Number-Theoretic Algorithms

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$$ad \equiv bd \pmod{nd} \iff a \equiv b \pmod{n} \pmod{d} \neq 0$$

$$ad \equiv bd \pmod{n} \iff a \equiv b \pmod{\frac{n}{\gcd(d,n)}}$$

Changing the modulus

$$a \equiv b \pmod{100} \implies a \equiv b \pmod{20} \implies a \equiv b \pmod{5}$$

$$a \equiv b \pmod{nd} \implies a \equiv b \pmod{n}, d \in \mathbb{Z}$$

$$a \equiv b \pmod{n_1}, a \equiv b \pmod{n_2} \iff a \equiv b \pmod{\operatorname{lcm}(n_1, n_2)}$$

$$a \equiv b \pmod{n_1}, a \equiv b \pmod{n_2} \iff a \equiv b \pmod{n_1 n_2}, \text{ if } n_1 \perp n_2$$

$$a \equiv b \pmod{n} \iff a \equiv b \pmod{p^{n_p}}, \quad n = \prod_p p^{n_p}$$

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2. Improve this bound to $1 + \log_{\phi}(\frac{b}{\gcd(a,b)})$.

$$(a,b) = (a,b) \cdot \left(\frac{a}{(a,b)}, \frac{b}{(a,b)}\right)$$

$$\text{Euclid}(a,b) \leftrightarrow \text{Euclid}\left(\frac{a}{\gcd(a,b)}, \frac{b}{\gcd(a,b)}\right)$$

$$\text{Euclid}(b, a \mod b) \leftrightarrow \text{Euclid}(\frac{b}{\gcd(a, b)}, \frac{a}{\gcd(a, b)} \mod \frac{b}{\gcd(a, b)})$$

$$\frac{a}{\gcd(a,b)} \mod \frac{b}{\gcd(a,b)} = \frac{a \mod b}{\gcd(a,b)}$$

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Lemma (Generalization of Lemma 31.10)

If $a > b \le 1, d = \gcd(a, b)$ and the call $\operatorname{Euclid}(a, b)$ performs $k \ge 1$ recursive calls, then $a \ge dF_{k+2}$ and $b \ge dF_{k+1}$.

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Reference

"The Art of Computer Programming, Vol 2: Seminumerical Algorithms (Section 4.5.3)" by Donald E. Knuth, 3rd edition.

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Pairwise relatively prime (Problem 31.2-9)

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Looking into the divide steps

Not exactly the same

Can we do even better?

Biclique covering

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Chinese Remainder Theorem (CRT)

Where do m_i , c_i , and a come from?



History of CRT

Proof of CRT (1)

Proof of CRT (2)

Proof of CRT (3)

CRT

Meaning of Figure 31.3 $\equiv 1$ and $\equiv 0$ elsewhere



ϕ function

CRT with non-pairwise coprime moduli

Application?

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