

## \* Maths

① Prime no. A no which is divisible by itself and by 1 is known as prime no.  
Eg:- 2, 3, 5, 7, 13...

Q Write a program to find whether 13 is prime or not.

Ans:

So all the no that come till 13 are  
1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13

- We know that if we're trying for 13 we should ignore 1 & 13.
- If any of remaining no. divides of multiple of 13 then it'll be a prime no.
- Obviously a no. greater than 13 will not divide 13. So  $13 \times ? = 13$
- $\therefore 13 \times 1 = 13$  &  $13 \div 1 \times 13 = 13$  - (we're ignoring this)
- Some other no  $\times$  some other no = 13
- Here it's that any possible no that allows us to do that?
- So we're gonna check is 2 divide dividing 13 No, is 3 No...

Therefore

② Eg:- 36 Not prime  $12 \times 3 = 36$ ...  
36 is divisible by No 1  $\times$  36, 2  $\times$  18,  
3  $\times$  12, 4  $\times$  9, 6  $\times$  6, 9  $\times$  4, 12  $\times$  3, 18  $\times$  2, 36  $\times$  1.

So these all no gives the outcome as 36.

As we can see that 36, 18, 12, 9 are getting repeated. So if you're checking that  $3 \times 12 = 36$ , so do you need to check whether  $12 \times 3 = 36$ . So these are all rearrangements. Hence ignore the repeated ones.



- So instead of checking all  $de (n-2)$  nos.
- Only make checks for nos. less than the square root of the no. itself
- So this has reduced the complexity to  $(\sqrt{n})$

- Code:-

```
public class Prime {
    public static void main(String[] args) {
        int n = 20;
        for (int i = 1; i <= n; i++) {
            System.out.println(i + " " + isprime(i));
        }
    }
}
```

```
static boolean isprime(int n) {
```

```
    if (n <= 1) {
        return false;
    }
```

*1 is neither prime nor composite.*

```
    int c = 2; - Start from dividing by 2
```

It means that while  $c \leq \sqrt{n}$  ← while  $(c * c \leq n)$  { - till the square

$$\therefore c = \sqrt{n}$$

$$\therefore c^2 = n$$

$$\therefore c \times c = n.$$

```
    if (n % c == 0) {
```

```
        return false; - (not prime)
```

```
    }
    c++;
```

```
    return true; - otherwise prime.
```

```
}
```



- \* Sieve of Eratosthenes :- It is an ancient algo for finding all prime nos. upto any given limit.
- When you know that 2 is prime (if let's say you start from 2). that does that not mean all the multiples of 2 will be not be prime.
  - So if you know that 2 is prime. Do you need to check whether 2's multiples are primes? NO.
  - 2 already are is dividing these nos. then no need to make any check. similarly, for prime n 3.

Note:

- If you eliminate all the multiples of 2 so the multiple of 3 will also get eliminate (a little bit).
- Via 2 if you're eliminating 18. So when you're eliminating multiples of 3 over there you will see the 18 is also already eliminated when we were eliminating the multiples of 2.

Q. let's visualize.

prime.      eliminate the multiple

2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19
20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37
38	39	40						

So let's we've all these nos. listed. In these nos. we've to find what are all the no. that are prime?



So it will be like Key! you don't need to check this whenever you land on this.

Q How do we maintain these? or How do you we maintain which no. is eliminated & which no. is taken as a prime no?

Ans: We can create an array & we can keep them as a boolean array which will contain true or false.

$\therefore \bigcirc \rightarrow \text{false (prime)}$

$\times \rightarrow \text{True (Not prime)}$

- So whenever you land on a index value that is  $\times$  skip it.
- so the array will move forward. & Now we'll check for 3, so it'll be like 3 neither  $\bigcirc$  nor  $\times$ . So it will check whether 3 is prime or not, yes 3 is prime then eliminate its multiple.
- Now we'll go to 4, But in the index value 4 is already  $\times$  that means the factor of 4 has been already appeared in the past which is true of because of 2. So skip it. Now 5 yes it is prime then eliminate the multiples. Now 6, no it's not that means the factor of 6 had been appeared, i.e. 2 & 3. so skip it.
- $\sqrt{40} = 6.32$  (around 6) so it is a same concept as previous of Eg 36. Eg:  $9 \times 4 = 36$  & it is something that has already been eliminated. so the further you will make it obviously gonna go till the square root. So check it till the square root //



Because after that it get repeated. So do  
the check till square root only.

Now all the no. that are remaining  
should be prime.  
so we have.

2, 3, 5, 7, 11, 13, 17, 19, 23,  
29, 31, 37.

• Code:- initially the boolean array it contains  
all the elements "the value will be false".  
↓  
public class Sieve { print(Primes[i])

public static void main(String[] args) {  
int n = 40;

boolean array

boolean[] primes = new boolean[n+1];

sieve(n, primes);

}

Here we're taking the  
no. as index so if 40  
should be included. or if  
n should be included then  
size should be n+1. because  
array starts from 0. ∴ n+1

↓ false in array means no. is prime ↓

Here we  
can say that

static void sieve (int n, boolean[] primes) {

initially we know that all the elements here in boolean  
will be false.  
for (int i = 2; i \* i ≤ n; i++) {

if primes is false or

if (primes[i] == false) { if (!primes[i]) {

So whenever we find an element that is false  
we can say that this is a  
prime no. & then make all  
of its multiple of that no. 3  
true because its will be 3  
prime

for (int j = i \* 2; j ≤ n; j += i) {

primes[j] = true;

Change all the  
multiples to  
true.



Ans:

```
for (int i = 2; i <= n; i++) {
```

```
    if (!primes[i]) {
```

```
        System.out.println(i + " ");
```

```
    }
```

```
}
```

```
}
```

```
}
```

Note:-

- If the element contains the index elements are False (it means that it's prime).
- If the element is true, it means that it's already visited that means it's not prime. (because it's a multiple of some no. that we've seen in the past).

\*  $j = j + i$  (in for loop) is for element.  
Eg: 2     2 + 2 + 2     } it like multiples  
     3     3 + 3 + 3

- Space complexity :-  $O(n)$
- Time complexity :-  $O(N * \log(\log N))$

## \* Finding a square root of a number.

Let's say you're given 36 find its sqrt.

As we know that the sqrt is going to be less than 36.

Suppose we know that the given no. is perfect sqrt. Here we're starting to check from a sequence of a no. "like a sorted sequence of a no."

And whenever you're dealing with sorted sequence of a no. or you're to find a no. in the range of sorted no. apply **Binary Search**.

So likewise we can start from 0 & take mid as 18.

0 (low)

18 (mid)

36 (high)

① Now is  $m \times m = 36$  ? - NO, then where do you need to look or where'd the no. lie. is the no. will be more than 18 or less?

- As we knew that  $18 \times 18 \neq 36$ . Hence reduce the ans. so it will lie bet<sup>n</sup> 0 to 18 range. & the  $e = m - 1$  otherwise  $e = m + 1$ . (for perfect sqrt no.)

② Eg:- 40 = sqrt = 6.32  $\rightarrow ?$   
you can get this by applying above way

③ How can we get the decimal value?

Ans:- We can start by incrementing the decimal value its place. so let's say ans that we've right now.

root = 6

-(6 given) (Now start by check).

Eg:-  $6.1 \times 6.1 =$

$\rightarrow$  Increment the 1<sup>st</sup> decimal value. is

$6.1 \times 6.1 < 40$  yes. then increment again.



Now it will be equal to

$$6.2 \times 6.2 < 40 \text{ yes increment}$$

$$6.3 \times 6.3 < 40 \text{ yes incr.}$$

$$6.4 \times 6.4 > 40 \text{ No Hence reverse back}$$

6.3 will be the ans.

\* Suppose you want to do this for 2 digit places.

Ans:- So first you were adding 0.1.

We can do the same thing as above for 0.01.

Now you can keep on add for 0.01 if you wanted till "2-decimal" places.

Same for 3. and so on.

Every time just increase the decimal pts.

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Time complexity :-  $O(\log n)$ .



#Code:-

## Binary Search Sqrt

```
public class Sqrt {
```

```
    public static void main(String[] args) {
```

```
        int n = 40;
```

(precision value) int p = 3; till how many no. of dec. do we want.

```
        System.out.printf("%.3f", Sqrt(n, p));
```

It is a place holder. %.3 means it'll give the value till dec. 3 only.

```
    static double sqrt(int n, int p) {
```

```
        int s = 0;
```

end. int e = n; = no. it self.

```
        double root = 0.0;
```

```
        while (s <= e) { for int value.
```

```
            int m = s + (e - s) / 2;
```

```
            if (m * m == n) {
```

```
                return m;
```

```
            }
```

```
            if (m * m > n) {
```

```
                e = m - 1;
```

```
            }
```

```
            else {
```

```
                s = m + 1;
```

```
            }
```

```
        }
```

```
        double in = 0.1; (increment)
```

```
        for (int i = 0; i < p; i++) {
```

```
            while (root * root <= n) {
```

```
                root += in;
```

```
            }
```

```
            root -= in; } → go back.
```

```
            in /= 10; } after going back,  $\div 10$ 
```

```
        }
```

```
        return root;
```



## \* Newton Raphson Method :-

When we were taking a root previously we were taking it, eg "Binary search or Hit & trial"

Here the formula says that

$$\text{next} = \left( x + \frac{N}{x} \right) / 2 \quad \left. \vphantom{\frac{N}{x}} \right\} \text{ formula.}$$

actual

$$\text{Sqrt} = \sqrt{N}$$

Sqrt that you assumed.

Q Why the formula works?

Ans

let's say for a given no.  $n$  we're saying

$$\sqrt{N} = \left( x + \frac{N}{x} \right) / 2$$

We know that  $x$  is a closest sqrt of  $n$  that you can reach. (your own guess)

Now imagine your guess was correct then  $x = \sqrt{N}$  (actual sqrt of  $n$ ).

$$\therefore \sqrt{N} = \sqrt{N} + \frac{\sqrt{N}}{2}$$

$$\therefore \sqrt{N} = \frac{2\sqrt{N}}{2}$$

$$\therefore \sqrt{N} = \sqrt{N} //$$



so if your guess was the answer, the eq<sup>n</sup> satisfies.

so we're trying to minimise the error as minimal as possible.

So, if  $x$  is the sqrt that I'm assuming & sqrt is the actual sqrt then what is the error?

Ans  $\text{error} = |\text{root} - x|$

Eg:  $\text{root} = 36.4$

guess  $x = 36.1$

$\text{error} = 0.3$

- Now we're going to keep changing the value of  $x$  till this error becomes minimal.

- Initially what we gonna do is :-

- ① Assign  $x$  to  $N$  itself. so we gonna keep calculate the root using "formula" but it'll be like it isn't working like you have just put  $n$  here.
- ② You'll find your answer when  $\text{error} < 1$  :-  
But what if the error is not  $< 1$  then we're going to update our root. so we're going to root value as whatever the entire value is.
- ③ Update the value of  $x$ . &  $x = \text{root value}$ .

\* Time complexity =  $O(\log N) f(N)$

\*(fft)

$f(n) = \text{cost of calculating } \frac{f(n)}{f(n)}$

with  $n$ -digit precision.



Code :-

```
public class NewtonSort {  
    public static void main (String[] args) {  
        System.out.println( sqrt(40));  
    }
```

```
    static double sqrt (double n) {  
        // as we need x s that x is assign to n : double.  
        double x = n;  
        double root; // scoping.
```

```
        // if infinite loop while (true) { it's only going to break  
        // when the error is < 1.
```

```
        // 
$$\frac{N}{2} = \frac{x + \frac{N}{x}}{2}$$
 } root = 0.5 * ( x + (n/x) );  
        //  $\frac{1}{2} = 0.5$  (only error is allowed of 0.5)
```

```
        if (Math.abs (root - x) < 0.5) {  
            // absolute value precision value
```

```
            break; // in this case we have  
            found our Ans.
```

```
            x = root; // updating our root  
        }
```

```
        return root;  
    }
```

```
}
```

so it will be much more closer to the actual value. so as the barrier is reduced the error will be reduced as well. but more steps will be taken don't



\* Factors of a number.

A no. that divides another no. it's termed as factors of that no.

Eg:  $20 = 1, 2, 4, 5, 10, 20$ .

Time complexity:  $O(n)$

Space:  $O(1)$ .

# Code:-

```
public static Factors {  
    public static void main (String[] args) {  
        factors1(20);  
    }  
    static void factors1(int n) {  
        for (int i=1; i<=n; i++) {  
            if (n % i == 0) {  
                System.out.println(i);  
            }  
        }  
    }  
}
```

↑ 1<sup>st</sup> way

Time complexity:  $O(n)$

There is a problem over here the no. are getting repeated. So if we look at "if (n % i == 0)" Here it gonna check for the n no. of times & also the times get repeated. Eg is  $20 \% 1 = 20 \times 1 = 20$  So. Only check till the sqrt of n. because After words it's getting repeated.



// 2<sup>nd</sup> way. Optimised one.

Time complexity:  $O(\sqrt{n})$  /  $O(\text{Sqrt}(n))$ .

```
public class Factors {  
    public static void main(String[] args) {  
        factors(20);  
    }  
}
```

```
    static void factors(int n) {  
        Math.Sqrt  
        for (int i = 1; i <= (n); i++) {  
            2 factor  $n/i$  &  $n/i$  if (n % i == 0) {  
                Eg: 36. if (n / i == i) { Here it won't  
                    repeat 6 x 6 twice. ↑  
                    System.out.print(i);  
                } else {  
                    System.out.print(i + " " + n/i + " ");  
                }  
            }  
        }  
    }  
}
```

• This is just for ignoring the duplicate sort.  
• So, if we try to sort it will be the ans which aren't sorted. Here the "i" is already in sorted order & "n" are in descending order. Here we are getting the combination of i & n. So, with the smallest one, you're getting the largest one. and so on. So the second factor that we're getting. we can store it in some other form & print it separately.



1<sup>st</sup> way. Optimised & sorted one.

Both time & space complexity:  $O(\sqrt{n})$ .  
Because we're actually storing it in the list now.

```
public class Factors {  
    public static void main(String[] args) {  
        factors(20);  
    }  
    static void factors(int n) {  
        ArrayList<Integer> list = new ArrayList<>();  
        for (int i = 1; i <= Math.sqrt(n); i++) {  
            if (n % i == 0) {  
                if (n / i != i) {  
                    System.out.print(i + " ");  
                } else {  
                    System.out.print(i + " ");  
                    list.add(n / i); // all the last  
                                // no & the second half is actually going to lie in the list.  
                                // (in descending order)  
                }  
                // so in the list we're storing the half of no.  
            }  
        }  
        // (last order)  
        for (int i = list.size() - 1; i >= 0; i--) {  
            System.out.print(list.get(i) + " ");  
        }  
    }  
}
```



\* Modulo Properties :-  $\%$  (remainder symbol)

① These are like distributive properties

$$(a + b) \% m = ((a \% m) + (b \% m)) \% m$$

$$② (a - b) \% m = ((a \% m) - (b \% m) + m) \% m$$

$$③ (a * b) \% m = ((a \% m) * (b \% m)) \% m$$

$$④ \left(\frac{a}{b}\right) \% m = ((a \% m) * (\underline{b^{-1} \% m})) \% m$$

§ This is basically known as multiplicative modulo inverse  $\%$ .

$$⑤ (a \% m) \% m = a \% m \quad - \text{§ Important §}$$

$$⑥ m \% m = 0 \quad \forall x \in \text{integers.}$$

§ for all  $x$  belonging to positive integers

⑦ Entailment

If  $p$  is a prime no.

- § application §

which is not a divisor of  $b$ ,

$$\text{then } (a b^{p-1} \% p) = a \% p$$

due to Fermat's little theorem.



## \* Multiplicative Modulo Inverse (MMI). in brief.

$$\text{eg: } b^{-1} \% m$$

So, this basically means multiplicative modulo inverse

eg:

$$(6 * y) \% 7 = 1$$

So here  $y$  is basically (mmi) for 6.

$$\therefore y = \text{mmi for } 6.$$

$$\therefore y = 6$$

$$\therefore (6 * 6) \% 7 = 1$$

$$\therefore 36 \% 7 = 1$$

- Hence proved.

So (mmi) basically means  $b^{-1} \% m$  this means that  $b$  &  $m$  are co-primes.

Note:-

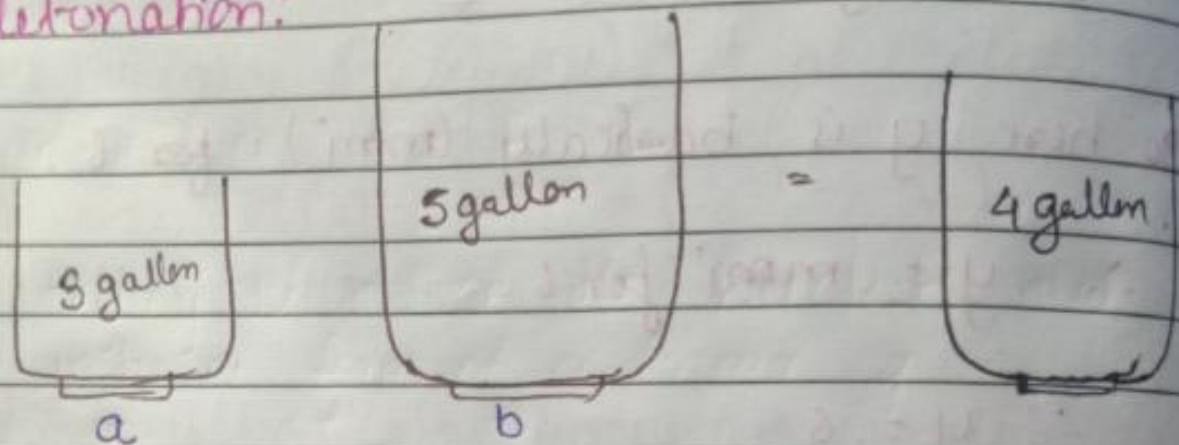
Co-primes no. are the no. whose common factor is only 1 or nothing else is common except for 1 them.

$$\text{eg: } 7 \text{ \& } 8 \quad (\text{What is the common factor in it?})$$
$$= 1$$



## \* Die-hard Example

Q To disarm a bomb "There're 2 jugs.  
1 is of 5 gallon & other 1 is of 3 gallon.  
fill one of the jugs with exactly four  
gallons of water and place it on the scale  
and timer will stop. It must be precise.  
One ounce more or less will result  
in detonation."



Ans

① This first time :

$$\begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ a \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ b \end{pmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ a \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ b \end{pmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ a \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ b \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\textcircled{2} \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ a \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ b \end{pmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ a \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ b \end{pmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ a \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ b \end{pmatrix}$$

5 is the capacity & 3 is inside  
means 2 is remaining

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ a \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ b \end{pmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ a \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ b \end{pmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ a \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ b \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\textcircled{3} \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ a \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ b \end{pmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ a \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ b \end{pmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ a \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ b \end{pmatrix} //$$



Suppose the jug was filled

jug a =  $s'$  times  $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{filled} \end{array} \right.$

jug b =  $s''$  times  $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{emptied} \end{array} \right.$

So what will be the remainder in the b jug at the end.

$$r = as' - bs'' \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

$a$  = is the volume of jug

$as'$  = it is the amt of water taken

$bs''$  = it is the amt of water removed.

If we take  $-bs''$  as it is in its integer.

$$[r = as' + (-bs'')] \quad \text{in another way.}$$

or

$$r = as' + (-bs'')$$

But if we want to totally solve in positive & negative way.

$$\therefore L = s'a + t'b \quad \text{--- (Suppose) --- (A)}$$

$$\therefore s'a = L - t'b \quad \text{--- (given)}$$

as we know that

$$r = s'a + t'b - t'b - bs''$$

If we replace this with eqn (A)



$$r = L - (t' + u)b$$

if  $t' + u \neq 0$   
 It basically says that

$[r < 0 \text{ or } r > b]$  which is not true (the remainder can't be negative)

$$t' + u = 0 \Rightarrow u = -t'$$

$$\therefore r = s'a + t'b = L$$

+ We're trying to reduce the buckets that we're given into a form of a linear eq<sup>n</sup>.

Q Why all this conversion?

Ans: Because we know by that if you want to make particular amt of water from 2 jugs it is going to be a combination of linear eq<sup>n</sup>.

①. it is a form of a linear eq<sup>n</sup>.

2) we know that we can write it in the form of  $ax + by$  as well.

$\therefore r = s'a + t'b$  can also be written in  
 $r = ax + by$

3) So basically to solve this water jug problem we need to have this particular eq<sup>n</sup>.

Eg: ①  $3x + 5y = 4$

Q How do we know whether this is true or false?



Ans:-

Check what is the minimum value that this eq<sup>n</sup> can make.

$$\therefore 3x + 5y = 4.$$

put  $x$  &  $y$  as integer. so what is the minimum positive value you can have of eq<sup>n</sup>.

Eg:-  $x = -3 \rightarrow y = 2$

$$3x + 5y = 12 \rightarrow \text{minimum value (positive)}$$

Note:-

This is known as GCD or HCF of 2 no.

HCF of  $a$  &  $b$  = minimum positive value of eq<sup>n</sup>  $ax + by$ , where  $x$  &  $y$  are integer.

So this is what actually HCF & GCD means.

Eg:- HCF of  $(4, 18)$

$$4 = 1, 2, 4$$

$$18 = 1, 2, 3, 6, 9, 18$$

} 2 is the highest factor common in both

$$\therefore \text{Ans} = 2$$



HCF (3, 9)

$$3 = 1, \textcircled{3}$$

$$9 = 1, \textcircled{3}, 9$$

$$\text{Ans} = 3$$

$$\min(3x + 9y) = 3$$

$$3x + 9y = 3$$

$$\therefore 3(x + 3y)$$

$$\text{put } x = -2 \text{ \& } y = 1$$

$$= 3(-2 + 3)$$

$$= 3$$

Def<sup>n</sup>:-

If you're given 2 no. "a & b" HCF will be the minimum value of the eq<sup>n</sup> of  $ax + by$  where x & y can be any int<sup>r</sup> integer you want.

Q. How does it relates to a problem?

Ans. So, if you're given 2 jugs of water a & b you know that  $ax + by$  you need to form a particular value of L liter.

$$\therefore ax + by = L$$

Q. let's say I is given of 2 lit & another one is of 4 lit & you have to form 5 lit of water.

$$\therefore 2x + 4y = 5$$



So the minimum value of  $2x + 4y =$   
will be

Note: A  
Whatever HCF you will get that will come  
out as Common.

$$\therefore \text{HCF}(2, 4)$$

$$\text{Ans} = 2$$

$$\therefore 2(x + 2y) = 5$$

$$\therefore x + 2y = 2.5 \quad \text{X}$$

you can't use decimal point. Hence if you  
were given a bucket of 2 lit & 4 lit you  
can't form a water of 5 lit.

$$\textcircled{2} \quad 3x + 6y = 9$$

$$\text{HCF}(3, 6)$$

$$\therefore \text{Ans} = 3$$

$$3(x + 2y) = 9$$

$$\therefore x + 2y = 3 \quad \checkmark$$

So, yes you can for 9 lit of water by 3 &  
6 lit jug.



$$③. 3x + 5y = 17$$

$$\text{HCF} = (3, 5) = 1$$

$$1(3x + 5y) = 17$$

Note:

If the HCF is 1 you can form any amount of water.

$$\therefore 3x + 5y = 4$$

$$1(3x + 5y) = 4$$

$\therefore$  Via 3 & 5 gallon jug you can form any amount of water.

\* Euclidean Algorithm.

- It is used to find the GCD or HCF.

$$\therefore \text{gcd}(a, b) = \text{gcd}(\text{rem}(b, a), a)$$

$$\text{Eg: } \text{gcd}(105, 224) = \text{gcd}(\text{rem}(224, 105), 105)$$

$$= \text{gcd}(14, 105) = 7$$

Q Why is it working?

Ans We are able to subtract these things like the rem. out of it & reduce the value.



because in the end we're subtracting it

$\therefore \gcd(105, 224) \rightarrow$  This basically means minimum value

$$105x + 224y$$

$\downarrow$

minimum value

$\downarrow$

$$14x + 105y$$

} converted from eq (1)

Q. Why do subtract? Why is it not changing the final ans?

Ans) Because the linear combination, the gcd of (105, 224) also divides a linear combination of 105 & 224

let say  $224 - 2 \times 105$  - a linear combination can be anything the x & y value

eg:  $224 - 2 \times 105 = 14$  (rem) Can be anything?

so 14 is the rem.

You're reducing the y with something it's gonna be linear equation.

\* Use case :-

There is one more thing known as extended Euclidean Algorithm, which actually gives us the value of x & y  $\rightarrow$  (adv topic)



Q. So when will this GCD stop?

Ans. We know that anyone of the no from (a, b) suppose a becomes 0 basically if you keep dividing by a or b at one point one of those will become Zero, 0. So if a becomes 0 that means the ans will not be changed and otherwise put this as recursion call.

\* Code:-

```
public class GCD_LCM {  
    public static void main(String[] args)
```

```
    {  
        System.out.println(gcd(2, 4));
```

```
    }  
  
    static int gcd(int a, int b) {
```

```
        if (a == 0) {  
            return b;
```

```
        }  
  
        return gcd(b % a, a);  
    }  
}
```

Note:- GCD stands for greatest common divider

\* LCM:-

It stands for Least common multiple.

Eg:- multiples of 2 = 2, 4, 6, 8, 12, ...

It means a number that is divisible by the num (both).

Eg:-  $\text{LCM}(a, b)$  = no. divisible by both a & b

①  $\text{LCM}(2, 4)$  = which is the smallest no that is divisible by both 2 & 4.?  
= 4

②  $\text{LCM}(3, 7) = 21$

③ Note:-

let say we have a & b

suppose  $d = \text{gcd}(a, b)$

- This basically means that a gets divided by d & b also gets divided by d. because d is a factor.

$$\therefore f = \frac{a}{d}, g = \frac{b}{d}$$



$$a = fd, \quad b = gd$$

\*\* let say  $lcm = C$

$lcm(a, b)$  . -  $\$$  Has to be divisible of  $a \& b$

$$= lcm(fd, gd)$$

\*\* We know that  $f \& g$  have no other common factor otherwise  $d$  would be bigger than that  $\therefore d$  is the highest common factor

$\therefore f \& g$  will have no other <sup>common</sup> factor

Eg:-  $a = 9 \quad \& \quad b = 18$

$$\therefore f = \frac{a}{d} \quad \& \quad d = HCF$$

$$\therefore g = HCF$$

$$\therefore f = \frac{9}{9}$$

$$\therefore f = 1 \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

$$\therefore g = \frac{b}{d}$$

$$g = \frac{18}{9}$$

$$g = 2 \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

Here  $f$  &  $g$  have no other factor in common. Why?

Because the highest thing it was already down (out) in form of HCF. Hence it will have no other thing in common factor.

Hypothetically; it was possible then it would be bigger.

Eg:-

let say  $hcf = 3$

$$f = \frac{9}{3}$$

$$g = \frac{18}{3}$$

$$f = 3$$

$$g = 6$$

Now it does have something in common now

So 3 is common

Hence it is wrong.  $\therefore$  HCF should be bigger now. because one ~~not~~ more thing you're getting out of it common. add that into HCF as well.

$\therefore$  HCF of 9 & 3 is not 3 it's actually 9. so another common stuff if 3 is common so take 3 & multiply with that hcf

$$\therefore hcf = 3 \times 3 = 9$$

it's now correct.



So now we know that HCF of  $f$  &  $g$  have no common factor.

Q What does that mean?

Ans So it basically means that our LCM  $C$ , that's going to be multiple

Q What is that thing that divides both your  $a$  &  $b$ ? think.

Ans So we know  $a = fd$  &  $g = bd$  &  $b = gd$ .

Q What is the smallest no that can divide  $a$  &  $b$ ?

Ans We know  $a = fd$  &  $b = gd$  & we also know that  $f$  &  $g$  have nothing common factors.

So if we say  $f * g * d = \text{LCM}$ .  
Because this is the only way our above conditions are satisfied.

So basically we're trying to find that if a no is dividing both  $a$  &  $b$

\* If you need to find a number that both  $a$  &  $b$  divides basically

LCM means a no. that divides is divided by both  $a$  &  $b$ .

So here we need a no. that is divided by both  $a$  &  $b$

$\therefore$  that no should contain  $a * b$

Basically we need a no. that is divisible by a & b also

should not that no. contain <sup>or</sup> the factor of that no. contain a & b itself

Eg:  $9 \rightarrow 9, 18$

or

$17 \& 19$ .

Q Find a no. that <sup>divisible by</sup> divides both 17 & 19?

Ans Here the no. should contain 17 & 19 as well, i.e. it

$$\therefore a \times b$$

$$= f d \times g d \quad - \quad \text{\$ } d \text{ is repeating twice} \\ \text{Hence remove.}$$

$$\therefore \text{LCM} = f \times g \times d$$

& we know that

$$a \times b = f d \times g d$$

if we take  $g$  common

$$\therefore = d \times d f g \quad \text{\$ } \text{HCF} = d \text{ } \left. \begin{array}{l} \text{given.} \end{array} \right\}$$

$$= \text{hcf} \times \text{LCM}$$

$$\text{\$ } d f g = \text{LCM}$$

$$\therefore \text{HCF} \times \text{LCM} = a \times b$$



formula :-

$$LCM = \frac{a \times b}{HCF(a, b)}$$

$$LCM(a, b) = \frac{a \times b}{HCF(a, b)}$$

Code :-

```
public class GCD_LCM {  
    public static void main(String[] args) {  
        System.out.println(lcm(17, 18));  
    }  
    static int gcd(int a, int b) {  
        if (a == 0) {  
            return b;  
        }  
        return gcd(b % a, a);  
    }  
    static int lcm(int a, int b) {  
        return a * b / gcd(a, b);  
    }  
}
```