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## Factorization

what's the factor ?

A factor is a number that divides into another number exactly and without leaving a remainder.

in short if you are given a number  $n$   
 $n \% \text{factor} = 0$

given a number  $n$       $n=36$   
find it's factors     factors of 36 : 1 2 3 4 6 9 12 18 36

in programming a simple for loop from 1 to  $n$   
will do the job for us

## Factorization optimization

factor :  $n \% \text{factor} = 0$

factorization : is finding the number's factors

if  $(n \% i == 0)$

given a number $n$	if $i==2$ (2 18) 2, 36/2	if $i==4$ (4,9) 4, 36/4
find it's factors	if $i==1$ (1 36) 1, 36/1	if $i==6$ (6,6) 6,36/6
if $n=36$	if $i==3$ (3,12) 3, 36/3	

why should  $i$  stop at number 6 ?

if  $i$  continue  $i$  will repeat the factors 9,4 and so on

$6*6=36$   $i$  should always stop at  $\text{sqrt}(n)$