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Notation: we will use the notation T_n to denote the subset of rotations of D_n and we will use r_n to denote the rotation by $360^\circ/n$, so that $T_n = \langle r_n \rangle \subseteq D_n$

Problem 32: Prove that $T_8 \cong \mathbb{Z}_8, +$

Problem 33: a. Prove that $f: \mathbb{Z}_{12}, + \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}_4, +$ such that $f([m]_{12}) = [m]_4$ is a function and a homomorphism (of groups).

b. Why is f not an isomorphism?

Problem 34: Note that $U_{14}, \times = \{1, 3, 5, 9, 11, 13\}$ has 6 elements. Compute $\langle 1 \rangle, \langle 3 \rangle, \langle 5 \rangle$ etc. Either find a subgroup that includes all 6 elements or show that no subgroup generated by only one element includes all 6 elements.

Problem 35: $U_9 = \{1, 2, 4, 5, 7, 8\}$. Calculating mod 9 (with multiplication), one gets:

$$5^1 \equiv 5, \quad 5^2 \equiv 7, \quad 5^3 \equiv 8, \quad 5^4 \equiv 4, \quad 5^5 \equiv 2, \quad 5^6 \equiv 1, \text{ so } \langle 5 \rangle = U_9$$

Prove that $f: \mathbb{Z}_6, + \rightarrow U_9, \times$ such that $f([n]_6) = [5^n]_9$ is a function and an isomorphism.

Problem 36: Define an isomorphism $g: \mathbb{Z}_6, + \rightarrow U_{14}, \times$

Problem 37: Find an example that shows that there can be rings $S \subseteq R$ and $T \subseteq R$ that are both subrings of R , but $S \cup T$ is **not** a subring of R .