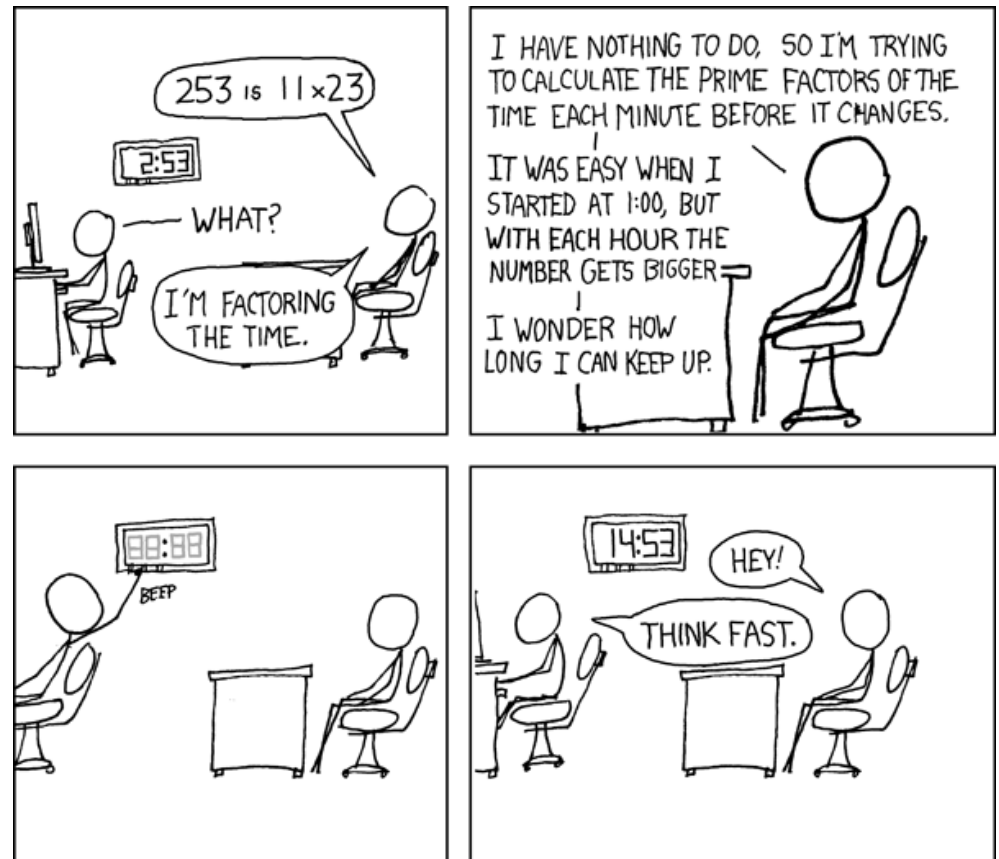


cse 311: foundations of computing

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Lecture 12: Primes, GCD, applications



$$\begin{aligned} a &\equiv b \pmod{m} \\ c &\equiv d \pmod{m} \\ \Rightarrow ac &\equiv bd \pmod{m} \end{aligned}$$

review: example

Let n be an integer.

Prove that $n^2 \equiv 0 \pmod{4}$ or $n^2 \equiv 1 \pmod{4}$

Case 1 (n is even):

Suppose $n \equiv 0 \pmod{2}$.

Then, $n = 2k$ for some integer k .

So, $n^2 = (2k)^2 = 4k^2$.

So, by definition of congruence, $n^2 \equiv 0 \pmod{4}$.

$$\begin{aligned} n \equiv 0 & \pmod{4} \Rightarrow n^2 \equiv 0^2 \pmod{4} \\ n \equiv 1 & \pmod{4} \Rightarrow n^2 \equiv 1^2 \pmod{4} \\ n \equiv 2 & \pmod{4} \Rightarrow n^2 \equiv 2^2 \equiv 0 \pmod{4} \\ n \equiv 3 & \pmod{4} \Rightarrow n^2 \equiv 9 \equiv 1 \pmod{4} \end{aligned}$$

Case 2 (n is odd):

Suppose $n \equiv 1 \pmod{2}$.

Then, $n = 2k + 1$ for some integer k .

So, $n^2 = (2k + 1)^2 = 4k^2 + 4k + 1 = 4(k^2 + k) + 1$.

So, by definition of congruence, $n^2 \equiv 1 \pmod{4}$.

n-bit unsigned integer representation

- Represent integer x as sum of powers of 2:

If $x = \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} b_i 2^i$ where each $b_i \in \{0,1\}$

then representation is $b_{n-1} \cdots b_2 b_1 b_0$

$$99 = 64 + 32 + 2 + 1$$

$$18 = 16 + 2$$

$$\begin{array}{l} 01100011 = 99 \\ 0010010 = 18 \end{array}$$

- For $n = 8$:

99: 0110 0011

18: 0001 0010

sign-magnitude integer representation

n-bit signed integers

Suppose $-2^{n-1} < x < 2^{n-1}$

First bit as the sign, n-1 bits for the value

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$$-18: \quad 1001 \ 0010$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 01100011 \\ 10010010 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$11110101$$

$$-117 \neq 99 + (-18)$$

Any problems with this representation?

two's complement representation

n-bit signed integers, first bit will still be the sign bit

Suppose $0 \leq x < 2^{n-1}$,

x is represented by the binary representation of x

Suppose $0 \leq x \leq 2^{n-1}$,

$-x$ is represented by the binary representation of $2^n - x$

$$\begin{aligned} -1 &\equiv m-1 \pmod{m} \\ a &\equiv a+m \pmod{m} \end{aligned}$$

Key property: Two's complement representation of any number y is equivalent to $y \pmod{2^n}$ so arithmetic works mod 2^n

$n=8$

$$99 = 64 + 32 + 2 + 1$$

$$18 = 16 + 2$$

For $n = 8$:

$$99: \quad 0110\ 0011$$

$$-18: \quad 1110\ 1110$$

-18

$$256 - 18 = 238$$

$$= 128 + 64 + 32 + 8 + 4 + 2$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 111\ 0111\ 0 \\ 011\ 0001\ 1 \\ \hline 01010001 = 81 \end{array}$$

$$-x \equiv 2^n - x \pmod{2^n}$$

sign-magnitude vs. two's complement

-7	-6	-5	-4	-3	-2	-1	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
1111	1110	1101	1100	1011	1010	1001	0000	0001	0010	0011	0100	0101	0110	0111

Sign-Magnitude

-8	-7	-6	-5	-4	-3	-2	-1	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
1000	1001	1010	1011	1100	1101	1110	1111	0000	0001	0010	0011	0100	0101	0110	0111

Two's complement

Theorem: A positive integer n is divisible by 3 if and only if the sum of its decimal digits is divisible by 3.

$$372 \quad 3+7+2=12$$

$$372 = 3 \cdot 124$$

$$n = d_k d_{k-1} \dots d_0$$

$$3 | n \Leftrightarrow 3 | d_k + d_{k-1} + \dots + d_0$$

$$n = d_k 10^k + d_{k-1} 10^{k-1} + \dots + d_0 \cdot 1$$

$$\equiv d_k (1)^k + d_{k-1} (1)^{k-1} + \dots + d_0 \cdot 1 \pmod{3}$$

$$\equiv d_k + d_{k-1} + \dots + d_0 \pmod{3}$$

$$n \pmod{3} = d_k + \dots + d_0 \pmod{3}.$$

$$10 \equiv 1 \pmod{3}$$

$$10^2 \equiv 1^2 \pmod{3}$$

$$10^k \equiv 1^k \pmod{3}$$

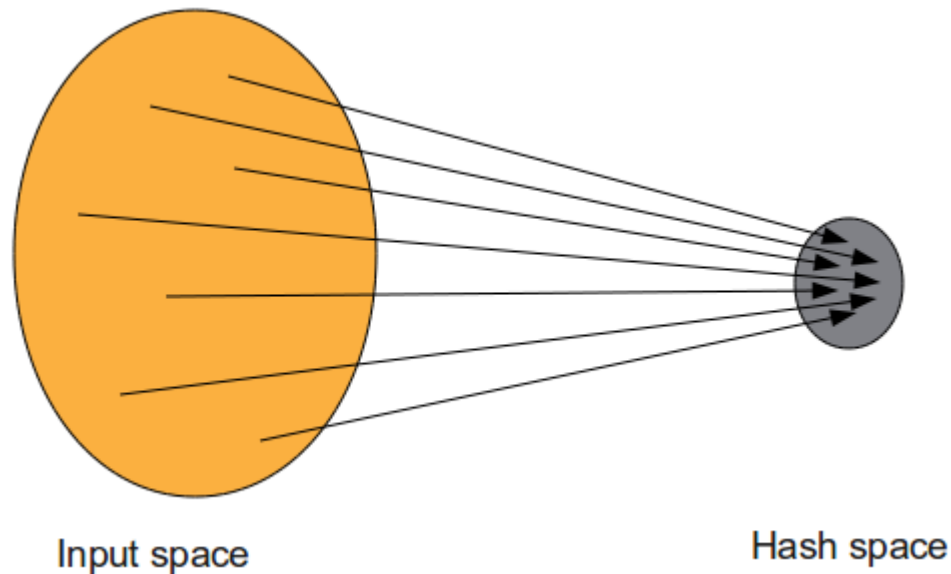
$$d_k \cdot 10^k \equiv d_k \cdot 1^k$$

basic applications of mod

- Hashing
- Pseudo random number generation
- Simple cipher

Scenario:

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- $\text{hash}(x) = x \bmod p$ for p a prime close to n
 - or $\text{hash}(x) = (ax + b) \bmod p$

- Depends on all of the bits of the data
 - helps avoid collisions due to similar values
 - need to manage them if they occur

$$x = 2^{46}$$

$$a[2^{46} \bmod p] = x$$

$$2^{46} \equiv 2^{46} + p \bmod p$$

pseudo-random number generation

Linear Congruential method: x_0

$$x_{n+1} = (a x_n + c) \bmod m$$

Choose random x_0, a, c, m and produce a long sequence of x_n 's

Adv : fast

Dis : ~~is~~ No too random.

[good for some applications, really bad for many others]

modular exponentiation mod 7

x	1	2	3	4	5	6
1						
2						
3						
4						
5						
6						

a	a^1	a^2	a^3	a^4	a^5	a^6
1						
2						
3						
4						
5						
6						

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1	1	2	3	4	5	6
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3	3	6	2	5	1	4
4	4	1	5	2	6	3
5	5	3	1	6	4	2
6	6	5	4	3	2	1

a	a^1	a^2	a^3	a^4	a^5	a^6
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5	5	3	1	6	4	2
6	6	5	4	3	2	1

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1	1	1	1	1	1	1
2	2	4	1	2	4	1
3	3	2	6	4	5	1
4	4	2	1	4	2	1
5	5	4	6	2	3	1
6	6	1	6	1	6	1

- Compute 78365^{81453}

178 729 000 000 000

- Compute $78365^{81453} \bmod 104729$

- Output is small
 - need to keep intermediate results small

$((a \cdot a \bmod m) \cdot a \bmod m) \cdot a \bmod m$
81453 times.

repeated squaring – small and fast

Since $a \bmod m \equiv a \pmod{m}$ for any a

we have $a^2 \bmod m = (a \bmod m)^2 \bmod m$

and $a^4 \bmod m = (a^2 \bmod m)^2 \bmod m$

and $a^8 \bmod m = (a^4 \bmod m)^2 \bmod m$

and $a^{16} \bmod m = (a^8 \bmod m)^2 \bmod m$

and $a^{32} \bmod m = (a^{16} \bmod m)^2 \bmod m$

Can compute $a^k \bmod m$ for $k = 2^i$ in only i steps

fast exponentiaion

```
public static long FastModExp(long base, long exponent, long modulus) {
    long result = 1;
    base = base % modulus;

    while (exponent > 0) {
        if ((exponent % 2) == 1) {
            result = (result * base) % modulus;
            exponent -= 1;
        }
        /* Note that exponent is definitely divisible by 2 here. */
        exponent /= 2;
        base = (base * base) % modulus;
        /* The last iteration of the loop will always be exponent = 1 */
        /* so, result will always be correct. */
    }
    return result;
}
```

$$b^e \bmod m = (b^2)^{e/2} \bmod m, \text{ when } e \text{ is even}$$

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

Let $M = 104729$

program trace

$$78365^{81453} \bmod M$$

$$= ((78365 \bmod M) * (78365^{81452} \bmod M)) \bmod M$$

$$= (78365 * ((78365^2 \bmod M)^{81452/2} \bmod M)) \bmod M$$

$$= (78365 * ((78852)^{40726} \bmod M)) \bmod M$$

$$= (78365 * ((78852^2 \bmod M)^{20363} \bmod M)) \bmod M$$

$$= (78365 * (86632^{20363} \bmod M)) \bmod M$$

$$= (78365 * ((86632 \bmod M) * (86632^{20362} \bmod M)) \bmod M$$

$$= \dots$$

$$= 45235$$

fast exponentiation algorithm

Another way:

$$81453 = 2^{16} + 2^{13} + 2^{12} + 2^{11} + 2^{10} + 2^9 + 2^5 + 2^3 + 2^2 + 2^0$$

$$a^{81453} = a^{2^{16}} \cdot a^{2^{13}} \cdot a^{2^{12}} \cdot a^{2^{11}} \cdot a^{2^{10}} \cdot a^{2^9} \cdot a^{2^5} \cdot a^{2^3} \cdot a^{2^2} \cdot a^{2^0}$$

$$a^{81453} \bmod m =$$

$$\begin{aligned} & (\dots((((a^{2^{16}} \bmod m \cdot \\ & \quad a^{2^{13}} \bmod m) \bmod m \cdot \\ & \quad a^{2^{12}} \bmod m) \bmod m \cdot \\ & \quad a^{2^{11}} \bmod m) \bmod m \cdot \\ & \quad a^{2^{10}} \bmod m) \bmod m \cdot \\ & \quad a^{2^9} \bmod m) \bmod m \cdot \\ & \quad a^{2^5} \bmod m) \bmod m \cdot \\ & \quad a^{2^3} \bmod m) \bmod m \cdot \\ & \quad a^{2^2} \bmod m) \bmod m \cdot \\ & \quad a^{2^0} \bmod m) \bmod m \end{aligned}$$

The fast exponentiation algorithm computes $a^n \bmod m$ using $O(\log n)$ multiplications $\bmod m$

An integer p greater than 1 is called *prime* if the only positive factors of p are 1 and p .

A positive integer that is greater than 1 and is not prime is called *composite*.

fundamental theorem of arithmetic

Every positive integer greater than 1 has a unique prime factorization

$$48 = 2 \cdot 2 \cdot 2 \cdot 2 \cdot 3$$

$$591 = 3 \cdot 197$$

$$45,523 = 45,523$$

$$321,950 = 2 \cdot 5 \cdot 5 \cdot 47 \cdot 137$$

$$1,234,567,890 = 2 \cdot 3 \cdot 3 \cdot 5 \cdot 3,607 \cdot 3,803$$

If n is composite, it has a factor of size at most \sqrt{n} .

There are an infinite number of primes.

Proof by contradiction:

Suppose that there are only a finite number of primes:

p_1, p_2, \dots, p_n

famous algorithmic problems

- **Primality Testing**
 - Given an integer n , determine if n is prime
- **Factoring**
 - Given an integer n , determine the prime factorization of n

Factor the following 232 digit number [RSA768]:

1230186684530117755130494958384962720772
8535695953347921973224521517264005072636
5751874520219978646938995647494277406384
5925192557326303453731548268507917026122
1429134616704292143116022212404792747377
94080665351419597459856902143413



123018668453011775513049495838496272077285356959533479
219732245215172640050726365751874520219978646938995647
494277406384592519255732630345373154826850791702612214
291346167042921431160222124047927473779408066535141959
7459856902143413

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334780716989568987860441698482126908177047949837
13768568912431388982883793878 17
43087737814467999489

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3674604366679959042824463379 643
4308764267603228381573966651 968
10270092798736308917



GCD(a , b):

Largest integer d such that $d \mid a$ and $d \mid b$

– GCD(100, 125) =

– GCD(17, 49) =

– GCD(11, 66) =

– GCD(13, 0) =

– GCD(180, 252) =

$$a = 2^3 \cdot 3 \cdot 5^2 \cdot 7 \cdot 11 = 46,200$$

$$b = 2 \cdot 3^2 \cdot 5^3 \cdot 7 \cdot 13 = 204,750$$

$$\text{GCD}(a, b) = 2^{\min(3,1)} \cdot 3^{\min(1,2)} \cdot 5^{\min(2,3)} \cdot 7^{\min(1,1)} \cdot 11^{\min(1,0)} \cdot 13^{\min(0,1)}$$



Factoring is expensive!

Can we compute $\text{GCD}(a,b)$ without factoring?

If a and b are positive integers, then

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

Proof:

By definition $a = (a \operatorname{div} b) \cdot b + (a \bmod b)$

If $d \mid a$ and $d \mid b$ then $d \mid (a \bmod b)$.

If $d \mid b$ and $d \mid (a \bmod b)$ then $d \mid a$.

euclid's algorithm

Repeatedly use the GCD fact to reduce numbers
until you get $\text{GCD}(x, 0) = x$.

$\text{GCD}(660, 126)$

$\text{GCD}(x, y) = \text{GCD}(y, x \bmod y)$

```
int GCD(int a, int b){ /* a >= b, b > 0 */
    int tmp;
    while (b > 0) {
        tmp = a % b;
        a = b;
        b = tmp;
    }
    return a;
}
```

Example: GCD(660, 126)