

Number Theory

Sieve Of Eratosthenes

It is easy to find if some number (say N) is prime or not — you simply need to check if at least one number from numbers lower or equal \sqrt{n} is divisor of N. This can be achieved by simple code:

```
boolean isPrime( int n ) {  
    if ( n == 1 ) return false; // by definition, 1 is not  
    prime number  
    if ( n == 2 ) return true; // the only one even prime  
    for ( int i = 2; i * i <= n; ++i )  
        if ( n%i == 0 ) return false;  
    return true;  
}
```

So it takes \sqrt{n} steps to check this. Of course you do not need to check all even numbers, so it can be “optimized” a bit:

```
boolean isPrime( int n ) {  
    if ( n == 1 ) return false; // by definition, 1 is not  
    prime number  
    if ( n == 2 ) return true; // the only one even prime  
    if ( n%2 == 0 ) return false; // check if is even  
    for ( int i = 3; i * i <= n; i += 2 ) // for each odd  
        number  
        if ( n%i == 0 ) return false;  
    return true;  
}
```

So let say that it takes $0.5\sqrt{n}$ steps*. That means it takes 50,000 steps to check that 10,000,000,000 is a prime

Problem?

If we have to check numbers upto N, we have to check each number individually. So time complexity will be $O(N\sqrt{N})$.

Can we do better?

Ofcourse! we can use a sieve of numbers upto N. For all prime numbers $\leq \sqrt{N}$, we can make their multiple non-prime i.e. if **p** is prime, 2p, 3p, ..., $\text{floor}(n/p)*p$ will be **non-prime**.

Animation

https://upload.wikimedia.org/wikipedia/commons/b/b9/Sieve_of_Eratosthenes_animation.gif

Sieve code

```

void primes(int *p){
    for(int i = 2;i<=1000000;i++)p[i] = 1;
    for(int i = 2;i<=1000000;i++){
        if(p[i]){
            for(int j = 2*i;j<=1000000;j+=i){
                p[j] = 0;
            }
        }
    }
    p[1] = 0;
    p[0] = 0;
    return;
}

```

Can we still do better?

Yeah sure! Here we don't need to check for even numbers. Instead of starting the non-prime loop from 2p we can start from p^2 .

Optimised code

```

void primes(bool *p){
    for(int i = 3;i<=1000000;i += 2){
        if(p[i]){
            for(int j = i*i;j <= 1000000; j += i){
                p[j] = 0;
            }
        }
    }
    p[1] = 0;
    p[0] = 0;
    return;
}

```

T = O(NloglogN)

Hence, we have significantly reduced our complexity from $N*\sqrt{N}$ to approx linear time.

Segmented Sieve

```

void sieve(){
    for(int i = 0;i<=1000000;i++)p[i] = 1;
    for(int i = 2;i<=1000000;i++){
        if(p[i]){
            for(int j = 2*i;j<=1000000;j+=i)
                p[j] = 0;
        }
    }
    // for(int i=2;i<=20;i++)cout<<i<<" "<<p[i]<<endl;
}

int segmented_sieve(long long a,long long b){
    sieve();
    bool pp[b-a+1];
    memset(pp,1,sizeof(pp));
    for(long long i = 2;i*i<=b;i++){
        for(long long j = a;j<=b;j++){

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        if(p[i]){
            if(j == i)
                continue;
            if(j % i == 0)
                pp[j-a] = 0;
        }
    }
}
int res = 1;
for(long long i = a; i < b; i++)
    res += pp[i-a];
return res;
}

```

Division

Let a and b be integers. We say a divides b , denoted by $a|b$, if there exists an integer c such that $b = ac$.

Linear Diophantine Equations

A Diophantine equation is a polynomial equation, usually in two or more unknowns, such that only the integral solutions are required. An Integral solution is a solution such that all the unknown variables take only integer values.

Given three integers a, b, c representing a linear equation of the form : $ax + by = c$. Determine if the equation has a solution such that x and y are both integral values.

General solution

$$(x, y) = (x_0 + b/d * t, y_0 - a/d * t)$$

Chinese Remainder Theorem

Typical problems of the form “Find a number which when divided by 2 leaves remainder 1, when divided by 3 leaves remainder 2, when divided by 7 leaves remainder 5” etc can be reformulated into a system of linear congruences and then can be solved using Chinese Remainder theorem.

For example, the above problem can be expressed as a system of three linear congruences:

“ $x \equiv 1 \pmod{2}$, $x \equiv 2 \pmod{3}$, $x \equiv 5 \pmod{7}$ ”.

$x \% \text{num}[0] = \text{rem}[0]$,

$x \% \text{num}[1] = \text{rem}[1]$,

.....

$x \% \text{num}[k-1] = \text{rem}[k-1]$

A Naive Approach is to find x is to start with 1 and one by one increment it and check if dividing it with given elements in $\text{num}[]$ produces corresponding remainders in $\text{rem}[]$. Once we find such a x , we return it

Chinese remainder theorem

$$x = \left(\sum (\text{rem}[i] * \text{pp}[i] * \text{inv}[i]) \right) \% \text{prod}$$

Where $0 \leq i \leq n-1$

$\text{rem}[i]$ is given array of remainders

prod is product of all given numbers

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prod = num[0] * num[1] * ... * num[k-1]

pp[i] is product of all but num[i]
pp[i] = prod / num[i]

inv[i] = Modular Multiplicative Inverse of
        pp[i] with respect to num[i]

```

Euler Phi Function

Euler's Phi function (also known as totient function, denoted by ϕ) is a function on natural numbers that gives the count of positive integers coprime with the corresponding natural number. Thus, $\phi(8) = 4$, $\phi(9) = 6$

The value $\phi(n)$ can be obtained by Euler's formula : Let $n = p_1^{a_1} * p_2^{a_2} * \dots * p_k^{a_k}$ be the prime factorization of n . Then

$$\phi(n) = n * (1 - 1/p_1) * (1 - 1/p_2) * \dots * (1 - 1/p_k)$$

Code

```

int phi[] = new int[n+1];
for(int i=2; i <= n; i++) phi[i] = i; //phi[1] is 0

for(int i=2; i <= n; i++)
    if( phi[i] == i )
        for(int j=i; j <= n; j += i )
            phi[j] = (phi[j]/i)*(i-1);

```

Properties

- i. If P is prime then $\phi(p^k) = (p-1)p^{(k-1)}$
- ii. ϕ function is multiplicative, i.e. if $(a,b) = 1$ then $\phi(ab) = \phi(a)\phi(b)$.
- iii. Let d_1, d_2, \dots, d_k be all divisors of n (including n). Then $\phi(d_1) + \phi(d_2) + \dots + \phi(d_k) = n$
For example: the divisors of 18 are 1,2,3,6,9 and 18. Observe that $\phi(1) + \phi(2) + \phi(3) + \phi(6) + \phi(9) + \phi(18) = 1 + 1 + 2 + 2 + 6 + 6 = 18$
- iv. Number of divisors of $n = p_1^{a_1} \cdot p_2^{a_2} \dots p_n^{a_n}$:
 $d(n) = (a_1+1) * (a_2+1) * \dots (a_n + 1)$
- v. Sum of divisors:
 $S(n) = (p_1^{a_1+1}-1)/(p_1-1) (p_2^{a_2+1}-1)/(p_2-1) \dots (p_n^{a_n+1}-1)/(p_n-1)$

Wilson's theorem

If p is a prime, then $(p - 1)! = -1 \pmod{p}$

Problems

POWPOW2

<http://www.spoj.com/problems/POWPOW2/>

Problem

Given three integers a, b, n , $1 \leq a, b, n \leq 10^5$

$$a^{(b^{f(n)})} \pmod{1000000007}, \text{ where } f(n) = \binom{n}{0}^2 + \binom{n}{1}^2 + \dots + \binom{n}{n}^2.$$

Dealing with $f(n)$

The function f complicates the expression, but we can notice that $f(n) = 2^n C_n$. It's easy to find proofs online, e.g. here, so I'll skip that.

Reducing the exponents

$b^{(2n,n)}$ is a huge number and we need to reduce it to a more tractable number.

Euler's theorem states that if a and m are coprime, then $a^{\phi(m)} \equiv 1 \pmod{m}$, where $\phi(m)$ is Euler's totient function. This is useful because $a^y \equiv a^{(y \bmod \phi(m))} \pmod{m}$

The repeated $\phi(m)$ factors in the exponent will yield a bunch of 1s).

$m = 10^9 + 7$ which is a prime number, so $\phi(m) = m - 1 = 10^9 + 6 = 2 \times 500000003$.

So, we have $a^{y \bmod 1000000006} \bmod 1000000007$.

The main difficulty of this problem is that our y is also an exponential, $y = b^{(2n,n)}$. In order to find the result, we need first to calculate $b^{(2n,n)} \bmod 1000000006$.

Finding $b^{(2n,n)} \bmod 1000000006$ when b is odd

Suppose b is odd. Then, we can apply Euler's theorem because b and $1,000,000,006$ are coprime (recall that $b \leq 10^5$ so the 500000003 factor will always be coprime with b).

$b^{(2n,n)} \equiv b^{(2n,n) \bmod \phi(1000000006)} \bmod 1000000006$.

$\phi(1000000006) = \phi(2) \times \phi(500000003) = (2-1) \times (500000003-1) = 500000002$

$500000002 = 2 \times 41^2 \times 148721500000002 = 2 \times 41^2 \times 148721$.

So, we need to find $(2n,n) \bmod 500000002$ which is not prime. Therefore, we need to use another tool: the Chinese Remainder Theorem (CRT). We can calculate

$(2n,n) \bmod 2$

$(2n,n) \bmod 41^2$

$(2n,n) \bmod 148721$

and use CRT to get the result modulo 500000002 .

Finding $b^{(2n,n)} \bmod 1000000006$ when b is even

Unfortunately, if b is even, b and 1000000006 are not coprime.

Therefore, we need CRT again. Our modulus is the product of two primes: 2 and $500,000,003$. So, we shall find $b^{(2n,n)}$ modulo 2 and $500,000,003$ and use CRT to get the result modulo $1,000,000,006$.

Note that when b is even the result modulo 2 is always 0 . So, we only need to calculate the result modulo 500000003 and $\phi(500000003) = \phi(1000000006)$, so this part is equal to the case when b is odd. The only difference is using CRT.

Adding everything together

After finding $y = b^{(2n,n)} \bmod 1000000006$, we can calculate $a^y \bmod 1000000007$ normally to get the

final result.

CODE

```
#include<bits/stdc++.h>
#define ll long long int

int t;
ll a, b, n;
ll fact[200005];
ll md = 1000000007;
long long int c_pow(ll i, ll j, ll mod)
{
    if (j == 0)
        return 1;
    ll d;
    d = c_pow(i, j / (long long)2, mod);
    if (j % 2 == 0)
        return (d*d) % mod;
    else
        return ((d*d) % mod * i) % mod;
}

ll InverseEuler(ll n, ll MOD)
{
    return c_pow(n, MOD - 2, MOD);
}

ll fact_14[1700][1700];
ll fact_B[150000];

ll min1(ll a, ll b) {
    return a > b ? b : a;
}

void calc_fact() {
    fact[0] = fact[1] = 1;
    ll tmd = 148721;
    for (int i = 2; i < 200003; ++i) {
        fact[i] = (fact[i - 1] * i);
        if (fact[i] >= (tmd))fact[i] %= (tmd);
    }
}

ll fact_41[200005];
ll fact_41_p[200005];

void do_func() {
    fact_41[0] = 1;
    fact_41_p[0] = 0;
    for (int i = 1; i < 200003; ++i) {
        ll y = i;
        fact_41_p[i] = fact_41_p[i - 1];
        while (y % 41 == 0) {
            y = y / 41;
            fact_41_p[i]++;
        }
    }
}
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        fact_4l[i] = (y*fact_4l[i - 1]) % 1681;
    }
}

ll fact_2[200005];
void do_func2() {
    fact_2[0] = 1;
    for (int i = 1; i < 200005; ++i) {
        fact_2[i] = (i*fact_2[i - 1]) % 2;
    }
}

ll get_3rd(ll n, ll r, ll MOD) {
    ll ans = (InverseEuler(fact[r], MOD)*InverseEuler(fact[n - r], MOD)) % MOD;
    ans = (fact[n] * ans) % MOD;
    return ans;
}

ll inverse2(ll m1, ll p1)
{
    ll i = 1;
    while (1)
    {
        if ((m1*i) % p1 == 1)
            return i;
        i++;
    }
}

ll chinese_remainder_2(ll n1, ll n2, ll n3)
{
    ll p1 = 2, p2 = 1681, p3 = 148721;
    ll m1, m2, m3;
    ll i1, i2, i3;
    ll m;
    ll ans;
    m = p1*p2*p3;
    m1 = m / p1; m2 = m / p2; m3 = m / p3;
    i1 = InverseEuler(m1, p1); i2 = inverse2(m2, p2); i3 = InverseEuler(m3, p3);
    //printf("i1 = %lld i2 = %lld\n", i1, i2);
    ans = (n1*m1*i1) % m + (n2*m2*i2) % m + (n3*m3*i3) % m;
    ans = ans%m;
    return ans;
    //printf("%d\n", ans);
}

int main() {

    ios_base::sync_with_stdio(false);
    cin.tie(NULL);
    calc_fact();
    do_func();
    do_func2();
    cin >> t;
    while (t--) {
        cin >> a >> b >> n;
        if (a == 0 && b == 0) {
            cout << "1\n";
            continue;

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    }
    if (b == 0) {
        cout << "1\n";
        continue;
    }
    ll a1 = (n == 0) ? 1 : 0;
    ll a2 = (fact_41[2 * n] * inverse2(fact_41[n], 1681)) % 1681;
    a2 = (a2 * inverse2(fact_41[n], 1681)) % 1681;
    a2 = (a2 * c_pow(41, fact_41_p[2 * n] - 2 * fact_41_p[n], 1681)) % 1681;
    ll a3 = get_3rd(2 * n, n, 148721);
    //cout << a1 << " " << a2 << " " << a3 << "\n";
    ll ans = chinese_remainder_2(a1, a2, a3);
    if (ans == 0) ans = 500000002;
    ll y1 = c_pow(b, ans, md - 1);
    cout << y1 << "\n";
    ll z = c_pow(a, y1, md);
    cout << z << "\n";
}

return 0;
}

```

Best method for nCr

```

#include<iostream>
using namespace std;
#include<vector>

/* This function calculates (a^b)%MOD */
long long pow(int a, int b, int MOD)
{
    long long x=1,y=a;
    while(b > 0)
    {
        if(b%2 == 1)
        {
            x=(x*y);
            if(x>MOD) x%=MOD;
        }
        y = (y*y);
        if(y>MOD) y%=MOD;
        b /= 2;
    }
    return x;
}

/* Modular Multiplicative Inverse
Using Euler's Theorem
 $a^{(\phi(m))} = 1 \pmod{m}$ 
 $a^{(-1)} = a^{(m-2)} \pmod{m}$  */
long long InverseEuler(int n, int MOD)
{
    return pow(n, MOD-2, MOD);
}

long long C(int n, int r, int MOD)
{
    vector<long long> f(n + 1, 1);

```



```
    for (int i=2; i<=n;i++)
        f[i]= (f[i-1]*i) % MOD;
    return (f[n]*((InverseEuler(f[r], MOD) * InverseEuler(f[n-r], MOD)) % MOD)) % MOD;
}

int main()
{
    int n,r,p;
    while (~scanf("%d%d%d",&n,&r,&p))
    {
        printf("%lld\n",C(n,r,p));
    }
}
```