

HOMEWORK 12

1. Give an example of a finite noncommutative ring. Give an example of an infinite noncommutative ring that does not have a unity.
2. is \mathbb{Z}_6 a subring of \mathbb{Z}_{12} ? Explain.
3. Suppose that R_1, R_2, \dots, R_n are rings that contain nonzero elements. Show that $R_1 \oplus \cdots \oplus R_n$ has a unity if and only if each R_i has a unity.
4. Let R be a commutative ring with unity and let $U(R)$ denote the set of units of R . Prove that $U(R)$ is a group under the multiplication of R . (This group is called the *group of units of R*).