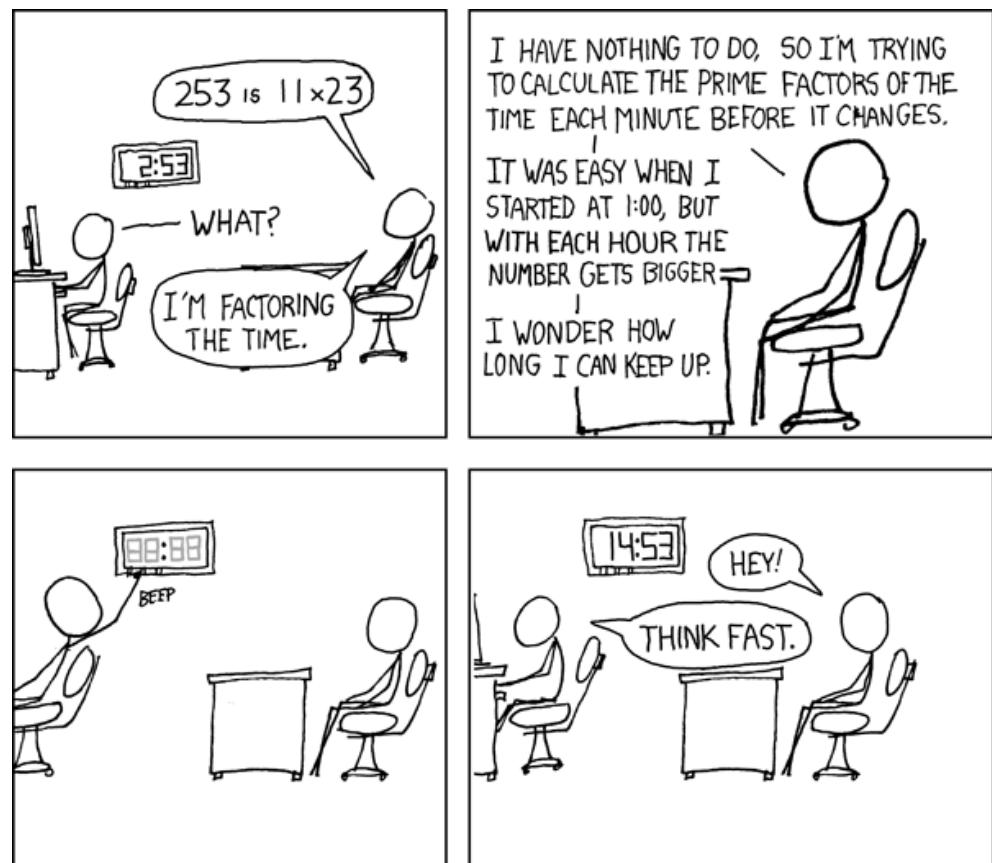


cse 311: foundations of computing

Fall 2015

Lecture 12: Primes, GCD, applications



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 .

$$\text{So, } n^2 = (2k)^2 = 4k^2.$$

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

Case 2 (n is odd):

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

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

$$\text{So, } n^2 = (2k + 1)^2 = 4k^2 + 4k + 1 = 4(k^2 + k) + 1.$$

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 $b_{n-1} \dots b_2 b_1 b_0$

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

$$18 = 16 + 2$$

- 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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$$18 = 16 + 2$$

For n = 8:

99: 0110 0011

-18: 1001 0010

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 $2^n - x$

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

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$$18 = 16 + 2$$

For $n = 8$:

99: 0110 0011

-18: 1110 1110

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

two's complement representation

- For $0 < x \leq 2^{n-1}$, $-x$ is represented by the binary representation of $2^n - x$
- To compute this: Flip the bits of x then add 1:
 - All 1's string is $2^n - 1$, so
Flip the bits of $x \equiv$ replace x by $2^n - 1 - x$

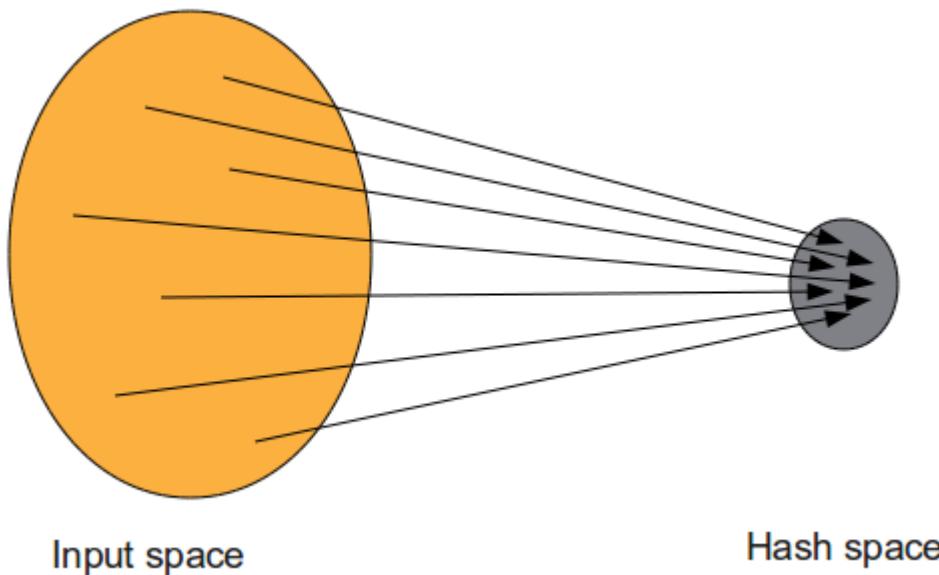
Theorem: A positive integer n is divisible by 3 if and only if the sum of its decimal digits is divisible by 3.

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

pseudo-random number generation

Linear Congruential method:

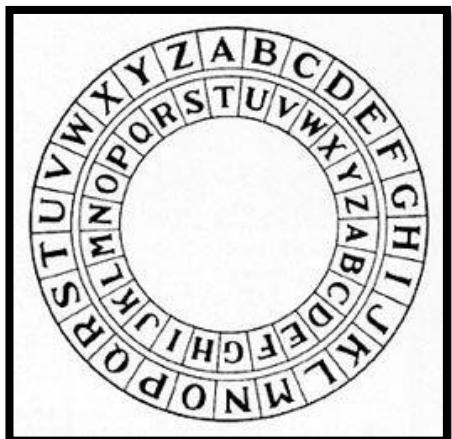
$$x_{n+1} = (a x_n + c) \bmod m$$

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

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

simple ciphers

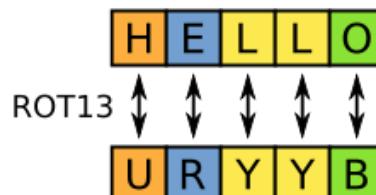
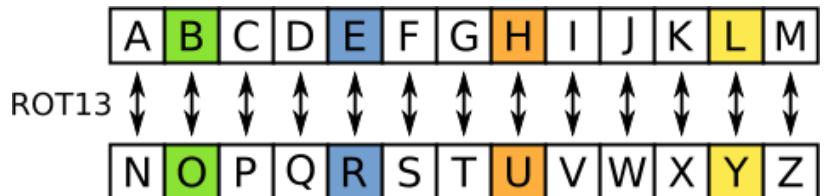
- **Caesar cipher**, $A = 1, B = 2, \dots$
 - HELLO WORLD
 - **Shift cipher**
 - $f(p) = (p + k) \bmod 26$
 - $f^{-1}(p) = (p - k) \bmod 26$
 - **More general**
 - $f(p) = (ap + b) \bmod 26$



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modular exponentiation mod 7

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

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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

exponentiation

- Compute 78365^{81453}
- Compute $78365^{81453} \bmod 104729$
- Output is small
 - need to keep intermediate results small

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

$$\begin{aligned} & 78365^{81453} \bmod M \\ &= ((78365 \bmod M) * (78365^{81452} \bmod M)) \bmod M \\ &= (78365 * ((78365^2 \bmod M)^{81452/2} \bmod M)) \bmod M \\ &= (78365 * ((78852)^{40726} \bmod M)) \bmod M \\ &= (78365 * ((78852^2 \bmod M)^{20363} \bmod M)) \bmod M \\ &= (78365 * (86632^{20363} \bmod M)) \bmod M \\ &= (78365 * ((86632 \bmod M) * (86632^{20362} \bmod M))) \bmod M \\ &= \dots \\ &= 45235 \end{aligned}$$

fast exponentiation algorithm

Another way:

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

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

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

$$(\dots(((a^{2^{16}} \bmod m \cdot$$

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$$a^{2^0} \bmod m) \bmod m$$

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:

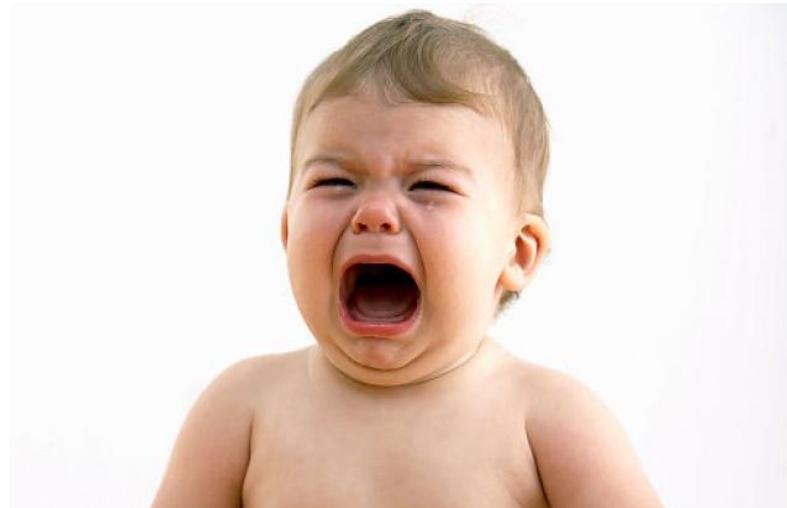
p_1, p_2, \dots, p_n

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
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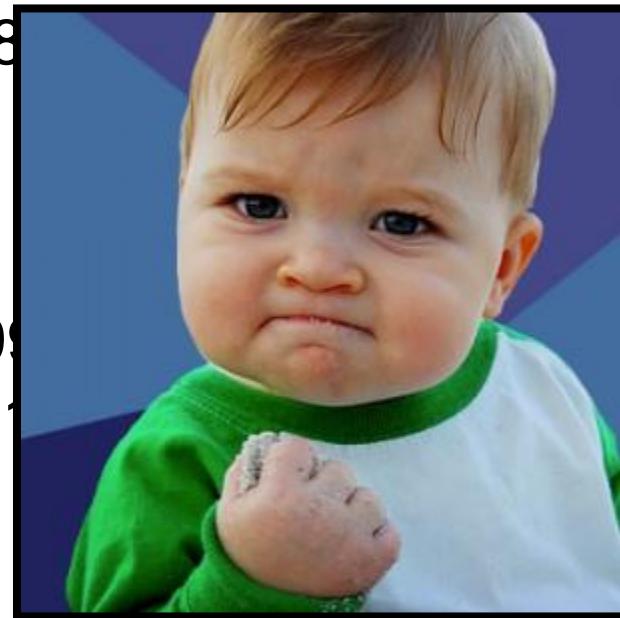
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greatest common divisor

GCD(a, b):

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

- $\text{GCD}(100, 125) =$
- $\text{GCD}(17, 49) =$
- $\text{GCD}(11, 66) =$
- $\text{GCD}(13, 0) =$
- $\text{GCD}(180, 252) =$

gcd and factoring

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

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

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



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 $a = (a \text{ div } b) \cdot b + (a \bmod b)$

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 $\text{GCD}(x, 0) = x$.

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

euclid's algorithm

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

```
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)