

Recap from Number Theory - part 3 - Ext Euclid

1) (th) a, n integers

a, n share no common factors

IV-order $a^v = 1 \pmod n \iff \gcd(a, n) = 1$
coprimes

$$a^{v+1} = a^v \cdot a \equiv a \pmod n$$

proof: \implies easy $a^{v-1} = a^{-1}$ inverse

$$a^v = 1 \pmod n \implies \gcd(a, n) = 1$$

assume (hypoth) $d = \gcd(a, n) \neq 1 \implies d|a, d|n$

$$a^v = 1 \pmod n \implies a^v = nk + 1 \implies a^v - nk = 1$$

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} d|a \implies d|a^v \\ d|n \implies d|n \cdot k \end{array} \right\} \implies d| \underline{a^v - nk} \implies d|1$$

contradict

proof: $d = \gcd(a, n) = 1 \Rightarrow \exists v \ a^v = 1 \pmod n$.

$P(a) = \{a, a^2, a^3, a^4, \dots\} \pmod n$ set of powers

- group

$P(a)$ cannot be infinite ($\pmod n$ are only n values)

\Rightarrow some powers same remainder $\pmod n$

repeats

$$a^t = a^u \pmod n \quad t > u$$

$$a^t - a^u = 0 \pmod n \Rightarrow n \mid (a^t - a^u)$$

no factors in common

$$\Rightarrow n \mid a^u (a^{t-u} - 1)$$

$\gcd(n, a^u) = 1 \Rightarrow n, a^u$ no common factors

$$\Rightarrow n \mid (a^{t-u} - 1) \Rightarrow a^{t-u} = 1 \pmod n$$

$v = t - u$ order

• set of coprimes $(n) = C(n) = \{r \leq n-1 \mid \text{remainders} \mid n, n \text{ coprimes}\}$
 $\gcd(r, n) = 1$

example $n=6$ $C(n) = \{1, 5\}$ $\varphi(6) = 2$

$n=10$ $C(n) = \{1, 3, 7, 9\}$ $\varphi(10) = 4$

$n=11$
 (prime) $C(n) = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10\}$
 $\varphi(11) = 10$

$n=14$ $C(14) = \{1, 3, 5, 9, 11, 13\}$ $\varphi(14) = 6$

• $\varphi(n) = |C(n)| = \#$ of coprime remainders.

Euler's totient

\rightarrow order-subgroup | order-group

Th Euler / Lagrange (general groups)

$a \in C(n)$ $\gcd(a, n) = 1 \Leftrightarrow \exists v = \text{order of } a$ $a^v \equiv 1 \pmod n$

then $v \mid \varphi(n)$: $\varphi(n)$ is a multiple of v

example $n=14$ $C(n) = \{2, 3, 5, 9, 11, 13\}$ $\varphi(n) = 6$

pick a coprime with n , say $a = 5$

Th \Rightarrow order v of a $v | \varphi(n) \Rightarrow v | 6$

$$5^v \equiv 1 \pmod{14}$$

$$5^2 \equiv 25 \equiv 11$$

$$5^3 = 5 \cdot 11 = 55 \equiv -1$$

$$5^6 = (5^3)^2 = (-1)^2 = 1$$

$$\boxed{v=6}$$

$$a=3$$

$$3^2 = 9 \equiv -5$$

$$3^3 = 9 \cdot 3 = 27 \equiv -1$$

$$3^6 = (-1)^2 = 1$$

$$\boxed{v=6}$$

$$a=13$$

$$13^2 = 169 \equiv -1$$

$$= (-1)^2 = 1$$

$$\boxed{v=2}$$

Lagrange Th: $P(a) = \{a^1, a^2, \dots, a^v = 1\}$ subgroup of $C(n)$
with multiplication

$$\text{Lagrange} \Rightarrow \begin{array}{|c|c|} \hline |P(a)| & |C(n)| \\ \hline v & \varphi(n) \\ \hline \end{array}$$

proof (idea) a, n coprimes

$C(n)$ = coprime remainders with n

$P(a)$ = powers-subset = $\{ a, a^2, a^3, \dots, a^v = 1 \}$

$Q(a)$ = set of quotients $\frac{|C(n)|}{|P(a)|}$
 Smallest

want $|C(n)| = |P(a)| \cdot |Q(a)|$

ex $n=9$ $a=4$ $P(a) = \{ 4, 4^2 = 16 \equiv 7, 4^3 = 64 \equiv 1 \}$ $v=3$

$C(9) = \{ 1, 2, 4, 5, 7, 8 \}$ $\varphi(9) = 6$

$C(n)$	$P(a)$	Smallest q
coprime	$/4$ $/4^2$ $/4^3$	
1	7	4
7	4	1
4	1	7
2	5	8
5	8	2
8	2	5

$Q(4) = \{ 1, 2 \}$

ex: $n=26, a=9 \quad P(a) = \{9, 9^2 \equiv 3, 9^3 \equiv 27 \equiv 1\} \quad v=3$

$C(26) = \{1, 3, 5, 7, 9, 11, 15, 17, 19, 21, 23, 25\} \quad \varphi(26) = 12$

Coprime	$/9$	$/9^2$	$/9^3 \equiv 1$	Smallest q
$P(a)$ $\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 3 \\ 9 \end{pmatrix}$	$\begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 9 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$	$\begin{pmatrix} 9 \\ 1 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix}$	$\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 3 \\ 9 \end{pmatrix}$	$\textcircled{1}$
$P(a)^5$ $\begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ 15 \\ 19 \end{pmatrix}$	$\begin{pmatrix} 15 \\ 19 \\ 5 \end{pmatrix}$	$\begin{pmatrix} 19 \\ 5 \\ 15 \end{pmatrix}$	$\begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ 15 \\ 19 \end{pmatrix}$	$\textcircled{5}$
$P(a)^7$ $\begin{pmatrix} 7 \\ 21 \\ 11 \end{pmatrix}$	$\begin{pmatrix} 21 \\ 11 \\ 7 \end{pmatrix}$	$\begin{pmatrix} 11 \\ 7 \\ 21 \end{pmatrix}$	$\begin{pmatrix} 7 \\ 21 \\ 11 \end{pmatrix}$	$\textcircled{7}$
$P(a)^{17}$ $\begin{pmatrix} 17 \\ 25 \\ 23 \end{pmatrix}$	$\begin{pmatrix} 25 \\ 23 \\ 17 \end{pmatrix}$	$\begin{pmatrix} 23 \\ 17 \\ 25 \end{pmatrix}$	$\begin{pmatrix} 17 \\ 25 \\ 23 \end{pmatrix}$	$\textcircled{17}$

$$Q(9) = \{1, 5, 7, 17\}$$

$$C(n) = P(a) \times Q(a) = \{1, 3, 9\} \times \begin{pmatrix} 1, 5, 7 \\ 17 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$|C(n)| = |P(a)| \cdot |Q(a)|$$

$$\varphi(n) = v \cdot \text{Smallest } q$$

$$\Rightarrow v \mid \varphi(n)$$

Corollary $\forall (\varphi(n)) \Rightarrow$ we can use $\varphi(n)$ as order for every a coprime with n .

$n=26$ $b=17$ $17^v \equiv 1$ don't need v

Instead of v , use $\varphi(n) = 12 = v \cdot k$

$$17^{\varphi(n)} = 17^{12} = 17^{v \cdot k} = (17^v)^k \equiv 1^k \equiv 1 \pmod{26}$$

inverse $17^{-1} = 17^{11}$ because $17^{11} \cdot 17 = 17^{12} \equiv 1 \pmod{26}$
 $= 17^{\varphi(n)-1}$

(Th) a, n coprimes $\Rightarrow a^{\varphi(n)-1} = \text{inverse of } a$
because $a^{\varphi(n)} \equiv 1 \pmod{n}$

How $\varphi(n)$ looks like on particular cases?

- $n = \text{prime} \Rightarrow C(n) = \{ \text{all remainders except } 1 \}$ $\varphi(n) = n - 1$

$a \in C(n)$ Euler th $a^{\varphi(n)} \equiv 1 \pmod n$

$$a^{n-1} \equiv 1 \pmod n \quad a^n \equiv a \pmod n \quad (\text{Fermat's Little Th})$$

- $n = \text{prime}^k = p^k$

$C(n) = \{ \text{all remainders} \} \setminus \{ \text{multiples of } p \}$

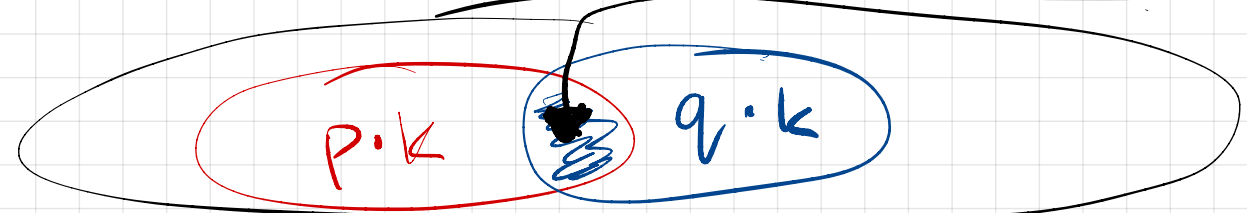
$n \setminus \{ 0, p, 2p, 3p, \dots, n-p \}$

$\{ 0, 1p, 2p, \dots, (p^{k-1}-1)p \}$

$$\varphi(n) = |C(n)| = n - p^{k-1} = p^k - p^{k-1} = p^{k-1}(p-1)$$

• RSA case $n = p \cdot q$ p, q primes $P \neq Q$

$$\varphi(n) = \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{coprimes} \\ \text{with } n \end{array} \right\} = \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{all} \\ \text{remainders} \end{array} \right\} - \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{mult} \\ \text{of } p \end{array} \right\} - \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{mult} \\ \text{of } q \end{array} \right\} + \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{mult} \\ \text{of } pq \end{array} \right\}$$



$$= n - \left\{ 0, p, 2p, \dots, \left(\frac{n}{p}-1\right)p \right\} - \left\{ 0, q, 2q, \dots, \left(\frac{n}{q}-1\right)q \right\}$$

+ { mult of pq }

$$= n - \left\{ 0, 1, 2, \dots, q-1 \right\} - \left\{ 0, 1, 2, \dots, p-1 \right\} + \left\{ 0, q \right\}$$

$$= pq - q - p + 1$$

$$= \boxed{(p-1)(q-1)} = \# \text{ of coprimes remainders with } n=pq$$

RSA SETUP (ahead of ops)

$n = p \cdot q$ ^{BIG PRIMES} $n = \text{public}$ p, q secret

$\varphi(n) = (p-1)(q-1)$ $\varphi(n)$ secret

$e = \text{public key}$

e coprime with $\varphi(n)$
 $\text{gcd}(e, (p-1)(q-1)) = 1$

$e = \text{encoding key}$

$d = \text{private/decode key}$

$d = e^{-1} \text{ mod } \varphi(n)$

$d \cdot e \equiv 1 \text{ mod } (p-1)(q-1)$

$ed = \varphi(n) \cdot k + 1$ $d = \text{secret}$

$x^{ed} = (x^{\varphi(n)})^k \cdot x \equiv x$

encode / decode (ops)

$x = \text{message (integer)}$

$\text{encode}(x) =$

$\bar{x} = x^e \text{ mod } n$

$\text{decode}(\bar{x}) =$

$(\bar{x})^d \text{ mod } n$

Th $\text{decode}(\bar{x}) = x$

proof: $\text{decode}(\bar{x}) = (\bar{x})^d \text{ mod } n$

$= (x^e)^d \text{ mod } n = x^{ed} \text{ mod } n$

$= x^{\varphi(n) \cdot k + 1} \equiv (x^{\varphi(n)})^k \cdot x$

$= 1 \cdot x = x$

RSA example 1 $p=5$ $q=13$ $n=65$ $\varphi(n)=4 \cdot 12=48$

SETUP $e=5$ $d=e^{-1} \bmod \varphi(n) = 5^{-1} \bmod 48 = 29$

OPS $x=2$ message orig

$$\text{encode}(2) = 2^5 \bmod n = 32 \bmod 65 = 32$$

$$\text{decode}(32) = 32^{29} \bmod 65 = 2 \checkmark$$

$x=16$ orig message

$$\text{encode}(16) = 16^5 \bmod n = 16^5 \bmod 65 =$$

$$1048576 \bmod 65 = 61$$

$$\text{decode}(61) = 61^{29} \bmod 65 = 16 \checkmark$$

RSA ex 2 SETUP $p=3$ $q=11$ $n=33$ $\varphi(n)=2 \cdot 10=20$

$e=7$ $\nexists \varphi(n)$ coprimes $d=e^{-1} \bmod \varphi(n)=7^{-1} \bmod 20=3$
public private

ops $x=5$ orig message

$$\text{encode}(5) = 5^7 \bmod n = 78125 \bmod 33 = 14$$

$$\text{decode}(14) = 14^3 \bmod n = 2744 \bmod 33 = 5 \checkmark$$

RSA in practice:

- p, q very large (current 4096 bits?) \Rightarrow operations have to be logarithmic (≈ 4096 steps)

- Why is hard to crack? $e, n = \text{known}$
Find $"d"$ \Leftrightarrow factorize $n = p, q$

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Know extremely hard problem for large #

Computational effort to find p, q $>$ benefit of breaking RSA

- how to find p, q ? Can't generate primes #

- generate random large numbers p, q

- use "Fermat's Little Th" to check them (not perfect, very high prob)

