

# DIVISIBILITY

# MODULAR ARITHMETIC

## Properties of Integers

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### Topics for the MIDTERM

#### Weeks 1-2

#### Logic and Proof

Propositions & Logical Operators  
Rules of Inference and Validity  
Mathematical Induction

#### Weeks 3-5

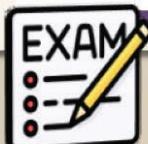
#### Sets and Counting

Sets, Operations on Sets  
PIE, Sum and Product Rules  
Counting and Combinatorics

#### Weeks 6-8

#### Properties of Integers

Divisibility and Modulo  
Binary and Base Arithmetic  
Applications in Cryptography



**Closed book, default calculator, scratch paper**

**In a lab, similar to MyCourses, no internet, no phone/iPad**

**Score and evaluation: quiz 30% + exams 70%**

BEFORE

## Learning objectives! Know what you will learn today

AFTER

## Self-Reflection! Rate levels of your understanding

### Checklist of key topics. Keep catching up with the course.

- Divisibility, modular arithmetic, cyclicity of remainders
- Applications of modular arithmetic in cryptography – Caesar (shift) cipher
- Prime numbers and prime factorization
- The greatest common divisor GCD and the least common multiple LCM
- Problem solving involving properties of integers: mod, primes, GCD, LCM

Confident

Got it

Okay

Fuzzy

Not a clue

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## Fractions – Terminology and Vocabulary

a rational number

$\frac{245}{3}$  ← numerator  
          ↓  
          denominator

$$a = k \times b + r$$
$$245 = 81 \times 3 + 2$$

dividend      quotient      divisor      remainder

$$3 \overline{) 245}^{81 \text{ r } 2}$$

$$245 \div 3 = 81 \text{ r } 2$$

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$$a = k \times b + r$$

Dividend $a \in \mathbb{Z}$	Divisor $b \in \mathbb{Z}^+$	Quotient $k \in \mathbb{Z}$	Reminder $r \in \mathbb{N}$ and $0 \leq r < b$
245	3		
41	8		
-99	11		
2	10		
-17	7		

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## Modulo function

$$a/b \rightarrow a = k \times b + r$$

- The **quotient  $k$**  is commonly referred to as the integer part of the division. It is what is returned in an **integer division** operation.
- The **modulo** or **mod-n** function returns the **remainder  $r$**  when  $a$  is divided by  $b$ . Ex.  $12 \text{ mod } 9 = 3$  and  $245 \text{ mod } 81 = 2$ .
- If  $r=0$  then  $a$  is a **multiple of  $b$** , or  $b$  **divides  $a$** , written  $b|a$ , otherwise  $b \nmid a$

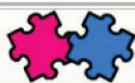


Common usage  
in programming



quotient or integer division  $\rightarrow k = a / b$   
remainder or mod n function  $\rightarrow r = a \% b$

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## WORKED EXAMPLES



■ Calculate the following modulo

○  $7558 \bmod 63$

○  $7562 \bmod 63$

○  $-7558 \bmod 63$

○  $(2^{32} \times 4^{32}) \bmod 19$

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## WORKED EXAMPLES



■ What is  $(2500 + 1555 + 222 + 4) \bmod 5$  ?

$$(a + b) \bmod n = ((a \bmod n) + (b \bmod n)) \bmod n$$

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## WORKED EXAMPLES



■ What is  $(12 \times 13 \times 29 \times 69) \text{ mod } 11$  ?

$$(ab) \text{ mod } n = ((a \text{ mod } n)(b \text{ mod } n)) \text{ mod } n$$

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## WORKED EXAMPLES



■ What is the remainder when  $1! + 2! + 3! \dots + 49!$  is divided by 20?

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## PRACTICE PROBLEMS



■ Without a calculator, calculate the following:

- $(123 + 234 + 32 + 56 + 22) \text{ mod } 3$
- $(1594 \times (-117) \times 475) \text{ mod } 6$
- $((-907) \times 17 \times (-276)) \text{ mod } 15$
- $(43534569812031 \times 12903958235485) \text{ mod } 2$

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## PRACTICE PROBLEMS



■ What is the remainder when  $1! + 2! + 3! \dots 100!$  is divided by 18?

■ If the remainder is 7 when positive integer  $n$  is divided by 18, what is the remainder when  $n$  is divided by 6?

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## PRACTICE PROBLEMS



- Using the 12-hour clock format, the current time is 4 o'clock, what time will it be 101 hours from now?
- Given that February 14, 2018, is a Wednesday, what day of the week will February 14, 2090 be? Hint: take into account leap years.

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## Modular arithmetic and cyclicity of remainders

- Calculate  $2^{98765} \text{ mod } 10$ .

k	$2^k$	$2^k \text{ mod } 10$
0		
1		
2		
3		
4		
5		
6		
7		
8		
9		

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## WORKED EXAMPLES



- Calculate  $7^{358} \bmod 10$ .

$k$	$7^k$	$7^k \bmod 10$
0	1	1
1	7	7
2	49	9
3	343	3
4	2,401	1
5	16,807	7
6	117,649	9
7	823,543	3
8		1
9		7

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## Modular arithmetic and cyclicity of remainders

- Calculate  $7^{358} \bmod 10$ .
- What is the ones digit of  $7^{358}$ ?

Same question, asking differently!

Billions      Hundred Millions      Millions      Ten Millions      Hundreds      Tens      Ones      Tenths      Hundredths      Thousandths      Ten Thousandths      Hundred Thousandths      Millions

6,781,239,465.724069

↑      Decimal Point

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# Modular arithmetic and cyclicity of remainders

Base number ending with	Powers: seq of <b>ones</b> digit	Period of the cycle
0	0	1
1	1	1
2	2 4 8 6	4
3	3 9 7 1	4
4	4 6	2
5	5	1
6	6	1
7	7 9 3 1	4
8	8 4 2 6	4
9	9 1	2

- **Cycling** of digits is applied for the ones and the tens digits, and a few other pairs of base & mod.

finding remainders of large numbers  
ones digit → mod 10



- When solving problems: try it and see if the **pattern** emerges, then use modulo to find the answer

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# Modular arithmetic and cyclicity of remainders

Base number ending with	Powers: seq of <b>tens</b> digit	Period of the cycle
0	0	1
1	0	1
2	...	20
3	...	20
4	...	10
5	2	1
6	3 1 9 7 5	5
7	0 0 4 4	4
8	...	20
9	...	10

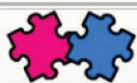
- Know how to answer questions:

Asking for a units or a tens digit  
→ answer: a single digit 0-9



Asking for mod 100  
→ find both tens and units digit  
→ answer: a two-digit number

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## WORKED EXAMPLES



■ What is the tens digits of  $7^{358}$ ?

k	$7^k$		
0			
1			
2			
3			
4			
5			
6			
7			
8			
9			

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## WORKED EXAMPLES



■ Calculate  $7^{355} \bmod 100$ .



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## PRACTICE PROBLEMS



- Find the tens digits of  $6^{2345789}$



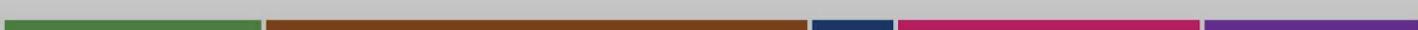
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## PRACTICE PROBLEMS



- Calculate  $4^{1000} \bmod 10$ .



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## PRACTICE PROBLEMS

It does not have to always  
be mod 10 or mod 100



- What is the remainder when  $4^{1000}$  is divided by 7?

modulo of 7



Hint: find a cyclic pattern of modulo 7 of powers of 4

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## PRACTICE PROBLEMS

It does not have to always  
be mod 10 or mod 100

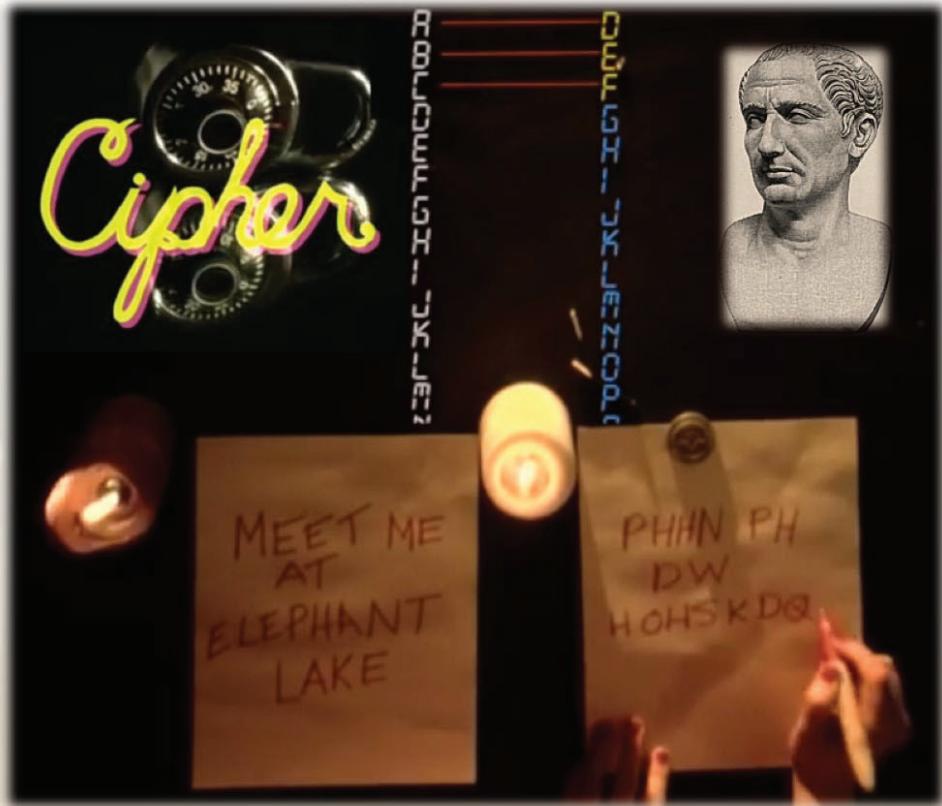


- Calculate  $7^{5140} \text{ mod } 4$ .



Hint: find a cyclic pattern of modulo 4 of powers of 7

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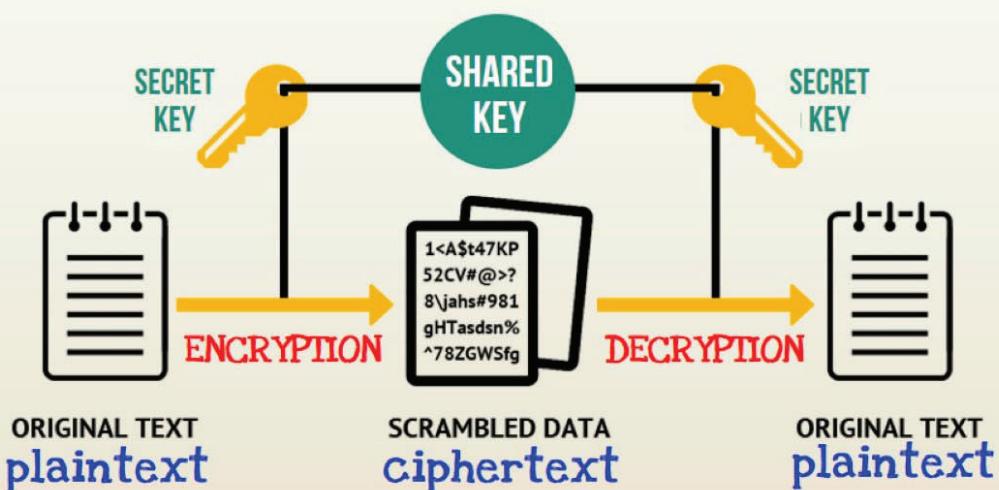


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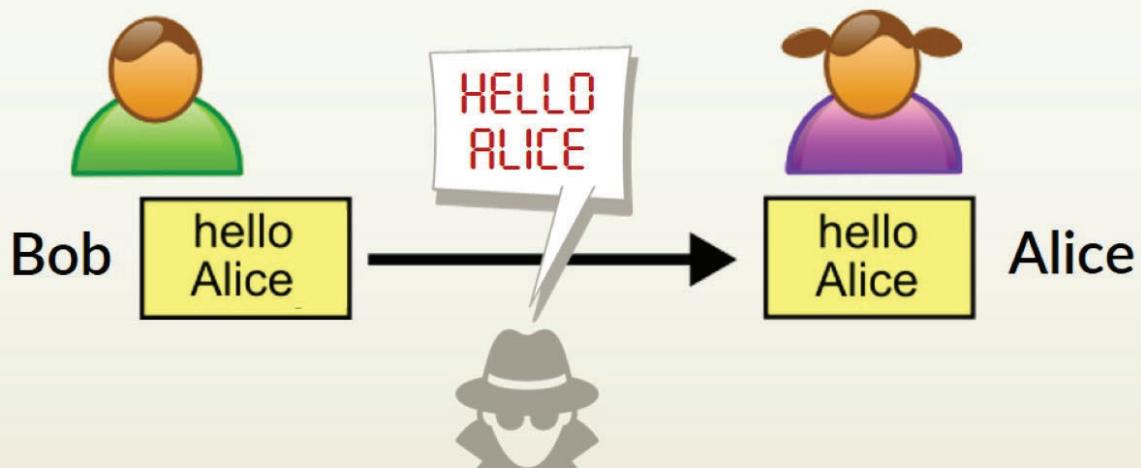
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## An application of Modular Arithmetic in Cryptography

**Encryption** scrambles readable text so it can only be read by a person who has the secret key and knows which algorithm is implemented. Encryption and decryption help provide data security for sensitive information.

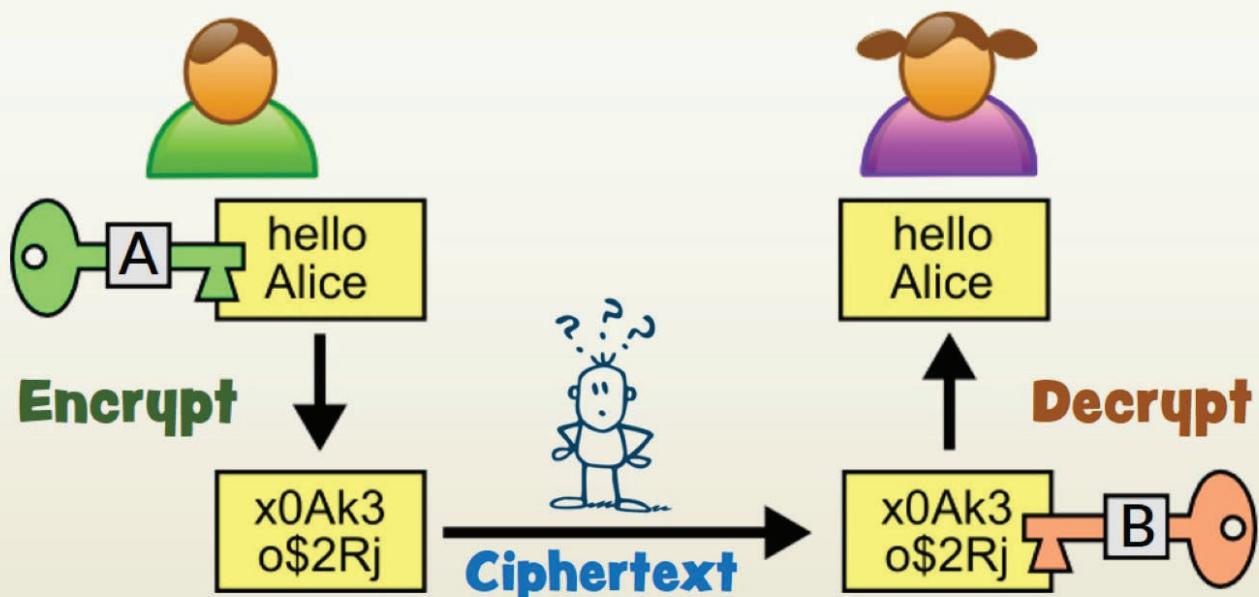


## In plaintext, an intruder can always read your secret conversation



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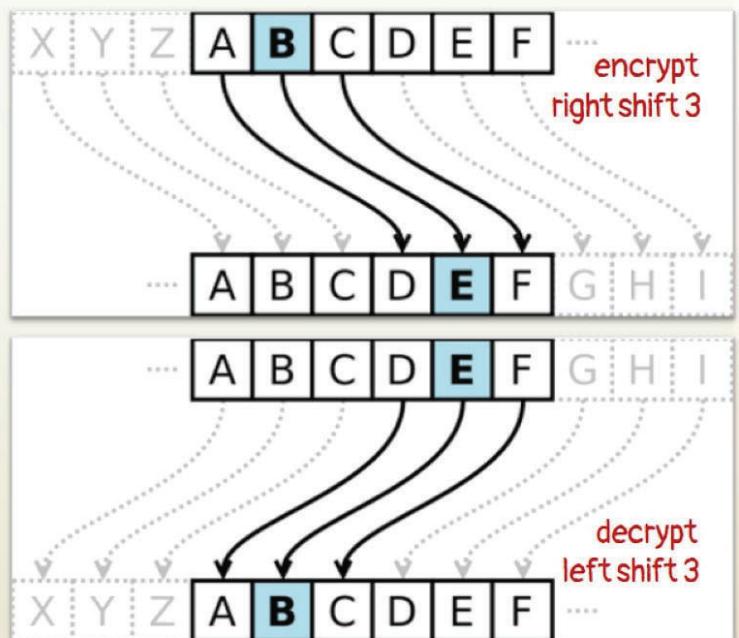
## An intruder may catch your encrypted message but not able to read it



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# Caesar Cipher, also called Caesar shift or shift cipher

- Caesar cipher hides (**encrypts**) a message by moving each letter a certain number (**a shifted key**) of places to the right along the sorted list of alphabets A-Z
- Each letter in the original plaintext is replaced with a different letter that is **a fixed right-shift** of the alphabets A-Z



<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Bdl2whtMyzU>

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## WORKED EXAMPLES



■ Using Caesar Cipher with key=7, encrypt the word **FOX**

■ Using Caesar Cipher with key=7, decrypt the word **THW**

A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M	N	O	P	Q	R	S	T	U	V	W	X	Y	Z
0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25

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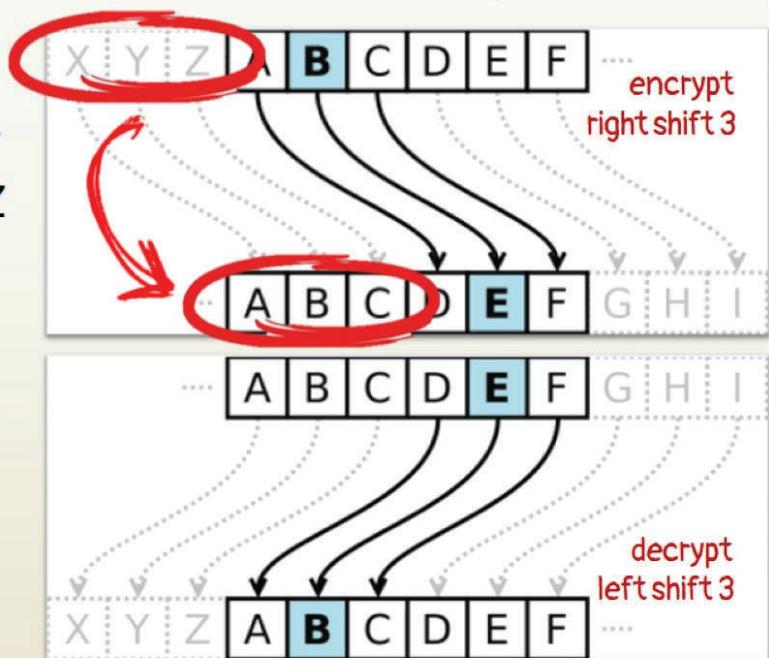
## The role of modular arithmetic in Caesar Cipher

When shifted, an alphabet wraps around to the first letter A upon reaching the last letter Z

**ENCRYPT:**  $e_k(x) = (x + k) \bmod 26$

**DECRYPT:**  $d_k(x) = (x - k) \bmod 26$

A right rotation of 3 places is equivalent to a left shift of 23



<https://www.secplicity.org/2017/05/25/historical-cryptography-ciphers/>

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## Caesar Cipher

- Map 26 letters of English alphabet to numbers: A=0, B=1, ..., Z=25
- Sender: encrypt each letter  $x$  in a message:  $e_k(x) = (x + k) \bmod 26$
- Receiver: decrypt each letter  $x$  in a message:  $d_k(x) = (x - k) \bmod 26$

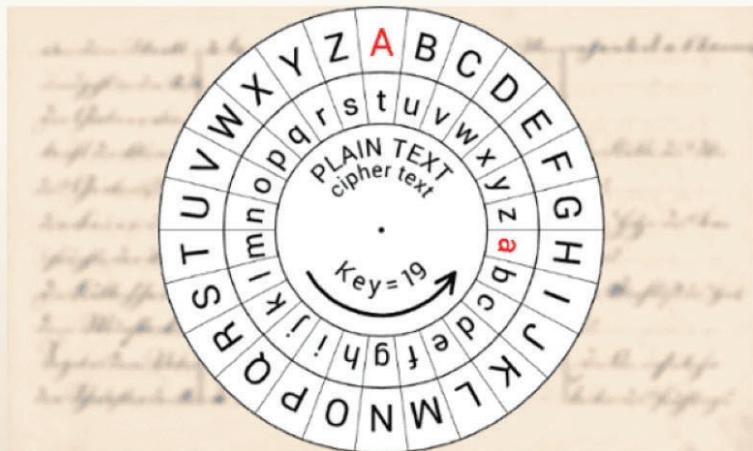
key=18 M A T H

A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M	N	O	P	Q	R	S	T	U	V	W	X	Y	Z
0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25

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# Codebreaker

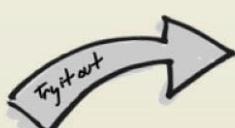
Given a ciphertext encoded using Caesar Cipher encryption, you do not know the key to decrypt it. But, can you crack it?



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## Cracking the Caesar Cipher

- Use frequency analysis – the most common letters in the ciphertext are related to the most common letters in the plaintext (in the language)
- Look at one-, two-, or three-letter words, e.g., in English, a single letter word in ciphertext is likely to be an encryption of “a” or “I” in plaintext



Can you crack this? What encryption key was used?

TRVJRI TZGYVIJ RIV HLZKV VRJP KF TIRTB

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## PRACTICE PROBLEMS



■ With key=13, encrypt a message: **TREATY IMPOSSIBLE**

■ With key=4, decrypt a message: **GSQTYXIV WGMIRGI**

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## PRACTICE PROBLEMS



■ With key=444, encrypt a message: **GREGORIAN CALENDARS**

■ The ciphertext “**KBKXEUTK**” is the result of encrypting the word “**EVERYONE**” using Caesar Cipher with the key equals to \_\_\_\_

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## PRACTICE PROBLEMS



- Traditionally, the alphabets in the Caesar Cipher consists of 26 English letters 'A' through 'Z'. In an extended cipher, digits '0' through '9' are included and ordered after the English letters: ABCDEFGHIJKLMNOPQRSTUVWXYZ0123456789. In this extended version, perform the following encryption.
- Encrypt **IC0S32T** with key **8**
- Decrypt **0X22B058** with key **23**

# PRIME FACTORIZATION GCD AND LCM

## Properties of Integers



## Prime Numbers

- **Prime number** is a natural number greater than 1 that has no positive divisors other than 1 and itself
- The only positive integers that divide a prime number  $p$  are 1 and  $p$
- A natural number greater than one that is not a prime number is called a **composite number**

prime	composite
•• 2	
••• 3	
	4 ••
••••• 5	
	6 •••
••••••• 7	
	8 ••••
	9 •••
	10 ••••
•••••••••••• 11	
	12 ••••

[https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Prime\\_number](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Prime_number)

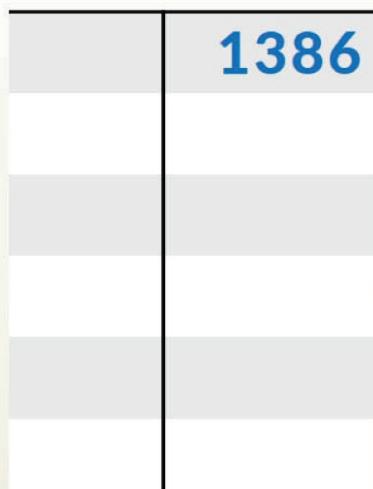
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## Factoring a number into its primes

- Divide by primes: 2, 3, 5, 7, ...
- Continue until you get to 1
- Write down the products of all prime divisors

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1386 =



Every positive integer  $n > 1$  can be broken into multiples of primes

$n = p_1^{k_1} p_2^{k_2} p_3^{k_3} \dots p_s^{k_s}$  where  $p_1 < p_2 < p_3 < \dots < p_s$  are prime numbers

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## Factoring a number into its primes

- Keep dividing the number by a prime
- Stop when you get to 1

140 =

Every positive integer  $n > 1$  can be broken into multiples of primes

$n = p_1^{k_1} p_2^{k_2} p_3^{k_3} \dots p_s^{k_s}$  where  $p_1 < p_2 < p_3 < \dots < p_s$  are prime numbers

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## **WORKED EXAMPLES**



Write each integer as a product of powers of primes

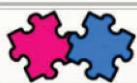
■ 75 =

■ 512 =

■ 3038 =

■ 3401 =

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## WORKED EXAMPLES



■ Find the largest prime divisor of  $5! + 6!$

■ Find the largest prime divisor of  $2^{16} - 1$



## PRACTICE PROBLEMS



Write each integer as a product of powers of primes

■  $107 =$

■  $589 =$

■  $828 =$

■  $1781 =$





## PRACTICE PROBLEMS



■ Find the prime factorization of 10!

■ There are 9 six-digit natural numbers with the property that all of their digits are the same (111111, 222222, ..., 999999). Find the largest prime number that is a divisor of all of them.

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**GCD** Greatest Common Divisor

**HCF** - Highest Common Factor

The **largest int** that is a **common divisor** of a given set of numbers.  
It divides all integers in the set.

Factors of 15: 1, 3, 5, and 15

Factors of 20: 1, 2, 4, 5, 10, and 20

The GCD of 15 and 20 is 5

**LCM** Least Common Multiple

The **smallest multiple** that two or more numbers have in common.  
It is a multiple of all int in the set.

Multiples of 15: 15, 30, 45, 60, ...

Multiples of 20: 20, 40, 60, 80, ...

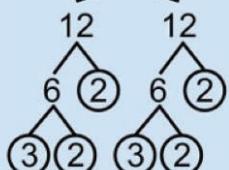
The LCM of 15 and 20 is 60

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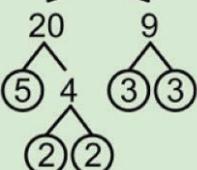
## Recall & Review Your GCM & LCM!

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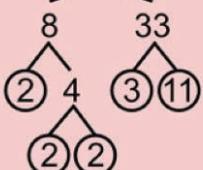
$$144 = 2^4 \cdot 3^2$$

**180**



$$180 = 2^2 \cdot 3^2 \cdot 5$$

**264**



$$264 = 2^3 \cdot 3 \cdot 11$$

$$\text{GCF} = 2^2 \cdot 3 = 12$$

$$\text{LCM} = 2^4 \cdot 3^2 \cdot 5 \cdot 11 = 7920$$

SCALAR LEARNING  
www.ScalarLearning.com

2    48 , 72 , 108

2    24 , 36 , 54

3    12 , 18 , 27

3    4 , 6 , 9

2    4 , 2 , 3

2 , 1 , 3

$$\text{GCD} = 2 \times 2 \times 3 = 12$$

$$\text{LCM} = 2 \times 2 \times 3 \times 3 \times 2 \times 2 \times 1 \times 3 = 432$$

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## Using prime factors to find GCD and LCM

**GCD** - Greatest Common Divisor

$$540 = 2^2 \times 3^3 \times 5$$

$$504 = 2^3 \times 3^2 \times 7$$

Product of common **min**-power

**LCM** - Least Common Multiple

$$540 = 2^2 \times 3^3 \times 5$$

$$504 = 2^3 \times 3^2 \times 7$$

Product of every **max**-power

$$GCD(a,b) \times LCM(a,b) = ab$$

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## PRACTICE PROBLEMS



- Find the GCD and LCM of 27, 90, and 84

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## WORKED EXAMPLES



- The GCD of 70 and some  $n \in \mathbb{N}$  is 10. Their LCM is 210. Find  $n$ .

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## WORKED EXAMPLES



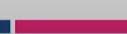
- The LCM of two numbers is six times their GCD. The sum of the LCM and the GCD is 210. If one number is 60, then what is the other?



## PRACTICE PROBLEMS



- The LCM of two numbers is 174. Their GCD is 29. The numbers are in a ratio 1:6. What is the largest number amongst the two?





## PRACTICE PROBLEMS



- The sum and the difference between LCM and GCD of two numbers are 369 and 351, respectively. If one number is 72, find the other number.

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## PRACTICE PROBLEMS



- Find the least number, which is a multiple of 11 and when divided by 3, 5 and 9 leaves 2 as remainder.

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# PROBLEM SOLVING



Divisibility & Primes AND PIE & Counting



## PRACTICE PROBLEMS



- How many positive integers less than 1001 are multiples of either 6 or 8, but not both at once?



## PRACTICE PROBLEMS



$U = \{1, 2, 3, \dots, 1689\}$ ,  $A = \{x \mid x \in U \text{ and } 3 \mid x\}$ ,  $B = \{y \mid y \in U \text{ and } 5 \mid y\}$ , and  $C = \{z \mid z \in U \text{ and } 11 \mid z\}$ . Compute each of the following.

▣  $|A| =$

▣  $|B| =$

▣  $|C| =$

▣  $|A \cup B| =$

▣  $|A \cup B \cup C| =$

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## PRACTICE PROBLEMS



How many positive divisors does  $2000 = 2^4 5^3$  have?

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## PRACTICE PROBLEMS



■ How many positive divisors does  $6!$  have?



Hint: prime factorization and counting (product rule)

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## What's next?



### A WEEKLY QUIZ



**Reading**  
KBR, Rosen, Levin



**Textbook**  
**exercises**



**HW - Practice**  
**problems**

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