

Lecture 38

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Q6. Find integer a such that

(i)

$$a \equiv 43 \pmod{23} \text{ and } -22 \leq a \leq 0.$$

$$23 \mid (a - 43),$$

$$23 \mid (-3 - 43) \checkmark$$

-69
-46
-23
0

(ii)

$$a \equiv -11 \pmod{21} \text{ and } 90 \leq a \leq 110.$$

$$21 \mid (a + 11)$$

$$a = 94$$

21
42
63
84
105

Q7. List all the integers between -100 and 100 are congruent to $-1 \pmod{25}$.

How many integers are there

(A) 8 (B) 6 (C) 9 (D) 7

$$a \equiv -1 \pmod{25}$$

$$25 \mid (a + 1)$$

-100	-75	-50	-25	0	25	50	75	100	$a+1$
-101	-76	-51	-26	-1	24	49	74	99	a

Arithmetic Modulo m

$$a +_m b = (a + b) \pmod{m}$$

addition
modulo

$$\text{multiplication modulo } a \cdot_m b = (ab) \pmod{m}$$

$$\{0, 1, a, \dots, m-1\} = \mathbb{Z}_m$$

$$\{0, 1, 2, \dots, m-1\} = \mathbb{Z}_m$$

① Closure Property

$$a, b \in \mathbb{Z}_m$$

$$a +_m b \in \mathbb{Z}_m, \quad (a \cdot_m b) \in \mathbb{Z}_m$$

② Associative

$$a +_m (b +_m c) = (a +_m b) +_m c$$

$$a \cdot_m (b \cdot_m c) = (a \cdot_m b) \cdot_m c$$

③ Distributive

$$a +_m (b \cdot_m c) = (a +_m b) \cdot (a +_m c)$$

$$a \cdot_m (b +_m c) = (a \cdot_m b) + (a \cdot_m c)$$

④ Commutative

$$a +_m b = b +_m a, \quad a \cdot_m b = b \cdot_m a$$

⑤ Identity

$$a +_m 0 = a$$

additive identity = 0

$$a \cdot_m 1 = a$$

multiplicative identity = 1

⑥ Inverse

$$a +_m (m-a) = 0$$

additive identity = (m-a)

$$a \cdot_m (a^{-1}) = 1$$

$$aa^{-1} \equiv 1 \pmod{m}$$

$$\mathbb{Z}_7 \rightarrow \{0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6\}$$

$$a + 5 = 0$$

$$2 \cdot 4 = 1$$

$$2 +_m 5 = 0 \quad 2 \cdot_7 4 = 1$$

$$2^{-1} = 4$$

$(\mathbb{Z}_m, +_m) \rightarrow$ Commutative Group.

$(\mathbb{Z}_m, +_m, \cdot_m) \rightarrow$ Commutative Ring

Q8. Find the value of

$$7 +_{11} 9 \text{ and } 7 \cdot_{11} 9.$$

$$\downarrow \quad \downarrow$$

$$16 \bmod 11 = 5 \quad 63 \bmod 11 = 8$$

Primes and Greatest Common Divisor

Primes

An integer p greater than 1 is called *prime* if the only positive factors of p are 1 and p .
A positive integer that is greater than 1 and is not prime is called *composite*.

Smallest Prime $\rightarrow 2$.

Largest Prime \rightarrow It exists, don't know.

Theorem 7:

THE FUNDAMENTAL THEOREM OF ARITHMETIC Every integer greater than 1 can be written uniquely as a prime or as the product of two or more primes where the prime factors are written in order of nondecreasing size.

$$103 \rightarrow 2, \dots, 102$$

Theorem 8:

If n is a composite integer, then n has a prime divisor less than or equal to \sqrt{n} .

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 $\Rightarrow n$ is prime.

$$103, \sqrt{103} \simeq 10$$

$$2, 3, 5, 7 \quad 2/103, 3/103, 5/103, 7/103$$

103 is a prime no.

Q9. Determine whether each of these integers is prime?

(i) 107 $\sqrt{107} \simeq 10$ 2, 3, 5, 7

$$2/107, 3/107, 5/107, 7/107 \quad \text{Prime}$$

(ii) 113 2, 3, 5, 7

$$2/113, 3/113, 5/113, 7/113 \quad \text{Prime}$$

(iii) 1111 $\sqrt{1111} \simeq 33$

$$2, 3, 5, 7, 11, 13, 17, 19, 23, 29, 31$$

$$\begin{matrix} \times & \times & \times & \times & \checkmark \\ 11 & 1111 & \rightarrow & \text{Not Prime} \end{matrix}$$

Q10. Find prime factorization of $10! = 10 \times 9 \times 8 \times 7 \times 6 \times 5 \times 4 \times 3 \times 2$

$$2^8 \cdot 3^4 \cdot 5^2 \cdot 7^1$$

How many zeros
 at end in $10! = 2$.

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- **Mersenne primes:** Primes of the form $2^p - 1$, p - prime are called Mersenne primes.
 $7 = 2^3 - 1$, $3 = 2^2 - 1$, $2^{11} - 1 = \text{Not Mersenne}$
- **Twin primes:** The pair of primes that differ by 2 are called Twin primes.
 $(3, 5)$, $(5, 7)$, $(11, 13)$

Greatest common divisor and Least common multiple

Let a and b be integers, not both zero. The largest integer d such that $d \mid a$ and $d \mid b$ is called the **greatest common divisor** of a and b . The greatest common divisor of a and b is denoted by $\gcd(a, b)$.

The **least common multiple** of the positive integers a and b is the **smallest** positive integer that is **divisible by both a and b** . The least common multiple of a and b is denoted by $\text{lcm}(a, b)$.

How to find gcd and lcm using prime factorization of integers

$$\begin{aligned}
 a &= p_1^{m_1} \cdot p_2^{m_2} \cdots p_k^{m_k} \\
 b &= p_1^{n_1} \cdot p_2^{n_2} \cdots p_k^{n_k} \\
 \gcd(a, b) &= p_1^{\min(m_1, n_1)} \cdot p_2^{\min(m_2, n_2)} \cdots p_k^{\min(m_k, n_k)} \\
 \text{lcm}(a, b) &= p_1^{\max(m_1, n_1)} \cdot p_2^{\max(m_2, n_2)} \cdots p_k^{\max(m_k, n_k)}
 \end{aligned}$$

Q11. Find gcd and lcm of given integers

(i) (1000, 625)

$$\begin{aligned}
 1000 &= 2^3 \cdot 5^3 \\
 625 &= 5^4
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \gcd &= 2^0 \cdot 5^3 = 125 \\
 \text{lcm} &= 2^3 \cdot 5^4 = 5000
 \end{aligned}$$

(ii) (111, 201)

$$111 = 3 \cdot 37$$

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$$\gcd = 3$$

$$\text{lcm} = 3 \cdot 37 \cdot 67 = 7437$$

(iii)

$$3^7 \cdot 5^3 \cdot 7^3, 2^{11} \cdot 3^5 \cdot 5^9$$

$$\gcd = 3^5 \cdot 5^3$$

$$\text{lcm} = 2^{11} \cdot 3^7 \cdot 5^9 \cdot 7^3$$

Q12. Given $\gcd(120, X)=20$, $\text{lcm}(120, X)=3000$, then what is value of X ?

Theorem 9:

Let a and b be positive integers. Then

$$ab = \gcd(a, b) \cdot \text{lcm}(a, b).$$

$$(20)(3000) = (120)(X)$$

$$X = 500$$

- **Relatively prime:** Two integers a, b are relatively prime if $\gcd(a, b) = 1$.

- **Pairwise prime:**

The integers a_1, a_2, \dots, a_n are *pairwise relatively prime* if $\gcd(a_i, a_j) = 1$ whenever $1 \leq i < j \leq n$.

- **Euler function $\phi(n)$:** No. of positive integers less than or equal to n which are relatively prime to n .

Q13.

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a) ~~21, 34, 55~~

b) ~~14, 17, 85~~

c) ~~25, 41, 49, 64~~

d) ~~17, 18, 19, 23~~

Q14.

Find these values of the Euler ϕ -function.

a) $\phi(4)$.

b) $\phi(10)$.

c) $\phi(13)$.

$\phi(4) = 2$

1, 3

1, 2, 3, 4

$\phi(10) = 4$

1, 3, 7, 9

$\phi(13) = 12$

$\phi(\text{prime}) = p - 1$

Q15.

What is the value of $\phi(p^k)$ when p is prime and k is a positive integer?

Home Exercise.

$\phi(p^k) = p^k - \left\lfloor \frac{p^k}{p} \right\rfloor$

$p^k - p^{k-1}$

$\phi(2^{10}) = 2^{10} - 2^9$
 $= 2^9(2-1)$
 $= 2^9 \cdot 1$