

1. (6 pts.) Write the multiplication table for
- \mathbb{Z}_4
- .

	[0]	[1]	[2]	[3]
[0]	[0]	[0]	[0]	[0]
[1]	[0]	[1]	[2]	[3]
[2]	[0]	[2]	[0]	[2]
[3]	[0]	[3]	[2]	[1]

2. (4 pts.) Suppose
- $[a], [b] \in \mathbb{Z}_{15}$
- . Prove or disprove: If
- $[a] \cdot [b] = [0]$
- , then
- $[a] = [0]$
- or
- $[b] = [0]$
- .

This is false

Counterexample: Let $[a] = [3]$ and $[b] = [5]$.

Then $[a] \cdot [b] = [3] \cdot [5] = [15] = [0]$,

but $[a] \neq 0$ and $[b] \neq 0$.

3. (4 pts.) Consider the partition
- $P = \{\{0\}, \{-1, 1\}, \{-2, 2\}, \{-3, 3\}, \{-4, 4\}, \dots\}$
- of
- \mathbb{Z}
- .

Describe the equivalence relation R whose equivalence classes are the elements of P .

Express your answer in the form " mRn means ..."

$$mRn \text{ means } m = \pm n$$

or

$$mRn \text{ means } |m| = |n|$$

or

$$mRn \text{ means } m^2 = n^2$$

etc.