

3 Greatest common divisor and modulo

3.1 Find the multiplicative inverse of $34 \bmod 89$ using the euclidean algorithm

$$34 \bmod 89$$

$89 = 34 \cdot 2 + 21$	$89 + 34(-2) = 21 \quad (7)$
$34 = 21 \cdot 1 + 13$	$34 + 21(-1) = 13 \quad (6)$
$21 = 13 \cdot 1 + 8$	$21 + 13(-1) = 8 \quad (5)$
$13 = 8 \cdot 1 + 5$	$13 + 8(-1) = 5 \quad (4)$
$8 = 5 \cdot 1 + 3$	$8 + 5(-1) = 3 \quad (3)$
$5 = 3 \cdot 1 + 2$	$5 + 3(-1) = 2 \quad (2)$
$3 = 2 \cdot 1 + 1$	$3 + 2(-1) = 1 \quad (1)$

- ① $3 + (5 + 3(-1))(-1) = 1 = 3 + 5(-1) + 3 = 2(3) + 5(1)$
- ② $2(8 + 5(-1)) + 5(-1) = 2(8) + 5(-2) + 5(-1) = 2(8) + 5(-3) = 8(2) + 3(5)$
- ③ $-3(13 + 8(-1)) + 8(2) = 13(-3) + 8(3) + 8(2) = 13(-3) + 8(5)$
- ④ $5(21 + 13(-1)) + 13(-3) = 21(5) + 13(-5) + 13(-3) = 5(21) + 13(-8)$
- ⑤ ~~$8(34 + 21(-1)) + 21(5)$~~ $-8(34 + 21(-1)) + 21(5) = 34(-8) + 21(8) + 21(5) = 34(-8) + 21(13)$
- ⑥ $13(89 + 34(-2)) + 34(-8) = 89(13) + 34(-26) + 34(-8) = 89(13) + 34(-34)$

$$89(13) + 34(-34) = 1 \pmod{89}$$

~~$89(13) + 34(55) = 1 \pmod{89}$~~

$$34(55) = 1 \pmod{89} \quad | : 34$$

$$55 = \frac{1}{34} \pmod{89} = 34^{-1} \pmod{89}$$

The multiplicative inverse of $34 \bmod 89$ is 55

3.2 First we find the gcd, and since 89 is a prime we know the gcd is 1. We also know now that there is only one solution

$$\begin{aligned} 34x + 5 &\equiv 0 \pmod{89} \\ &= 34x \equiv -5 \pmod{89} \\ &= 34x \equiv 84 \pmod{89} \quad | \cdot 55 \quad \text{from last task} \\ 34(55)x &\equiv (55)(84) \pmod{89} \\ x &\equiv 4620 \pmod{89}, \quad 4620 \pmod{89} = 81 \pmod{89} \\ x &\equiv 81 \pmod{89} \end{aligned}$$

$x = 81 + 89k$, where k is any integer.