

1. We want to find the integers n that satisfy $3n + 2 \mid 5n^2 + 6n + 4$ and we have

$$3n + 2 \mid 5n^2 + 6n + 4 \implies 3n + 2 \mid 15n^2 + 18n + 12 \implies 3n + 2 \mid (5n + 3) \cdot (3n + 2) - (15n^2 + 18n + 12) \implies 3n + 2 \mid n - 6.$$

To have $3n + 2 \mid n - 6$, we must have $|3n + 2| \leq |n - 6|$ and clearly this inequality is not satisfied unless $-4 \leq n \leq 1$. Now, we plug in all the values of n in this interval to check if the expression $\frac{5n^2 + 6n + 4}{3n + 2}$ is an integer or not and we see that $\{-4, -2, -1, 0, 1\}$ are the values of n that makes it an integer.

2. We first prove that the cube of an integer n is always of the form $9k$ or $9k + 1$ or $9k + 8$. To prove this, we write $n = 3k + r$ for some $r \in \{0, 1, 2\}$ and we prove our claim for each value of r separately.

$$(3k)^3 = 27k^3 = 9 \cdot (3k^3)$$

$$(3k + 1)^3 = 27k^3 + 27k + 9k + 1 = 9 \cdot (3k^3 + 3k^2 + k) + 1$$

$$(3k + 2)^3 = 27k^3 + 54k + 36k + 8 = 9 \cdot (3k^3 + 6k^2 + 4k) + 8.$$

Next, we observe that the sum of three numbers of the form $9k + 1$ or $9k + 8$ can never be of the form $9k$ and therefore at least one of the numbers a^3, b^3 , and c^3 must be of the form $9k$, which means at least one of the numbers a, b , and c must be of the form $3k$, so abc is divisible by 3.

3. First assume that the integers x, y satisfy $\gcd(x, y) = g$ and $xy = s$, then we can write $x = g \cdot k, y = g \cdot l$ and we have $s = xy = g^2 \cdot (kl)$ is divisible by g^2 .

Next, assume we have $g^2 \mid s$. Then $s = g^2 \cdot k$ for some k and the integers $x = g, y = g \cdot k$ will satisfy $\gcd(x, y) = g, xy = s$ as desired.

4.

$$1378 = 1 \cdot 1259 + 119$$

$$1259 = 10 \cdot 119 + 69$$

$$119 = 1 \cdot 69 + 50$$

$$69 = 1 \cdot 50 + 19$$

$$50 = 2 \cdot 19 + 12$$

$$19 = 1 \cdot 12 + 7$$

$$12 = 1 \cdot 7 + 5$$

$$7 = 1 \cdot 5 + 2$$

$$5 = 2 \cdot 2 + 1$$

$$2 = 2 \cdot 1 + 0.$$

So, we have $\gcd(1378, 1259) = 1$ and we have

$$\begin{aligned} 1 &= 5 - 2 \cdot 2 \\ &= 5 - 2 \cdot (7 - 1 \cdot 5) = -2 \cdot 7 + 3 \cdot 5 \\ &= -2 \cdot 7 + 3 \cdot (12 - 1 \cdot 7) = 3 \cdot 12 - 5 \cdot 7 \\ &= 3 \cdot 12 - 5 \cdot (19 - 1 \cdot 12) = -5 \cdot 19 + 8 \cdot 12 \\ &= -5 \cdot 19 + 8 \cdot (50 - 2 \cdot 19) = 8 \cdot 50 - 21 \cdot 19 \\ &= 8 \cdot 50 - 21 \cdot (69 - 1 \cdot 50) = -21 \cdot 69 + 29 \cdot 50 \\ &= -21 \cdot 69 + 29 \cdot (119 - 1 \cdot 69) = 29 \cdot 119 - 50 \cdot 69 \\ &= 29 \cdot 119 - 50 \cdot (1259 - 10 \cdot 119) = -50 \cdot 1259 + 529 \cdot 119 \\ &= -50 \cdot 1259 + 529 \cdot (1378 - 1 \cdot 1259) = 529 \cdot 1378 - 579 \cdot 1259. \end{aligned}$$

5.

$$\begin{aligned} \gcd(2n - 1, 9n + 4) &= \gcd(2n - 1, 9n + 4 - 4 \cdot (2n - 1)) \\ &= \gcd(2n - 1, n + 8) \\ &= \gcd(2n - 1 - 2 \cdot (n + 8), n + 8) \\ &= \gcd(-17, n + 8) \end{aligned}$$

can be only 1 or 17 and indeed both of these values are possible: $\gcd(2n - 1, 9n + 4) = 1$ when $n = 1$ and $\gcd(2n - 1, 9n + 4) = 17$ when $n = 9$.

6.

$$\begin{aligned}
 \gcd(2^{19} + 1, 2^{96} + 1) &= \gcd(2^{19} + 1, 2^{96} + 1 - 2^{77} \cdot (2^{19} + 1)) \\
 &= \gcd(2^{19} + 1, 1 - 2^{77}) \\
 &= \gcd(2^{19} + 1, 1 - 2^{77} + 2^{58} \cdot (2^{19} + 1)) \\
 &= \gcd(2^{19} + 1, 2^{58} + 1) \\
 &= \gcd(2^{19} + 1, 2^{58} + 1 - 2^{39} \cdot (2^{19} + 1)) \\
 &= \gcd(2^{19} + 1, 1 - 2^{39}) \\
 &= \gcd(2^{19} + 1, 1 - 2^{39} + 2^{20} \cdot (2^{19} + 1)) \\
 &= \gcd(2^{19} + 1, 2^{20} + 1) \\
 &= \gcd(2^{19} + 1, 2^{20} + 1 - 2 \cdot (2^{19} + 1)) \\
 &= \gcd(2^{19} + 1, -1) \\
 &= 1.
 \end{aligned}$$

7.

$$\begin{aligned}
 \gcd(n! + 1, (n + 1)! + 1) &= \gcd(n! + 1, (n + 1)! + 1 - (n + 1) \cdot (n! + 1)) \\
 &= \gcd(n! + 1, -n) \\
 &= \gcd(n! + 1 - (n - 1)! \cdot n, -n) \\
 &= \gcd(1, -n) \\
 &= 1.
 \end{aligned}$$