

Cryptography 1, Homework 12

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1 Question 1 & 2:

Sage has a very nice function named: `euler_phi(n)`.

We used this to calculate question 1 and 2, the results are shown below:

Question 1: 8640

Question 2: 379247933987370471260160

2 Question 3:

The public key (e, n): $(23441, p \cdot q) = (23441, 103487)$

The private key (n, d): $(103487, d \equiv e^{-1} \pmod{\phi(n)}) = (103487, d \equiv 23441^{-1} \pmod{\phi(103487)}) = (103487, d \equiv 23441^{-1} \pmod{102816}) = (103487, 67889)$

3 Question 4:

4 Question 5:

We have the following congruences:

$$x \equiv 0 \pmod{3}$$

$$x \equiv 1 \pmod{5}$$

$$x \equiv 2 \pmod{8}$$

We can transform them in the following system of equations:

$$x = 0 + 3t$$

$$x = 1 + 5u$$

$$x = 2 + 8v$$

We plug the first equation into the second congruence:

$$0 + 3t \equiv 1 \pmod{5}$$

$$3t \equiv 1 \pmod{5}$$

$$t \equiv \frac{1}{3} \pmod{5}$$

$$t \equiv 2 \pmod{5}$$

$$t = 2 + 5u$$

We can plug this into the first equation:

$$x = 0 + 3t = 0 + 3 \cdot (2 + 5u) = 6 + 15u$$

This we can plug into the third congruence:

$$6 + 15u \equiv 2 \pmod{8}$$

$$15u \equiv -4 \pmod{8}$$

$$u \equiv \frac{-4}{15} \pmod{8}$$

$$u \equiv 4 \pmod{8}$$

$$u = 4 + 8v$$

We can plug this into the equation above:

$$6 + 15 \cdot 4 + 8v = 6 + 60 \cdot 120v = 66 + 120v$$

So the smallest positive integer to satisfy the system of congruences is 66. The following values would be 66 plus a multiple of a 120.