

Mathematics in OI (I)

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Mathematical notations (Capital Sigma)

- Sigma : Greek Alphabet σ (lower case), Σ (capital)
- Also, there are many other Greek alphabets are used in mathematics and science
- For example:
- Lower case Pi π (the ratio of circumference to diameter)
- Euler Phi Function $\phi(n)$ (no. of positive integers less than n which are co-prime to n) (This was taught in Math in OI (II) two weeks ago)
- Omega $\Omega(n)$ (Number of prime divisors of n)

Mathematical notations (Capital Sigma)

- For any integers $m \leq n$,

$$\sum_{i=m}^n a_i = a_m + a_{m+1} + \cdots + a_{n-1} + a_n$$

- Example:

$$\sum_{i=4}^7 i^2 = 4^2 + 5^2 + 6^2 + 7^2 = 16 + 25 + 36 + 49 = 126$$

- Capital Sigma is also called "Summation Symbol".

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Initialization

Mathematical notations (Capital Sigma)

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Lower bound

```
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for (int i = 10; i <= 20; i++)
    sum += i * i - 5 * i + 2;
return sum;
```


Mathematical notations (Capital Sigma)

- Task 1.1: Compute the following:

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Upper bound

```
int sum = 0;
for (int i = 10; i <= 20; i++)
    sum += i * i - 5 * i + 2;
return sum;
```

Mathematical notations (Capital Sigma)

- Task 1.1: Compute the following:

$$\sum_{i=10}^{20} (i^2 - 5i + 2)$$

Value corresponded to i

```
int sum = 0;
for (int i = 10; i <= 20; i++)
    sum += i * i - 5 * i + 2;
return sum;
```

Mathematical notations (Capital Pi)

- Similar to Capital Sigma.
- For any integers $m \leq n$,

$$\prod_{i=m}^n a_i = a_m \cdot a_{m+1} \cdot \cdots \cdot a_{n-1} \cdot a_n$$

- Example:

$$\prod_{i=4}^7 i^2 = 4^2 \cdot 5^2 \cdot 6^2 \cdot 7^2 = 16 \cdot 25 \cdot 36 \cdot 49 = 705600$$

- Capital Pi is also called "Product Symbol".

Mathematical notations (Capital Pi)

- The most common example: Factorial
- $n! = 1 \cdot 2 \cdot 3 \cdot \dots \cdot (n - 1) \cdot n$
- Note: $0! = 1$ by definition

- For any positive integer n ,

$$n! = \prod_{i=1}^n i$$

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Mathematical notations (Capital Pi)

- (Task 1.2) Input n ($0 \leq n \leq 12$), Output $n!$
- Similar to the code of summation on previous slides.

```
int product = 1; ← Initialized to 1 (not 0)
for (int i = 1; i <= n; i++)
    product *= i;
return product;
```

Mathematical notations (Other notations)

- There another example involving Sigma

- The sum of positive divisor function $\sigma_x(n)$

$$\sigma_x(n) = \sum_{d|n} d^x$$

- Notation $d | n$ means d divides n (alternatively, n is divisible by d).
- When $x = 0$, we have $\sigma_0(n)$ which is the number of divisor function
- When $x = 1$, we have $\sigma_1(n)$ which is the sum of divisor function
- (Task 1.3) Input n ($1 \leq n \leq 10^6$), output $\sigma_1(n)$. (Challenge: $1 \leq n \leq 10^{12}$)

Greatest Common Divisor (G.C.D.) (Introduction)

- Alternative name: Highest Common Factor (H.C.F.)
- Definition of common divisor:
- If d divides both positive integers a and b (in symbol, $d|a \wedge d|b$), then d is a common divisor of a and b .

Greatest Common Divisor (G.C.D.) (Definition)

- Definition of greatest common divisor:
- Among all common divisors of positive integers a and b , the largest one is called the greatest common divisor.
- Notation: We use $\gcd(a, b)$ to represent the greatest common divisor.

Greatest Common Divisor (G.C.D.) (Property)

- Property:
- Let a, b be positive integers and $d = \gcd(a, b)$
- For any integer k ,
 - If k is a common divisor of a and b ,
 - Then k divides d (or $k \mid d$).
- We will prove this later at slide 37.

Greatest Common Divisor (G.C.D.) (Problem)

Task 2.1

- Input two positive integers a and b , output $\gcd(a, b)$.
- Constraints:
 - Subtask 1: $a, b \leq 10^6$
 - Subtask 2: $a, b \leq 10^{18}$

Greatest Common Divisor (G.C.D.) (Code #1)

```
int gcd = 1;
for (int i = 1; i <= a && i <= b; i++)
    if (a % i == 0 && b % i == 0)
        gcd = i;
Return gcd;
```

- Time complexity: $O(\min(a, b))$
- Can only pass subtask 1 😞

Euclidean Algorithm (Introduction)

- It is not efficient to find the gcd using brute force, we need some fast algorithm.
- We can use Euclidean Algorithm to speed up 😊

Euclidean Algorithm (Concept)

- For any positive integers a, b ,
 - If $a = qb + r$ where $0 \leq r < b$ (ie. $r = a \% b$)
 - Then $\gcd(a, b) = \gcd(b, r)$
- Proof:
- Let $d = \gcd(a, b)$ and $e = \gcd(b, r)$ and $a = qb + r$ for $0 \leq r < b$
 - $d = \gcd(a, b) \Rightarrow d|a$ and $d|b \Rightarrow d|r \Rightarrow d|\gcd(b, r) \Rightarrow d|e$
 - $e = \gcd(b, r) \Rightarrow e|b$ and $e|r \Rightarrow e|a \Rightarrow e|\gcd(a, b) \Rightarrow e|d$
- Since $d|e$ and $e|d$, we have $d = e$, ie. $\gcd(a, b) = \gcd(b, r)$

Euclidean Algorithm (Procedure)

- For any positive integers a, b , let $r = a \% b$ (or $r = a \bmod b$), then
$$\gcd(a, b) = \gcd(b, r)$$
- Iterate this process until $r = 0$ then the gcd is found.
- We can do this using recursion!

Euclidean Algorithm (Example)

- Take $\gcd(1239, 4557)$ as an example.

a	=	q	×	b	+	r
1239	=	0	×	4557	+	1239
4557	=	3	×	1239	+	840
1239	=	1	×	840	+	399
840	=	2	×	399	+	42
399	=	9	×	42	+	21
42	=	2	×	21	+	0

- So $\gcd(1239, 4557) = 21$

Euclidean Algorithm (Code #2)

```
long long gcd(long long a, long long b) {  
    if (b == 0) return a;  
    else return gcd(b, a % b);  
}
```

Time complexity: ???

Euclidean Algorithm (Code #2)

```
long long gcd(long long a, long long b) {  
    if (b == 0) return a;  
    else return gcd(b, a % b);  
}
```

- For $a > b$, $a \% b < \frac{a}{2}$
 - So we reduce the number by half ever time.
- Time complexity: $O(\log n)$
- But what is the worse case?

Euclidean Algorithm (Worst case)

- For the worse case,
 - Since $r = a - qb$, the q should be as small as possible
 - q will not be zero, so the smallest possible q is 1
 - If all the q are 1, then that will be a worse case
- Worst Case (Contiguous 2 Fibonacci Numbers):
 - $a = F_{87} = 679\ 891\ 637\ 638\ 612\ 258$
 - $b = F_{86} = 420\ 196\ 140\ 727\ 489\ 673$

Greatest Common Divisor (G.C.D.)

(> 2 numbers)

- What is $\gcd(a_1, a_2, a_3, \dots, a_n)$?

- Just calculate the gcd one by one (order does not matter) :

$$\begin{aligned} & \gcd(a_1, a_2, a_3, \dots, a_n) \\ = & \gcd\left(a_1, \gcd\left(a_2, \dots \gcd\left(a_{n-2}, \gcd(a_{n-1}, a_n)\right)\right)\right) \end{aligned}$$

Greatest Common Divisor (Application)

- Simplify a fraction $\frac{a}{b}$
 - Let $d = \gcd(a, b)$
 - Then $\frac{a}{b} = \frac{a \div d}{b \div d}$
- Solving the equation $ax + by = k$ for integers x and y , where k is divisible by $\gcd(a, b)$
 - This is a linear Diophantine equation.

Least Common Multiple (L.C.M.) (Introduction)

- Definition of Common Multiple:
- If m is divisible by both positive integers a and b (in symbol, $a|m \wedge b|m$), then m is a common multiple of a and b .
- Definition of Least Common Multiple:
- Among all common multiples of positive integers a and b , the smallest one is called the least common multiple.
- Notation: We use $lcm(a, b)$ to represent the least common multiple.

Least Common Multiple (L.C.M.) (Property 1)

- Property 1:
- Let a, b be positive integers and $m = lcm(a, b)$.
- For any integer k ,
 - If k is a common multiple of a and b ,
 - Then m divides k (or $m \mid k$).

- Proof: Let $k = qm + r$ for $0 \leq r < m$
- Since $a \mid k$ and $b \mid k$, also $a \mid m$ and $b \mid m$, so $a \mid r$ and $b \mid r$
- $0 \leq r < m = lcm(a, b) \Rightarrow r = 0 \Rightarrow m \mid k$

Least Common Multiple (L.C.M.) (Property 2)

- Property 2:

$$ab = \gcd(a, b) \times \text{lcm}(a, b)$$

- It is not easy to prove, but the idea is simple:
 - How do you find the LCM of two numbers in primary school without listing out the multiples
 - Keyword: Fundamental theorem of Arithmetics

Least Common Multiple (L.C.M.) (> 2 numbers)

- What is $lcm(a_1, a_2, a_3, \dots, a_n)$?

- Just calculate the lcm one by one (order does not matter) :

$$lcm(a_1, a_2, a_3, \dots, a_n) \\ = lcm\left(a_1, lcm\left(a_2, \dots lcm\left(a_{n-2}, lcm(a_{n-1}, a_n)\right)\right)\right)$$

Extended Euclidean Algorithm (Introduction)

- Extension to Euclidean Algorithm:
- Find the integral solution of x and y such that $ax + by = \gcd(a, b)$
- It is guaranteed that a solution exists from Bézout's Lemma

Extended Euclidean Algorithm (Example)

- In Slide 23, we have computed the value of $\gcd(1239, 4557) = 21$
- Find integral solution of $1239x + 4557y = 21$.

Extended Euclidean Algorithm (Example)

- Find integral solution of $1239x + 4557y = 21$.

$a_i = a_{i-2} \% a_{i-1}$	x_i	y_i
1239	1	0
4557	0	1
$1239 = 1239 - 4557 \times 0$	$1 - 0 \times 0 = 1$	$0 - 1 \times 0 = 0$
$840 = 4557 - 1239 \times 3$	$0 - 1 \times 3 = -3$	$1 - 0 \times 3 = 1$
$399 = 1239 - 840 \times 1$	$1 - (-3) \times 1 = 4$	$0 - 1 \times 1 = -1$
$42 = 840 - 399 \times 2$	$-3 - 4 \times 2 = -11$	$1 - (-1) \times 2 = 3$
$21 = 399 - 42 \times 9$	$4 - (-11) \times 9 = 103$	$-1 - 3 \times 9 = -28$
$0 = 42 - 21 \times 2$	$-11 - 103 \times 2 = -217$	$3 - (-28) \times 2 = 59$

- General solution: $x = 103 - 217k$ and $y = -28 + 59k$ (for any integers k)

Extended Euclidean Algorithm (Example)

- Find integral solution of $1239x + 4557y = 21$.
 - General solution: $x = 103 - 217k$ and $y = -28 + 59k$ (for any integers k)
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- If we are going to find the integral solution of $1239x + 4557y = 42$ (doubled), then $103 \rightarrow 206$; $-28 \rightarrow -56$.
 - General Solution: $x = 206 + 59k$ and $y = -56 - 22k$ (for any integers k)

Greatest Common Divisor (G.C.D.) (proof of slide 17)

Property:

- Let a, b be positive integers and $d = \gcd(a, b)$
- For any integer k ,
 - If k is a common divisor of a and b ,
 - Then k divides d (or $k \mid d$).
- Proof:
- We have $ax + by = d$. Since $k \mid a$ and $k \mid b$, we have $k \mid ax + by$.
Hence $k \mid d$.

Modular Arithmetic (Introduction)

- Recall what you have learnt in primary about division
- $13 \div 5 = 2 \dots 3$ (Dividend \div Divisor = Quotient ... Remainder)
- So, we say the remainder of $13 \div 5$ is 3

- Now, we may say $13 \equiv 3 \pmod{5}$
- This reads, 13 and 3 are congruent modulo 5.

Modular Arithmetic (Notation)

- Generally, if a and b are congruent modulo m where a where a, b are integers, m is a positive integer
 - we will write $a \equiv b \pmod{m}$
- But what is a and b are congruent modulo m really means???
- Translate into programming language:
 - Pascal: $a \text{ mod } m = b \text{ mod } m$
 - C/C++: $a \% m == b \% m$
- The remainder of the division of both a and b by m are the same.

Modular Arithmetic (Other meaning)

- Instead of saying a and b have the same remainder when divided by m
- We are more often to say that
 - $a - b$ is divisible by m . (or $m \mid (a - b)$)
 - $a = km + b$ for some integer k

Modular Arithmetic (Addition / Subtraction)

- If $a \equiv b \pmod{m}$, for any integers x , we have $a + x \equiv b + x \pmod{m}$

Proof:

- Since $a \equiv b \pmod{m}$
- $a = km + b$ for some integer k .
- Then $a + x = km + b + x$.
- Done.

Modular Arithmetic (Addition / Subtraction)

- If $a \equiv b \pmod{m}$ and $c \equiv d \pmod{m}$, we have $a + c \equiv b + d \pmod{m}$

Proof:

- Since $a \equiv b \pmod{m}$ and $c \equiv d \pmod{m}$
- $a = km + b$ for some integer k and $c = lm + d$ for some integer l
- Then $a + c = km + b + lm + d$.
- So $a + c = (k + l)m + b + d$
- Since $k + l$ is an integer, so done.

Modular Arithmetic (Addition / Subtraction)

- Similarly for subtraction
- If $a \equiv b \pmod{m}$ and $c \equiv d \pmod{m}$, we have $a - c \equiv b - d \pmod{m}$

Proof:

- Since $a \equiv b \pmod{m}$ and $c \equiv d \pmod{m}$
- $a = km + b$ for some integer k and $c = lm + d$ for some integer l
- Then $a + c = km + b - (lm + d)$.
- So $a + c = (k - l)m + b - d$
- Since $k - l$ is an integer, so done.

Modular Arithmetic (Multiplication)

- If $a \equiv b \pmod{m}$, for any integers x , we have $ax \equiv bx \pmod{m}$

Proof:

- Since $a \equiv b \pmod{m}$
 - $a = km + b$ for some integer k
 - Then $ax = (km + b)x = (kx)m + bx$.
 - Since kx is an integer, so done.
-
- In fact, we have $ax \equiv bx \pmod{mx}$ as well. (Here we need $x > 0$)

Modular Arithmetic (Division)

- For any integers c , If $ac \equiv bc \pmod{m}$, it is not necessary that $a \equiv b \pmod{m}$. WHY? Any counter-example?
- $6 \equiv 2 \pmod{4}$ but $3 \not\equiv 1 \pmod{4}$
- When does it hold?

Modular Arithmetic (Division)

- Suppose $ac \equiv bc \pmod{m}$
- We have $ac = km + bc$ for some integer k
- $a = \frac{k}{c}m + b$
- So if $\frac{k}{c}$ is an integer, then we will have $a \equiv b \pmod{m}$
- This is true when c and m are co-prime, or we say $\gcd(c, m) = 1$

Modular Arithmetic (Division)

- Suppose $ac \equiv bc \pmod{mc}$
- We have $ac = kmc + bc$ for some integer k
- $a = k \left(\frac{mc}{c} \right) + b = km + b$
- So if $ac \equiv bc \pmod{mc}$, then $a \equiv b \pmod{m}$.

Modular Arithmetic (Division)

- Suppose $ac \equiv bc \pmod{m}$
- We have $ac = km + bc$ for some integer k
- $$\frac{ac}{\gcd(c,m)} = k \left(\frac{m}{\gcd(c,m)} \right) + \frac{bc}{\gcd(c,m)}$$
- So we have
$$\frac{ac}{\gcd(c,m)} \equiv \frac{bc}{\gcd(c,m)} \pmod{\frac{m}{\gcd(c,m)}}$$
- Since $\frac{c}{\gcd(c,m)}$ and $\frac{m}{\gcd(c,m)}$ must be co-prime
- So we have
$$a \equiv b \pmod{\frac{m}{\gcd(c,m)}}$$

Modular Inverse (Introduction)

- What is an inverse of a generally?
- Answer: a^{-1} . (Property: $a \times a^{-1} = 1$)

- For any integer a ,
you want to find an integer b such that $ab \equiv 1 \pmod{m}$.
- We may call $b \equiv a^{-1} \pmod{m}$.
(b is **the** modular inverse of a modulo m)
- We can do division by using modular inverse.
- $ax \equiv c \pmod{m} \rightarrow a^{-1}ax \equiv x \equiv a^{-1}c \pmod{m}$

Modular Inverse (Existence)

- For all integers a and positive integer m , is modular inverse of a modulo m always exists?
- NO.
 - If $a = 6$, $m = 4$, for any integers b , ab is always even
 - i.e. $ab \equiv 0 \text{ or } 2 \pmod{4} \rightarrow ab \not\equiv 1 \pmod{4}$
- Modular inverse exists if and only if a and m are co-prime.
 - (i.e. $\gcd(a, m) = 1$)
- If m is a prime while a is not a multiple of m then modular inverse of a exists.

Modular Inverse (Extended Euclidean Algorithm)

- How can we find modular inverse of a modulo m ?
- Recall the Extended Euclidean Algorithm we have talked before
- Extended Euclidean Algorithm: We can always find at least one integral solution for x, y such that $ax + my = \gcd(a, m)$.
- If $\gcd(a, m) = 1$, then $ax + my = 1 \Rightarrow ax = (-y)m + 1$
 $\Rightarrow ax \equiv 1 \pmod{m}$
- Therefore, $a^{-1} \equiv x \pmod{m}$

Modular Arithmetic (Caution!)

- Take care of the sign of the dividend when writing programs.
- If the dividend is negative, the remainder becomes non-positive!
- $-5 \equiv 2 \pmod{7}$, but $-5 \bmod 7$ (or $-5 \% 7$) gives results -5 .

- Hence, when you may need to write this:

$$((a \% b) + b) \% b$$

Finding Primes (Introduction)

- Prime number p : A positive Number which contains exactly 2 positive divisors. (Note that 1 is not a prime)
- Hence, if $p = ab$, where a and b are positive integers and $a \leq b$, we have: $a = 1$ and $b = p$.
- Property: If $p \mid ab$, then we have $p \mid a$ or $p \mid b$. (Euclid's Lemma)
- Prime numbers: 2, 3, 5, 7, 11, 13, 17, 19, 23, 29, ...

Finding Primes (Wilson's Theorem)

- $(p - 1)! \equiv -1 \pmod{p}$ if and only if p is a prime.
- i.e. $(p - 1)! + 1$ is divisible by p if and only if p is a prime.
- This is only an interesting fact for prime, but this cannot help us to find prime very quickly.

- If you are interested in this and want to see the proof, you can always google or wiki it.

Finding Primes (Checking)

Task 5.1

- How to check whether p is a prime? $1 \leq p \leq 10^9$
- Notice that: p only contains exactly two positive divisors 1 and p .

Checking Primes (Code #1)

```
for (int i = 2; i < p; i++)  
    if (p % i == 0)  
        return false;  
return true;
```

- Time complexity: $O(p)$
- Not fast enough for $1 \leq p \leq 10^9$
- Any suggestion?

Checking Primes (Code #2)

```
for (int i = 2; i * i <= p; i++)  
    if (p % i == 0)  
        return false;  
return true;
```

Never forget this =



- Time complexity: $O(\sqrt{p})$ 😊
- Why can we do this?
- Because if p is divisible by some k where $\sqrt{p} < k < p$
- Then p is also divisible by $\frac{p}{k}$ where $1 < \frac{p}{k} < \sqrt{p}$

Find Primes (Prime List)

Task 5.2

- Generate a prime number list in the range of $[1, 10^6]$
- You may want to apply your method in the last slide. (Code #2)

```
for (int j = 1; j <= 1000000; j++)  
    if (is_prime(j)) output j // (Using Code #2)
```

- Time complexity: $O(n\sqrt{n})$ not fast enough ☹️

Find Primes (Sieve of Eratosthenes)

- For any composite number (i.e. non-prime number greater than 1), it is divisible by some prime number.
- For any prime number, the only prime divisor is itself.
- We may store a list of prime numbers we have found.
- For each integer, check if it is divided by any of prime numbers found.
- If not, then it means it is a prime, and add it to the prime list.
- We may store an array of Boolean values $Comp[i]$ which indicates whether i is a known composite number

Find Primes (Sieve of Eratosthenes)

Prime List (List all number first!)									
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30
31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40
41	42	43	44	45	46	47	48	49	50
51	52	53	54	55	56	57	58	59	60
61	62	63	64	65	66	67	68	69	70
71	72	73	74	75	76	77	78	79	80
81	82	83	84	85	86	87	88	89	90
91	92	93	94	95	96	97	98	99	100

Find Primes (Sieve of Eratosthenes)

Prime List (Eliminating 1)									
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30
31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40
41	42	43	44	45	46	47	48	49	50
51	52	53	54	55	56	57	58	59	60
61	62	63	64	65	66	67	68	69	70
71	72	73	74	75	76	77	78	79	80
81	82	83	84	85	86	87	88	89	90
91	92	93	94	95	96	97	98	99	100

Find Primes (Sieve of Eratosthenes)

Prime List (Eliminating multiples of 2 except 2)									
	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30
31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40
41	42	43	44	45	46	47	48	49	50
51	52	53	54	55	56	57	58	59	60
61	62	63	64	65	66	67	68	69	70
71	72	73	74	75	76	77	78	79	80
81	82	83	84	85	86	87	88	89	90
91	92	93	94	95	96	97	98	99	100

Find Primes (Sieve of Eratosthenes)

Prime List (Eliminating multiples of 3 except 3)									
	2	3		5		7		9	
11		13		15		17		19	
21		23		25		27		29	
31		33		35		37		39	
41		43		45		47		49	
51		53		55		57		59	
61		63		65		67		69	
71		73		75		77		79	
81		83		85		87		89	
91		93		95		97		99	

Find Primes (Sieve of Eratosthenes)

Prime List (Eliminating multiples of 5 except 5)									
	2	3		5		7			
11		13				17		19	
		23		25				29	
31				35		37			
41		43				47		49	
		53		55				59	
61				65		67			
71		73				77		79	
		83		85				89	
91				95		97			

Find Primes (Sieve of Eratosthenes)

Prime List (Eliminating multiples of 7 except 7)									
	2	3		5		7			
11		13				17		19	
		23						29	
31						37			
41		43				47		49	
		53						59	
61						67			
71		73				77		79	
		83						89	
91						97			

Find Primes (Sieve of Eratosthenes)

Prime List (Done since $11 \times 11 > 100$)									
	2	3		5		7			
11		13				17		19	
		23						29	
31						37			
41		43				47			
		53						59	
61						67			
71		73						79	
		83						89	
						97			

Generating Prime List (Code #3)

```
// Initialize integer array comp[] = {0};  
for (int i = 2; i <= n; i++) {  
    if (comp[i] == false) {  
        // output i OR store it into prime list;  
        for (int j = i + i; j <= n; j += i)  
            comp[j] = true;  
    }  
}
```

Find Primes (Prime Factorization)

- Using Sieve of Eratosthenes:
- When we mark an integer as composite, store the current prime divisor i (it is the smallest prime divisor of j)
- For each integer, we can get the smallest prime divisor instantly.
- Get the factorization recursively

Factorial Factors (Introduction)

Task 6.1

- In this section, we are interested to find the highest power of p such that it divides $n!$, where p is a prime.
- Input a prime p and a positive integer n
- Output the highest power k such that $p^k \mid n!$
- Do you still remember how to compute $n!$?

Factorial Factors (Code #1)

```
int num = factorial(n); // factorial(n) = n!  
int k = 0;  
while (num % p == 0) {  
    k++;  
    num = num / p;  
}  
return k;
```

Subtask 1: $1 \leq n \leq 10$ Accepted 😊

Subtask 2: $1 \leq n \leq 10^6$ Wrong Answer 😞

Subtask 3: $1 \leq n \leq 10^9$ Wrong Answer 😞

Factorial Factors (Observation)

- By definition, $n! = 1 \times 2 \times 3 \times 4 \times \cdots \times (n - 2) \times (n - 1) \times n$.

MATHEMATICS PART:

- If $C = A \times B$, where the highest power of p to A and B are x and y respectively, i.e. $p^x \mid A$ and $p^y \mid B$. Then the highest power of p to C is $x + y$.

Factorial Factors (Code #2)

```
int k = 0;
for (int i = 1; i <= n; i++) {
    int num = i;
    while (num % p == 0) {
        k++;
        num = num / p;
    }
}
return k;
```

Time complexity: $O(n \log n)$

Subtask 1: $1 \leq n \leq 10$ Accepted 😊

Subtask 2: $1 \leq n \leq 10^6$ Accepted 😊

Subtask 3: $1 \leq n \leq 10^9$ TLE 😞

Factorial Factors (Example)

Example: $n = 20$ and $k = 2$

Divisibility	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
2		✓		✓		✓		✓		✓		✓		✓		✓		✓		✓
4				✓				✓				✓				✓				✓
8								✓								✓				
16																✓				
Highest power	0	1	0	2	0	1	0	3	0	1	0	2	0	1	0	4	0	1	0	2

Sum of Highest Powers = 18.

Factorial Factors (Observation)

- Is there another way to come up the result 18?
- (Or equivalently, any other way to count the number of ticks?)

- Instead of counting the number of ticks per column
- why don't we count it per row, which is meaningful

- Row r represents: the number of integers between 1 and 20 in which they are divisible by 2^r

Factorial Factors (Conclusion)

- Row r represents: the number of integers between 1 and n in which they are divisible by p^r
- How many? It's easy! 😊
- Answer: $\left\lfloor \frac{n}{p^r} \right\rfloor$

Factorial Factors (Code #3)

```
int k = 0;
while (n) {
    n /= p;
    k += n;
}
return k;
```

Time complexity: $O(\log n)$

Subtask 1: $1 \leq n \leq 10$ Accepted 😊

Subtask 2: $1 \leq n \leq 10^6$ Accepted 😊

Subtask 3: $1 \leq n \leq 10^9$ Accepted 😊

$$\text{Answer} = \left\lfloor \frac{n}{p} \right\rfloor + \left\lfloor \frac{n}{p^2} \right\rfloor + \left\lfloor \frac{n}{p^3} \right\rfloor + \dots = \sum_{i=1}^{\infty} \left\lfloor \frac{n}{p^i} \right\rfloor$$

Factorial Factors (Upgraded Exercise)

Task 6.2

- Find the highest power of m such that it divides $n!$, where m is an integer > 1
- Input an integer $m (> 1)$ and a positive integer n .
- Output the highest power m such that $m^k \mid n!$
- Hint: Prime Factorization of m .
- Application:
 - Finding the trailing zeros of $n!$, modular arithmetic with modulo power of m .

High Precision Arithmetic (H.P.A.) (Introduction)

- 32-bit integers: $-2^{31} \leq n < 2^{31}$.
 - [-2 147 483 648, 2 147 483 647]
- 64-bit integers: $-2^{63} \leq n < 2^{63}$.
 - [-9 223 372 036 854 775 808, 9 223 372 036 854 775 807]
- What if you are asking to read any integers which consists of ≥ 20 digits...

High Precision Arithmetic (H.P.A.) (Introduction)

- Use the number as a string. Use an array to store each digit.
- Operations:
 - Comparison
 - Addition
 - Subtraction
 - Multiplication (e.g. Factorial)
 - Division / Remainder
- Beware of Carrying & Borrowing! 😞

High Precision Arithmetic (H.P.A.) (Selection of Base)

- Numerical System in Base n . (n 進制)
- How should we select the value of n ?

- Power of 2: Save memory
- Power of 10: Easy Input / Output 😊
 - 1 000 or 10 000: for 16-bit integer array
 - 10^9 : for 32-bit integer array

High Precision Arithmetic (H.P.A.) (More!)

- How to store the following:
 - Negative numbers?
 - Fraction?
 - Floating-point numbers?

The end