

$$> n := 3^3 \cdot 5^2 \cdot 23$$

$$n := 15525 \quad (1)$$

We choose $g = x^{77}$ as the generator of G the cyclic group of order 15525 (we know g generates G as 77 has no common factors with 15525)

$$> g := x^{77};$$

$$g := x^{77} \quad (2)$$

We aim to find the logarithm of $h = x^{372}$ in G where G is generated by g

Step 1

$$> g1 := x^{77 \cdot 5^2 \cdot 23 \bmod 27}$$

$$g1 := x^{22} \quad (3)$$

$$> h1 := x^{372 \cdot 5^2 \cdot 23 \bmod 27}$$

$$h1 := x^6 \quad (4)$$

We need to find the log of $h1 = x^6$ in the cyclic group of order 27 generated by $g1 = x^{22}$. Using the basic Pohling Hellman algorithm for prime powers or otherwise we find that this is 15 which we can see is true as

$$> x^{22 \cdot 15 \bmod 27}$$

$$x^6 \quad (5)$$

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So our first congruence is $x1 = 15 \bmod 27$

Step 2

$$> g2 := x^{77 \cdot 3^3 \cdot 23 \bmod 25}$$

$$g2 := x^{17} \quad (6)$$

$$> h2 := x^{372 \cdot 3^3 \cdot 23 \bmod 25}$$

$$h2 := x^{12} \quad (7)$$

We need to find the log of $h2 = x^{12}$ in the cyclic group of order 25 generated by $g2 = x^{17}$; we see that this is 11 as

$$> x^{17 \cdot 11 \bmod 25}$$

$$x^{12} \quad (8)$$

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Hence the log of $h2 \bmod 25$ is 11 giving $x2 = 11 \bmod 25$ as our second congruence

Step 3

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 > $g^3 := x^{77 \cdot 3^3 \cdot 5^2} \pmod{23}$

$$g^3 := x^{18} \tag{9}$$

> $h^3 := x^{372 \cdot 3^3 \cdot 5^2} \pmod{23}$

$$h^3 := x^9 \tag{10}$$

We need to find the log of $h^3 = x^9$ in the cyclic group of order 23 generated by $g^2 = x^{18}$; we see that this is 12 as
 > $x^{18 \cdot 12} \pmod{23}$

$$x^9 \tag{11}$$

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 Hence the log of $h^3 \pmod{23}$ is 12 giving $x^3 = 12 \pmod{23}$ as our 3rd congruence

Hence we need to find the unique solution to $x = 15 \pmod{27}$, $x = 11 \pmod{25}$, $x = 12 \pmod{23}$. By the Chinese Remainder Theorem or otherwise we find $x = 10086 \pmod{15525}$.

We claim that the log of x^{372} in the cyclic group of order 15525 with generator $g = x^{77}$ is $x = 10086$. We can see that this is true as

> $77 \cdot 10086 \pmod{15525}$

$$372 \tag{12}$$

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