

# Übungen zu Vertiefung Elementare Zahlentheorie

## WS 2010/2011, Blatt 5

**Aufgabe 17.** Show:

- (a) The diophantine equation  $x^3 + x^2 - 2x = a$  has no solution if  $a \equiv 1 \pmod{3}$ .
- (b) The diophantine equation  $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = a$  has no solution if  $a \equiv 7 \pmod{8}$ .

**Aufgabe 18.** Show for every integer  $n$ :

- (a)  $n^7 - n$  is divisible by 42.
- (b)  $n^{13} - n$  is divisible by 2, 3, 5, 7 and 13.

**Aufgabe 19.** Solve the following systems of linear congruences:

- (a)  $x \equiv 1 \pmod{4}$ ,  $x \equiv 1 \pmod{9}$ ,  $x \equiv 1 \pmod{25}$ ;
- (b)  $x \equiv 2 \pmod{17}$ ,  $x \equiv 3 \pmod{19}$ ,  $x \equiv 4 \pmod{23}$ .

**Aufgabe 20.** Construct a system of linear congruences of the form

$$x \equiv a \pmod{6}, \quad x \equiv b \pmod{15},$$

that does not admit a solution.

**Abgabe bis Freitag, 19.11.2010, 12:00 Uhr**