

# EXTENDED EUCLIDEAN ALGORITHM

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# NUMBER THEORY

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# Some number theory

- Let  $a, b$  be integers, then  $a$  divides  $b$  if there exists an integer  $c$  such that  $b = ac$ . In other words,  $a$  is a divisor of  $b$ , or  $a$  is a factor of  $b$ .
  - E.g.,  $10 = 2 \times 5$
- If  $a$  divides  $b$ , then this is denoted by  $a|b$ .
  - E.g.,  $2|10$

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- An integer  $c$  is *common divisor* of  $a$  and  $b$  if  $c|a$  and  $c|b$ .
  - E.g.,  $2 | 12$  and  $2 | 8$ , hence 2 is a common divisor of 12 and 8

# Some number theory

- A non-negative integer  $d$  is the *greatest common divisor* of integers  $a$  and  $b$ , denoted  $d = \gcd(a, b)$ , if
  - $d$  is a common divisor of  $a$  and  $b$ ; and
  - whenever  $c|a$  and  $c|b$ , then  $c|d$ .
- Equivalently,  $\gcd(a, b)$  is the largest positive integer that divides both  $a$  and  $b$
- Example  $4 = \gcd(8, 12)$

# Some number theory

- Two integers  $a$  and  $b$  are said to be *relatively prime* or *coprime* if  $\gcd(a,b) = 1$ .

E.g., 3 and 7 are coprime; that is,  $\gcd(3,7) = 1$  because  $1 \mid 3$  and  $1 \mid 7$ . There is no other common divisor that divides both 3 and 7.

Similarly, 3 and 4 are coprime; that is,  $\gcd(3,4) = 1$  because  $1 \mid 3$  and  $1 \mid 4$ , and there is no other common divisor that divides both 3 and 4.

# Euclidean algorithm

- ✧ • Euclidean algorithm for computing the greatest common divisor (gcd) of two integers:

INPUT: two non-negative integers  $a$  and  $b$  with  $a \geq b$ .

OUTPUT: the greatest common divisor of  $a$  and  $b$ .

**While  $b \neq 0$  do the following:**

    Set  $r \leftarrow a \bmod b$ ,

$a \leftarrow b$ ,

$b \leftarrow r$ .

**Return ( $a$ )**

# Euclidean algorithm

- Example:  $\gcd(4864, 3458) = 38$

While  $b \neq 0$  do the following:

Set  $r \leftarrow a \bmod b$ ,  
 $a \leftarrow b$ ,  
 $b \leftarrow r$ .

Return (a)

a	b	$q = \text{int}(\frac{a}{b})$	r
4864	3458	1	1406
3458	1406	2	646
1406	646	2	114
646	114	5	76
114	76	1	38
76	38	2	0
38	0		

If  $\gcd(a, b) = 1$ ,

$a, b$  is co-prime  
relatively prime  
to each other



# Extended euclidean algorithm $a^{-1} \bmod b$

The Euclidean algorithm can be extended so that it not only yields the *greatest common divisor*  $d$  of two integers  $a$  and  $b$ , but also integers  $x$  and  $y$  satisfying  $ax + by = d$ ; where  $d = \gcd(a,b)$ . In other words,

$$\gcd(a,b) = ax + by = d$$

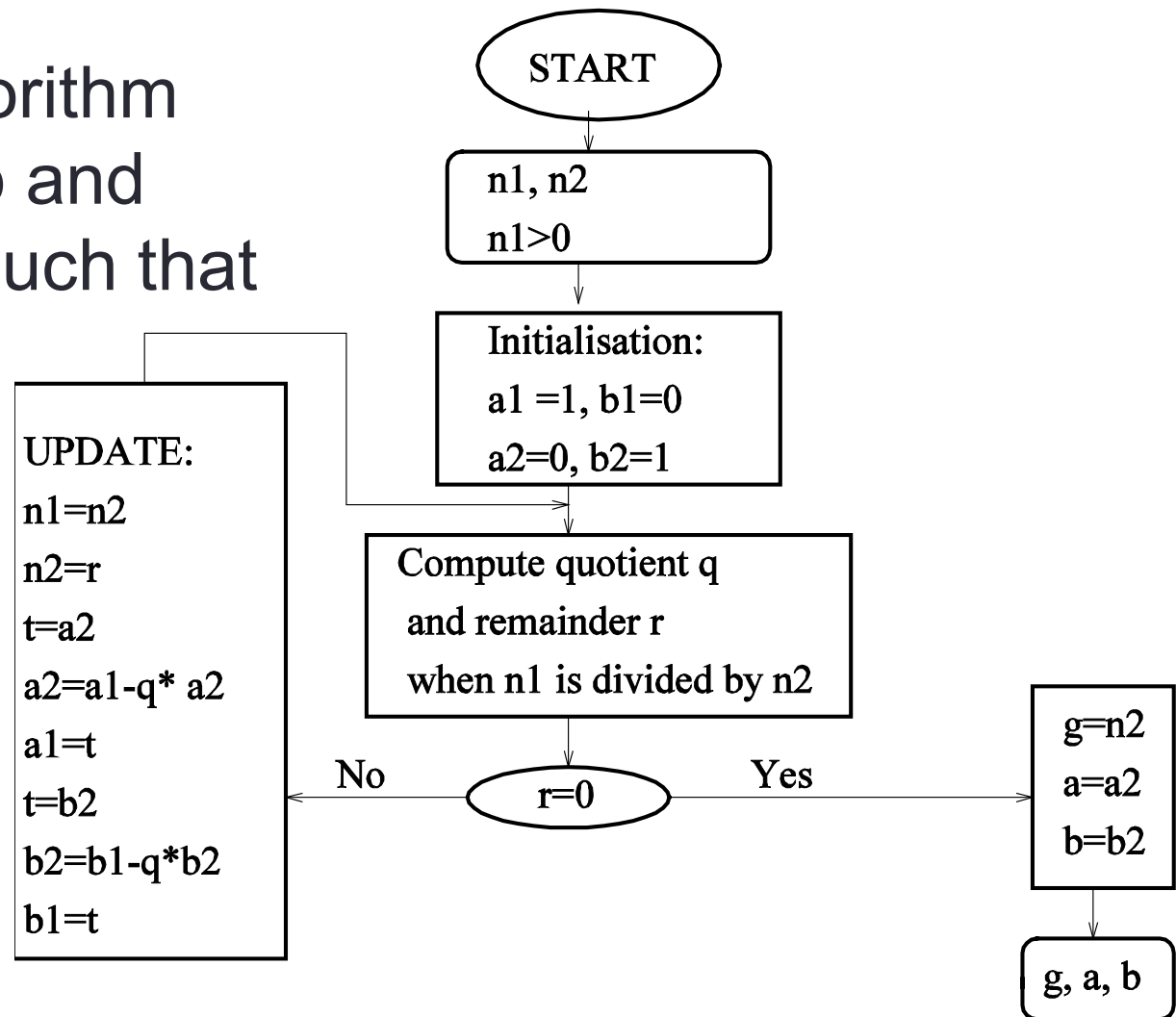
If  $\gcd(a,b) = \underline{1}$ , then  $\underline{a}x + by = \underline{1}$ . In such a case,

$x$  is known as  $\boxed{a^{-1}} \bmod b$  (multiplicative inverse modulo  $b$ ), and

$\underline{y}$  is known as  $\boxed{b^{-1}} \bmod a$  (multiplicative inverse modulo  $a$ )

# Extended euclidean algorithm

- The Extended Euclidean algorithm calculates  $a$ ,  $b$  and  $g = \gcd(n_1, n_2)$  such that  $g = a \cdot n_1 + b \cdot n_2$ .



# Extended euclidean algorithm

Find  $\gcd(4864, 3458)$  and  $a, b$  such that  
 $4864a + 3458b = \gcd(4864, 3458)$



# Extended euclidean algorithm

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# Extended euclidean algorithm

n1	n2	r	q	a1	b1	a2	b2
4864	3458	1406	1	1	0	0	1
3458	1406			0	1		
n1 = n2, n2 = r				a1 = a2, b1 = b2			

# Extended euclidean algorithm

n1	n2	r	q	a1	b1	a2	b2
4864	3458	1406	1	1	0	0	1
3458	1406	646	2	0	1	1	-1
						$a2 = a1 - q * a2$	
						$b2 = b1 - q * b2$	

# Extended euclidean algorithm

n1	n2	r	q	a1	b1	a2	b2
4864	3458	1406	1	1	0	0	1
3458	1406	646	2	0	1	1	-1
1406	646			1	-1		

$n1 = n2, n2 = r$

$a1 = a2, b1 = b2$



# Extended euclidean algorithm

n1	n2	r	q	a1	b1	a2	b2
4864	3458	1406	1	1	0	0	1
3458	1406	646	2	0	1	1	-1
1406	646	114	2	1	-1	-2	3

$$a2 = a1 - q * a2$$

$$b2 = b1 - q * b2$$

# Extended euclidean algorithm

n1	n2	r	q	a1	b1	a2	b2
4864	3458	1406	1	1	0	0	1
3458	1406	646	2	0	1	1	-1
1406	646	114	2	1	-1	-2	3
646	114	76	5	-2	3	5	-7

# Extended euclidean algorithm

n1	n2	r	q	a1	b1	a2	b2
4864	3458	1406	1	1	0	0	1
3458	1406	646	2	0	1	1	-1
1406	646	114	2	1	-1	-2	3
646	114	76	5	-2	3	5	-7
114	76	38	1	5	-7	-27	38

# Extended euclidean algorithm

n1	n2	r	q	a1	b1	a2	b2
4864	3458	1406	1	1	0	0	1
3458	1406	646	2	0	1	1	-1
1406	646	114	2	1	-1	-2	3
646	114	76	5	-2	3	5	-7
114	76	38	1	5	-7	-27	38
76	38	0	2	-27	38	32	-45

$\gcd(4864, 3458) = 38$ , thus  $4864 \times 32 + 3458 \times -45 = 38$   
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# Extended euclidean algorithm

Find  $\overbrace{121}^{n_2^{-1}} \text{ mod } 654$

n1	n2	r	q	a1	b1	a2	b2
654	121			1	0	0	1

# Extended euclidean algorithm

Find  $121^{-1} \bmod 654$

n1	n2	r	q	a1	b1	a2	b2
654	121	49	5	1	0	0	1

# Extended euclidean algorithm

Find  $121^{-1} \bmod 654$

n1	n2	r	q	a1	b1	a2	b2
654	121	49	5	1	0	0	1
121	49	23	2	0	1	1	-5

# Extended euclidean algorithm

Find  $121^{-1} \bmod 654$

n1	n2	r	q	a1	b1	a2	b2
654	121	49	5	1	0	0	1
121	49	23	2	0	1	1	-5
49	23	3	2	1	-5	-2	11



# Extended euclidean algorithm

Find  $121^{-1} \bmod 654$

n1	n2	r	q	a1	b1	a2	b2
654	121	49	5	1	0	0	1
121	49	23	2	0	1	1	-5
49	23	3	2	1	-5	-2	11
23	3	2	7	-2	11	5	-27

# Extended euclidean algorithm

Find  $121^{-1} \bmod 654$

<b>n1</b>	<b>n2</b>	<b>r</b>	<b>q</b>	<b>a1</b>	<b>b1</b>	<b>a2</b>	<b>b2</b>
654	121	49	5	1	0	0	1
121	49	23	2	0	1	1	-5
49	23	3	2	1	-5	-2	11
23	3	2	7	-2	11	5	-27
3	2	1	1	5	-27	-37	200

# Extended euclidean algorithm

Find  $121^{-1} \bmod 654$

n1	n2	r	q	a1	b1	a2	b2
654	121	49	5	1	0	0	1
121	49	23	2	0	1	1	-5
49	23	3	2	1	-5	-2	11
23	3	2	7	-2	11	5	-27
3	2	1	1	5	-27	-37	200
2	1	0	2	-37	200	42	-227

gcd

# Extended euclidean algorithm

Thus  $n1 \times a2 + n2 \times b2 = \text{gcd}(n1, n2)$

$$654 \times 42 + 121 \times -227 = 1$$

$$1 = 1$$

# Extended euclidean algorithm

Since  $\gcd(654, 121) = 1$ , there exist multiplicative inverse:

$a_2 = \text{multiplicative inverse } n_1 \bmod n_2$ , and

$b_2 = \text{multiplicative inverse } n_2 \bmod n_1$

$$n_1 \times a_2 + n_2 \times b_2 = \gcd(n_1, n_2)$$

$$654 \times 42 + 121 \times -227 = 1$$

$654 + (-227) \times 121 \bmod 654$   
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Thus  $121^{-1} \bmod 654 = -227 \bmod 654 = \underline{427} \bmod 654$

Check :  $427 \times 121 \bmod 654 \Rightarrow 1 \bmod 654$

# Extended euclidean algorithm

Find the multiplicative inverse of 1234 mod 4321.

n1	n2	r	q	a1	b1	a2	b2
4321	1234			1	0	0	1

# Extended euclidean algorithm

Find the multiplicative inverse of 1234 mod 4321.

n1	n2	r	q	a1	b1	a2	b2
4321	1234	619	3	1	0	0	1

# Extended euclidean algorithm

Find the multiplicative inverse of 1234 mod 4321.

n1	n2	r	q	a1	b1	a2	b2
4321	1234	619	3	1	0	0	1
1234	619	615	1	0	1	1	-3



# Extended euclidean algorithm

Find the multiplicative inverse of 1234 mod 4321.

n1	n2	r	q	a1	b1	a2	b2
4321	1234	619	3	1	0	0	1
1234	619	615	1	0	1	1	-3
619	615	4	1	1	-3	-1	4

# Extended euclidean algorithm

Find the multiplicative inverse of 1234 mod 4321.

n1	n2	r	q	a1	b1	a2	b2
4321	1234	619	3	1	0	0	1
1234	619	615	1	0	1	1	-3
619	615	4	1	1	-3	-1	4
615	4	3	153	-1	4	2	-7

# Extended euclidean algorithm

Find the multiplicative inverse of 1234 mod 4321.

n1	n2	r	q	a1	b1	a2	b2
4321	1234	619	3	1	0	0	1
1234	619	615	1	0	1	1	-3
619	615	4	1	1	-3	-1	4
615	4	3	153	-1	4	2	-7
4	3	1	1	2	-7	-307	1075

# Extended euclidean algorithm

Find the multiplicative inverse of 1234 mod 4321.

n1	n2	r	q	a1	b1	a2	b2
4321	1234	619	3	1	0	0	1
1234	619	615	1	0	1	1	-3
619	615	4	1	1	-3	-1	4
615	4	3	153	-1	4	2	-7
4	3	1	1	2	-7	-307	1075
3	1	0	3	-307	1075	309	-1082

GCD

# Extended euclidean algorithm

From the above, we have:

$$4321 \times \underline{309} + 1234 \times \underline{-1082} = 1$$

Thus

$$x = 309 \bmod 1234, \text{ and}$$

$$y = -1082 \bmod 4321 = 3239 \bmod 4321$$

$$(1234)^{-1} \bmod 4321 = 3239$$

Check:

$$309 \times 4321 \bmod 1234 = 1 \bmod 1234$$

$$3239 \times 1234 \bmod 4321 = 1 \bmod 4321$$