

NUMBER THEORY -3

Property of Modulo:

$\gcd(a,b) = \gcd(a,b-a)$ if $b > a$

proof:

$\gcd(a,b) = g$

$a/g = a_1$, $b/g = a_2$, where a_1, a_2 are coprime.

$g|a$, $g|b \rightarrow g$ divides a and g divides b

$g|a$,

$g|b-a$ ($a_2 - a_1$ is an integer, so $(b-a)/g$ is also integer)

so, g is a factor of $\gcd(a,b-a)$.

$a/g = a_1$,

$(b-a)/g = b_1 - a_1$.

are a_1 and $b_1 - a_1$ coprime?

let they have a divisor d , d is not 1.

$d|a_1$, $d|b_1 - a_1 \rightarrow d|b_1 - a_1 + a_1 \rightarrow d|b_1$

$d|a_1$, $d|b_1$

so d has to be 1, as a_1 and a_2 are coprime. but we assumed d is not 1. So contradiction.

$\gcd(a,b) = \gcd(a,|b-a|) = \gcd(a,a+b)^{*}$**

Segmented Sieve

u are given range from $[l, r]$

u have to find prime numbers in this range

but $r \leq 1e12$ and $r-l+1 \leq 1e5$

any composite number n can be marked not prime by any prime number less than \sqrt{n}

find all prime numbers till \sqrt{r}

$((l+i-1)/i)*i$ number just greater than l and divisible by i

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vector<int> segment(int l,int r){

    // sqrt(r)<=1e6
    // we can use sieve to store all prime numbers till
here
    int lim=sqrt(r)+1;
    vector<bool> isPrime(lim+1,true);
    isPrime[1]=false;
    for(int i=2;i*i<=lim;i++){
        for(int j=i*i;j<=lim;j+=i){
            isPrime[j]=false;
        }
    }

    vector<int> primes; // all prime numbers til sqrt(r)
    for(int i=1;i<=lim;i++) if(isPrime[i])
primes.push_back(i);

    // [l,r]
    // [1e11-1e11+1e5]      r-l+1<=1e5

    // l---> 1
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// 1+1 ---> 2          1+i--> i+1
// 1+2 ---> 3
// 1+3---> 4
// ...

vector<bool> nPrime(r-l+2,true);

for(int i:primes){
    // using this mark all not prime numbers which
are multiple
    // of i in range [l,r]

    // for(int j=i*i;j<=N;j+=i)    odd

    // 2  --> 4 6 8 10 12
    // [1e9,1e9+1e5]
    // we have to start internal loop from multiple
of i which is
    // just greater than l

    int start=max(i*i,((l+i-1)/i)*i);
    // ((l+i-1)/i)*i    number just greater than l
and divisible
    // by i

    for(int j=start;j<=r;j+=i){
        nPrime[j-l+1]=false;
    }
}

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// tc:
//
// i--> inner loop (r-l+1)/i

// total tc :
(r-l+1)/2+(r-l+1)/5+(r-l+1)/7+....
// (r-l+1) (1/2+1/5+1/7+....)
// O((r-l+1)loglog(r))

vector<int> ans;

for(int i=1;i<=r-l+1;i++){
    if(nPrime[i]){
        int num=l+i-1;
        ans.push_back(num);
    }
}

return ans; // all prime numbers in range [l,r]
}

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Congruence Modulo :

Notation:

$$a \equiv b \pmod{c}$$

read as: "a is congruent to b modulo c"

meaning: a-b is divisible by c.

Note: " $a \equiv b \pmod{c}$ " implies "c divides (a-b)"
and "c divides (a-b)" implies " $a \equiv b \pmod{c}$ ".

properties:

a-b divisible by c

$$A+D \quad B+D$$

$$A*D-B*D$$

$$(a^d - b^d) = (a-b) (\text{something})$$

$$1. \text{ if } a \equiv b \pmod{c}, \text{ then } a \pm d \equiv b \pm d \pmod{c}$$

$$2. \text{ if } a \equiv b \pmod{c}, \text{ then } a * d \equiv b * d \pmod{c}$$

$$3. \text{ if } a \equiv b \pmod{c}, \text{ then } a^d \equiv b^d \pmod{c}$$

$$4. \text{ if } a \equiv b \pmod{c}, \text{ then } a/d \equiv b/d \pmod{c/\gcd(c,d)}$$

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obviously a and b must be divisible by d

if $\gcd(c,d)=1$

$$a/d \equiv b/d \pmod{c}$$

Fermat's Little Theorem :

general form for any a and prime p

$$a^p \equiv a \pmod{p} \quad p \text{ must be prime}$$

if $a \not\equiv 0 \pmod{p}$ p is prime and a is not
divisible by p

$a^{(p-1)} \equiv 1 \pmod{p}$ if a is not divisible by
 p
and p is prime

Calculate it

$$a^b \pmod{p} \quad P \rightarrow \text{prime}$$

$$3^{100000} \pmod{53}$$

$53 \rightarrow$ prime 3 not divisible by 53
using flt

$$3^{52} \equiv 1 \pmod{53}$$

$$3^{((52*x)+rem)} == 3^{(52*x)} * (3^{rem})$$

$$3^{100000} \pmod{53} = (3^{(52*q)}) * 3^4 \pmod{53}$$

$$= 1 \cdot 3^4 \bmod 53$$

$a^b \bmod p$ $p \rightarrow$ prime a not divisible by p
 $a^{(b \bmod (p-1))} \bmod p$

Inverse using flt

$$(a \cdot b) \bmod m = (a \bmod m \cdot b \bmod m) \bmod m$$

$$(a/b) \bmod m = (a \bmod m * a^{-1} \bmod m) \bmod m$$

$$ab = 1 \bmod m$$

then b is inverse of a

inverse exist only $\gcd(a, m) = 1$

$$a^{p-1} = 1 \bmod p$$

inverse exists here

$$a^{p-1} * a^{-1} = a^{-1} \bmod p$$

$a^{p-2} = a^{-1} \bmod p$ when p is prime and a is not divisible by p

$$\text{biexm}(a, p-2) = a^{-1} \bmod p$$

Euler Totient Function (Phi Function):

phi (n) :- no of integers in $[1, n]$ which are coprime to n ; $\phi(1)=1$

Properties of Phi

1 . $\phi(p) = p-1$ p is prime

2. $\phi(p^k) = p^k - p^{k-1}$

$\phi(3^2) = 1 + 2 + 3 + 4 + 5 + 6 + 7 + 8 + 9$

$\phi(3^2) = 6$

$\phi(p^k) = p^k - (p^k)/p = p^k - p^{k-1}$

3. $\phi(a \cdot b) = \phi(a) \cdot \phi(b)$ if and only if $\gcd(a, b) = 1$ a and b coprime

$N = p_1^{a_1} \cdot p_2^{a_2} \cdot p_3^{a_3} \cdot \dots \cdot p_m^{a_m}$ $p_i \rightarrow$ prime

$p_1^{a_1} p_2^{a_2} \dots$ these are pairwise co primes

$\phi(N) = \phi(p_1^{a_1}) \cdot \phi(p_2^{a_2}) \dots$

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$(p_1^{a_1} - p_1^{a_1-1}) \cdot (p_2^{a_2} - p_2^{a_2-1}) \cdot \dots \cdot (p_m^{a_m} - p_m^{a_m-1})$
 $p_1^{a_1}(1-1/p_1) \cdot p_2^{a_2}(1-1/p_2) \cdot \dots \cdot p_m^{a_m}(1-1/p_m)$

$\phi(N) = N(1-1/p_1)(1-1/p_2) \dots (1-1/p_m)$ $N \geq 2$

$\phi(1) = 1$

4 . $\phi(d_1) + \phi(d_2) + \phi(d_3) + \dots + \phi(d_k) = N$

$d_i \rightarrow$ divisor of N

method 1

for single query

```
int CalcPhi(int n){
    if(n==1) return 1;
    int phi=n;
    for(int i=2;i*i<=n;i++){
        if(n%i==0){
            // i prime factor of n
            phi=phi-phi/i;

            while(n%i==0) n/=i;
        }
    }

    // 28    1 2 3 4 5
    // 7
    if(n>1) {
        phi=phi-phi/n;
    }

    return phi;
}
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tc: \sqrt{n}

Using precomputation

```
#include<bits/stdc++.h>
using namespace std;

#define int long long
const int N=1e6;
int phi[N+1];
int32_t main(){

    for(int i=1;i<=N;i++) phi[i]=i;

    for(int i=2;i<=N;i++){
        if(phi[i]==i){ // i is prime
            for(int j=i;j<=N;j+=i){
                phi[j]=phi[j]-phi[j]/i;
            }
        }
    }
    // n/2+n/3+n/5+n/7
    // tc : O(nloglogn)

    // 7 --> 7
    // phi[7]=phi[7]-phi[7]/7
    // = 7-7/7=6

    // 28 2 7
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for(int i=1;i<=20;i++) cout<<phi[i]<<" ";
cout<<endl;

return 0;
}

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// when q queries are given
 find phi(x) $x \leq 1e6$
 $q \rightarrow 1e6$

i prime i 2^i 3^i 4^i 5^i

<https://www.spoj.com/problems/ETF/>

Application of ETF to find modular inverse when m is not prime

Find $a^{-1} \bmod m$

1. if a and m are not coprime inverse do not exist
2. if a and m are coprime then by euler theorem

Euler Theorem

$a^{\phi(m)} \equiv 1 \pmod{m}$ if a and m are coprime.

Note that if m is prime, this becomes Fermat's

Little Theorem! 🤖

inverse exist hence

$$a^{\phi(m)-1} \equiv a^{-1} \pmod{m}$$

using $\phi(m)$ we can calculate $a^{-1} \pmod{m}$

$$a^{-1} \pmod{m} = \text{binexm}(a, \phi(m) - 1, \text{mod})$$

for flt

$$a^{-1} \pmod{m} = \text{binexm}(a, m - 2, \text{mod})$$

Lengendre's Formula:

Find the power of a prime number p , in the prime factorization of $n!$.

10! find the powers of 2 in 10!

$$5 + 2 + 1 = 8$$

$$Mp(n!) = \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} \text{floor}(n/p^i)$$

implement by urself

Goldman Conjecture:

any even number greater than 2 can be expressed as a sum of 2 primes.

$$4=2+2$$

$$6=3+3$$

$$14 = 11 + 3$$

Prime Gap:

[Wikipedia link for prime Gap](#)

The difference between consecutive prime numbers is at most 300 for $N \leq 1e9$

<https://codeforces.com/problemset/problem/584/D>

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$$n \quad n-1 \quad n-2 \quad n-3 \quad n-4 \quad \dots \quad n-300$$

n → odd n-prime → even

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prime >= n - 300
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prime

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n-prime <=300
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x=n-prime <=300  x-> even
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use brute force for x to represent it as sum of two
primes
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Linear Congruence Equation:

$ax \equiv b \pmod{c} \dots a, b, c$ given and find atleast 1 x satisfying this.

case 1:

if c is prime,

$a^{-1} \bmod c = \text{binpow}(a, c-2, c)$

$$x \equiv a^{-1} b \pmod{c}$$

case 2:

c is not prime.

$$ax \equiv b \pmod{c}$$

$$ax - b = cy$$

$ax + cy = b$ if we find x and y satisfying this, then we have found a solution.

$$\gcd(a, c) = g.$$

$$ax \equiv b \pmod{c}$$

$$(a/g) \cdot x \equiv (b/g) \pmod{c/g} \dots \text{assuming } b \text{ is div by } g.$$

$$Ax \equiv B \pmod{C}.$$

now, modular inverse of A and C exist... so we can it.

$AX + CY = 1$, if we find numbers X, Y satisfying this, we can solve it.

if $\gcd(a, b) = g$,

then we can find numbers x and y such that

$ax + by = g \rightarrow$ we will learn an algo for that,

theorem: bezout's theorem.. it guarantees that x and y will always exist.

Extended euclidean algorithm:

$\gcd(32, 20) = 4 \rightarrow$ normal euclidean algo, only gives \gcd .

Now we want the \gcd expressed as a $ax+by$

$$\gcd(a, b) = \gcd(b, a \% b)$$

$$\text{suppose } g = x_1 \cdot b + y_1 \cdot (a \% b)$$

$$a = bq + r.$$

$$b = r \cdot q_1 + r_1$$

$$a \cdot y_1 + b \cdot (x_1 - \text{floor}(a/b) \cdot y_1) = g$$

$$\text{floor}(a/b) = q$$

$$32 = 20 \cdot 1 + 12$$

$$\gcd(20, 12) = 4$$

$$4 = 12 \cdot 2 - 20 \cdot 1$$

$$32 = 20 \cdot 1 + (4 + 20) / 2$$

$$4 = 32 \cdot 2 - 20 \cdot 3$$

Chinese Remainder Theorem:

$$x \equiv a_1 \pmod{p_1}$$

$$\equiv a_2 \pmod{p_2}$$

$$\equiv a_3 \pmod{p_3}$$

...

$p_1, p_2, p_3, \dots, p_n$ are pairwise coprime.

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

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

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

$$x = 3 \cdot 4 \cdot x_1 + 3 \cdot 5 \cdot x_2 + 4 \cdot 5 \cdot x_3$$

$$20x_3 \equiv 2 \pmod{3}$$

$$15x_2 \equiv 3 \pmod{4}$$

$$12x_1 \equiv 1 \pmod{5}$$

these are 3 linear congruence equations.

$$\text{modinv}(20, 3), \text{modinv}(15, 4), \text{modinv}(12, 5)$$

<https://codeforces.com/problemset/problem/919/E>

$$n \cdot a^n \equiv b \pmod{p},$$

we check for i from 0 to $p-2$

$$a^i \equiv x \pmod{p} \text{---eqn(i)}$$

$$k \cdot a^i \equiv k \cdot x \pmod{p} \dots$$

let us try to find k , such that this corresponds to a solution, ...

$$k \cdot x \equiv b \pmod{p}$$

$$\text{so, } k \equiv b \cdot x^{-1} \pmod{p} \text{--- eqn (ii)}$$

$$a^k \text{ if divided by } p,$$

$$k = b \cdot (p-1) + k \% (p-1)$$

$$a^k \equiv (a^{(p-1)})^b * a^{k \% (p-1)} \pmod{p}$$

now using FLT, $(a^{(p-1)}) \equiv 1 \pmod{p}$, so raising both sides to power b,

$$(a^{(p-1)})^b \equiv 1 \pmod{p}$$

$$\text{so, } a^k \equiv a^{k \% (p-1)} \pmod{p}$$

So, comparing with eqn(i),

$$k \% (p-1) = i.$$

Conclusion: if $a^i \equiv x \pmod{p}$ these and we find k such that,

1. $k \equiv b.x^{-1} \pmod{p}$... where x is the rem when a^i is divided by p.

$$2. \quad k \equiv i \pmod{p-1}$$

$$\text{then } k.a^k \equiv b \pmod{p}.$$

$$k.a^k \equiv k.x \pmod{p} \equiv b \pmod{p}$$

$$[\text{as } k = (p-1)*q+i \rightarrow i = k+(-q)*(p-1)]$$

Now this is same as solving 2 congruence equations.
So use CRT!.

let $k \equiv M \pmod{p}$.. writing $b.x^{-1}$ as M

$$\text{and } k \equiv i \pmod{p-1}.$$

we know,

$$(p-1).(p-1) \equiv 1 \pmod{p}.$$

so $\text{modinv}(p-1, p)$ is $p-1$.

and $\text{modinv}(p, p-1)$ is 1 (as $p.1 \equiv 1 \pmod{p-1}$)

so, using CRT

$$k = M.(p-1).\text{modinv}(p-1, p) + i.p.\text{modinv}(p, p-1)$$

$$= M.(p-1)*(p-1) + i.p$$

now,

general value of k =

$M \cdot (p-1) \cdot (p-1) + i \cdot p + Q \cdot (p \cdot (p-1))$, ... where Q is an integer, ... So we have to find how many such Q are there so that k lies in the range $1 \leq k \leq x$ (x is given in question).

let $y = 2 + q \cdot 3$... find number of y less than 23
 $23 \% 3 \rightarrow 2$
 so, 2, 5, 8, 11, 14, 17, 20, 23

```
#include <bits/stdc++.h>
using namespace std;
typedef long long ll;
typedef long double ld;
#define fastio \
    ios_base::sync_with_stdio(false); \
    cin.tie(NULL); \
    cout.tie(NULL)
#define max3(a, b, c) max(max(a, b), c)
#define max4(a, b, c, d) max(max(a, b), max(c, d))
#define fr(i, n) for (ll i = 0; i < n; i++)
ll gcd(ll a, ll b)
{
    return b == 0 ? a : gcd(b, a % b);
}
long long binpow(long long a, long long b, long long m)
{
    a %= m;
    long long res = 1;
    while (b > 0)
    {
        if (b & 1)
            res = res * a % m;
        a = a * a % m;
        b >>= 1;
    }
    return res;
}
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}
ll modinv(ll a, ll p)
{
    return binpow(a, p - 2, p);
}
int main()
{
    fastio;
    ll a, b, p, x;
    cin >> a >> b >> p >> x;
    ll res = 0;
    for (ll i = 0; i < p - 1; i++)
    {
        ll modd = p * (p - 1);
        ll z = binpow(a, i, p);
        ll M = (b * modinv(z, p)) % p;
        ll k = ((p * i) % modd) + ((p - 1) * (p - 1)) % modd * M) %
modd) % modd;
        ll complete_cycles = x / modd;
        res += complete_cycles;
        ll remain = x % modd;
        if (remain >= k)
            res++;
    }
    cout << res << "\n";
}

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