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Recall:

$\Rightarrow \phi(n) = \#$  of units in  $\mathbb{Z}/n\mathbb{Z}$

units  $\phi$ :  $x \in \text{unit}$  if and only if  $xy = 1 \pmod{n}$

= # of items on  $\{0, 1, \dots, n-1\}$  that are coprimes of  $n$ .

$\Rightarrow \phi(ab) = \phi(a) \phi(b)$  if  $\gcd(a, b) = 1$

Proof

units in  $\mathbb{Z}/ab\mathbb{Z}$  are composed of units in  $\mathbb{Z}/a\mathbb{Z}$  and  $\mathbb{Z}/b\mathbb{Z}$

Take  $c$ ,  $\gcd(a, b, c) = 1$

$\Rightarrow \gcd(a, c) = 1 \quad \wedge \quad \gcd(b, c) = 1$

then  $\underbrace{c \pmod{ab}}_{\text{units in } \mathbb{Z}/ab\mathbb{Z}} \longmapsto (c \pmod{a}, c \pmod{b})$   
units in  $\mathbb{Z}/a\mathbb{Z}$ , units in  $\mathbb{Z}/b\mathbb{Z}$

Theorem: Chinese Remainder Theorem

Given  $a, b$  with  $\gcd(a, b) = 1$

Pick cosets  $r \pmod{a}$

$s \pmod{b}$

Then there is exactly one coset  $t \pmod{ab}$  such that

$t \pmod{a} = r \pmod{a}$  and  $t \pmod{b} = s \pmod{b}$

This says:

system eq:  $x - r$  is divisible by  $a$

$x - s$  is divisible by  $b$ .

has a solution  $t, t+ab, t+2ab, \dots$

In fact, we find  $t$ :

$\rightarrow$  find an inverse for  $a \pmod{b}$  (call  $m$ ) and  $b \pmod{a}$  (call  $n$ ).

$\rightarrow$  then,  $t = rbn + sam$

ex.

$a=2$  solve:  $x = 1 \pmod{2}$   $r=1$   
 $b=3$   $x = 2 \pmod{3}$   $s=2$

$\Rightarrow$  Find inverse for  $a \pmod{b}$ ,  $b \pmod{a}$ :  $2 \pmod{3}$   $3 \pmod{2}$ .

inv  $2 \pmod{3} = 2 \pmod{3}$   $m=2$

inv  $3 \pmod{2} = 1 \pmod{2}$   $n=1$

$$t = rbn + sam = 1 \cdot 3 \cdot 1 + 2 \cdot 2 \cdot 3$$

$$x \boxed{= 11}$$

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How Does The Formula Work?

Reduce  $t = rbn + sam$

$$t \bmod a = (r \overset{\substack{\uparrow \\ \text{inverse of } n}}{bn} + sam) \bmod a = rbn \bmod a = r \cdot 1 \bmod a$$

$$t \bmod b = sam \bmod b = s \cdot 1 \bmod b$$

### DIVISIBILITY TEST

Fact: In order for  $n$  to be multiple of three, the sum of the digits should be divisible by 3

Pf  $n = a_k a_{k-1} \dots a_0$  (in decimal form, each  $a_i$  representing a digit)

$$= a_0 + a_1 \cdot 10^1 + a_2 \cdot 10^2 + \dots + 10^k a_k$$

we reduce by  $n \bmod 3$ , which would yield:

$$n \bmod 3 = a_k \cdot 1^k + \dots + a_1 \cdot 1 + a_0 \pmod{3} = \sum a_i \bmod 3$$

Therefore for  $3|n$ ,  $\sum a_i \bmod 3 \equiv 0$ .

2. Same rule for 9:

$$9|n \iff 9 | \text{sum of digits}$$

3. Divisibility of 11:

$$n \bmod 11 = a_k \cdot 10^k + \dots + a_1 \cdot 10^1 + a_0 \pmod{11}$$

$$= (a_k \cdot -1) + \dots + a_2 - a_1 + a_0$$

↳ this result comes from fact that  $10 \bmod 11 = 9$  or  $-1$

$$100 \bmod 11 = 1$$

$$\vdots$$

$$11|n \iff 11 | \text{alternating sum of digits}$$

Theorem: Let  $p$  be prime,

Then  $a^p = a \pmod{p}$  for any  $a \in \mathbb{Z}$  (Fermat's Little Theorem)

Pf: 2 cases:

(1)  $p|a$ : (supposedly this is easy to prove... but I couldn't catch what he meant)

If  $p \nmid a$ , then  $\gcd(p, a) = 1$

Then,  $a$  is a unit of  $\text{mod } p$ .

Looking at the list of units of  $\text{mod } p$ :  $\{1, 2, \dots, p-1\}$ .

and compare to  $\{a, 2a, \dots, a(p-1)\}$

Since no number divides  $p$ ,  $\{1, 2, \dots, p-1\} = \{a, 2a, \dots, (p-1)a\} \text{ mod } p$ .

$$\Rightarrow 1 \cdot 2 \cdot 3 \cdot \dots \cdot (p-1) = a \cdot 2a \cdot \dots \cdot a(p-1) \text{ mod } p$$

$$1 \cdot 2 \cdot 3 \cdot \dots \cdot (p-1) = a^{p-1} (1 \cdot 2 \cdot \dots \cdot (p-1)) \text{ mod } p$$

$$1 = a^{p-1} \text{ mod } p.$$

$$a = a^p \text{ mod } p. \quad \checkmark$$

### PROBABILITY.

INTRODUCTION: Deck of Cards

→ Significant Hands

XXXX Y: 4 of a kind

XXX YE: 3

XXX YY: Full House

XX YY Z: 2 pairs

X-X YZ W: pair ... etc.

General Principle

→ make an algorithm that produces a desired hand

→ count # runs and "overcounts"

→ Determine # of outputs

Ex

- # of outputs for ~~all~~ any hands:

$$52 \cdot 51 \cdot 50 \cdot 48 \cdot 49 = \text{\# of getting 5 cards}$$

note: there are many redundancies and "overcount" in above count.

5! ways of getting ~~5 cards~~ a particular set of 5 cards.

$$\text{Thus: } \frac{52 \cdot 51 \cdot 50 \cdot 49 \cdot 48}{5 \cdot 4 \cdot 3 \cdot 2 \cdot 1} = \frac{\text{\# of runs}}{\text{\# of runs per hand}} = \text{\# of hands}$$

ex 4 of a kind

1. pick  $X = 13$  (13 possible 4 of a kind types:  $\{A, 2, 3, \dots, K\}$ )

2. choose any  $Y = 48$

= there exists  $13 \times 48$  ~~4 of a kind~~ ways to get a 4-kind.

ex Full House

1. Choose  $X \rightarrow 13$

2. Choose  $Y \rightarrow 12$

3. Choose 3 of 4 Xs  $\rightarrow 4$  (4 ways to choose 3 out of 4 cards)

4. Choose 2 of 4 Ys  $\rightarrow 6$  (6 " 2 " )

=  $13 \cdot 12 \cdot 4 \cdot 6$  ways to get a Full House

NOTE: There is no redundancies in above calc. we were thinking of a specific full house... and we accounted for redundancies in our # of possibilities.

Q: If you have to choose  $k$  things from a given list of  $n$  things, how many ways are there?

$$\Rightarrow \frac{n(n-1)(n-2)\dots(n-k+1)}{(k-1)!} = \binom{n}{k}$$

Choosing 2 pairs #ways

1. pick  $X = 13$

2. choose  $Y = 12$

3. choose  $Z$  and pick 1 = 44 (11.4)

4. Choose 2 out of 4 Xs = 6

5. Choose 2 out of 4 Ys = 6

$\Rightarrow$  is there overcount in this algorithm? Yes! there is ambiguity of  $X, Y$ : If  $X=A$  and  $Y=2$ , then choosing  $Y=A$   $X=2$  would yield same hand. Thus overcount by factor of 2.

$\Rightarrow$  Alternatively, 1, and 2 can combine:

- choose  $X$  and  $Y$  at once:  $\frac{13 \cdot 12}{2} = \binom{13 \cdot 12}{2}$  — overcount factor.