

# number theory

branch of mathematics  $\rightarrow$  studied integers.

why it is important?  
because many questions about integers are very difficult to solve even if seem simple

ex

$$x^3 + y^3 + z^3 = 33$$

$$\text{let } x = 3$$

$$y = \sqrt[3]{3}$$

$$z = \sqrt[3]{3}$$

## 1] Prime and factors

- factor

$a$  is divisor or factor of  $b$  if  $b$  divisible by  $a$

if  $a$  is factor of  $b$  we write  $a|b$

otherwise

$$a \nmid b$$

- Prime

$n$  is prime if

$$- n > 1$$

-  $n$  has two divisors only (1 and  $n$ )

assumption

$\therefore$  for every number more than one can be written

as

$$n = p_1^{a_1} \cdot p_2^{a_2} \cdot p_3^{a_3} \cdot p_4^{a_4} \cdots p_k^{a_k}$$

where  $p_i$  are distinct prime and  $a_i$  integer and positive

$\rightarrow$  The number of factors

$$N(n) = \prod_{i=1}^k (a_i + 1) = (a_1 + 1)(a_2 + 1) \cdots (a_k + 1)$$

in

- The sum of factors of  $n$

$$\sigma(n) = \prod_{i=1}^k (1 + p_i + \dots + p_i^{a_i}) = \prod_{i=1}^k \frac{p_i^{a_i+1} - 1}{p_i - 1}$$

$$= \frac{p_1^{a_1+1} - 1}{p_1 - 1} * \frac{p_2^{a_2+1} - 1}{p_2 - 1} * \frac{p_3^{a_3+1} - 1}{p_3 - 1} * \dots * \frac{p_k^{a_k+1} - 1}{p_k - 1}$$

- The product of factors

$$\mu(n) = n^{(\sigma(n)-1)/2}$$

Assumption

$n$  is perfect number if  $n = \overbrace{\sigma(n) - n}^{\text{Sum of factors}}$

in other words  $n =$  its factors between 1 and  $n-1$ .

$\Rightarrow$  number of primes

there are infinite numbers of primes.

$$\text{Set} \rightarrow P = \{p_1, p_2, \dots, p_n\}$$

$$P_{\text{new}} = p_1 \cdot p_2 \cdot \dots \cdot p_n + 1$$

$\hookrightarrow$  we can use it  
to form new  
prime

- density of primes

let  $\pi(n) \rightarrow$  the number of prime between 1 and  $n$

$$\pi(n) \approx \frac{n}{\ln n}$$



## → Conjectures

There are many Conjectures but no one prove it famous of them for examples:-

1) Goldbach's Conjectures:-  
any even integer more than one can divide to two primes number

2) Twin prime Conjectures:-  
There are infinite number of pairs like  $\{P, P+2\}$  and both are prime.

3) Legendre's Conjecture  
always there are prime number between  $n^2$  and  $(n+1)^2$

## Basic Algorithms:-

\* if  $n$  is not prime it can be represent as a product of  $a.b$  where  $\min(a, b) \leq \sqrt{n}$ . #  
So we can do it in Algorithm  $O(\sqrt{n})$ .

## \* Sieve of Eratosthenes

build a array where sieve  $[k] = 0$   
then  $k$  is prime

if sieve  $[k] \neq 0$  so it's not prime and value of sieve  $[k]$  is prime factor for it.

big notation of Algorithm :-  $n/x$   
 $\log n = \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{3} + \frac{1}{4} + \frac{1}{5} + \dots + \frac{1}{n}$   
 $\sum_{x=2}^n n/x = n/2 + n/3 + n/4 + \dots + n/n = O(n \log n)$

## Euclid's Algorithm

the greatest Common divisor of number  $a, b = \gcd(a, b)$   
the least Common multiple of number  $a, b = \text{LCM}(a, b)$

$$\text{LCM}(a, b) = \frac{a \times b}{\gcd(a, b)} \quad \xrightarrow{\text{or}} \quad \frac{a}{\gcd(a, b)} \times b.$$

## Euclid's Algorithm.

$$\text{formula } \gcd(a, b) = \begin{cases} a & b = 0 \\ \gcd(b, a \bmod b) & b \neq 0 \end{cases}$$

$$n = \min(a, b)$$

the worst case is  $\gcd(F_{n+1}, F_n)$

$$O(\log(n))$$

$F_n$  is Fibonacci of  $n$

Euler's totient function:-

$a, b$  are Coprime if  $\gcd(a, b) = 1$

Euler's totient function  $\phi(n)$

give no. of Coprime functions between 1 and  $n$ .

$\phi(n)$  can calculate from prime factorization of  $n$  using formula.

$$\phi(n) = \prod_{i=1}^k p_i^{a_i-1} (p_i - 1)$$

$$\text{ex) } \phi(12) = 2^1 (2-1) \times 3^1 (3-1) = 2 \times 2 = 4$$

$\{2, 2, 3\}$



## modular Arithmetic

if  $\text{num} \bmod m = \text{ans}$   
 $\text{ans} \in [0, m-1]$

Some important formulae

- $(x + y) \bmod m = (x \bmod m + y \bmod m) \bmod m$
- $(x - y) \bmod m = (x \bmod m - y \bmod m) \bmod m$
- $(xy) \bmod m = (x \bmod m \cdot y \bmod m) \bmod m$
- $x^n \bmod m = (x \bmod m)^n \bmod m$

- modular exponentiation ~ aim To calculate  
in recursion  $\boxed{x^n \% m}$   
 $O(\log(n))$

$$x^n = \begin{cases} 1 & n = 0 \rightarrow \text{base case} \\ x \cdot x^{n-1} & n \text{ odd} \\ (x^2)^{n/2} & n \text{ even} \end{cases}$$

# Fermat's Theorem and Euler's Theorem.

Fermat's Theorem states that

$$x^{m-1} \bmod m = 1$$

when  $m$  is prime and  $m, x$  coprime.

also

$$x^k \bmod m = x^{k \bmod (m-1)} \bmod m$$

more general Euler's Theorem states that.

$$x^{\phi(m)} \bmod m = 1$$

note  $\phi(m) = m-1$  (5) if  $m$  is prime

So when  $m$  is prime so

$$x^{m-1} \bmod m = 1$$

$\times$  number & Coprime of number  $m$   
 $\underline{\underline{\bmod m = 1}}$

modular Inverse.

$$\star \boxed{xx^{-1} \bmod m = 1}$$

how To find inverse modular

$$A \bmod C$$

search from  $0 \rightarrow C-1$

$$(A \times B) \% C = 1$$

Condition To have inverse  
Let  $A$  Coprime To  $C$   
 $\rightarrow$  (or)

$$x^{-1} = x^{e(C)-1} \quad \# \text{ proof}$$

if  $m$  prime

$$x^{-1} = x^{m-2}$$

Euler  $\phi(m)$

$$x^{\phi(m)} \bmod m = 1$$

$$x \cdot x^{\phi(m)-1} \bmod m = 1$$

$$x \cdot x^{-1} \bmod m = 1$$

$$\text{So } x^{-1} = x^{\phi(m)-1}$$

$\square$

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# Computer Arithmetic

hint to unsigned number indata type are represent to modulo  $2^k \rightarrow$  last  $k$  capacity.

Like Integer represent to modulo  $2^{32}$

$$X \bmod 2^{32}$$

hint

$$(1^n + 2^n + 3^n + 4^n) \bmod m$$

$$= (1^{n \bmod \phi(m)} + 2^{n \bmod \phi(m)} + 3^{n \bmod \phi(m)} + 4^{n \bmod \phi(m)}) \bmod m$$

\* note

\* To get LCM we take the Prg Power

$$\text{LCM}(12, 30)$$

$$12 = 2^2 \cdot 3^1$$

$$30 = 2^1 \cdot 3^1 \cdot 5^1$$

$$\text{LCM}(12, 30) = 2^2 \cdot 3^1 \cdot 5^1 = 60 \quad \#$$

\* To get GCD do opposite Take the small power

$$\text{GCD}(12, 30)$$

$$12 = 2^2 \cdot 3^1 \cdot 5^0$$

$$30 = 2^1 \cdot 3^1 \cdot 5^1$$

$$\text{gcd}(12, 30) = 2^1 \cdot 3^1 \cdot 5^0 = 6 \quad \#$$

## Solving Equations

Diophantine equation

form :-  $\boxed{ax + by = c}$

$x, y$  unknowns.  
 $a, b, c$  constants.

Every number in it should be integer.

We can solve it using Euclid's Algorithm

$$ax + by = \gcd(a, b).$$

Can be solved if  $c$  divisible by  $\gcd(a, b)$   
otherwise can't be solved.

ex:  $ax + by = c$   
 $39x + 15y = 12$

$$\gcd(39, 15) = 3$$

$$\text{and } c / \gcd(a, b)$$

So it can be solved.

~~Solution 1, -2, ..., c, ...~~

Note  $\rightarrow$  solution is not unique.

if solution is  $(x, y)$  so there

are  
 $(x + \frac{kb}{\gcd(a, b)}, y - \frac{ka}{\gcd(a, b)})$

where  $k$  is any integer.

Chinese remainder Theorem:-

solve equations in forms-

$$x = a_1 \pmod{m_1}$$

$$x = a_2 \pmod{m_2}$$

$$x = a_n \pmod{m_n}$$

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where all pairs of  $m_1, m_2, \dots, m_n$  are coprime.  
 let  $x^{-1}_m$  the inverse of  $x$  modulo  $m$ , and

$$x_k = \frac{m_1 m_2 \dots m_n}{m_k} \cdot \#$$

$$x = a_1 x_1 x_{1m_1}^{-1} + a_2 x_2 x_{2m_2}^{-1} + \dots + a_n x_n x_{nm_n}^{-1}$$

ex)

$$x \equiv 2 \pmod{3}$$

$$x \equiv 2 \pmod{4}$$

$$x \equiv 1 \pmod{5}$$

find  $x$

Solution

$\text{GCD}(3, 4) = 1$ ,  $\text{GCD}(3, 5) = 1$ ,  $\text{GCD}(4, 5) = 1$   
 So we can use Chinese remainder theorem.

$$x = \overset{\text{mod } 3}{4 \cdot 5} + \overset{\text{mod } 4}{3 \cdot 5 \cdot 3} + \overset{\text{mod } 5}{3 \cdot 4 \cdot 3}$$

$$= 20 + 15 + 12$$

$$x = 20 \pmod{3} \approx 2 \pmod{3}$$

Take mod 3

To find

Take mod 5

$$x = 0 + 0 + 12 \pmod{5} = 2 \pmod{5}$$

note  $2 \cdot 3 = 6 \equiv 1 \pmod{5}$

$$x = 15 \pmod{4} = 3 \pmod{4} = 2 \cdot 3 \pmod{4} = 2 \pmod{4}$$

So final res

$$x = 26 \pmod{60}$$

$$x = 20 + 40 + 36 = 86$$

$$= \text{soln } 26, 86, 146, 206, \dots$$

## Other Results

### ① Lagrange's Theorem:-

Every positive integer can be represented as a sum of four squares i.e.  $a^2 + b^2 + c^2 + d^2$ .

ex)  $123 = 8^2 + 5^2 + 5^2 + 3^2$

### ② Zeckendorf's Theorem:-

Every positive integer has a unique representation as a sum of Fibonacci numbers.

ex)  $74 = 55 + 13 + 5 + 1$

### ③ Pythagorean Triples

$(a, b, c)$   $a^2 + b^2 = c^2$

right angle triangle

ex)  $(3, 4, 5)$  is a Pythagorean triple  
note  $(ka, kb, kc)$  also "

\*  $k > 1$

A Pythagorean triple is primitive if  $a, b, c$  are coprime.

Use Euclid's formula

$$(n^2 - m^2, 2nm, n^2 + m^2) \quad \text{for } 0 < m < n$$

where  $m, n$  are coprime

and at least one of them is even.

ex)  $n=2, m=1 \rightarrow (3, 4, 5)$

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Wilson's Theorem

$n$  is prime when

$$(n-1)! \bmod n = \underline{n-1}$$

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