

Number Theory Homework #2

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1. Find the inverses of all residues $x=11,12,\dots,20 \pmod{41}$.
 2. Compute Euler's φ -function for $121 \leq n \leq 130$.
 3. Find **all** solutions of the congruences
 - a) $6x = 3 \pmod{29}$, b) $6x = 12 \pmod{54}$, c) $6x = 5 \pmod{54}$.
 4. Find the solutions of the following systems of congruences:
 - a) $x = a \pmod{17}$, $x = b \pmod{8}$. b) $x = a \pmod{17}$, $x = b \pmod{7}$.
 - c) $x = A \pmod{3}$, $x = B \pmod{5}$, $x = C \pmod{7}$
 5.
 - a) Compute the continued fraction expansion $\sqrt{5}$ and of $\sqrt{7}$.
 - b) What number has the continued fraction expansion $[1;2,2,2,2,\dots]$?
 6. Show that there are infinitely many primes of the form $4k+3$.
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