

- ① Extended Euclidean Alg for mod inverse
- ② For Fun: what's the probability 2 randomly chosen integers are relatively prime?

Motivation for EEA

$$48x \equiv 13 \pmod{179}$$

Can't divide!

Can multiply both sides $\Rightarrow$ what's the magic #?

What value of a makes

$$48a \equiv 1 \pmod{179} \text{ true?}$$

$$179 = 3 \times 48 + 35$$

$$48 = 1 \times 35 + 13$$

$$35 = 2 \times 13 + 9$$

$$13 = 1 \times 9 + 4$$

$$9 = 2 \times 4 + 1$$

$$4 = 4 \times 1$$

$$\rightarrow 13 - 1 \times 9 = 4$$

$$\rightarrow 35 - 2 \times 13 = 9$$

$$\rightarrow 48 - 1 \times 35 = 13$$

$$9 - 2 \times 4 = 1 \quad \text{never } \Delta$$

$$9 - 2(13 - 1 \times 9) = 1$$

$$9 - 2 \times 13 + 2 \times 9 = 1$$

$$3 \times 9 - 2 \times 13 = 1$$

$$3(35 - 2 \times 13) - 2 \times 13 = 1$$

$$3 \times 35 - 6 \times 13 - 2 \times 13 = 1$$

$$3 \times 35 - 8 \times 13 = 1$$

$$3 \times 35 - 8(48 - 1 \times 35) = 1$$

$$3 \times 35 - 8 \times 48 + 8 \times 35 = 1$$

$$11 \times 35 - 8 \times 48 = 1$$

$$11(179 - 3 \times 48) - 8 \times 48 = 1$$

$$11 \times 179 - \underline{33 \times 48} - \underline{8 \times 48} = 1$$

$$11 \times 179 - 41 \times 48 = 1$$

$$11 \times 179 - 41 \times 48 \equiv 1 \pmod{179}$$

$$-41 \times 48 \equiv 1 \pmod{179}$$



$$48^{-1} \equiv -41 \equiv 138 \pmod{179}$$

$$48x \equiv 13 \pmod{179}$$

$$\underline{138 \cdot 48x} \equiv 138 \cdot 13 \pmod{179}$$

$$x \equiv 1794 \pmod{179}$$

$$\equiv 4 \pmod{179}$$

② Let the alphabet size be ~~168~~¹⁷¹, and an affine encryption function be

$$f(x) = (35x + 87) \pmod{171}$$

$$x = (35y + 87) \pmod{171}$$

$$\underline{35y} = (x - 87) \pmod{171}$$

Goal: Find $35^{-1} \pmod{171}$.

$$\begin{aligned} 171 &= 4 \times 35 + \underline{31} \\ 35 &= 1 \times 31 + 4 \\ 31 &= 7 \times 4 + 3 \\ 4 &= 1 \times 3 + \boxed{1} \end{aligned}$$

$$\rightarrow 31 - 7 \times 4 = 3$$

$$\rightarrow 35 - 1 \times 31 = 4$$

$$\rightarrow 171 - 4 \times 35 = 31$$

$$44 \times 35 - 9 \times 171 \equiv 1 \pmod{171}$$

$$44 \times 35 \equiv 1 \pmod{171}$$

$$\boxed{35^{-1} \equiv 44 \pmod{171}}$$

$$4 - 1 \times \underline{3} = 1$$

$$4 - 1(31 - 7 \times 4) = 1$$

$$4 - 1 \times 31 + 7 \times 4 = 1$$

$$8 \times \underline{4} - 1 \times 31 = 1$$

$$8(35 - 1 \times 31) - 1 \times 31 = 1$$

$$8 \times 35 - 8 \times 31 - 1 \times 31 = 1$$

$$8 \times 35 - 9 \times \underline{31} = 1$$

$$8 \times 35 - 9(171 - 4 \times 35) = 1$$

$$8 \times \underline{35} - 9 \times 171 + 36 \times \underline{35} = 1$$

$$\boxed{44 \times 35 - 9 \times 171 = 1}$$

Problem: Pick 2 random ints a, b
 What's probability that $\gcd(a, b) = 1$?

Python $\rightarrow$ big ints
 gcd function
 gen ran int (nD $\swarrow$ num digits)
 list append nD digits

Golden ratio $\phi = \frac{1+\sqrt{5}}{2}$, $\frac{1}{\phi} = \frac{2}{1+\sqrt{5}} \approx .618$

Theoretical ans = $\frac{6}{\pi^2}$

Sketch

$$(1 - \frac{1}{2^2})(1 - \frac{1}{3^2})(1 - \frac{1}{5^2}) \dots$$

	a		b	
	$\frac{1}{2}$		$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{4}$
$2 a$				
	$\frac{1}{3}$		$\frac{1}{3}$	$\frac{1}{9}$
$3 a$				

$\swarrow$

$$\left(1 + \frac{1}{2^2} + \frac{1}{2^4} + \frac{1}{2^6} + \frac{1}{2^8} + \dots\right) \left(1 + \frac{1}{3^2} + \frac{1}{3^4} + \frac{1}{3^6} + \dots\right)$$

$$= \frac{1}{1 - \frac{1}{2^2}} \times \frac{1}{1 - \frac{1}{3^2}} = \frac{\pi^2}{6}$$

Better Sketch of solution

Probability prime $p \mid a \wedge p \mid b$ is $\frac{1}{p^2}$

Probability either $p \nmid a \vee p \nmid b$ is $(1 - \frac{1}{p^2})$

Since each prime is independent in this regard, probability NO prime $p \mid a \wedge p \mid b$ is

$$\prod_{p \in \text{Primes}} \left(1 - \frac{1}{p^2}\right)$$

Recall that $\frac{1}{1 - \frac{1}{p^2}} = 1 + \frac{1}{p^2} + \frac{1}{p^4} + \frac{1}{p^6} + \dots$

RHS is infinite geo series w/common ratio $\frac{1}{p^2}$.

It follows that our desired probability is

$$\prod_{p \in \text{primes}} \left(1 - \frac{1}{p^2}\right) = \prod_{p \in \text{primes}} \frac{1}{\sum_{i=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{p^{2i}}}$$

Thus, we seek to find $\prod_{p \in \text{Primes}} \left(\sum_{i=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{p^{2i}} \right)$.

Expand:

$$\left(1 + \frac{1}{2^2} + \underbrace{\frac{1}{2^4}} + \frac{1}{2^6} + \dots\right) \left(1 + \underbrace{\frac{1}{3^2}} + \frac{1}{3^4} + \frac{1}{3^6} + \dots\right) \left(1 + \frac{1}{5^2} + \frac{1}{5^4} + \dots\right) \left(\underbrace{1 + \frac{1}{7^2}} + \frac{1}{7^4} + \dots\right)$$

Imagine each term in this expansion.

For each choice of term from every poly, for example what is circled, we ~~can~~ get a term $\rightarrow$ in this example $\frac{1}{2^4 \cdot 3^2 \cdot 7^2} = \frac{1}{(2^2 \cdot 3 \cdot 7)^2} = \frac{1}{84^2}$

There is a one-to-one correspondence between each possible way of circling terms (ie the terms in the expansion) and the positive integers.

Thus,

$$\prod_{p \text{ primes}} \left(\sum_{i=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{p^{2i}} \right) = \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{i^2}$$

and the answer to our problem is

In 1734, Euler solved

$$\sum_{i=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{i^2}$$

$$\sum_{i=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{i^2}, \text{ which is known}$$

as the Basel Problem. Euler showed that $\sum_{i=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{i^2} = \frac{\pi^2}{6}$. Incidentally $\sum_{i=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{i^4} = \frac{\pi^4}{90}$.