$

9. Solve the congruence  $x^5 \equiv 6 \pmod{101}$

Soln:

Define  $g$  such that

$$g^{26} \equiv 1 \pmod{101}$$

To find  $T$  such that

$$g^T \equiv 6 \pmod{101}$$

To find that

$$g^{20} \equiv 1 \pmod{101}$$

Assume us that  $5 \mid i$

[With more work done may R.T  $g=2$  is a primitive root  $\pmod{101}$ ]

$$2^{70} \equiv 6 \pmod{101}$$

Hence the five solutions are

$$x \equiv 2^{14+20j} \pmod{101}$$

where  $j = 0, 1, 2, 3, 4$ .

$$\text{i.e. } x = 22, 70, 85, 96, 30 \pmod{101}$$

hence proved.



10. Define primitive root

Let 'a' be any integer  $\exists$  a has order  $\phi(m)$  [ $m$  is +ve integer] and  $(a, m) = 1$

Then 'a' is a primitive roots of  $m$  i.e.] An integer  $m$  has a primitive root 'a' if

$$a^{\phi(m)} \equiv 1 \pmod{m} \text{ and}$$

$$a^k \not\equiv 1 \pmod{m} \quad \forall k \leq \phi(m)$$

Unit - III

11. Define - Quadratic non residue modulo 'm'

For all  $a$  such that  $(a, m) = 1$ ,  $a$  is a quadratic residue modulo  $m$  if the congruence  $x^2 \equiv a \pmod{m}$  has a soln

If it has no solution, then  $a$  is called a quadratic non residue modulo  $m$

Ex:

The quadratic residues mod 5 are 1 & 4  
2 & 3 non residues

$$\text{i.e.]} \quad x^2 \equiv 1 \pmod{5}$$

$$x^2 \equiv 4 \pmod{5}$$

12. Define - Legendre symbol  $\left[ \frac{a}{p} \right]$

If  $p$  denotes an odd prime then the Legendre symbol  $\left( \frac{a}{p} \right)$  is defined to be 1 if  $a$  is a quadratic residue modulo  $p$  and 0 if  $p|a$   
-1 if  $a$  is a quadratic non residue modulo  $p$

$$\text{ie } \left( \frac{a}{p} \right) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } a \text{ is quadratic residue} \\ -1 & \text{if } a \text{ is quadratic not residue} \\ 0 & \text{if } p|a \text{ is} \end{cases}$$

13. State - The Gauss reciprocity law

If  $p \neq q$  are distinct odd primes then  $\left( \frac{p}{q} \right) \left( \frac{q}{p} \right) = (-1)^{\left\{ \frac{p-1}{2} \right\} \left\{ \frac{q-1}{2} \right\}}$

[or]

$$\left( \frac{p}{q} \right) = (-1)^{p-1/2 \cdot (q-1)/2} \left( \frac{q}{p} \right)$$

14. Evaluate  $\left[ \frac{-42}{61} \right]$

Soln

$$\frac{-42}{61} = \left( \frac{-1}{61} \right) \left( \frac{2}{61} \right) \left( \frac{3}{61} \right) \left( \frac{7}{61} \right)$$

$$\left( \frac{-1}{61} \right) = (-1)^{60/2} = 1$$

$$\frac{2}{61} = (-1)^{(61^2-1)/8}$$

$$= (-1)^{3720/8}$$

$$= (-1)^{465}$$

$$\frac{a}{b1} = -1$$

$$\left(\frac{3}{b1}\right) = \left(\frac{b1}{3}\right) (-1)^{(2/2)(b0/2)}$$

$$= (-1)^{b0/2} \cdot b1/3$$

$$= 1 \cdot b1/3$$

$$= 1/3$$

$$(3/b1) = 1$$

$$\frac{7}{b1} = \left(\frac{b1}{7}\right) (-1)^{(b1/2)(b0/2)}$$

$$= \frac{b1}{7} (-1)^{3(30)}$$

$$= \frac{b1}{7} (-1)^{90}$$

$$= \frac{b1}{7} (+1)$$

$$= \frac{5}{7}$$

$$\frac{5}{7} = 7/5 (-1)^{b1/2 \cdot 4/2}$$

$$= 7/5 (-1)^{3 \cdot 2}$$

$$= 7/5 (-1)^6 \Rightarrow 7/5 (1)$$

$$= 7/5$$

$$= 2/5$$

$$= (-1)^{24/8}$$

$$= (-1)^3$$

$$\frac{7}{61} = -1$$

$$-\frac{42}{61} = \left(\frac{-1}{61}\right) \left(\frac{2}{61}\right) \left(\frac{3}{61}\right) \left(\frac{7}{61}\right)$$

$$= (1)(-1)(1)(-1)$$

$$-\frac{42}{61} = 1$$

15. solve the congruence  $x^2 \equiv 5 \pmod{29}$

$$x^2 \equiv 5 \pmod{29}$$

$$\equiv 5 + 29 \pmod{29}$$

$$\equiv 34 \pmod{29}$$

$$\equiv 34 + 29 \pmod{29}$$

$$\equiv 63 \pmod{29}$$

$$\equiv 63 + 29 \pmod{29}$$

$$\equiv 92 \pmod{29}$$

$$\equiv 92 + 29 \pmod{29}$$

$$\equiv 121 \pmod{29}$$

$$x^2 = 11^2 \pmod{29}$$

The soln of given congruence are  
 $x_0 \& (p - x_0)$

$$x_0 = 11, p = 29$$

$$x^2 = 11, (29 - 11)$$

$$x^2 = 11, 18$$



## Unit - IV

16. Define. Class number of  $d$

If  $d$  is not a perfect square then the number of equivalence classes of binary quadratic forms of discriminant  $d$  is called the class number of  $d$  denoted by  $H(d)$

17. State Mobius inversion formula

Let  $F$  and  $f$  be two number theoretic function if  $F(n) = \sum_{d|n} f(d)$  Then

$$f(n) = \sum_{d|n} \mu(d) F(n/d) = \sum_{d|n} \mu(n/d) F(d)$$

18. Find the higher power of 7 that divides by 1000!

Soln:

$$\left[ \frac{1000}{7} \right] = 142$$

$$\left[ \frac{142}{7} \right] = 20$$

$$\left[ \frac{20}{7} \right] = 2$$

Adding then we have  $142 + 20 + 2 = 164$   
Hence proved.

19. Define : Greatest integer function

For any arbitrary real number  $x$   
we denote by  $[x]$  the largest integer  
less than or equal to  $x$

i.e.  $[x]$  is the unique integer  
satisfying

$$[x] \leq x < [x] + 1$$

20. Let  $f, g$  and  $h$  be binary quadratic  
forms then  $f \sim g$

Proof:

we have seen that  $f \sim g$  iff there is  
an  $M \in \Gamma$  such that

$$M^t F M = G$$

$\therefore$  Take  $M = I$  the identity matrix

since  $I \in \Gamma$  and  $I^t F I = F$

we conclude that  $f \sim f$

Unit -  $\sqrt{7}$

21. The equation  $15x^2 - 7y^2 = 9$  has no soln  
in integers

Proof:

Since the first and third member  
are divisible by 3 it follows that

$$3 \mid 7y^2 \text{ and}$$

hence  $3|y$

Thus the second and third member are divisible by 9

so that  $9|15x^2$

Hence  $3|x$

Put  $x_1 = x/3$ ,  $y_1 = y/3$

so that  $9|15x^2$

Put  $x_1 = x/3$ ,  $y_1 = y/3$

so that  $15x_1^2 - 4y_1^2 = 1$

This has no soln as a congruence (mod 3)

Hence proved.

## 22 Diophantine equation:

The equation  $ax + by = c$  any equation in one (or) more unknowns which to be solved in integers is called the 'diophantine'

A linear diophantine equation in two variables having integral co-effs can be written in the form  $ax + by = c$  where  $a, b, c$  are given integers and  $ab \neq 0$

23. Simultaneous linear equation:

Let  $a_1, a_2, \dots, a_n$  be integers and not all zero and suppose we wish to find all solutions in integers of the equation

$$a_1x_1 + a_2x_2 + \dots + a_nx_n = c$$

We may show that such a solution exist iff  $\text{gcd}(a_1, a_2, \dots, a_n)$  divides  $c$

The numerical technique express the preceding section also existen to the value of  $n$

24. SOLVE:  $2x + 3y + 4z = 5$

Soln:

$C_1$	$C_2$	$C_3$	
2	3	4	5
1	0	0	
0	1	0	
0	0	1	

$C_1$	$C_2 - C_1$	$C_3 - 2C_1$	
2	1	0	5
1	-1	-2	
0	1	0	
0	0	1	



$C_1 - 2C_2$	$C_2$	$C_3$	
0	1	0	5
3	-1	-2	
-2	1	0	
0	0	1	

The simultaneous equation involving 3 new variables say  $t, u, v$

$$u = 5$$

$$x = 3t - u - 2v$$

$$x = 3t - 2v - 5$$

$$y = -2t + u$$

$$y = -2t + 5$$

$$z = v$$

25. Define: unimodular matrix

A square matrix  $U$  with integral element is called unimodular if  $\det(U) = \pm 1$