

47] As $p-1 \equiv -1 \pmod{p}$ and $-1^2 \equiv 1$ we have
 Order Mod $p(p-1) = 2$. By the order formula there is
 only $\phi(2) = 1$ element of order 2, namely $g^{p-\frac{1}{2}}$.

49] If there are small prime divisors, Pollard-
 Hellman and Pollard-Lipton can be used to
 reduce the discrete log calculation. So
 p_1 is easiest, p_2 is hardest (as $p-1$ involves
 the largest prime factor)

51] $A \pmod{2} \equiv \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$, so clearly $\det(A) \equiv 0$
 (mod 2)

$A \pmod{5} \equiv \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 4 & 2 & 1 & 0 \\ 3 & 0 & 3 & 2 \\ 2 & 3 & 3 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$ $\xrightarrow{\text{subtract}} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 4 & 2 & 1 & 0 \\ 2 & 3 & 3 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$ swap, etc if you swap.

$\rightsquigarrow \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 2 & 0 & 0 \\ 4 & 2 & 1 & 0 \\ 2 & 3 & 3 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$, so $\det(A) \equiv -2 \cdot 2 \equiv 1$
 (mod 5)

$$\text{Solve CRT: } \begin{cases} d \equiv 0 \pmod{2} \\ d \equiv 1 \pmod{5} \end{cases} \Rightarrow d = 0 + y \cdot 2 \equiv 1 \pmod{5}$$

$$\text{Use } 2^{-1} \equiv 3 \pmod{5} \text{ get } y = 3$$

$$\Rightarrow d = 2 \cdot 3 = \underline{\underline{6}}$$

$$52) \text{ Let } n = \prod p_i^{e_i} \Rightarrow \phi(n) = \prod (p_i - 1) p_i^{e_i - 1}$$

For $\phi(n) = 2$ all factors in the product can be at most 2. Thus:

$$- \text{No prime } p_i > 3 \text{ (otherwise } (p_i - 1) \geq 4)$$

$$- 3^{e_i} \text{ can only be } 3^1 \text{ (otherwise } 3^{e_i - 1} \geq 3)$$

$$- 2^{e_i} \text{ can only be } 2^0, 2^1, 2^2 \text{ (otherwise } 2^{e_i - 1} \geq 4)$$

\Rightarrow Candidates for n must divide $2^2 \cdot 3 = 12$

Test $n = 2, 3, 4, 6$ are the only ones that work

These are the n s.t. $\sin(\pi/n)$ and $\cos(\pi/n)$ are given for memorization

(the only n s.t. $\sin(\pi/n)$ is at most a square root)

50] If n is the time to all events on same day then

$$n \equiv -2 \equiv 5 \pmod{7} \Rightarrow c_0 = 5$$

$$n \equiv -7 \equiv 5 \pmod{12} \Rightarrow c_1 = 5 \text{ (lucky coincidence)}$$

$$n \equiv -1 \equiv 94 \pmod{95} \Rightarrow n = 5 + y \cdot (7 \cdot 12)$$

$$= 5 + y \cdot 84 \equiv 94 \pmod{95}$$

$$\Rightarrow y \cdot 84 \equiv 89 \pmod{95}$$

Calculate $84^{-1} \pmod{95}$:

$$95 = 1 \cdot 84 + 11$$

$$84 = 7 \cdot 11 + 7$$

$$11 = 7 + 4$$

$$7 = 4 + 3$$

$$4 = 3 + 1$$

$$\Rightarrow 1 = 4 - 3 = 4 - (7 - 4) = 2 \cdot 4 - 7 = 2 \cdot (11 - 7) - 7$$

$$= 2 \cdot 11 - 3 \cdot 7 = 2 \cdot 11 - 3 \cdot (84 - 7 \cdot 11) = 23 \cdot 11 - 3 \cdot 84$$

$$= 23 \cdot (95 - 84) - 3 \cdot 84 = 23 \cdot 95 - 26 \cdot 84$$

$$\Rightarrow 84^{-1} \equiv 26 \pmod{95} \Rightarrow y = 89 \cdot 26 = 2314 \equiv 34 \pmod{95}$$

$$\Rightarrow y = 5 + 84 \cdot 34 = \underline{\underline{2861}} \text{ days.}$$

48] $a=9, b=597$. Find e , s.t. $a^e \equiv b \pmod{p}$

$$\text{Let } e = e_0 + 3e_1 + 9e_2 + 27e_3.$$

$$\text{Then } a^{27} \equiv 365 \pmod{p}, b^{27} \equiv 365 \pmod{p}$$

$$\Rightarrow e_0 = 1.$$

$$\text{Consider } b/a^{e_0} \equiv 931, (\text{must be power of } a^3)$$

$$931^9 \equiv 1 \pmod{p}, \text{ i.e. } 931^9 \equiv (a^9)^e \Rightarrow e_1 = 0$$

$$931/a^{0 \cdot 3} \equiv 931.$$

$$931^3 \equiv 1 \pmod{p} \Rightarrow e_2 = 0, 931/a^{0 \cdot 9} \equiv 931$$

$$\text{Now with } 931^1 \equiv 931 \text{ as power of } a^{27} \equiv 365.$$

Exposed is $e_3 = 2$. (Can only be 0, 1, 2; and 0 and 1 are easily rejected). Thus

$$e = 1 + 2 \cdot 27 = 55$$