

Network Security

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Fermat's Little Theorem

To compute $5^{301} \pmod{11}$ using Fermat's Little Theorem, follow these steps:

Step 1: Recall Fermat's Little Theorem

Fermat's Little Theorem states:

$$a^{p-1} \equiv 1 \pmod{p},$$

where p is a prime number and $\gcd(a, p) = 1$.

Here, $a = 5$ and $p = 11$. Since $\gcd(5, 11) = 1$, Fermat's theorem applies:

$$5^{10} \equiv 1 \pmod{11}.$$





Fermat's Little Theorem

Step 2: Simplify $5^{301} \pmod{11}$

Write 301 in terms of multiples of 10 (the exponent from Fermat's theorem):

$$301 = 10 \times 30 + 1.$$

Thus:

$$5^{301} = (5^{10})^{30} \cdot 5^1.$$

Using Fermat's theorem, $5^{10} \equiv 1 \pmod{11}$, so:

$$(5^{10})^{30} \equiv 1^{30} \equiv 1 \pmod{11}.$$

Therefore:

$$5^{301} \equiv 1 \cdot 5^1 \pmod{11}.$$





Fermat's Little Theorem

Step 3: Compute $5^1 \pmod{11}$

$$5^1 = 5.$$

Final Answer:

$$5^{301} \equiv 5 \pmod{11}.$$

The result is 5.





Fermat's Little Theorem

1. Find $3^{31} \bmod 7$.

[Solution: $3^{31} \equiv 3 \bmod 7$]

By Fermat's Little Theorem, $3^6 \equiv 1 \bmod 7$. Thus, $3^{31} \equiv 3^1 \equiv 3 \bmod 7$.

2. Find $2^{35} \bmod 7$.

[Solution: $2^{35} \equiv 4 \bmod 7$]

By Fermat's Little Theorem, $2^6 \equiv 1 \bmod 7$. Thus $2^{35} \equiv 2^5 \equiv 32 \equiv 4 \bmod 7$.

3. Find $128^{129} \bmod 17$.

[Solution: $128^{129} \equiv 9 \bmod 17$]

By Fermat's Little Theorem, $128^{16} \equiv 9^{16} \equiv 1 \bmod 17$. Thus, $128^{129} \equiv 9^1 \equiv 9 \bmod 17$.





Euler's Theorem

Use Euler's theorem to find a number a between 0 and 99 such that a is congruent to 7^{402} modulo 1000.

Step 1: Recall Euler's theorem

Euler's theorem states:

$$a^{\phi(n)} \equiv 1 \pmod{n},$$

where $\phi(n)$ is Euler's totient function and a and n are coprime.

Here, $a = 7$ and $n = 1000$. Since $\gcd(7, 1000) = 1$, Euler's theorem applies.





Euler's Theorem

Step 2: Calculate $\phi(1000)$

The prime factorization of 1000 is $1000 = 2^3 \cdot 5^3$. The totient function is:

$$\phi(1000) = 1000 \left(1 - \frac{1}{2}\right) \left(1 - \frac{1}{5}\right) = 1000 \cdot \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{4}{5} = 400.$$

Thus, $\phi(1000) = 400$.

Step 3: Apply Euler's theorem

By Euler's theorem:

$$7^{400} \equiv 1 \pmod{1000}.$$





Euler's Theorem

Step 4: Simplify $7^{402} \pmod{1000}$

Write 402 as $400 + 2$:

$$7^{402} = 7^{400} \cdot 7^2.$$

Using Euler's theorem, $7^{400} \equiv 1 \pmod{1000}$. Thus:

$$7^{402} \equiv 1 \cdot 7^2 \pmod{1000}.$$

Step 5: Calculate $7^2 \pmod{1000}$

$$7^2 = 49.$$





Euler's Theorem

Final Answer:

$$7^{402} \equiv 49 \pmod{1000}.$$

The number a is 49.

Use Euler's theorem to find a number a between 0 and 99 such that a is congruent to 7^{402} modulo 13.



RSA Algorithm Steps

<https://www.chiragbhalodia.com/2021/09/rsa-algorithm-with-example.html>

RSA Algorithm Steps

Step-1: Select two prime numbers p and q where $p \neq q$.

Step-2: Calculate $n = p * q$.

Step-3: Calculate $\Phi(n) = (p-1) * (q-1)$.

Step-4: Select e such that, e is relatively prime to $\Phi(n)$, i.e. $(e, \Phi(n)) = 1$ and $1 < e < \Phi(n)$

Step-5: Calculate $d = e^{-1} \bmod \Phi(n)$ or $ed = 1 \bmod \Phi(n)$.

Step-6: Public key = $\{e, n\}$, private key = $\{d, n\}$.

Step-7: Find out cipher text using the formula,

$C = P^e \bmod n$ where, $P < n$ where C = Cipher text, P = Plain text, e = Encryption key and n =block size.

Step-8: $P = C^d \bmod n$. Plain text P can be obtain using the given formula. where, d = decryption key





RSA Algorithm Steps

Step – 1: Select two prime numbers p and q where $p \neq q$.

Example, Two prime numbers $p = 13$, $q = 11$.

Step – 2: Calculate $n = p * q$.

Example, $n = p * q = 13 * 11 = 143$.

Step – 3: Calculate $\Phi(n) = (p-1) * (q-1)$.

Example, $\Phi(n) = (13 - 1) * (11 - 1) = 12 * 10 = 120$.

Step – 4: Select e such that, e is relatively prime to $\Phi(n)$, i.e. $(e, \Phi(n)) = 1$ and $1 < e < \Phi(n)$.

Example, Select $e = 13$, $\gcd(13, 120) = 1$.





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Step - 5: Calculate $d = e^{-1} \bmod \Phi(n)$ or $e * d = 1 \bmod \Phi(n)$

Example, Finding d : $e * d \bmod \Phi(n) = 1$

$$13 * d \bmod 120 = 1$$

(How to find: $d * e = 1 \bmod \Phi(n)$)

$$d = ((\Phi(n) * i) + 1) / e$$

$$d = (120 + 1) / 13 = 9.30 (\because i = 1)$$

$$d = (240 + 1) / 13 = 18.53 (\because i = 2)$$

$$d = (360 + 1) / 13 = 27.76 (\because i = 3)$$

$$d = (480 + 1) / 13 = 37 (\because i = 4)$$

Step - 6: Public key = { e, n }, private key = { d, n }.

Example, Public key = {13, 143} and private key = {37, 143}.



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Step - 6: Public key = {e, n}, private key = {d, n}.

Example, Public key = {13, 143} and private key = {37, 143}.

Step - 7: Find out *cipher text* using the formula, $C = P^e \text{ mod } n$ where, $P < n$.

Example, Plain text $P = 13$. (Where, $P < n$)

$$C = P^e \text{ mod } n = 13^{13} \text{ mod } 143 = 52.$$

Step - 8: $P = C^d \text{ mod } n$. Plain text P can be obtain using the given formula.

Example, Cipher text $C = 52$

$$P = C^d \text{ mod } n = 52^{37} \text{ mod } 143 = 13.$$





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Practice Materials

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