

PROBLEM SET 6

[J]=Jacobson. (Note: problem 9 is based on Wednesday's lecture.)

- (1) [J] p. 276 #2
- (2) [J] p. 277 #3
- (3) [J] p. 277 #4 and p. 243 #2
- (4) [J] p. 287 #1
- (5) Find the Galois groups of $x^4 + 1$ and $x^5 + 1$ over \mathbb{Q} .
- (6) Suppose that p is prime and doesn't divide m , and let ε be a primitive m^{th} root of 1 over \mathbb{Z}_p . Show that $[\mathbb{Z}_p(\varepsilon) : \mathbb{Z}_p] = k$, where k is the order of \bar{p} in \mathbb{Z}_m^* . Show that the cyclotomic polynomial λ_m is irreducible over \mathbb{Z}_p if and only if \mathbb{Z}_m^* is a cyclic group generated by \bar{p} . When is λ_4 irreducible over \mathbb{Z}_p ? How about λ_8 ?
- (7) Using Thm 4.2.1 in [J], determine whether λ_{18} is irreducible over \mathbb{Z}_{23} , \mathbb{Z}_{43} , \mathbb{Z}_{73} .
- (8) Suppose L/K is an extension, and that L is finitely generated over K . Show that the field K_a of elements of L which are algebraic over K is finitely generated over K .
- (9) Show that the primitive n^{th} roots of unity over \mathbb{Q} form a normal basis for the splitting field of $x^n - 1$ over \mathbb{Q} if and only if n has no repeated prime factors.