

# Tutorial 4

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Q.1. (a.)  $25x = 15 \pmod{29}$

$\gcd(25, 29) = 1$  and  $1/15$ .

$\therefore$  has a unique solution.

$25x = 15 \pmod{29}$

$-4x = 15 \pmod{29}$

$-28x = 105 \pmod{29}$

$-28x = 18 \pmod{29}$

$x = 18 \pmod{29}$ .

(b.)  $5x = 2 \pmod{26}$ .

$\gcd(5, 26) = 1$  and  $1/2$

$\therefore$  has a unique solution.

$5x = 2 \pmod{26}$

$25x = 10 \pmod{26}$

$-x = 10 \pmod{26}$

$x = -10 \pmod{26}$

$x = 16 \pmod{26}$

(c.)  $34x = 60 \pmod{98}$

$\gcd(34, 98) = 2$   $2|60$ .

$34x = 60 \pmod{98}$   $\therefore$  has unique solution

$17x = 30 \pmod{49}$

$51x = 90 \pmod{49}$

$2x = 41 \pmod{49}$

$2x = -8 \pmod{49}$

$50x = -200 \pmod{49}$

$x = 45 \pmod{49}$   $x = 45$

$x = 2x + n +$   $b = 0, 1$

$x = 45 + 49t$

$x = 45$   
 $x = 94$

$b = 0$   
 $t = 1$

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(d)  $14x \equiv 133 \pmod{301}$   
 $\gcd(14, 301) = 7$   $\frac{7}{133}$   
 $\therefore$  Unique solution.

$$\begin{aligned} 14x &\equiv 133 \pmod{301} \\ 2x &\equiv 19 \pmod{43} \\ 4x &\equiv 38 \pmod{43} \\ -3x &\equiv 38 \pmod{43} \\ -3x &\equiv -5 \pmod{43} \\ 3x &\equiv 5 \pmod{43} \\ 42x &\equiv 70 \pmod{43} \\ -x &\equiv -16 \pmod{43} \\ x &\equiv 16 \pmod{43} \quad x_0 = 16. \end{aligned}$$

$$x = x_0 + \frac{n}{d}t$$

$$= 16 + \frac{301}{7}d \Rightarrow x = 16 + 43t$$

When:	$t = 0$	$x = 16$
	$t = 1$	$x = 59$
	$t = 2$	$x = 102$
	$t = 3$	$x = 145$
	$t = 4$	$x = 188$
	$t = 5$	$x = 231$
	$t = 6$	$x = 274$

q2(a)  $4x \equiv 51y \equiv 9$   
 $4x \equiv 9 - 51y$   
 $4x \equiv 9 \pmod{51}$

$\gcd(4, 51) = 1$   $\frac{1}{4}$

$\therefore$  has unique soln.

$$\begin{aligned} 4x &\equiv 9 \pmod{51} \\ 52x &\equiv 117 \pmod{51} \end{aligned}$$



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$$x \equiv 15 \pmod{51}$$

then,

$$x = x_0 + \frac{n}{d}t \Rightarrow x = \frac{15+51t}{1} \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

$$4x + 51y = 9$$

$$\gcd(51, 4) = 1 \quad 1/19 \therefore \text{unique solution.}$$

$$51y = 9 - 4x$$

$$= 9 \pmod{4}$$

$$-y \equiv 1 \pmod{4}$$

$$y \equiv -1 \pmod{4}$$

$$y \equiv 3 \pmod{4}$$

$$y = y_0 + \frac{n}{d}s = 3 + \frac{4}{1}s \Rightarrow y = 3 + 4s$$

$$\therefore 4x + 51y = 9$$

$$4(15 + 51t) + 51(3 + 4s) = 9$$

$$= 60 + 204t + 153 + 204s = 9$$

$$204t + 204s = -204$$

$$t + s = -1$$

$$\therefore y = 3 + 4(-1 - t)$$

$$\boxed{y = -1 - 4t}$$

b)  $5x - 53y = 17$

$$5x = 17 + 53y$$

$$5x \equiv 17 \pmod{53}$$

$$\gcd(5, 53) = 1$$

$1/17$  has unique soln

$$5x \equiv 17 \pmod{53}$$

$$50x \equiv 170 \pmod{53}$$

$$-3x \equiv 11 \pmod{53}$$

$$-54x \equiv -198 \pmod{53}$$

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$$-x \equiv -198 \pmod{53}$$

$$-x \equiv -14 \pmod{53}$$

$$x \equiv 14 \pmod{53}$$

$$x = x_0 + \frac{n}{d}t \Rightarrow x = 14 + \frac{53}{1}t$$

$$-53y \equiv 17 - 52x$$

$$-53y \equiv 17 \pmod{5}$$

$$\gcd(53, 5) = 1 \quad \frac{1}{17} \text{ is unique soln.}$$

$$-53y \equiv 17 \pmod{5}$$

$$24y \equiv 2 \pmod{5}$$

$$y \equiv 1 \pmod{5}$$

$$y = 1 + 5s$$

$$\therefore 5(14 + 53t) - 53(1 + 5s) = 17$$

$$70 + 265t = 53 - 265s = 17$$

$$s = t$$

$$\text{Thus } \Rightarrow y = 1 + 5t$$

$$(q. 3) \quad a : x \equiv 5 \pmod{11}, x \equiv 14 \pmod{29}, \\ x \equiv 15 \pmod{31}$$

$$\text{soln: } n_1 = 11 \quad n_2 = 29 \quad n_3 = 31$$

$$\gcd(11, 29) = \gcd(29, 31) = \gcd(31, 11) = 1$$

$$n = 11, 29, 31 = 9889$$

$$n_1 = 29, 31 = 899$$

$$n_2 = 11, 31 = 341$$

$$n_3 = 11, 29 = 319$$

$$n_1 x \equiv 1 \pmod{11}$$

$$n_2 x \equiv 1 \pmod{29}$$

$$899x \equiv 1 \pmod{11}$$

$$341x \equiv 1 \pmod{29}$$

$$-3x \equiv 1 \pmod{11}$$

$$-7x \equiv 1 \pmod{29}$$

$$-12x \equiv 4 \pmod{11}$$

$$-28x \equiv 4 \pmod{29}$$

$$-x \equiv 4 \pmod{11}$$

$$x \equiv 4 \pmod{29}$$



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$$x \equiv 7 \pmod{11}$$

$$x \equiv 4$$

$$a_1 \equiv 7$$

$$n_3 x \equiv 1 \pmod{31}$$

$$319x \equiv 1 \pmod{31}$$

$$-27x \equiv 3 \pmod{31}$$

$$-4x \equiv 3 \pmod{31}$$

$$-32x \equiv 24 \pmod{31}$$

$$-x \equiv 24 \pmod{31}$$

$$x \equiv 7 \pmod{31} \quad x_3 \equiv 7$$

Thus a solution of the system is given by:

$$\begin{aligned} \bar{x} &= a_1 n_1 A_1 + a_2 n_2 x_2 + a_3 n_3 x_3 \\ &= 5 \times 7 \times 899 + 14 \times 341 \times 4 + 15 \times 319 \times 7 \\ &= 84056 \end{aligned}$$

We get a Unique solution modulo 9899:

$$\bar{x} = 84056 \equiv 4944 \pmod{9899}$$

$$b) \quad 2x \equiv 1 \pmod{5}, \quad 3x \equiv 9 \pmod{6}, \quad 4x \equiv 1 \pmod{7}, \quad 5x \equiv 9 \pmod{11}$$

$$n_1 = 5, \quad n_2 = 6, \quad n_3 = 7, \quad n_4 = 11$$

$$n = 5 \times 6 \times 7 \times 11 = 2310$$

$$\gcd(5, 2) = \gcd(2, 7) = \gcd(7, 11) =$$

$$\gcd(5, 7) = \gcd(2, 11) = 1, \quad \gcd(5, 11) =$$

$$n_1 = 154, \quad n_2 = 385, \quad n_3 = 110, \quad n_4 = 77$$

$$n_1 x \equiv 1 \pmod{5}$$

$$154x \equiv 1 \pmod{5}$$

$$-x \equiv 1 \pmod{5}$$

$$x \equiv -1 \pmod{5}$$

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$$x \equiv 4 \pmod{5}$$

$$x_1 \equiv 4$$

$$n_2 x \equiv 1 \pmod{6}$$

$$385x \equiv 1 \pmod{6}$$

$$x \equiv 1 \pmod{6}$$

$$x_2 = 1$$

$$n_3 x \equiv 1 \pmod{7}$$

$$110x \equiv 1 \pmod{7}$$

$$5x \equiv 1 \pmod{7}$$

$$20x \equiv 4 \pmod{7}$$

$$-x \equiv 4 \pmod{7}$$

$$-x \equiv -3 \pmod{7}$$

$$x \equiv 3 \pmod{7}$$

$$3C^3 = 3.$$

$$n_4 x \equiv 1 \pmod{11}$$

$$70x \equiv 1 \pmod{11}$$

$$4x \equiv 1 \pmod{11}$$

$$12x \equiv 3 \pmod{11}$$

$$x \equiv 3 \pmod{11}$$

$$3A = 11/3.$$

$$\bar{x} = a_1 n_1 x_1 + a_2 n_2 x_2 + a_3 n_3 x_3 + a_4 n_4 x_4$$

$$3 \times 154 \times 4 + 3 \times 385 \times 1 + 2 \times 110 \times 3 + 4 \times 70 \times 3$$

We get a unique soln Modulo 770:  $\bar{x} = 4503$   
 $\equiv 653$   
 $\pmod{770}$

(Q.4) Since  $2/a$  is equivalent to  $4/a+2$  and  $6/a+4$  is equivalent to  $3/a+1$ , so the given problem reduces into finding the smallest



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integers  $a \geq 2$  such that  $3/a + 4/a + 2, 5/a + 3$ .  
 Thus, we have to find the least value of  
 $a \geq 2$  such that  $a \equiv 2 \pmod{6}$ . since 4 & 1,  
 are not co-prime, so Chinese remainder theorem  
 is not applicable. However, we observe that  
 $a = 52$  serves as a solution. This is the  
 smallest solution because  $a \leq 2 \& 6$  implies  
 that if  $2 \leq a < 62$  then possible value for  
 $a$  are 8, 14, 20, 26, 32, 38, 44, 50 & 56. But  $8 \equiv 2$   
 and  $5, 14 \equiv 2 \pmod{5}$ ,  $20 \equiv 2 \pmod{5}$ ,  $26 \equiv 2 \pmod{5}$   
 $32 \equiv 2 \pmod{5}$ ,  $38 \equiv 2 \pmod{5}$ ,  $44 \equiv 2 \pmod{5}$   
 $50 \equiv 2 \pmod{5}$  and  $56 \equiv 2 \pmod{5}$ . Thus,  
 the desired least value of  $a = 62$ .

(q. 5) The question provides us the following  
 equations.

$$x \equiv 3 \pmod{17}$$

$$x \equiv 10 \pmod{16}$$

$$x \equiv 0 \pmod{15}$$

$$\gcd(15, 16) = \gcd(15, 17)$$

$$\gcd(17, 16) = 1$$

$$n = 17, 16, 15 = 4080$$

$$N_1 = 240$$

$$N_2 = 272$$

$$N_1 x \equiv 1 \pmod{N_1}$$

$$N_2 = 255$$

$$240 x \equiv 1 \pmod{17}$$

$$2x \equiv 1 \pmod{17}$$

$$18x \equiv 9 \pmod{17}$$

$$8x \equiv 9 \pmod{17}$$

$$x = 9$$

$$N_2 x \equiv 1 \pmod{N_2}$$

$$255 x \equiv 1 \pmod{16}$$

$$-x \equiv 1 \pmod{16}$$

$$x \equiv 15 \pmod{16} \quad x = 15$$

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$$N_3 x \equiv 1 \pmod{n_3}$$

$$272 x \equiv 1 \pmod{15}$$

$$2x \equiv 1 \pmod{15}$$

$$16x \equiv 8 \pmod{15}$$

$$x \equiv 8 \pmod{15} \quad x_3 = 8$$

Thus, a solution at the system is given by:

$$\begin{aligned} \bar{x} &= a_1 n_1 x_1 + a_2 n_2 x_2 + a_3 n_3 x_3 \\ &= 9 \cdot 3 \cdot 24 + 15 \cdot 10 \cdot 255 + 0 \\ &= 44 + 30 \\ \bar{x} &= 3930 \pmod{4080} \end{aligned}$$

so 3930 coins were stolen.

(q.b)

Equation

$$x \equiv 1 \pmod{9}$$

$$x \equiv 10 \pmod{11}$$

$$x \equiv 0 \pmod{13}$$

$$1 \leq x \leq 1200, \gcd(9, 11) = \gcd(11, 13) = \gcd(13, 9) = 1$$

Chinese Remainder Theorem  $n = 17, 16, 15 = 4080$

$$n_1 = 240; n_2 = 255; n_3 = 272$$

$$n_1 x \equiv 1 \pmod{n_1}$$

$$143x \equiv 1 \pmod{n_1}$$

$$8x \equiv 1 \pmod{9}$$

$$-x \equiv 1 \pmod{9}$$

$$-x \equiv 1 \pmod{9} \Rightarrow x \equiv 8 \pmod{9}$$

$$x_1 = 1$$

$$n_2 x \equiv 1 \pmod{n_2}$$

$$1170 \equiv 1 \pmod{11}$$

$$-4x \equiv 1 \pmod{11}$$

$$-12x \equiv 3 \pmod{11}$$



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$$12x \equiv -3 \pmod{11}$$

$$x \equiv -3 \pmod{11}$$

$$x \equiv 8 \pmod{11} \quad x_1 = 8$$

$$13x \equiv 1 \pmod{13}$$

$$99x \equiv 1 \pmod{13}$$

$$-5x \equiv 1 \pmod{13}$$

$$-15x \equiv 3 \pmod{13}$$

$$-2x \equiv 3 \pmod{13}$$

$$-12x \equiv 12 \pmod{13}$$

$$x \equiv 5 \pmod{13}$$

$$x_3 = 5$$

Thus, a solution of the system is given by,

$$x = a_1 n_1 x_1 + a_2 n_2 x_2 + a_3 n_3 x_3$$

$$= 1 \cdot 143 \cdot 8 + 2 \cdot 255 \cdot 8 + 6 \cdot 49 \cdot 5$$

$$= 5986$$

$$= 838 \pmod{1287}$$

(Q.7) we want to solve the following system,

$$x \equiv 1 \pmod{2}$$

$$x \equiv 2 \pmod{3}$$

$$x \equiv 5 \pmod{6}$$

$$x \equiv 5 \pmod{12}$$

gcd (3, 6) = 1 then multiply eq (2) by (2)

$$2x \equiv 4 \pmod{6} \quad - (5)$$

now subtract eq. 5 from eq. 3

$$x \equiv -1 \equiv 5 \pmod{6} \quad - (6)$$

gcd (6, 12) = 1 then multiply eq (6) by (2)

$$2x \equiv 10 \pmod{12} \quad - (7)$$

now subtract eqn. (5) from eqn. (7)

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$$x \equiv 5 \pmod{12}$$

Since,  $\gcd(2, 12) \neq 1$  then multiply eqn. ① by 6

$$6x \equiv 6 \pmod{12} \quad \text{--- (9)}$$

subtract eqn. ⑧ from eqn. ⑨

$$5x \equiv 1 \pmod{12}$$

$$35x \equiv 7 \pmod{12}$$

$$-x \equiv 7 \pmod{12}$$

$$x \equiv 5 \pmod{12}$$

Thus,  $x = 5 + 12k$  for some  $k \in \mathbb{Z}$

$$x = 5 + 12$$

$$x = 17$$

(a. 9) We want to find a solution of the system

$$3x + 4y \equiv 5 \pmod{15}$$

$$2x + 5y \equiv 7 \pmod{15}$$

Multiply eqn ① by ② and multiply eqn. ② by 3

$$6x + 8y \equiv 10 \pmod{13} \quad \text{--- (3)}$$

$$6x + 15y \equiv 21 \pmod{13} \quad \text{--- (4)}$$

Now subtract eqn. 4 from eqn. 3,

$$7y \equiv 11 \pmod{13}$$

$$14y \equiv 22 \pmod{13}$$

$$y \equiv 4 \pmod{13} \quad \text{--- (5)}$$

Substitute eqn. 5 into eqn. ①

$$3x + 4 \cdot 4 \equiv 5 \pmod{13}$$

$$3x + 16 \equiv 5 \pmod{13}$$

$$3x - 3 \equiv 5 \pmod{13}$$

$$12x \equiv 8 \pmod{13}$$

$$-x \equiv 6 \pmod{13}$$

$$x \equiv 7 \pmod{13}$$



The solution of system is :

$$\begin{aligned} y &\equiv 9 \pmod{13} \\ x &\equiv 7 \pmod{13} \end{aligned}$$

(ex. 8) If  $t_n$  be  $n^{\text{th}}$  triangular number then

$$t_1^2 + t_2^2 + \dots + t_n^2 = \frac{t_n(3n^3 + 12n^2 + 13n + 2)}{30}$$

$$3n^3 + 12n^2 + 13n + 2 \equiv 0 \pmod{2, 3, 5}$$

If we solve this congruence eqn. we find the values of  $n$  that  $t_n$  divides  $t_1^2 + t_2^2 + \dots + t_n^2$

For first modulo 2, we can write the congruence  $n^3 + n \equiv 0 \pmod{2}$ . This always holds.

For modulo 3, The congruence can be written as  $n + 2 \equiv 0 \pmod{3}$ . This holds precisely if  $n \equiv 1 \pmod{3}$ . Work modulo 5, The

congruence can be written, work modulo 5. The congruence can be written.

$$3n^3 - 3n^2 + 3n - 3 \equiv 0 \pmod{5}, \text{ then as } (n-1)(n^2 + 1) \equiv 0 \pmod{5}.$$

This has the solutions  $n \equiv 1 \pmod{5}$ ,  $n \equiv 2 \pmod{5}$ ,  $n \equiv 3 \pmod{5}$ .

So, the conditions come down to  $n \equiv 1 \pmod{5}$  and  $n \equiv 1, 2, \text{ or } 3 \pmod{5}$ .

The solutions are therefore  $n \equiv 1, n \equiv 7$  and  $n \equiv 13 \pmod{25}$ .