

Prime number

Gcd: greatest \mathbb{Z}_+ (common divider)

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Def 1: $a, b, c \in \mathbb{Z}$ $a \in \mathbb{Z}_+$. If $a = b \cdot c$ then a is composite

Ex: $18 = 3 \cdot 6$, so 18 is composite
 $17 = ??$ No, 17 is prime

If a is not composite, then a is a prime number
 $b \geq 2, c \geq 2$

$a \in \mathbb{Z}_+$ is prime iff the only divisors in \mathbb{Z} are $a, -a, 1, -1$ and $a \neq 1$
1 is not a prime number because it has been decided.

Some primes: 2, 3, 5, 7, 11, 13, 17, 19, 23, ...

Theorem 1: Every positive integer can be factorized into primes in a unique way

is prime? is prime?
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 $36 = 6 \cdot 6 = 3 \cdot 2 \cdot 3 \cdot 2$

$36 = 2 \cdot 18 = 2 \cdot 2 \cdot 9 = 2 \cdot 2 \cdot 3 \cdot 3$ the set of numbers here is unique to each integer

Theorem 2: If $n = p_1 \cdot p_2 \cdot \dots \cdot p_k$ then some $p_i \leq \sqrt{n}$
Primes $k \geq 2$

Theorem 3: There are infinitely many primes

Proof by contradiction: assume false

q_i all primes

All primes: p_1, p_2, \dots, p_n

Consider: $p_1 \cdot p_2 \cdot \dots \cdot p_n + 1 = q_1 \cdot q_2 \cdot \dots \cdot q_k$

$q_i = p_i$ for some i

$$1 = q_1 \cdot \dots - p_1 \cdot p_2 \cdot \dots \cdot p_n$$

$$= p_i \cdot (\dots - p_1 \cdot p_2 \cdot \dots \cdot p_n)$$

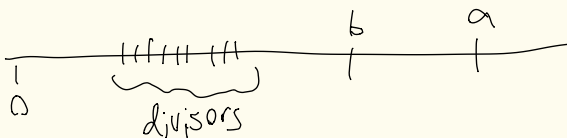
same integer

1 can only be written as $-1 \cdot -1$ or $1 \cdot 1$
Since primes are not negative and 1 is not prime we have a contradiction

Def 2: d is common divisor of a, b if $d | a$ and $d | b$

If $a > 0, b > 0$
 d is then the greatest common divisor
if d is greater than all the others
we write $d = \text{gcd}(a, b)$

Greatest common divisor



Def: $lcm = \text{least common multiple}$

$lcm(a,b) = \text{The smallest number which is a multiple of } a \text{ and } b$

Given a and b , find $gcd(a,b)$ and $lcm(a,b)$

Ex: if $a = 2 \cdot 3^2 \cdot 5 \cdot 11^2$
and $b = 2^2 \cdot 5 \cdot 7 \cdot 11$

The divisors of a and b are $2^1, 5^1, 11^2$

$gcd(a,b) = 2 \cdot 5 \cdot 11$ you only take of power 1 here because for its the value of one of them

$lcm(a,b) = 2^2 \cdot 3^2 \cdot 5 \cdot 7 \cdot 11^2$

$$\boxed{gcd(a,b) \cdot lcm(a,b) = a \cdot b}$$

If you have 2 numbers a, b . Write them as primes

$$a = p_1^{a_1} \cdot p_2^{a_2} \cdot \dots \cdot p_n^{a_n}$$

$$b = p_1^{b_1} \cdot p_2^{b_2} \cdot \dots \cdot p_n^{b_n}$$

you can have the same primes in a and b because it can just be 1 power, so it's called the empty product $1 = p_1^0 \cdot p_2^0 \cdot \dots \cdot p_n^0$

$$gcd(a,b) = p_1^{\min(a_1, b_1)} \cdot p_2^{\min(a_2, b_2)} \cdot \dots \cdot p_n^{\min(a_n, b_n)}$$

$$lcm(a,b) = p_1^{\max(a_1, b_1)} \cdot p_2^{\max(a_2, b_2)} \cdot \dots \cdot p_n^{\max(a_n, b_n)}$$

This means $gcd(a,b) \cdot lcm(a,b) = p_1^{a_1 + b_1} \cdot \dots \cdot p_n^{a_n + b_n}$

Euclidean algorithm

Given $a, b \in \mathbb{Z}$ $a \geq b$ Find $gcd(a,b)$
division algorithm

Euclid:

$$a = b \cdot q_1 + r_1 \quad (\text{focus on the remainders}) \quad b > r_2 > r_3 > \dots$$

replace r_0, r_1 with r_1, r_2

$$b = r_2 \cdot q_2 + r_3$$

$$r_2 = r_3 \cdot q_3 + r_4$$

\vdots continue

$$r_{n-1} = r_n \cdot q_n + 0$$

you write 0 because the remainders become smaller, and we're dealing with positive integers.

$$\begin{aligned} r_{n-3} &= r_{n-2} \cdot q_{n-2} + r_{n-1} \\ r_{n-2} &= r_{n-1} \cdot q_{n-1} + r_n \end{aligned} \quad gcd(a,b)$$

Why is r_n the gcd ?

Why is it r_n a common divisor?

Let us consider any divisor of a, b , say k

We will prove that $k | r_n$ and that $k | a, b$

we know k is a divisor of a, b , then it also is of $a - b$, also k_2 . But we can then move b and k_2 over, so it also divides that and then also k_3 . we can continue so it means it divides all r

Bezout's identity

$\alpha a + \beta b$ is a linear combination if $\alpha, \beta \in \mathbb{R}$
 — " — an integer — " — $\alpha, \beta \in \mathbb{Z}$

Says $d = r_n$ is an integer combination of a, b .

$d = \alpha a + \beta b$ where $\alpha, \beta \in \mathbb{Z}$ α, β are called Bezout coefficients

Looking at $r_{n-2} = r_{n-1} \cdot q_{n-1} + r_n$, we know is an integer combination of r_{n-1}, r_{n-2}

and of r_{n-2}, r_{n-3}

and of r_{n-3}, r_{n-4}

\vdots

and of $r_1, r_0 = b, a$

Now we'll work from the bottom and go up

$$\begin{aligned} 2 &= 166 - 8 \cdot 22 = 166 - (248 - 166) \cdot 2 = (2) \cdot 248 + 166 \cdot (-3) \\ &= (2) \cdot 248 + (414 - 248) \cdot (-3) = \\ &= 414 \cdot (-3) + 248 \cdot (6) = 414 \cdot (-3) + (662 - 414) \cdot (6) \\ &= (-5) \cdot 662 + 414 \cdot 8 \end{aligned}$$

you go 2 steps up and minus it

Example

Find $\gcd(662, 414)$

$$662 = 414 \cdot 1 + 248$$

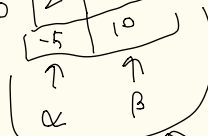
$$414 = 248 \cdot 1 + 166$$

$$248 = 166 \cdot 1 + 82$$

$$166 = 82 \cdot 2 + 2 \leftarrow \gcd$$

$$82 = 2 \cdot 41 + 0$$

j	r_0	r_1	q_{j+1}	r_2	s_j	t_j
0	662	414	1	248	1	0
1	414	248	1	166	0	1
2	248	166	1	82	1	-1
3	166	82	2	2	-1	2
4	82	2	41	0	2	-3



Calculate the Bezout coefficient

$$s_j = s_{j-2} - q_{j-1} \cdot s_{j-1}$$

$$t_j = t_{j-2} - q_{j-1} \cdot t_{j-1}$$

Theorem

$a|b \cdot c \Rightarrow a|c$ it is true if $\gcd(a, b) = 1$

Everything is \mathbb{Z}

$$b \cdot c = q \cdot a$$

$\gcd(a, b) = 1$ means $1 = \alpha a + \beta b$ multiply by c an integer. Now c is a times something, so $a|c$
 $(= \alpha a c + \beta b c = \alpha a c + \beta q a = a(\dots))$ that is $a|c$ q.e.d.

Theorem

Suppose you have: $a \cdot b \equiv a \cdot c \pmod{m} \Rightarrow b \equiv c \pmod{m}$

True if $\gcd(a, m) = 1$

Proof

$m|ac - ab = a(c-b)$ if $\gcd(a, m) = 1$, they are relatively prime, so a divides the other

so we know $m|c-b$ this means $c \equiv b \pmod{m}$

If m is prime and $a \neq 0$, then $\gcd(a, m) = 1$ is true

OPGAVR

- Section 4.3: 3, 11, 15, 17, 31, 33, 41, 43, 49, 51, 55
- Prove that for any integer $n > 1$ and non-negative integer k , the integer $n-1$ divides $n^k - 1$.

11)

$$2^k = 3 \Leftrightarrow x \cdot \ln(2) = \ln(3) \Leftrightarrow x = \frac{\ln(3)}{\ln(2)}$$

$\ln(2), \ln(3) \notin \mathbb{Z}, \mathbb{S}^2$

17)

a) yes. $\gcd(11, 15) = 1, \gcd(11, 17) = 1, \gcd(15, 17) = 1$

b) No. $\gcd(14, 21) = 7$

c) yes.

d) yes. $\gcd(8, 9) = 1$. Rest are prime

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Show that if a and $b \in \mathbb{Z}_+$, then $ab = \gcd(a, b) \cdot \text{lcm}(a, b)$

$$\text{lcm}(a, b) \cdot \gcd(a, b) = p_1^{\min(\alpha_1, \beta_1) + \max(\alpha_1, \beta_1)} \dots p_n^{\alpha_n + \beta_n} = p_1^{\alpha_n + \beta_n}$$

$$\gcd(a, b) = p_1^{\min(\alpha_1, \beta_1)} \cdot p_2^{\min(\alpha_2, \beta_2)} \dots p_n^{\min(\alpha_n, \beta_n)}$$

$$\text{lcm}(a, b) = p_1^{\max(\alpha_1, \beta_1)} \cdot p_2^{\max(\alpha_2, \beta_2)} \dots p_n^{\max(\alpha_n, \beta_n)}$$

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Use the euclidean algorithm to find

a) $\gcd(12, 18) = 6$

c) $\gcd(1001, 1331) \Leftrightarrow 1331 = 1001 \cdot 1 + 330$
 $1001 = 330 \cdot 3 + 11 \in \gcd$
 $330 = 11 \cdot 30 + 0$

b) $\gcd(111, 201) \Leftrightarrow 201 = 111 \cdot 1 + 90$
 $111 = 90 \cdot 1 + 21$
 $90 = 21 \cdot 4 + 6$
 $21 = 6 \cdot 3 + 3 \in \gcd$
 $6 = 3 \cdot 2 + 0$

d) $\gcd(12345, 54321) \Leftrightarrow 54321 = 12345 \cdot 4 + 9941$
 $12345 = 9941 \cdot 2 + 2463$

$9941 = 2463 \cdot 2 + 15$
 $2463 = 15 \cdot 164 + 3 \in \gcd$
 $15 = 3 \cdot 5 + 0$

e) $\gcd(1000, 5040) \Leftrightarrow 5040 = 1000 \cdot 5 + 100$
 $1000 = 100 \cdot 10 + 0 \in \gcd$

f) $\gcd(9988, 6060) \Leftrightarrow 9988 = 6060 \cdot 1 + 3928$
 $6060 = 3928 \cdot 1 + 2232$
 $3928 = 2232 \cdot 1 + 1596$
 $2232 = 1596 \cdot 1 + 636$
 $1596 = 636 \cdot 2 + 324$
 $636 = 324 \cdot 1 + 312$
 $324 = 312 \cdot 1 + 12 \in \gcd$
 $312 = 12 \cdot 26 + 0$

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use the extended euclidean algorithm to express $\gcd(144, 89)$ as a linear comb. of 144 and 89

$$\gcd(144, 89) \Leftrightarrow 144 = 89 \cdot 1 + 55$$

$$89 = 55 \cdot 1 + 34$$

$$55 = 34 \cdot 1 + 21$$

$$34 = 21 \cdot 1 + 13$$

$$21 = 13 \cdot 1 + 8$$

$$13 = 8 \cdot 1 + 5$$

$$8 = 5 \cdot 1 + 3$$

$$5 = 3 \cdot 1 + 2$$

$$3 = 2 \cdot 1 + 1$$

$$2 = 1 \cdot 2 + 0$$

$$-89 \cdot 144 + 144 \cdot 89$$

j	r_j	r_{j+1}	q_{j+1}	r_{j+2}	s_j	t_j
0	144	89	1	55	1	0
1	89	55	1	34	0	1
2	55	34	1	21	1	-1
3	34	21	1	13	-1	2
4	21	13	1	8	2	-3
5	13	8	1	5	-3	5
6	8	5	1	3	5	-8
7	5	3	1	2	-8	13
8	3	2	1	1	13	-21
9	2	1	2	0	-21	34
10					34	-55

$$(144 \cdot 34 + (-55 \cdot 89))$$

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Prove that the product of any three consecutive integers is divisible by 6

$$a, b, c \in \mathbb{Z}$$

$$a < b < c$$

$$abc \equiv 0 \pmod{6}$$

because every 2nd number is divisible by 2
and every 3rd is by 3, we can factorize

$$a \cdot b \cdot c = 2 \cdot 3 \cdot (\dots) = 6 \cdot (\dots)$$

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Prove or disprove that $n^2 - 79n + 1601$ is a
Prime whenever n is a positive integer

$1601^2 - 79 \cdot 1601 + 1601$ is not a prime

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