

Week 1 solutions part 2

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1.

$\odot$	[1]	[2]	[3]
[1]	[1]	[2]	[3]
[2]	[2]	[0]	[2]
[3]	[3]	[2]	[1]

This is not a group as it is not closed,  
 $[0] \notin \{\mathbb{Z}_4 - [0]\}$

$\odot$	[1]	[2]	[3]	[4]	[5]	[6]
[1]	[1]	[2]	[3]	[4]	[5]	[6]
[2]	[2]	[4]	[6]	[1]	[3]	[5]
[3]	[3]	[6]	[2]	[5]	[1]	[4]
[4]	[4]	[1]	[5]	[2]	[6]	[3]
[5]	[5]	[3]	[1]	[6]	[4]	[2]
[6]	[6]	[5]	[4]	[3]	[2]	[1]

This is a group, it is closed, the identity is [1], [2] is the inverse of [4], [3] is the inverse of [5], [4] is the inverse of [2], [5] is the inverse of [3], [6] is the inverse of [6].

2.

$\odot$	[2]	[4]	[8]	$\odot$	[8]	[2]	[4]
[2]	[4]	[8]	[2]	[8]	[8]	[2]	[4]
[4]	[8]	[2]	[4]	[2]	[2]	[4]	[8]
[8]	[2]	[4]	[8]	[4]	[4]	[8]	[2]

$\circ \{[2]_{14}, [4]_{14}, [8]_{14}\}(\odot)$  forms a group, where  $[8]_{14}$  is identity.

3.

$\odot$	[2]	[4]	[6]	[8]
[2]	[4]	[8]	[2]	[6]
[4]	[8]	[6]	[4]	[2]
[6]	[2]	[4]	[6]	[8]
[8]	[6]	[2]	[8]	[4]

(3 cont'd)

This is a group, it is closed, the identity is [6], [2] is the inverse of [8], [4] is the inverse of [4] and [8] is the inverse of [2].

4.

$\odot$	[1]	[2]	[4]	[6]	[8]	[10]	[12]
[1]	[1]	[2]	[4]	[6]	[8]	[10]	[12]
[2]	[2]	[4]	[8]	[12]	[3]*		

So  $[2] \odot [8] = [3]$

$\notin \{[1], [2], [4], [6], [8], [10], [12]\}$

so the set does **not** form a group

ii)

$\odot$	[1]	[5]	[8]	[12]
[1]	[1]	[5]	[8]	[12]
[5]	[5]	[12]	[1]	[8]
[8]	[8]	[1]	[12]	[5]
[12]	[12]	[8]	[5]	[1]

So  $\{[1]_{13}, [5]_{13}, [8]_{13}, [12]_{13}\}(\odot)$  forms a group.

5.

$\odot$	[2]	[4]	[8]	[10]	[14]	[16]
[2]	[4]	[2]	[16]	[2]	[10]	[14]
[4]	[8]	[16]	[14]	[4]	[2]	[10]
[8]	[16]	[14]	[10]	[8]	[4]	[2]
[10]	[2]	[4]	[8]	[10]	[14]	[16]
[14]	[10]	[2]	[4]	[14]	[16]	[8]
[16]	[14]	[10]	[2]	[16]	[8]	[4]

A group is formed by including the elements [10], [14] and [16]

