

1.)

(a) If $3p^2 = q^2$, $p, q \in \mathbb{Z}$ Show that $3|p \wedge 3|q$ from our assumption, we can see immediately that $3|q^2$ ($3p^2 \in \mathbb{Z} : 3 \cdot p^2 = q^2$)If $3|q^2 \Rightarrow 3|q$ by the fundamental theorem of Arithmetic (unique prime factorization) we know that this is true. ($3|q \cdot q \Rightarrow 3|q$ since 3 is prime) so $q = 3k$, $k \in \mathbb{Z}$

$$\Rightarrow 3p^2 = q^2 \Rightarrow 3p^2 = (3k)^2 \Leftrightarrow 3p^2 = 9k^2 \Leftrightarrow p^2 = 3k^2$$

 $\Rightarrow 3|p^2$ and by similar reasoning as before, $3|p$ (b) Assume there are positive integers p and q with $3p^2 = q^2$, $q, p \in \mathbb{N}$
use (a) and the well ordering principleAssume (RAA) that these natural numbers p, q exist. $p = 3k$ and $q = 3m$ by (a)

$$\Rightarrow 3(3k)^2 = (3m)^2 = 3 \cdot 9k^2 = 9m^2 \Rightarrow \boxed{3k^2 = m^2} \quad \star$$

$$\Rightarrow 3|m^2 \Rightarrow 3|m \text{ (by previous reasoning 1.a)} \Rightarrow m = 3v, v \in \mathbb{N}$$

$$\Rightarrow \star^\circ: 3k^2 = (3v)^2 \Rightarrow 3k^2 = 9v^2 \Rightarrow k^2 = 3v^2 \Rightarrow 3|k^2 \Rightarrow 3|k$$

 $\Rightarrow k = 3x, x \in \mathbb{N} \Rightarrow$ this process can repeat indefinitely,
by the W.O. Principle there exist a least element in a subset of \mathbb{N} .thus our assumption leads to a contradiction and $\nexists q, p \in \mathbb{N} \text{ s.t. } 3p^2 = q^2$
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2.) find all integer solutions to $15s + 25t = 10$

$$25 = (1)15 + 10$$

$$15 = (0)10 + 5$$

$$10 = (2)5 + 0$$

} \Rightarrow

$$10 = (2)5$$

$$\Rightarrow 10 = 2(15-10) = 2 \cdot (15) - 2(10)$$

$$\Rightarrow 10 = 2 \cdot (15) - 2(25-15)$$

$$\Rightarrow 10 = 4(15) - 2(25)$$

$$s_0 = 4, t_0 = -2$$

$$\Rightarrow s = 4 + 25q$$

$$t = -2 - 15q$$

3.) Solve the congruences

$$(a) \quad 5x + 4 \equiv 7 \pmod{9} \Leftrightarrow 5x - 3 = 9k, k \in \mathbb{Z}$$

$$\Leftrightarrow 9 \mid 5x - 3 \Leftrightarrow 5x - 9k = 3$$

$$9 = (1)5 + 4$$

$$5 = (0)4 + 1$$

$$4 = 4(1) + 0$$

$$\gcd(9, 5) = 1$$

$$1 = 5 - 4(1) \Rightarrow 1 = 5 - 0(9-5)$$

$$\Rightarrow 1 = 2(5) - 9(1)$$

$$\Rightarrow 3 = 3(2(5) - 9(1)) \Rightarrow 3 = 6(5) - 27(1)$$

$$\Rightarrow x_0 = 6, k_0 = 3$$

$$\text{General Solution: } x = 6 + 9p, p \in \mathbb{Z}$$

$$k = 3 + 5p$$

3.)

(b) $7x \equiv 1 \pmod{11} \Leftrightarrow 7x - 1 = 11 \cdot k, k \in \mathbb{Z}$

$$\Rightarrow 7x - 11k = 1$$

$$11 = 7(1) + 4$$

$$7 = 4(1) + 3$$

$$4 = 3(1) + 1$$

$$3 = 3(1) + 0$$

$$1 = 4 - 3(1) \Rightarrow 1 = 4 - (7 - 4(1)) = 2(4) - 7$$

$$1 = 2(11 - 7) - 7 = 2(11) - 3(7)$$

$$x_0 = 3 \quad k_0 = 2$$

$$x = 3 + 11n, n \in \mathbb{Z}$$

$$k = 2 + 7n$$

$$4.) \forall n \in \mathbb{Z}, \exists! k \in \mathbb{Z} \text{ st. } |n-7k| \leq 3$$

by the Euclidean Division Algorithm

$$\forall n \in \mathbb{Z}, \exists! k, r \in \mathbb{Z} \text{ st. } n = 7k + r, \quad \boxed{0 \leq r < 7}$$

We wish to claim that the max of r is 3 and the min is -3
 $r \in \{-3, -2, -1, 0, 1, 2, 3\}$

Cases:

If $r = 0, 1, 2, 3$ then our inequality holds trivially, that is

$n = 7k + [0, 1, 2, 3]$ then we are done

If $r = 4$

$$\begin{aligned} n = 7k + 4 &\Rightarrow n = 7(k+1) - 3 \Rightarrow \boxed{r = -3} \\ n &= 7k + 7 - 3 \\ &= 7k + 4 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{If } r = 5, \quad n = 7k + 5, \quad n &= (7(k+1) - 2) \Rightarrow \boxed{r = -2} \\ &\Rightarrow n = 7k + 7 - 2 \\ n &= 7k + 5 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{If } r = 6, \quad n = 7k + 6, \quad n &= 7(k+1) - 1 \Rightarrow \boxed{r = -1} \\ &= 7k + 7 - 1 \\ &= 7k + 6 \end{aligned}$$

by the Euclidean Division Algorithm, this remainder

is unique as we can take our $7(k+1)$ remainders and continually transpose them over by 1 so our uniqueness will still hold, it would just be shifted over.

5.)

$$6s + 10t + 15u = 1$$

$$q = 6s + 10t$$

$$q = 6s + 15u$$

$$q - 6s = 15u$$

$$10t = 15u$$

$$6 = 10t + 15u$$

$$10t = 15u - 6$$

$$\Rightarrow 15 = 2(6) + 3$$

$$6 = 2(3) + 0$$

$$q = 15 - 2(6)$$

$$\Rightarrow 1 = 5 - 2(2)$$

$$q =$$

$$s_q = 1q$$

$$u_q = -2vq$$

$$10t + 3q = 1$$

$$10 = 3(3) + 1$$

$$3 = 3(1) + 0$$

$$1 = 10 - 3(3)$$

$$t_0 = 1$$

$$3q_0 = 3$$

$$t = 1 + 3k$$

$$q = 3 + 10k, k \in \mathbb{Z}$$

$$s = 1q$$

$$u = -2q$$

6.) $N = 250943$, take the last digit, double it, and subtract from N with $n-1$ digits. ① $2 \cdot 3 = 6$ $25094 - 6 = 25088$

② 25088 , $8 \cdot 2 = 16$, $2508 - 16 = 2492$

③ $2 \cdot 2 = 4$ $249 - 4 = 245$ ④ $5 \cdot 2 = 10$, $24 - 10 = 14$

14 is Divisible by 7 so 250943 is also divisible by 7.

Pf: $N = 10\alpha + \beta \Rightarrow N = 10\alpha + \beta \equiv 3\alpha + \beta \pmod{7}$

$$\Rightarrow N \equiv 3\alpha + \beta \pmod{7} \Rightarrow 3\alpha + \beta - 2\beta = 3\alpha - \beta \equiv 0 \pmod{7}$$