

**Kurskod: TATA 54**

**Provkod: TEN 1**

**NUMBER THEORY**, Talteori 6 hp

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Inga hjälpmedel är tillåtna! (For example books or pocket calculators are not allowed!)

You may write in Swedish, if you do this consistently.

You are rewarded at most 3 points for each of the 6 problems.

To get grade 3, 4 or 5, you need respectively 7, 11 and 14 points.

- (1) Find the remainder when  $7^{8253}$  is divided by 25.
  
- (2)
  - (a) Can the number 1845 be written as the sum of two squares of integers?
  - (b) The same question for the number 3510.
  - (c) What is the number of ordered pairs  $(x, y) \in \mathbb{Z} \times \mathbb{Z}$  of integers, such that  $11\,700\,000 = x^2 + y^2$ ?
  
- (3) Does the congruence  $x^2 \equiv 17 \pmod{77}$  have a solution?
  
- (4)
  - (a) Compute the simple continued fraction of  $\sqrt{80}$ .
  - (b) Find the two smallest positive solutions  $x, y$  of the diophantine equation  $x^2 - 80y^2 = 1$
  
- (5)
  - (a) Show that 6 is a primitive root modulo 41.
  - (b) Find a primitive root modulo 82.
  
- (6)
  - (a) What is the largest order of an integer modulo 77.
  - (b) Find an integer which has the largest possible order modulo 77.