

Homework 1

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1 Problem 1

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def SquareAndMutiply(a, e, n):
    b = bin(e)[2:]
    b = b[::-1]
    ans = 1
    for i in range(len(b)):
        if b[i] == '1':
            ans = (a * ans) % n
        a = (a * a) % n
    return ans

base, exponent, modulus = map(int, input().split())
print(SquareAndMutiply(base, exponent, modulus))
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The result is 1948938994538604160707108181724192091954263523362311673846915505520625915922643693886
546508713351109692750915684157878314121214348919992352909799653979265473350527870681252083094220
999190031833643580240890724902076377092268223725090951395199481472410255314243260591665020918693
044381737199432444238061823906089977020969899711341059639979159572739419600905336781673188368650
468710718164832109499409767199530541904080512081403155559058709882347747147418230358814131381147
208291328747857991048977465984265721979324595417184750317001715144073738047884018946037845800547
6484742953848813170374548455806977675820760128018344

2 Problem 2

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def extended_euclidean_algorithm(a, b):
    if b == 0:
        return 1, 0
    else:
        s, t = extended_euclidean_algorithm(b, a % b)
        return t, s - (a // b) * t

a, b = map(int, input().split())
s, t = extended_euclidean_algorithm(a, b)
print(s, t)
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The result is:

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s = 52693465174047597579174064083061206575761398656935114430811243560695066306956237700638467741
380344513260983625906545194154800126707869242528199250303471171536207597896008405650134889458156
325490296036336342644796958477425288398387518178265890700656305714837368523496597321973212197144
244237647291270529201589
t = -49224356025570205752640369113197589784192495362440084201087757193437212741118960024592916678
950802342924534115789543242617936510771866636258909484003508425128530601681164598597924839372243
612858504002463817184486904388029971268441911219848844590762141055813365169533361189741247565502
362579257453658280613873
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3 Problem 3

3.1 1

Consider the induction on i:

For i = 0, the statement is clear. $s_0 = 1, t_0 = 0, s_1 = 0, t_1 = 1, s_0 t_1 - t_0 s_1 = 1$

For i = 1, 2, ..., k, we have:

$$\begin{aligned} s_i t_{i+1} - t_i s_{i+1} &= s_i(t_{i-1} - t_i q_i) - t_i(s_{i-1} - s_i q_i) \\ &= s_i t_{i-1} - t_i s_{i-1} \\ &= -(s_{i-1} t_i - t_{i-1} s_i) \end{aligned}$$

So according to the induction,

$$\begin{aligned} s_i t_{i+1} - t_i s_{i+1} &= -(-1)^{i-1} \\ &= (-1)^i \end{aligned}$$

3.2 2

We can also easily prove both statements by induction on i:

Both statements are obviously true for i = 0: $t_0 = 0, t_1 = 1, t_0 t_1 = 0, |t_0| \leq |t_1|$

For i = 1, ..., k, we have $t_{i+1} = t_i - 1 - t_i q_i$

And by the induction hypothesis, t_{i-1}, t_i have opposite signs and $|t_i| \geq |t_{i-1}|$

So it leads to $|t_{i+1}| = |t_{i-1}| + |t_i| q_i$

Because $q_i \geq i$, so $|t_{i+1}| \geq |t_i|$. Plus that $t_{i+1} = t_i - 1 - t_i q_i$, t_{i-1}, t_i have opposite signs, $|t_{i+1}|$ and $|t_i|$ also have opposite signs, which leads to $t_{i+1} t_i \leq 0$.

4 Problem 4

First we consider the two equations:

$$\begin{aligned} as_{i-1} + bt_{i-1} &= r_{i-1} \\ as_i + bt_i &= r_i \end{aligned}$$

Subtracting t_{i-1} times the second equation from t_i times the first, we get:

$$as_{i-1}t_i - as_it_{i-1} = r_{i-1}t_i - r_it_{i-1}$$

According to the result of problem 3, we have $s_{i-1}t_i - t_{i-1}s_i = (-1)^i$, apply this equation, we get:

$$r_{i-1}t_i - r_it_{i-1} = \pm a$$

Using the result of problem 3, t_i and t_{i-1} have opposite signs, we have:

$$a = r_{i-1}|t_i| + r_i|t_{i-1}|$$

Obviously, $a \geq r_{i-1}|t_i|$ for $i = 1, 2, \dots, k+1$.

Follow from this, because $a > 0$, then $r_{i-1} > 0$ for $i=1, 2, \dots, k+1$.

r_{i-1} is an integer, so $r_{i-1} \geq 1$ for $i=1, 2, \dots, k+1$. That means $|t_i| \leq a$ for $i=1, 2, \dots, k+1$.

5 Problem 5

To determine the set of Fermat liars for $n=21$, we first consider the factors of 21, which are 3 and 7.

If $a^{20} \equiv 1 \pmod{21}$, then $a^{20} \equiv 1 \pmod{3}$ and $a^{20} \equiv 1 \pmod{7}$.

According to Fermat's little theorem, $a^2 \equiv 1 \pmod{3}$ and $a^6 \equiv 1 \pmod{7}$ for all integers $a \in [1, n-1]$ and cannot divide 3 or 7

So to satisfy the equation $a^{20} \equiv 1 \pmod{3}$, a must be in $[1]_3$ or $[2]_3$. To satisfy the equation $a^{20} \equiv 1 \pmod{7}$, $a^2 \equiv 1 \pmod{7}$. Which means a must be in $[1]_7$ or $[6]_7$. These include 1, 6, 8, 13, 15, 20.

For 1, 6, 8, 13, 15, 20, examine if they are in $[1]_3$ or $[2]_3$. Finally we get 1, 8, 13, 20 which are Fermat Liars.

Then according to Chinese Remainder Theorem, the answer is 1, 8, 13, 20.

6 Problem 6

We observe that $ax \equiv b \pmod{n} \iff n|ax - b \iff \left(\frac{n}{d}\right) | \left[\left(\frac{a}{d}\right)x - \left(\frac{b}{d}\right)\right]$
 That is, x is a solution of $ax \equiv b \pmod{n}$ if and only if x is a solution of $\left(\frac{a}{d}\right)x \equiv \left(\frac{b}{d}\right) \pmod{\left(\frac{n}{d}\right)}$

Now, because $d = \gcd(a, n)$, $\frac{a}{d}$ and $\frac{n}{d}$ are relatively prime. So there is only one residue class $t \equiv \left(\frac{a}{d}\right)^{-1} \pmod{\frac{n}{d}}$

So $s = \frac{b}{d}t$ is a solution of $\left(\frac{a}{d}\right)x \equiv \left(\frac{b}{d}\right) \pmod{\left(\frac{n}{d}\right)}$, and also a solution of $ax \equiv b \pmod{n}$

Consider the residue classes $s, s+n/d, s+2n/d, \dots, s+(d-1)n/d$, they are all solutions of $ax \equiv b \pmod{n}$. So last thing is we need to prove that $s+(d-1)n/d < n$

That is to prove $s < \frac{n}{d}$

Suppose that s is the smallest number to satisfy $\left(\frac{a}{d}\right)x \equiv \left(\frac{b}{d}\right) \pmod{\left(\frac{n}{d}\right)}$, if $s \geq \frac{n}{d}$, then we have:

$$\left(s - \frac{n}{d}\right)\frac{a}{d} = \frac{a}{d}s - \frac{a}{d}\frac{n}{d} \equiv \left(\frac{b}{d}\right) \pmod{\left(\frac{n}{d}\right)}$$

So s must be smaller than $\frac{n}{d}$, and the proof is complete.

After all, among all the residue classes modulo n , the residue classes represented by

$$\frac{b}{d}t, \frac{b}{d}t + \frac{n}{d}, \frac{b}{d}t + 2\frac{n}{d}, \dots, \frac{b}{d}t + (d-1)\frac{n}{d}$$

are the only ones that are solutions of $ax \equiv b \pmod{n}$.