## Generalized algorithm

- arguments:
  - value to partition
  - max partition summands
  - set of partition summands
- initialization
  - set the number of summands n sub s
    - value of partition if 0
    - else max partition summands
  - create array of values for summands
    - set of partition summands as argument
    - otherwise 1 ... num summands otherwise
  - initialize coefficients array of size n sub s to 0
  - initialize remainder array of size n sub s to 0

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■ set remainder[n sub s - 1] = x
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- set remainder[n sub s] = x
- store the value to partition, x
- initialize count to 0
- ∘ set level, l, to n sub s 1
- set coefficient temporary, c sub t, to 0
- set remainder temporary, r sub i, to x

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x = n
ns = num_summands ? num_summands else x
summands = [1 ... n]
coeff = [0 ... 0]
remainder = [0 ... x , x]
count = 0
level = ns - 1
c sub t = 0
r sub i = x
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1. if the current level is greater than or equal to the number of summands return the number of summands

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if level is >= ns return ns
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1. set the remainder at level i to r sub i (the value to partition to start) set the coefficient at level i to c sub i (0 to start)

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remainder[level] = r sub i // x to start
coeff[level] = c sub i // 0 to start
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## 1 if the current level is not 0.

- if the remainder at the current level (index of last summand to start) is greater than 0
  - set coefficient at index level 1 to 0
  - set remainder at level 1 = remainder at level
  - decrement level
  - repeat 3.

## 2. if the current level is 0

- if remainder at current level is not 0
  - calculate rmdr / summand for level, set to var d (number of times summand goes into remainder)
  - rmdr at level = rmdr at level d \* summand at level (remainder is summand X (floor (remainder / summand))) i.e. r (floor(r / x))
  - coefficient at level = d (i.e. remainder / summand)
- 3. if remainder at current level is 0
  - increment count
  - go to ... with level
- 4 increment level
  - if level is >= number of summands go to ... with level number of summands
- 5. remainder at level equals remainder value (i.e. reduce remainder by on value ot current index
  - increment coefficient at level
  - go to 3.
- 6. level equals current level (from 5.) or number of summands (from 6.)
  - set coefficients and remainders up to current level equal to 0
  - increment level
  - r sub i = remainder at level value at level
  - c sub i = coefficient at level + 1
  - if the current level is less than the number to partition go to 1.