

计算机科学中的数学基础 Exercise11

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Warmups7

- 7 Ten people numbered 1 to 10 are lined up in a circle as in the Josephus problem, and every m th person is executed. (The value of m may be much larger than 10.) Prove that the first three people to go cannot be 10, k , and $k + 1$ (in this order), for any k .

若第一个被删除的人是 10 号, 那么 m 满足

$$m \bmod 10 = 0 \quad (1)$$

若紧接着第二个被删除时人是 k , 那么由于有十个人, 而第一次删除的恰好是 10 号, 那么第二轮相当于有九个人, 从头开始删除, 那么 m 满足

$$m \bmod 9 = k \quad (2)$$

若紧接着删除编号为 $k + 1$ 的人, 那么 m 满足

$$m \bmod 8 = 1 \quad (3)$$

而 m 若同时满足这些条件, 就有 m 既为奇数, 又为偶数, 故不存在这样的 m 。

Warmups8

- 8 The residue number system $(x \bmod 3, x \bmod 5)$ considered in the text has the curious property that 13 corresponds to $(1, 3)$, which looks almost the same. Explain how to find all instances of such a coincidence, without calculating all fifteen pairs of residues. In other words, find all solutions to the congruences

$$10x + y \equiv x \pmod{3}, \quad 10x + y \equiv y \pmod{5}.$$

Hint: Use the facts that $10u + 6v \equiv u \pmod{3}$ and $10u + 6v \equiv v \pmod{5}$.

根据题意, x, y 满足,

$$10x + y \equiv x \pmod{3} \quad (4)$$

$$10x + y \equiv y \pmod{5} \quad (5)$$

根据提示,

$$10x + 6y \equiv x \pmod{3} \quad (6)$$

$$10x + 6y \equiv y \pmod{5} \quad (7)$$

所以，两式相减，有

$$5y \equiv 0 \pmod{5} \quad (8)$$

$$(9)$$

得到， $y = 0$ 或 $y = 3$ 代入，可得 $x = 0$ 或 $x = 1$.

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9 Show that $(3^{77} - 1)/2$ is odd and composite. *Hint:* What is $3^{77} \pmod{4}$?

由二项式展开，有

$$3^{77} - 1 = (4 - 1)^{77} - 1 \quad (10)$$

$$= 4^{77} - 77 \times 4^{76} + \cdots + 77 \times 4 - 4 + 3 \quad (11)$$

$$(12)$$

故，根据提示，可以计算得，

$$3^{77} - 1 \pmod{4} = 3 \quad (13)$$

故，可以计算得到， $\frac{3^{77}-1}{2}$ 是奇数。同时，由等差数列求和公式，

$$\frac{3^{77} - 1}{2} = 1 + 3 + 3^2 + 3 \times 3 + \cdots + 3^{77} \quad (14)$$

$$= (1 + 3 + 3^2 + \cdots + 3^7) + 3^8 \times (1 + 3 + 3^2 + \cdots + 3^7) + \cdots + 3^{70} \times (1 + 3 + 3^2 + \cdots + 3^7) \quad (15)$$

$$= (1 + 3 + 3^2 + \cdots + 3^7) \times (1 + 3^8 + \cdots + 3^{70}) \quad (16)$$

故， $\frac{3^{77}-1}{2}$ 是奇的合数。

Basics17

17 Let f_n be the “Fermat number” $2^{2^n} + 1$. Prove that $f_m \perp f_n$ if $m < n$.

观察费马数，猜测，

$$f_n = f_{n-1} \times f_{n-2} \times f_0 + 2 \quad (17)$$

现用数学归纳法证明。易证，当 $n = 1$ 时，有

$$f_1 = 5 = 4 + 1 = 3 + 2 = f_0 + 2 \quad (18)$$

假设，当第 $n - 1$ 项满足时，有

$$f_n = 2^{2^n} + 1 \quad (19)$$

$$f_{n-1} = 2^{2^{n-1}} + 1 \quad (20)$$

$$= f_{n-2} \times f_0 + 2 \quad (21)$$

$$f_{n-2} \times \cdots \times f_0 = 2^{2^{n-1}} - 1 \quad (22)$$

$$f_{n-1} \times f_{n-2} \times \cdots \times f_0 = (2^{2^{n-1}} - 1) \times (2^{2^{n-1}} + 1) \quad (23)$$

$$= 2^{2^n} - 1 \quad (24)$$

$$= f_n - 2 \quad (25)$$

故,

$$f_n = f_0 \times f_1 \times \cdots \times f_{n-1} + 2 \quad (26)$$

故, 因为 $m \leq n$

$$f_n \bmod f_m \equiv 2 \quad (27)$$

由

$$\gcd(n, m) = \gcd(n \bmod m, m) \quad (28)$$

得,

$$\gcd(f_n, f_m) = \gcd(f_n \bmod f_m, f_m) \quad (29)$$

$$= \gcd(2, f_m) \quad (30)$$

$$= 1 \quad (31)$$

故, 得到 f_m 和 f_m 互素。