1) Find all prime ideals. and maximall ideals of  $Z_6, Z_2 \times Z_4$ 

2) Find all  $c \in Z_3$  such that  $Z_3[X] / \langle x^2 + c \rangle$  is a field.

3) show that N is a maximal ideal in a ring if and only if R/N is a simple ring .

4) let A and B be ideals of a commutative ring R. the quotient A : B of A by B is defined by  $A : B = \{r \in R : r \ b \in A \ for \ all \ b \in B\}$ 

show that A: B is an ideal of R.

5) Find all zero divisors , and a nonzero , idempotent and units , nilpotent element in  $Z_3\oplus$   $Z_6$  .

6) suppose that a and b belong to a commutitve ring . and ab is a zero divisor. Show that either a or b is a zero divisor

7) Prove that  $I = \langle 2 + 2i \rangle$  is not a prime ideal of Z[i] / I? what is the characteristic of Z[i] / I?

8) show that  $Z_3[x] / \langle x^2 + x + 1 \rangle$  is not a field.

9) Prove that M is a maximal ideal in a ring R if and only if  $\forall x \notin M \exists r \in R \text{ such } 1 + r \ x \in M$ .