

#47 (NEW VERSION):

let's list inverses in $\mathbb{Z}_{13}$ for convenience: ($[\cdot]_{13}$ omitted from notation)

x	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
x^{-1}	1	7	9	10	8	11	2	5	3	4	6	12

I get these by trial & error, plus wisdom, eg:

$$2 \cdot 6 \equiv -1 \pmod{13}, \text{ hence } 2^{-1} = -6 = 7 \text{ in } \mathbb{Z}_{13} \text{ (and } 7^{-1} = 2 \text{)}$$

$$3 \cdot 4 \equiv -1 \pmod{13}, \text{ hence } 3^{-1} = -4 = 9 \text{ in } \mathbb{Z}_{13} \text{ (and } 9^{-1} = 3 \text{)}$$

Or I could start factoring $13+1$, $2 \cdot 13+1$, $3 \cdot 13+1$, ...

$$\begin{array}{ccc} & & \\ & & \\ 2 \cdot 7 & 3 \cdot 9 & 4 \cdot 10 \end{array}$$

and fill in the table as I produce these factors

$$a = a_0 = X^3 - 7X^2 + 3X + 3$$

$$b = a_1 = X^3 - 6X^2 + X + 7$$

$$a_0 = 1 \cdot a_1 + \underbrace{-X^2 + 2X - 4}_{a_2}$$

$$a_1 = (-X+4)a_2 + \underbrace{2X+10}_{a_3}$$

$$a_2 = (6X-3)a_3 + 0$$

long divisions: in $\mathbb{Z}_{13}$

$$\begin{array}{r} -X+4 \\ -X^2+2X-4 \overline{) X^3-6X^2+X+7} \\ \underline{X^3-2X^2+4X} \\ -4X^2-3X+7 \\ \underline{-4X^2+8X-3} \\ 2X+10 \end{array}$$

of course, one could write
(eg) $2X-3$ just as well

$$\begin{array}{r} 6X-3 \\ 2X+10 \overline{) -X^2+2X-4} \\ \underline{12X^2+8X} \\ -6X-4 \\ \underline{-6X-30} \\ 0 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{l} (-4 - (-30)) = 26 \\ = 0 \text{ in } \mathbb{Z}_B \end{array}$$

So, $2X+10$ is a gcd

If you want a monic polynomial:

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