

## Number Theory:

### Prime Numbers:

A prime is a positive integer greater than 1, that is divisible by no positive integer other than 1 and itself.

e.g.: - 2, 3, 5, 101, 103

### Composite Numbers.

A positive integer, which is not prime and not 1 is called composite number.

e.g.: 4, 6, 10, 100, 9

**Lemma:**

Every positive integer greater than 1, has a prime divisor.

**Theorem:**

There are infinitely many prime.

**Theorem:**

If  $n$  is a composite integer, then  $n$  has a prime factor not exceeding  $\sqrt{n}$ .

$$\begin{array}{c} 20 \\ | \qquad \text{prime factors} \\ 1, 2, 4, 5, 10, 20 \\ \hline \sqrt{20} \\ \text{hence } 2 \text{ is that factor} \end{array}$$

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the prime  
number method

**Function  $\pi(n)$ :**

The function  $\pi(n)$ , where  $n$  is a positive real number, denote the number of prime not exceeding  $n$

e.g	$\pi(10) = 4$	2, 3, 5, 7
	$\pi(20) = 8$	2, 3, 5, 7, 11, 13, 17, 19
	$\pi(100) = 25$	

proposition

lemma  $\rightarrow$  Theorem  
Corollary

## The Prime number Theorem:

The ratio of  $\pi(x)$  to  $x/\log x$  approaches one as  $x$  grows without bound.

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\pi(n)}{n/\log n} = 1$$

$\leftrightarrow$  Greatest common

$$\begin{aligned} (4, 8, 10) &= ((4, 8), 10) \\ &= (4, 10) \\ &= 2 \end{aligned}$$

$$(252, 198) = 18 \quad \therefore (105, 140, 350) = ?$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 1 \\ 198 ) 252 \\ \underline{198} \qquad 3 \\ 54 ) 198 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{aligned} ((105, 140), 350) \\ = (35, 350) \\ = 35 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 1 \\ 36 | 162 \qquad 1 \\ 36 \qquad \underline{54} \\ 36 \qquad \underline{54} \\ 18 | 36 \\ 18 \qquad \underline{36} \\ \hline 0 \end{array}$$

## Fibonacci Sequence:

The Fibonacci number  
 $u_1, u_2, u_3, \dots$  are defined recursively  
 by the equation.

$$u_1 = 1$$

$$u_2 = 1$$

$$u_n = u_{n-1} + u_{n-2} \text{ for } n \geq 3$$

$$u_3 = u_2 + u_1$$

$$u_4 = u_3 + u_2$$

$$u_3 = 1 + 1$$

$$u_4 = 2 + 1$$

$$u_3 = 2$$

$$u_4 = 3$$

## The Fundamental Theorem of Arithmetic

every positive integer can be written  
 uniquely as a product of prime.

$$(18, 24)$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 2 \\ \hline 2 | 18 \\ 3 | 9 \\ \hline 3 | 3 \\ \hline 1 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 2 | 24 \\ 2 | 12 \\ 2 | 6 \\ \hline 3 | 3 \\ \hline 1 \end{array}$$

$$18 = 2 \times 3^2$$

$$24 = 2^3 \times 3^1$$

$$(18, 24) = 2 \times 3^0 \times 2^0 \times 3^0 = 6$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 2 | 12 \\ 2 | 6 \\ 3 | 3 \\ \hline 1 \end{array}$$

$$12 = 2 \cdot 2 \cdot 3$$

$$(252, 198)$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 2 | 252 \\ 2 | 126 \\ 3 | 63 \\ 3 | 21 \\ 7 | 7 \\ \hline 1 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 2 | 198 \\ 3 | 99 \\ 3 | 33 \\ 11 | 11 \\ \hline 1 \end{array}$$

$$252 = 2^2 \times 3^2 \times 7^1 = 2^2 \times 3^2 \times 7^1 \times 1^0$$

$$198 = 2 \times 3^2 \times 11 = 2 \times 3^2 \times 11^1 \times 7^0$$

$$(252, 198) = 2^1 \times 3^2 \times 11^0 \times 7^0 = 18$$

## Least Common Multiple:

The least common multiple of two positive integers,  $a$  and  $b$  is the smallest positive integer that is divisible by  $a$  and  $b$ .

LCM

$$4 \rightarrow 4, 8, 12, 16, 20, 24, 28, 32, 36, 40$$

$$5 \rightarrow 5, 10, 15, 20, 25, 30, 35, 40 -$$

$\Rightarrow$  The least common multiple of two integers  $a$  &  $b$  is denoted by  $[a, b]$ .

$$[4, 5] = 20$$

Formula of GCD & LCM By using prime factorization:

$$a = p_1^{a_1} p_2^{a_2} \dots p_n^{a_n}$$

$$b = p_1^{b_1} p_2^{b_2} \dots p_n^{b_n}$$

$$\therefore (a, b) = p_1^{\min(a_1, b_1)} p_2^{\min(a_2, b_2)} \dots p_n^{\min(a_n, b_n)}$$

$$\text{H.C.F. } [a, b] = p_1^{\max(a_1, b_1)}, p_2^{\max(a_2, b_2)}, \dots, p_n^{\max(a_n, b_n)}$$

Example:

$$\min(2, 5) = 2$$

$$\max(4, 7) = 7$$

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GCD

$$(42, 60) = 6$$

$$\begin{array}{r} | \\ 42 \mid 60 \\ 42 \end{array}$$

$$18 \Big) \overline{42} \quad 2 \Big) \overline{1}$$

$$36$$

$$6 \Big) \overline{36} \quad 6$$

$$36$$

$$60 = 2^2 \cdot 3^1 \cdot 5^1$$

$$42 = 2^1 \cdot 3^1 \cdot 7^1$$

$$60 = 2^2 \cdot 3^1 \cdot 5^1 \cdot 7^0$$

$$42 = 2^1 \cdot 3^1 \cdot 5^0 \cdot 7^1$$

prime

factorization

$$(42, 60) = 2^{\min(1,0)} \cdot 3^{\min(1,1)} \cdot 5^{\min(2,1)} \cdot 7^{\min(0,1)}$$

$$= 2^1 \cdot 3^1 \cdot 5^0 \cdot 7^0$$

$$= 6$$

$$\begin{aligned} [42, 60] &= 2^2 \cdot 3^1 \cdot 5^1 \cdot 7^1 \\ &= 4 \cdot 3 \cdot 5 \cdot 7 \\ &= 420 \end{aligned}$$

$$42 \times 60 = 2520$$

$$\frac{2520}{6} = 420$$

**Theorem:** If  $a$  and  $b$  are positive integers, then  $[a, b] = \frac{ab}{(a, b)}$

**Proof:**

Let the prime factorization of  $a$  be

$$a = p_1^{a_1} \cdot p_2^{a_2} \cdots p_n^{a_n}$$

$$(a, b) = \frac{ab}{[a, b]}$$

$$[a, b](a, b) = ab$$

LCM GCD

Suppose the prime factorization of  $b$  is

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$$b = p_1^{b_1} \cdot p_2^{b_2} \cdots p_n^{b_n}$$

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a, b, no M

$$\text{let } \min(a_i, b_i) = m_i$$

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M

$$\text{if } \max(a_i, b_i) = M_i$$

$$\text{so, } (a, b) = p_1^{m_1} \cdot p_2^{m_2} \cdots p_n^{m_n} \quad \textcircled{1}$$

$$[a, b] = p_1^{M_1} \cdot p_2^{M_2} \cdots p_n^{M_n} \quad \textcircled{2}$$

By multiplying eq \textcircled{1} \& \textcircled{2}

$$(a, b)[a, b] = (p_1^{m_1} \cdot p_2^{m_2} \cdots p_n^{m_n})(p_1^{M_1} \cdot p_2^{M_2} \cdots p_n^{M_n})$$

$$\min(40, 60) = 40$$

$$\max(40, 60) = 60$$

$$\min(40, 60) + \max(40, 60) = 100$$

$$\min(a_1, b_1) + \max(a_1, b_1) = a_1 + b_1$$

$$= p_1^{m_1+M_1} \cdot p_2^{m_2+M_2} \cdots p_n^{m_n+M_n}$$

$$= p_1^{a_1+b_1} \cdot p_2^{a_2+b_2} \cdots p_n^{a_n+b_n}$$

$$(a, b)[a, b] = (p_1^{a_1} \cdot p_1^{b_1})(p_2^{a_2} \cdot p_2^{b_2}) \cdots (p_n^{a_n} \cdot p_n^{b_n})$$

$$\therefore n^{a+b} = n^a \cdot n^b$$

$$(p_1^{a_1} \cdot p_1^{b_1})(p_2^{a_2} \cdot p_2^{b_2}) \cdots (p_n^{a_n} \cdot p_n^{b_n})$$

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$$= (p_1^{a_1} \cdot p_2^{a_2} \cdots p_n^{a_n}) (p_1^{b_1} p_2^{b_2} \cdots p_n^{b_n})$$

$$(a, b) [a, b] = ab$$

## Fermat's Number:

The integer of the form

$$F_n = 2^{2^n} + 1$$

are called Fermat Numbers.

$$F_1 = 5$$

$$F_2 = 16 + 1 = 17$$

$$F_3 = 2^2 + 1$$

$$F_2 = 17$$

$$= 2^8 + 1$$

$$\therefore F_1 = 2^2 + 1$$

$$= 2^4 + 1 = 5$$

$$= 256 + 1$$

$$= 257$$

$$F_4 = 2^2 + 1$$

$$= 2^{16} + 1$$

$$= 65537$$

$\therefore$  Fermat's said that the

Fermat's no. answer should be prime number.

$\therefore$  prime number  
for our open  
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no.

## Divisibility :-

Let  $a$  and  $b$  be integers we say that  $a$  divides  $b$ . if there is an integer  $c$ . such that  $b = ac$ . if  $a$  divides  $b$ . we also say that  $a$  is a divisor or factor of  $b$ .

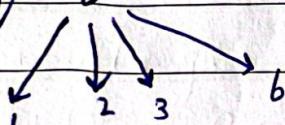
For example:

$$\begin{matrix} 2 & b \\ a & b \end{matrix}$$

$$b = (2)(3)$$

$$b = ac$$

factors of  $b$  are



If  $a$  divides  $b$ , we write  $a|b$ . if  $a$  does not divide  $b$  we write  $a \nmid b$ .

$\rightarrow$  Lemma  $\Rightarrow$  short result.

$\rightarrow$  proposition  $\Rightarrow$  short result of any domain

$\rightarrow$  Theorem  $\Rightarrow$  long result of any domain

## Proposition:

If  $a$ ,  $b$  and  $c$  are integers with  $a|b$  and  $b|c$  then  $a|c$ .

### Proof:

if  $a|b$  then  $\exists$  an integer  $d$   $\exists$   $b = ad$  — (1)

if  $b|c$  then  $\exists$  an integer  $e$   $\exists$   $c = be$  — (2)

Use ① into ②:

$$c = (ad)e$$

$$c = a(de)$$

Since both  $d$  &  $e$  integer therefore  $de$  is integer. Therefore ③ implies that  $\frac{a}{b}$ .

Proposition:

if  $a, b$  and  $n$  are integers if  $c/a$  and  $c/b$  then

$$c/(ma + nb)$$

Proof:

Given  $c/a$  and  $c/b$ .

if  $c/a$  then  $\exists$  an integer  $d$   
 $\exists$   $a = cd$  — ①

if  $c/b$  then  $\exists$  an integer  $e$   
 $\exists$   $b = ce$  — ②

Multiplying eq ① by  $m$

$$ma = mcd \quad \text{--- } ③$$

Multiplying eq ② by  $n$

$$nb = nce \quad \text{--- } ④$$

Adding both ③ and ④.

$$ma + nb = mcd + nce$$

$$ma + nb = c(md + ce)$$

$$\Rightarrow c/m + nb.$$

Greatest integer function:

Let  $n$  be a real number the greatest in  $n$ , is denoted by  $[n]$ , is the largest integer less than or equal to  $n$ .

$$[2.2] = 2$$

$$[0.5] = 0$$

The division Algorithm:

if  $a$  and  $b$  are integers such that  $b > 0$ , then there exist unique integers  $q$  or  $r$  such that  $a = bq + r$   $0 \leq r < b$ .

Radix / Base / Expansion:

let  $b$  be a positive integer with  $b > 1$ . Then every positive integer  $n$  can be written uniquely in the form.

$$n = a_k b^k + a_{k+1} b^{k-1} + \dots + a_1 b + a_0$$

where  $a_j$  is an integer with  $0 \leq a_j < b$  for  $j = 0, 1, 2, \dots, k$  an initial coefficient  $a_0 \neq 0$ .

In (1),  $b$  is called radix base/

Example:

$$34765 = 3 \cdot 10^4 + 4 \cdot 10^3 + 7 \cdot 10^2 + 6 \cdot 10^1 + 5 \cdot 10^0$$

are called

2 - binary

8 - octal

16 - Hexa

10 - decimal

$$(a_k a_{k-1} \dots, \dots, a_1 a_0) = (34765)_10$$

Example:

$$(1001)_2 = 1 \cdot 2^3 + 0 \cdot 2^2 + 0 \cdot 2^1 + 1 \cdot 2^0$$

$$= 8 + 1$$

$$= (9)_{10} \quad (\because 2^0 = 1)$$

$$(236)_7 = 2 \times 7^2 + 3 \times 7^1 + 6 \times 7^0$$

$$= 98 + 21 + 6$$

$$= (125)_{10}$$

2	1864
2	932 — 0
2	466 — 0
2	233 — 0
2	116 — 1
2	58 — 0
2	29 — 0
2	14 — 0
2	7 — 0
2	3 — 1
	1 — 1

$$(1864)_{10} = 100010000111)_2$$

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main points

{ A 10  
B 11  
C 12  
D 13  
E 14  
F 15

Example:

$$(A35BOF)_{16} = 10 \times 16^5 + 3 \times 16^4 + 5 \times 16^3 \\ + 11 \times 16^2 + 0 \times 16^1 + 15 \times 16^0$$

$$= 10485760 + 196608 + 20480 + 2816 + 15 \\ = 10705698$$

Example:

$$(9AOB)_{16} = 9 \times 16^3 + 10 \times 16^2 + 0 \times 16^1 \\ + 11 \times 16^0$$

$$= 36864 + 2560 + 0 + 11$$

$$= (36435)_{10}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 36435 \\ \underline{-} 19471 \\ \hline 19858 \\ \underline{-} 14929 \\ \hline 2464 \\ \underline{-} 1232 \\ \hline 0 \end{array}$$

$$(10011010000010011)_2$$

Example:

$$\begin{array}{r}
 (1101)_2 \\
 + (1001)_2 \\
 \hline
 10110
 \end{array}
 \quad
 \begin{array}{r}
 (657)_8 \\
 + (526)_8 \\
 \hline
 1405
 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r}
 (11011)_2 \\
 - (10110)_2 \\
 \hline
 101
 \end{array}
 \quad
 \begin{array}{r}
 (F E (E D))_{16} \\
 (C A F E)_{16} \\
 \hline
 3 3 E F
 \end{array}$$

Greatest common divisor:

The greatest common divisor of two integers  $a$  and  $b$  that are not both zero, is the largest integer which divides both  $a$  and  $b$ .

Ex:

i) 16, 20      (w) 0, 0

$$1, 2, 4$$

we can't find gcd because both are zero

ii) 4, 8

$$1, 2, 4$$

$$(v) 2, 2$$

$$1, 2$$

iii) 0, 5

$$1, 5$$

Relatively prime:

The integers  $a$  and  $b$  are called relatively prime if  $(a, b) = 1$ .

Ex:

$$(5, 7) = 1$$

$$(25, 42) = 1$$

Proposition:

Let  $a, b \neq c$  are integers with  $(a, b) = d$

Then

$$i) (a/d, b/d) = 1$$

$$ii) (a + cd, b) = (a, b)$$

$$\left( \frac{a}{d}, \frac{b}{d} \right) = \left( \frac{15}{3}, \frac{21}{3} \right)$$

$$(5, 7) = 1$$

$$(a + cd, b) = (15 + 2(21), 21) \\ = (57, 21)$$

$$= 3$$

$$= (a, b)$$

$$\text{If } (a, b) = d \Rightarrow \left( \frac{a}{d}, \frac{b}{d} \right) = 1$$

Proof:

Let  $a, b$  be two integer with  $(a, b) = d$

Assume 'e' is GCD of  $a/d$  and  $b/d$ .

$$\left( \frac{a}{d}, \frac{b}{d} \right) = e$$

so e divide  $a/d$  and  $b/d$

since  $e/a/d$ ,  $\exists k \in \mathbb{Z}$

$$a/d = ke$$

$$a = dek \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

since  $e/b/d$ ,  $\exists l \in \mathbb{Z}$

$$b/d = le$$

$$b = de l \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

eq (1) & eq (2) implies that  
de is common divisor of  $a$  &  $b$

$$(a, b) = d$$

since  $d$  is GCD of  $a$  &  $b$

so  $e$  must be 1

Hence  $\left( \frac{a}{d}, \frac{b}{d} \right) = 1$ .

$$\left( \frac{a}{d}, \frac{b}{d} \right) = \left( \frac{ad}{d}, \frac{bd}{d} \right) = \left( a, b \right) = 1$$

$$\left( \frac{a}{d}, \frac{b}{d} \right) = \left( \frac{a}{\text{GCD}(a, b)}, \frac{b}{\text{GCD}(a, b)} \right) = \left( 1, 1 \right) = 1$$

$$641 - 5^4 = 2^7$$

$$5 \cdot 2^7 = 641 - 1$$

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Proposition The formal number  $F_5 = 2^2 + 1$   
is divisible by 641.

Proof:

Note that

$$641 = 5 \times 2^7 + 1 = 2^4 + 5^4$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Hence } F_5 &= 2^2 + 1 = 2^{32} + 1 = 2^4 \cdot 2^{28} + 1 = \\ &\quad (641 - 5^4) 2^{28} + 1 \\ &= 641 \cdot 2^{28} - 5^4 \cdot 2^{28} + 1 \quad 2^4 = 641 - 5^4 \\ &= 641 \cdot 2^{28} - (5 \cdot 2^7)^4 + 1 \\ &= 641 \cdot 2^{28} - (641 - 1)^4 + 1 \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore (a-b)^2 = a^2 - 2ab + b^2$$

$$(a-b)^4 = (a-b)^2 (a-b)^2$$

$$= (a^2 - 2ab + b^2)(a^2 - 2ab + b^2)$$

$$= a^4 - 2a^3b + a^2b^2$$

$$- 2a^3b + 4a^2b^2 - 2a^2b^3$$

$$a^2b^2 - 2ab^3 + b^4$$

$$(641 - 1)^4 = (641)^4 - 2(641)(1) + (641)^2(1)^2$$

$$- 2(641)(1) + 4(641)^2(1)^2 - 2(641)(1)^3$$

$$(641)^2(1)^2 - 2(641)(1)^3 + (641)^4$$

$$\begin{aligned} &= 641 \cdot 2^{28} - [(641)^4 - 2(641)(1) + (641)^2(1)^2 \\ &\quad - 2(641)(1) + 4(641)^2(1)^2 - 2(641)(1)^3 \\ &\quad (641)^2(1)^2 - 2(641)(1)^3 + (641)^4] + 1 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} &= 641 [2^{28} - (641)^3 + 2(641)^2(1) - (641)^1(1)^2 \\ &\quad + 2(641)^2(1) - 4(641)^1(1)^2 + 2(1)^3] \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} & - (641)' (1)^2 + 2(1)^4 \\ \Rightarrow & 641 \mid F_5 \end{aligned}$$

## Linear Diophantine Equation:

The equation of the form

$$ax + by = c$$

where  $a, b$  and  $c$  are integers is called a linear diophantine equation in two variable.

The solution are required to be integers.

Theorem:

Let  $a$  and  $b$  be two integers with  $d = (a, b)$

The equation  $ax + by = c$  has no integral solution if  $a \nmid c$

If  $d \mid c$ , then there are infinitely many solution. Moreover if  $x = x_0, y = y_0$  is a particular solution of the equation then all solution are given by

$$x = x_0 + \left(\frac{d}{d}\right)n \quad y = y_0 - \left(\frac{b}{d}\right)n$$

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Example:

$$172x + 20y = 1000$$

$$a = 172$$

$$b = 20$$

By  $\div$  with 4

$$c = 1000$$

$$d =$$

$$43x + 5y = 250$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 5 \\ \times 50 \\ \hline 250 \end{array}$$

$$(5 + 38)x + 5y = 5 \cdot 50 + 0$$

$$5x + 38x + 5y = 5 \cdot 50$$

let  $5x + 5y = z$

$$z + 38x = 5 \cdot 50$$

$$5x + 5y - 5 \cdot 50 + 38x = 0$$

$$x = -1$$

$$z = 38$$

$$5x + 5y - 5 \cdot 50 = 3$$

$$z + 38x = 6$$