

CSE 311 Section 5

Number Theory & Induction



Announcements & Reminders

- HW4 due yesterday @ 11:00PM on Gradescope
 - Use late days if you need to!
 - Make sure you tagged pages on gradescope correctly
- HW5
 - Releases tonight
 - Due Wednesday 5/7 @11:00 PM

Extended Euclid



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So, $1 = 3 \cdot 33 + -14 \cdot 7$. Thus, $33 - 14 = 19$ is the multiplicative inverse of $7 \bmod 33$

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Try this problem with the people around you, and then we'll go over it together!

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If we have $7z \equiv 2 \pmod{33}$, multiplying both sides by 19, we get:

$$z \equiv 2 \cdot 19 \pmod{33} \equiv 5 \pmod{33}.$$

This means that the set of solutions is $\{5 + 33k \mid k \in \mathbb{Z}\}$

Introducing Induction (kind of)



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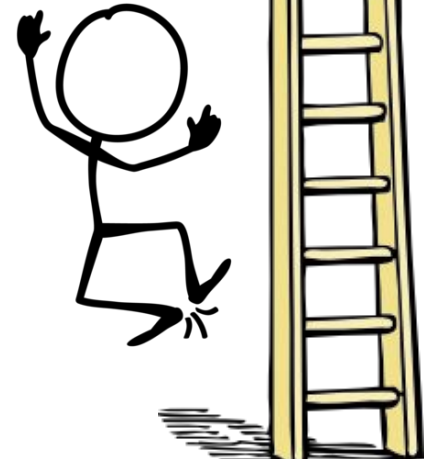
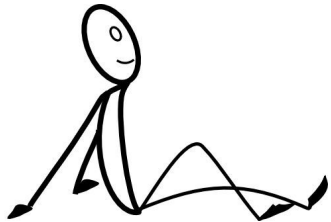
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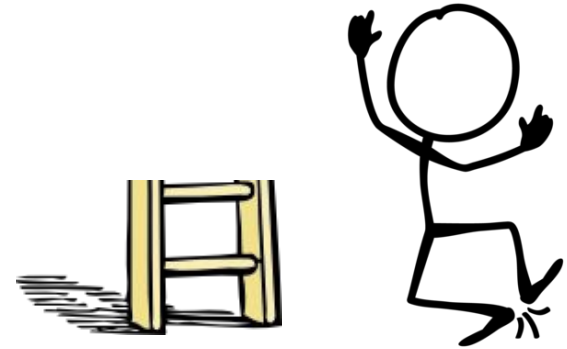
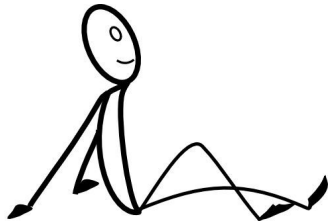


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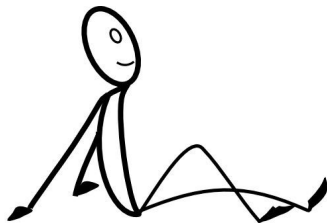


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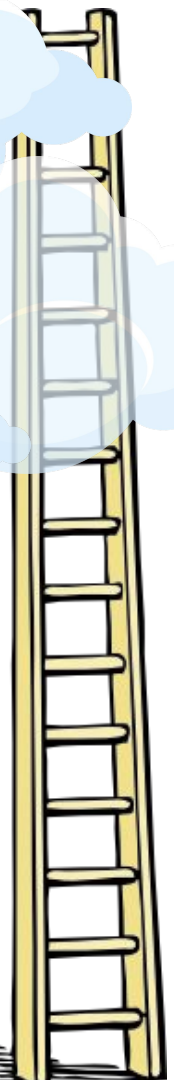
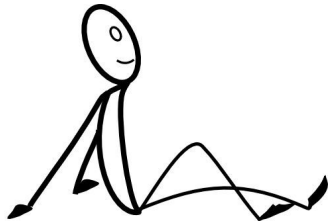
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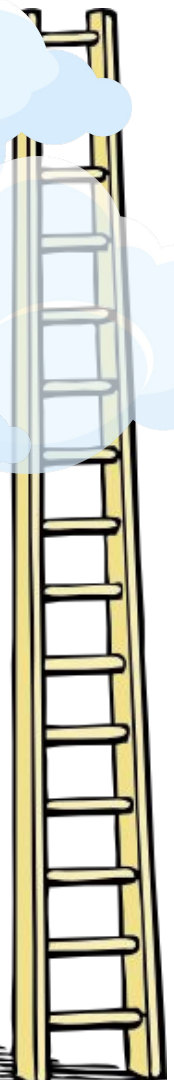
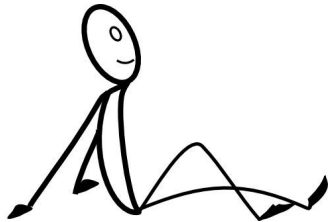
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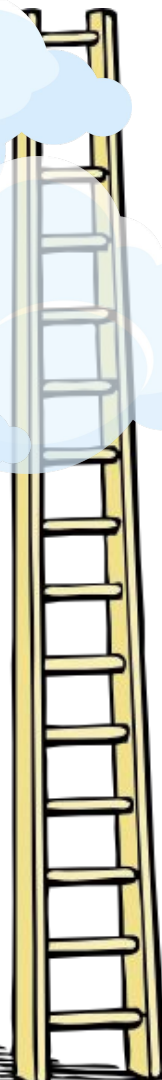
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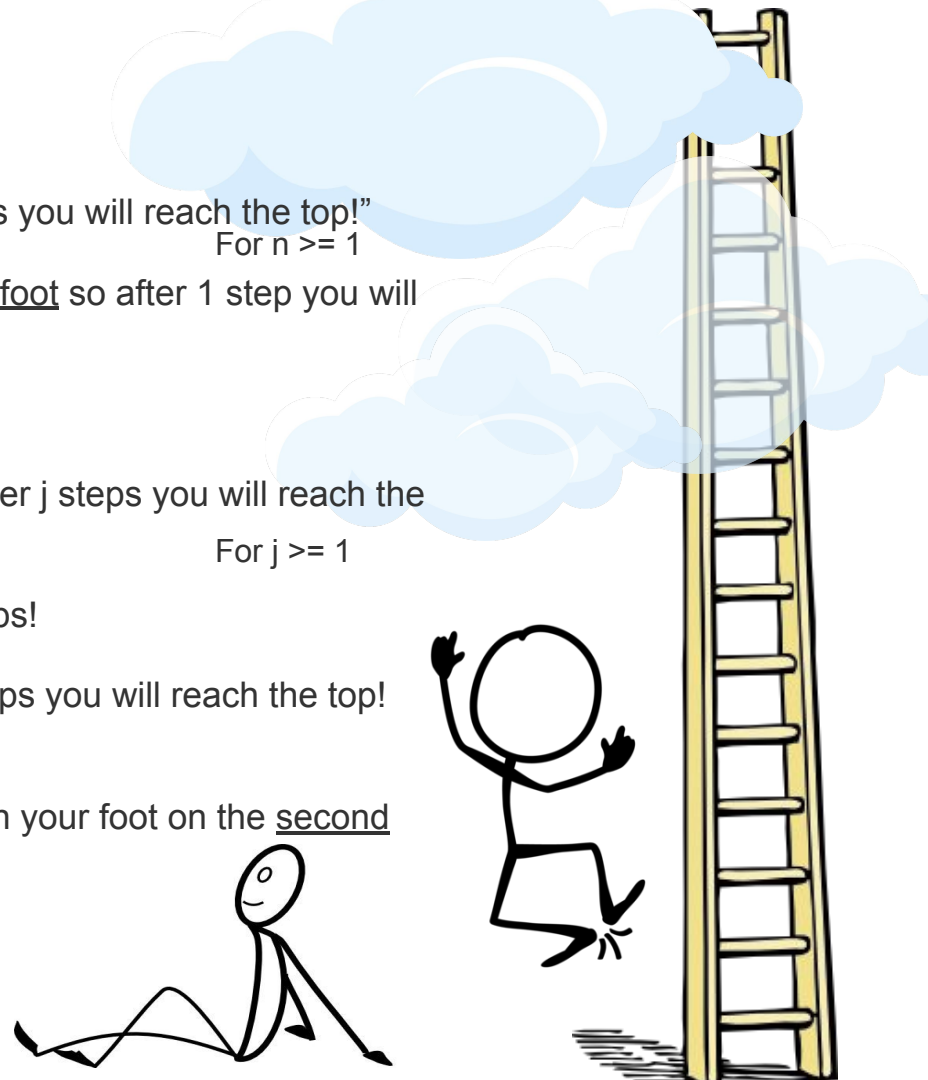
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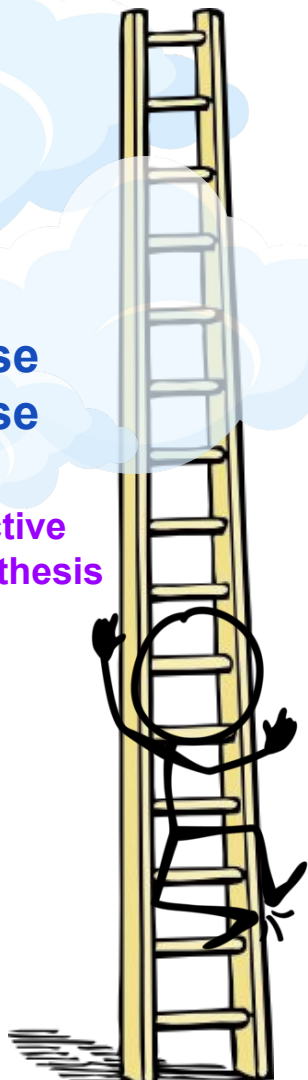
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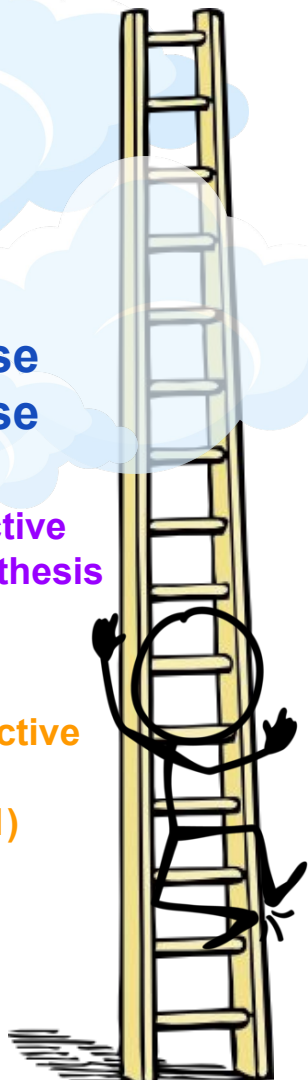
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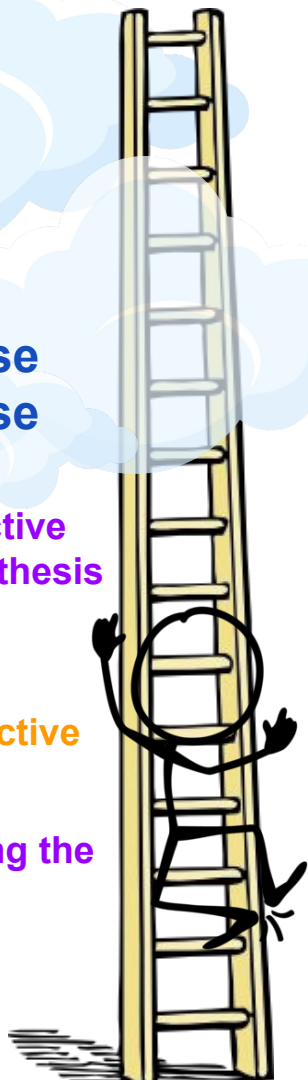
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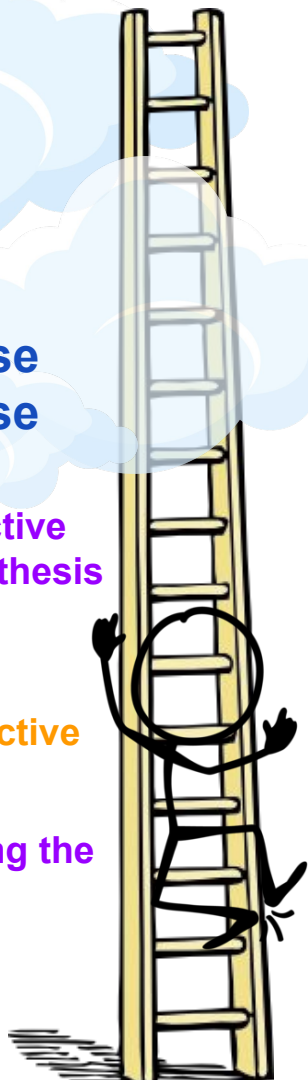
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Induction: How it actually works



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And go down in equivalences

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Inductive Step: Goal: Show $6(k+1) + 6 < 2^{k+1}$

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