

THM $a \pmod n$ order k
 $\Rightarrow a^m$ order $\frac{k}{\gcd(k,m)}$

in particular, if $a \pmod n$ prim. root $[k = \phi(n)]$
 then: a^m prim. root mod n
 $\Leftrightarrow \gcd(\phi(n), m) = 1$

THM If there is a prim. root mod n , then
 $\#$ prim. roots mod $n = \phi(\phi(n))$
 true $\Leftrightarrow n = 1, 2, 4, p^k, 2p^k$

||| $\#$ prim. roots mod $p = \phi(\phi(p)) = \phi(p-1)$

EG List all prim. roots mod 22

① find one prim. root

try $2, 3, 4, 5, \dots$
 not invertible

$\leadsto 7$ prim. root

$$\phi(22) = \phi(2)\phi(11) = 10$$

② 7^m prim. root

$$\Leftrightarrow \gcd(\underbrace{10}_{\phi(22)}, m) = 1 \quad m = 1, 3, 7, 9$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{prim. roots mod } 22 = \underline{7, 7^3, 7^7, 7^9}$$

$4 \neq \phi(\phi(22))$