

$$\textcircled{1} \quad \langle m \rangle \cap \langle n \rangle = \langle \text{lcm}(m, n) \rangle$$

Let  $k \in \langle m \rangle \cap \langle n \rangle$

$$\text{then } k \in \langle m \rangle = \{ im : i \in \mathbb{Z} \} = m\mathbb{Z}$$

So  $k$  is a multiple of  $m$

and similarly of  $n$ , so

$$\text{lcm}(m, n) \mid k, \text{ so } k \in \langle \text{lcm}(m, n) \rangle$$

Conversely if  $k \in \langle \text{lcm}(m, n) \rangle$

$$\text{then } \text{lcm}(m, n) \mid k$$

So both  $m$  &  $n$  divide  $k$

so  $k \in \langle m \rangle$  and  $k \in \langle n \rangle$

so  $k \in \langle m \rangle \cap \langle n \rangle$ .

$$\textcircled{2} \quad \tau = (245)(1352) \quad \tau'' = ?$$

$$= (132)(45)$$

Since disjoint cycles commute,

$$\tau'' = (132)'' (45)''$$

$$= (123)(45)$$

$$(132)'' = \underbrace{((132)^3)}_{(1)}^4 (132)^{-1}$$

$$\textcircled{3} \quad \phi : \mathbb{Z}_m \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}_m \quad \phi(x) = ax$$

$$\text{a) Hom: } \phi(x+y) = a(x+y) = ax + ay \\ = \phi(x) + \phi(y) \quad \checkmark$$

If  $a$  is a unit, then  $\phi$  is invertible

$$(\phi^{-1}(x) = a^{-1}x)$$

If  $\phi$  is an automorphism, it's onto,

$$\text{so } \exists x \quad \phi(x) = 1, \text{ i.e. } ax = 1$$

$\therefore a$  is unit.  $\checkmark$

$$\text{b) } \phi(0) = 0 \quad \checkmark \quad (a \cdot 0 = 0) \quad (a = \phi(1))$$

$$\phi(1) = \phi(1) \quad (a \cdot 1 = a)$$

$$\phi(2) = \phi(1+1) = \phi(1) + \phi(1) = 2\phi(1) \\ \text{etc.}$$

$$\phi(-1) + \phi(1) = \phi(-1+1) = \phi(0) = 0$$

$$\text{so } \phi(-1) = -\phi(1)$$

$$\phi(-2) = \phi(-1-1) = \phi(-1) + \phi(-1) \\ = -\phi(1) - \phi(1) = -2\phi(1)$$

etc.  $\checkmark$

$$\text{Shortcut: } \phi(k) = k\phi(1)$$

$$c) \quad \theta: \text{Aut } \mathbb{Z}_m \rightarrow U(m)$$

Given  $\phi \in \text{Aut } \mathbb{Z}_m$ , by (a-b)

$$\phi(x) = ax \text{ for some unit } a$$

$$\text{so define } \theta \text{ by } \theta(\phi) = a = \phi(1)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Hom: } \theta(\phi \circ \psi) &= (\phi \circ \psi)(1) = \phi(\psi(1)) \\ &= \psi(1)\phi(1) \quad \checkmark \end{aligned}$$

Onto: Given  $a \in U(m)$ , define

$$\phi \text{ by } \phi(x) = ax, \text{ then } \theta(\phi) = a \quad \checkmark$$

$$1-1: \text{ Suppose } \theta(\phi) = 1,$$

$$\text{then } \phi(1) = 1, \text{ so } \phi(x) = x\phi(1) = x \cdot 1 = x$$

$$\therefore \ker \theta \text{ is trivial} \quad \checkmark$$

$$(4) \quad \langle 11 \rangle = \{1, 11\}$$

$$U(20) = \{1, 3, 7, 9, 11, 13, 17, 19\}$$

$$3\langle 11 \rangle = \{3, 13\}$$

$$7\langle 11 \rangle = \{7, 17\}$$

$$9\langle 11 \rangle = \{9, 19\}$$