

ITC tutorial 9

$$Q1) 11^{999} \pmod{23}$$

$$(999)_{10} = (1111100111)_2$$

$$1 \ 1 \ 1 \ 1 \ 1 \ 0 \ 0 \ 1 \ 1 \ 1$$

$$11 \ 20 \ 7 \ 10 \ 19 \ 16 \ 3 \ 7 \ 10 \ 19$$

$$11^2 \pmod{23} = 121 \pmod{23} = 6$$

$$6 \times 11 \pmod{23} = 66 \pmod{23} = 20$$

$$20^2 \pmod{23} = 400 \pmod{23} = 9$$

$$9 \times 11 \pmod{23} = 99 \pmod{23} = 7$$

$$7^2 \pmod{23} = 49 \pmod{23} = 3$$

$$3 \times 11 \pmod{23} = 33 \pmod{23} = 10$$

$$10^2 \pmod{23} = 100 \pmod{23} = 8$$

$$8 \times 11 \pmod{23} = 88 \pmod{23} = 19$$

$$19^2 \pmod{23} = 361 \pmod{23} = 16$$

$$16^2 \pmod{23} = 256 \pmod{23} = 3$$

$$3^2 \pmod{23} = 9 \pmod{23} = 9$$

$$9^2 \pmod{23}$$

$$9 \times 11 \pmod{23} = 99 \pmod{23} = 7$$

$$\therefore (11)^{999} \pmod{23} = 1911$$

Q2) Find value of  $x$  using Chinese remainder theorem :  
 1)  $x = 3 \pmod{5}$     2)  $x = 1 \pmod{7}$   
 3)  $x = 6 \pmod{8}$

Ans) Here,  $a_1 = 3$ ,  $a_2 = 1$ ,  $a_3 = 6$ ,  $m_1 = 5$ ,  $m_2 = 7$ ,  $m_3 = 8$

$$M = m_1 \times m_2 \times m_3 = 5 \times 7 \times 8 = 280$$

$$M_1 = \frac{M}{m_1} = \frac{280}{5} = 56, \quad M_2 = \frac{M}{m_2} = \frac{280}{7} = 40$$

$$M_3 = \frac{M}{m_3} = \frac{280}{8} = 35$$

$$M_1 x_1 = 1 \pmod{5}$$

$$(56 \times 1) \% 5 = 1 \quad (56 \times 2) \% 5 = 2 \quad (56 \times 3) \% 5 = 3$$

$$\boxed{x_1 = 1}$$

$$M_2 x_2 = 1 \pmod{7}$$

$$(40 \times 1) \% 7 = 5$$

$$(40 \times 2) \% 7 = 3$$

$$(40 \times 3) \% 7 = 1$$

$$\boxed{x_2 = 3}$$

$$M_3 x_3 = 1 \pmod{8}$$

$$(35 \times 1) \% 8 = 3$$

$$(35 \times 2) \% 8 = 6$$

$$(35 \times 3) \% 8 = 1$$

$$\boxed{x_3 = 3}$$

$$x = (M_1 x_1 a_1 + M_2 x_2 a_2 + M_3 x_3 a_3)$$

$$= (56 \times 1 \times 3 + 40 \times 3 \times 1 + 35 \times 3 \times 6)$$

$$\pmod{280}$$

$$= (168 + 120 + 630) \% 280$$

$$= 918 \% 280$$

$$\boxed{x = 78}$$



Q3) Find  $x$  such that  $7x \equiv 3 \pmod{10}$

Ans) To find multiplicative inverse of  $7 \pmod{10}$

$$= 7^{Q(10)-1} = 7^{4-1} = 7^3 = 343 \\ = 3 \pmod{10}$$

$$7x \equiv 3 \pmod{10} \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

In equation (1), multiply both sides by 3

$$21x \equiv 9 \pmod{10}$$

$$\text{Now, } 21 \pmod{10} \equiv 1, \quad 9 \pmod{10} \equiv 9 \quad \text{so,} \\ x \equiv 9 \pmod{10}$$

$$\therefore \underline{x = 9}$$

$$\text{To verify, } 7 \times 9 = 63 \equiv 3 \pmod{10}$$

Q4) How many smaller positive integers are there than 969 and are relative prime with 969.

$$\text{Ans) } \phi(n) = \phi(969)$$

$$969 = 3 \times 17 \times 19$$

$$\phi(969) = \phi(3 \times 17 \times 19)$$

$$= \phi(3) \times \phi(17) \times \phi(19)$$

$$= 3-1 \times 17-1 \times 19-1$$

$$\because \phi(p) = p-1 \text{ if } p \text{ is prime}$$

$$= 2 \times 16 \times 18$$

$$\phi(969) = 576$$

$\therefore$  576 positive integers smaller than 969 are relative prime with 969.