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2.4

Sequences and Summations (continued)

10th formula: $\sum_{k=0}^n a + kd = \frac{[a+(a+nd)](n+1)}{2}$

$S = ((\text{first term} + \text{last term}) * \text{number of terms}) / 2$

for progressions like $S = 1 + 3 + 5 + 7$

4.1

Divisibility and Modular Arithmetic

Definition

Let a and b be integers and $a \neq 0$. We say a divides b if there is an integer c s.t. $b = ac$, or equivalently, if $\frac{b}{a}$ is an integer.

If a divides b , we say a is a factor or divisor of b , and b is a multiple of a . If a divides b , we write $a|b$.

If a does not divide b , we write $a \nmid b$.

Example

$3|9$ since $9 = 3 * 3$

$\frac{9}{3} = 3$ is an integer

$3 \nmid 7$ since $\frac{7}{3}$ is not an integer

Any integer divides 0. $a \neq 0$

$0 = a * 0$ for any a

$\frac{0}{a} = 0$

Theorem

Let a, b, c be integers, $a \neq 0$.

1. If $a|b$ and $a|c$, then $a|(b + c)$
2. If $a|b$, then $a|bc$ for all integers c
3. If $a|b$ and $b|c$, then $a|c$

Theorem

Suppose a, b, c are integers, $a \neq 0$. Also, $a|b$ and $a|c$. Then, $a|(mb + nc)$, where m and n are integers.

Theorem: Division Algorithm

Suppose a and d are integers, $d > 0$. Then there are unique integers q and r s.t. $a = dq + r$, where

$0 \leq r < d$

$a = d * q + r$

a is the dividend

d is the divisor

q is the quotient

r is the remainder

Example

Divide 13 by 3

$13 = 3 * 4 + 1$

Definition

$$q = a \text{ div } d$$

$$r = a \text{ mod } d$$

Example

$$13 = 3 * 4 + 1$$

So $13 \text{ div } 3 = 4$, and $13 \text{ mod } 3 = 1$

Definition Suppose a, b, m are integers, $m > 0$. a is congruent to b modulo m if $m|(a - b)$. We write $a \equiv b \pmod{m}$ if a is congruent to b modulo m . $a \equiv b \pmod{m}$ is called a congruence, and m is its modulus.

If a is not congruent to b modulo m , we write $a \not\equiv b \pmod{m}$.

$$a \equiv b \pmod{m} \Leftrightarrow m|(a - b)$$

Theorem

Suppose a, b, m are integers $m > 0$. $a \equiv b \pmod{m}$ if and only if $a \text{ mod } m = b \text{ mod } m$

Theorem

Suppose a, b, m are integers, $m > 0$. a and b are congruent modulo m if and only if there is some integer k s.t. $a = b + km$

$$b \equiv a \pmod{m} \Leftrightarrow a \equiv b \pmod{m}$$

Proof

$$a \equiv b \pmod{m} \Rightarrow m|(a - b) \Rightarrow a - b = km \Rightarrow a = b + km.$$

Theorem

Suppose a, b, c, d, m are integers, $m > 0$.

If $a \equiv b \pmod{m}$ and $c \equiv d \pmod{m}$, then $a + c \equiv b + d \pmod{m}$ and $a * c \equiv b * d \pmod{m}$

Theorem

Suppose a, b, m are integers $m > 0$. Then $(a + b) \text{ mod } m = ((a \text{ mod } m) + (b \text{ mod } m)) \text{ mod } m$
 $(a * b) \text{ mod } m = ((a \text{ mod } m) * (b \text{ mod } m)) \text{ mod } m$

$$Z_m = \{0, 1, 2, 3, \dots, m - 1\}$$

$$Z_5 = \{0, 1, 2, 3, 4\}$$

Define operations on Z_m as $a +_m b = (a + b) \text{ mod } m$

$$a *_m b = (a * b) \text{ mod } m$$

Example

$$Z_5 = \{0, 1, 2, 3, 4\}$$

$$3 +_5 4 = (3 + 4) \text{ mod } 5 = 7 \text{ mod } 5 = 2$$

$$3 +_5 4 = 2$$

$$3 *_5 2 = (3 * 2) \text{ mod } 5 = 6 \text{ mod } 5 = 1$$

$$3 *_5 2 = 1$$

$$(a +_m b) +_m c = a +_m (b +_m c)$$

$$a +_m b = b +_m a$$

$$a *_m b = b *_m a$$

$$a +_m 0 = a$$

$$a *_m 1 = a$$

a and $(m - a)$ are additive inverses of each other

$$\begin{aligned}
& a *_m (b +_m c) \\
&= a *_m b + a *_m c \\
& (a +_m b) *_m c \\
&= a *_m c +_m b *_m c
\end{aligned}$$

4.2

Integer Representations and Algorithms

Let b be an integer and $b > 1$. Any positive integer n can be written uniquely as $n = a_k b^k + a_{k-1} b^{k-1} + \dots + a_1 b + a_0$
base b expansion of n

Example

$$\begin{aligned}
(123)_{10} &= 1 * 10^2 + 2 * 10 + 3 \\
(112)_3 &= 1 * 3^2 + 1 * 3^1 + 2 \\
(1001)_2 &= 1 * 2^3 + 0 * 2^2 + 0 * 2^1 + 1
\end{aligned}$$

base 2: binary

base 8: octal

base 10: decimal

base 16: hexadecimal

Example

Convert $(111)_{10}$ into base 5

Divide 111 by 5

$$111 = 5 * 22 + 1$$

$$22 = 5 * 4 + 2$$

$$4 = 5 * 0 + 4$$

the remainder column gives the digits from bottom (largest) to top

$$(111)_{10} = (421)_5$$

to convert a positive integer base 10 to any base b , use b as the divisor

convert from any base to an base: use base 10 as the middleman

converting powers of two

$$2 \rightarrow 8$$

$$8 \rightarrow 2$$

(read it in the textbook)

4.3

Primes/Greatest Common Divisors

Definition: suppose p is an integer and $p \nmid 1$. p is called a prime number if its only positive factors are 1 and p . A positive integer greater than 1 that is not a prime is called a composite number.

n is composite means $\exists a$ s.t. $a|n$ and $1 < a < n$

first couple of primes: 2,3,5,7,11,13,17,23,...

The Fundamental Theorem of Arithmetic

Every integer greater than 1 can be written uniquely as a prime or a product of two or more primes, where the primes are in a non-decreasing order (prime factorization)

Example

$$36 = 2 * 2 * 3 * 3 = 2^2 * 3^2$$

$$16 = 2 * 2 * 2 * 2 = 2^4$$

$$7 = 7$$

Definition

Suppose a and b are integers, not both 0. The largest integer d s.t. $d|a$ and $d|b$ is the greatest common divisor of a and b. We write $d = \gcd(a, b)$.

Definition

Integers a and b are relatively prime if their gcd is 1

Definition

a_1, a_2, \dots, a_n are pairwise relatively prime if $\gcd(a_i, a_j) = 1$ for $1 \leq i < j \leq n$

For $i \neq j$ $\gcd(a_i, a_j) = 1$

$$\gcd(5, 1) = \gcd(10, 5)$$

Theorem

$$a = p_1^{a_1} p_2^{a_2} \dots p_n^{a_n}$$

$$b = p_1^{b_1} p_2^{b_2} \dots p_n^{b_n}$$

$$\gcd(a, b) = P_1^{\min(a_1, b_1)} * P_2^{\min(a_2, b_2)} * \dots * P_n^{\min(a_n, b_n)}$$

$$a = 2^3 * 3^2 * 5^1$$

$$b = 2^2 * 3^3 * 5^1$$

$$\gcd(360, 540) = 2^{\min(3, 2)} * 3^{\min(2, 3)} * 5^{\min(1, 1)} = 2^2 * 3^2 * 5^1 = 4 * 9 * 5 = 180$$

if only one number has the prime then just ignore it, because it automatically would not be a factor of the other number

Definition

Suppose a and b are integers. The least common multiple is the smallest positive integer divisible by both a and b. We denote it as $\text{lcm}(a, b)$.

Example

$$\text{lcm}(12, 18)$$

$$12, 42, 36, 48, \dots$$

$$18, 36, 54, 72, \dots$$

36 is the lcm

Theorem

$$a = p_1^{a_1} p_2^{a_2} \dots p_n^{a_n}$$

$$b = p_1^{b_1} p_2^{b_2} \dots p_n^{b_n}$$

$$\text{lcm}(a, b) = P_1^{\max(a_1, b_1)} * P_2^{\max(a_2, b_2)} * \dots * P_n^{\max(a_n, b_n)}$$

Example

$$a = 2^2 * 3^2$$

$$b = 2^2 * 3^3$$

$$\text{lcm}(72, 108) = 2^{\max(3,2)} * 3^{\max(2,3)} = 2^3 * 3^3 = 8 * 27 = 216$$

Fact

$$\max(x, y) + \min(x, y) = x + y$$

$$\max(1, 2) + \min(1, 2) = 2 + 1$$

$$\max(1, 1) + \min(1, 1) = 1 + 1$$

Theorem

$$(\gcd(a, b))(\text{lcm}(a, b)) = ab$$

$$a = p_1^{a_1} p_2^{a_2} \dots p_n^{a_n}$$

$$b = p_1^{b_1} p_2^{b_2} \dots p_n^{b_n}$$

$$(\gcd(a, b))(\text{lcm}(a, b)) = \dots = P_1^{\min(a_1, b_1) + \max(a_1, b_1)} + \dots + P_n^{\min(a_n, b_n) + \max(a_n, b_n)} = \dots = ab$$

Euclidean Algorithm

Lemma

$$\text{Suppose } a = b * q + r$$

$$\text{Then } \gcd(a, b) = \gcd(b, r)$$

Example

$$\text{Find } \gcd(120, 62)$$

$$120 = 62 * 1 + 58$$

$$62 = 58 * 1 + 4$$

$$58 = 4 * 14 + 2$$

$$4 = 2 * 2 + 0$$

$$\text{Last divisor is } \gcd(120, 62)$$

$$\gcd(120, 62) = 2$$

Bezout's Theorem

Suppose a and b are positive integers, and $d = \gcd(a, b)$. Then there exists integers s and t s.t $d = sa + tb$.

s and t are called the Bezout coefficients of a and b.

$$\gcd(120, 62) = 2$$

$$2 = 58 - 4 * 14$$

$$4 = 62 - 58 * 1$$

$$2 = 58 - (62 - 58 * 1) * 15$$

$$2 = 15 * 58 - 14 * 62$$

$$58 = 120 - 62 * 1$$