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- (1) (15%) Prove that  $(p-1)! \equiv p-1 \pmod{1+2+\cdots+(p-1)}$  if  $p$  is a prime number.
- (2) (15%) Let  $K$  be an extension field of  $F$  and let  $A \in M_n(K)$ , the set of  $n \times n$  matrices with entries in  $K$ . Show that  $A$  can be written as  $A = \lambda_1 A_1 + \cdots + \lambda_k A_k$  such that (i)  $\lambda_i \in K$ ,  $A_i \in M_n(F)$  for all  $i$ ; and (ii) if  $C \in M_n(F)$  commutes with  $A$ , then  $C$  commutes with each  $A_i$ .
- (3) (15%) Let  $G$  be a group and  $H$  a subgroup of finite index  $n$ . Prove that there exists a normal subgroup of  $G$  contained in  $H$  and has index dividing  $n!$ .
- (4) (15%) (a) Let  $G$  be a finite abelian group. Let  $d$  be the product of all elements of  $G$ . Prove that  $d^2 = 1$ .  
(b) Let  $F$  be a finite field. Let  $d$  be the product of all nonzero elements. Prove that  $d = -1$ .
- (5) (20%) Let  $R = M_n(\mathbb{Z})$  be the ring of all  $n \times n$  matrices with integer entries. A set  $I$  is a left ideal if it is an additive subgroup of  $R$  and for any  $r \in R$  and  $a \in I$ , we have  $ra \in I$ . Classify all left ideals of  $R$ .
- (6) (20%) Let  $R$  be a commutative ring. An element  $a \in R$  is called a zero divisor if there exists  $b \neq 0$  such that  $ab = 0$ . Suppose  $R$  has only a finite number  $n(>1)$  of zero divisors.  
(a) Let  $a \neq 0$  be a zero divisor. Show that the set  $I = \{r : ra = 0\}$  has at most  $n$  elements.  
(b) Prove that  $R$  has at most  $n^2$  elements.  
(c) Give an example: A ring with  $p^2$  elements and the number of zero divisors is  $p$ , where  $p$  is a prime number.

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