

Chapter 9

15. Show that every prime is either in the form $4k+1$ or $4k+3$ $k \in \mathbb{Z}^+$.

For an integer n , n can be written in form of $4k+r$ where $r \in \{0, 1, 2, 3\}$. Among these 4 cases, $4k+0$ and $4k+2$ cannot represent prime number as both are at least divisible with 2.

Thus, only $4k+1$ and $4k+3$ can represent a prime number.

17. Find the value of $\phi(29)$, $\phi(32)$, $\phi(80)$, $\phi(100)$, $\phi(101)$.

i) 29 is a prime. $\rightarrow \phi(29) = 29 - 1 = 28$.

ii) $32 = 2^5$. $\rightarrow \phi(32) = 2^5 - 2^4 = 16$.

iii) $80 = 2^4 \times 5 \rightarrow \phi(80) = (2^4 - 2^3) \times (5 - 1) = 8 \times 4 = 32$.

iv) $100 = 2^2 \times 5^2 \rightarrow \phi(100) = (2^2 - 2) \times (5^2 - 5) = 2 \times 20 = 40$.

v) 101 is a prime. $\rightarrow \phi(101) = 101 - 1 = 100$.

21. Find the following using Fermat's little theorem.

a. $5^{15} \bmod 13 = ((5^3 \bmod 13) \times (5^{12} \bmod 13)) \bmod 13$
 $= ((-1 \bmod 13) \times (5 \bmod 13)) \bmod 13 = \boxed{8 \bmod 13}$

b. $15^{18} \bmod 17 = ((15 \bmod 17) \times (15^{17} \bmod 17)) \bmod 17$
 $= ((15 \bmod 17) \times (15 \bmod 17)) \bmod 17 = \boxed{4 \bmod 17}$

c. $456^{17} \bmod 17 = 456 \bmod 17 = \boxed{14 \bmod 17}$

d. $145^{102} \bmod 101 = ((145^{101} \bmod 101) \times (145 \bmod 101)) \bmod 101$
 $= ((44 \bmod 101) \times (44 \bmod 101)) \bmod 101 = \boxed{17 \bmod 101}$

23. Find the following using Euler's theorem.

a. $12^{-1} \bmod 77 = 12^{\phi(77)-1} \bmod 77$. ($\phi(77) = 6 \times 10 = 60$)
 $= 12^{59} \bmod 77 = \boxed{45 \bmod 77}$

b. $16^{-1} \bmod 323 = 16^{\phi(323)-1} \bmod 323$ ($\phi(323) = 16 \times 18 = 288$)
 $= 16^{287} \bmod 323 = \boxed{107 \bmod 323}$

c. $20^{-1} \bmod 403 = 20^{\phi(403)-1} \bmod 403$ ($\phi(403) = 30 \times 12 = 360$)
 $= 20^{359} \bmod 403 = \boxed{262 \bmod 403}$

d. $44^{-1} \bmod 667 = 44^{\phi(667)-1} \bmod 667$ ($\phi(667) = 22 \times 28 = 616$)
 $= 44^{615} \bmod 667 = \boxed{379 \bmod 667}$

25. Can $2^n - 1$ be used for primality test?

Using the online database of known sequences, a lot of n that makes $2^n - 1$ prime are primes. These examples are 2, 3, 5, 7 where $2^n - 1$ equals to 3, 7, 31, 127, respectively. The smallest prime n that makes composite $2^n - 1$ is 11. As $2^{11} - 1 = 2047$, which can be divide with 23, 89.

26. Run the Fermat primality test.

- i) $2^{100-1} \bmod 100 = 88 \ (x) \therefore \text{Composite}$
- ii) $2^{110-1} \bmod 110 = 72 \ (x) \therefore \text{Composite}$
- iii) $2^{130-1} \bmod 130 = 88 \ (x) \therefore \text{Composite}$
- iv) $2^{150-1} \bmod 150 = 88 \ (x) \therefore \text{Composite}$
- v) $2^{200-1} \bmod 200 = 88 \ (x) \therefore \text{Composite}$
- vi) $2^{280-1} \bmod 280 = 62 \ (x) \therefore \text{Composite}$
- vii) $2^{271-1} \bmod 271 = 1 \ (o) \therefore \text{maybe prime?} \Rightarrow \text{prime!}$
- viii) $2^{341-1} \bmod 341 = 1 \ (o) \therefore \text{maybe prime?} \Rightarrow \text{Composite.}$
- ix) $2^{561-1} \bmod 561 = 1 \ (o) \therefore \text{maybe prime?} \Rightarrow \text{Composite.}$

27. Run the Miller-Rabin primality test.

- i) $n = 100, m = 100 - 1 = 99, k = 0. \Rightarrow \text{Composite.}$
- ii) $n = 109, m = 27, k = 2$
 $T = 2^{27} \bmod 109 = 33, k = 0$
 $T = 33^2 \bmod 109 = 108 \bmod 109 = (-1) \bmod 109, k = 1. \Rightarrow \text{Pseudoprime.}$
- iii) $n = 201, m = 25, k = 3.$
 $T = 2^{25} \bmod 201 = 95, k = 0$
 $T = 95^2 \bmod 201 = 181 \bmod 201, k = 1.$
 $T = 181^2 \bmod 201 = 199 \bmod 201, k = 2. \Rightarrow \text{Composite.}$
- iv) $n = 271, m = 135, k = 1$
 $T = 2^{135} \bmod 271 = 1 \bmod 271 \Rightarrow \text{Pseudoprime.}$
- v) $n = 341, m = 85, k = 2.$
 $T = 2^{85} \bmod 341 = 32, k = 0$
 $T = 32^2 \bmod 341 = 1 \bmod 341, k = 1. \Rightarrow \text{Composite.}$
- vi) $n = 349, m = 87, k = 2$
 $T = 2^{87} \bmod 349 = 213, k = 0$
 $T = 213^2 \bmod 349 = 348 \bmod 349 = (-1) \bmod 349, k = 1 \Rightarrow \text{Pseudoprime}$

vi) $n = 2047, m = 1023, k = 1$

$$T = 2^{1023} \bmod 2047 = 1 \bmod 2047, k = 0. \Rightarrow \text{Pseudoprime.}$$

28. Use the recommended test to determine whether integers are prime.

i) 271 is not easy to divide. \rightarrow Miller-Rabin test.

$$n = 271, m = 135, k = 1$$

$$\text{for } a = 2, T = 2^{135} \bmod 271 = 1.$$

$$\text{for } a = 3, T = 3^{135} \bmod 271 = -1.$$

$$\text{for } a = 4, T = 4^{135} \bmod 271 = 1.$$

\rightarrow pseudoprime.

ii) 3149 is not easy to divide. \rightarrow Miller-Rabin test.

$$n = 3149, m = 787, k = 2.$$

$$\text{for } a = 2, T = 2^{787} \bmod 3149 = 2523 \quad (k = 0)$$

$$T = 2523^2 \bmod 3149 = 140 \quad (k = 1).$$

\rightarrow Composite.

iii) 9673 is easy to divide: $9673 \div 17 = 569 \dots 0.$

\rightarrow Composite.