

Several problems in elementary number theory

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ABSTRACT: We will give a character of indefinite equation and a solution of unitary congruence equation and quadratic congruence equation, reveal the relation among the original root of Odd prime Numbers, the Simplified residue system and Square residual.

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I. PYTHAGOREAN NUMBER

Theorem 1. $x, y, z \in \mathbb{Z}_+$ (\mathbb{Z} is set of integers), $x > 2$, equation $x^2 + y^2 = z^2$ (I), at least has a group of solution.

Proof. $x^2 - z^2 = (z+y)(z-y)$.

(i) when $x=2m+1$, $m \in \mathbb{Z}_+$, m such that $(z+y)(z-y)=(2m+1)^2$ holds.

Set $z-y=1$, $z+y=(2m+1)^2$, we have $x=2m+1$, $y=2m^2+2m$, $z=2m^2+2m+1$.

(ii) when $x=2m$, and $m \geq 2$, m such that $(z+y)(z-y)=4m^2$ holds.

Set $z-y=2$, $z+y=2m^2$, we have $x=2m$, $y=m^2-1$, $z=m^2+1$. \square

Satisfied (I) Three positive integers x, y and z are called *Pythagorean number*.

Example 1. Write Check Pythagorean number based on the following number.

(1) 37, (2) 40.

Answer: (1) Set $x=2m+1=37$, we have $m=18$. $y=2m^2+2m=684$, $z=y+1=685$.

Then $37^2 + 684^2 = 685^2$;

Set $z=2m^2+2m+1=37$, then $m \notin \mathbb{Z}$; Set $y=m^2-1=37$, then $m \notin \mathbb{Z}$;

Set $z=m^2+1=37$, we have $m=6$. $x=12$, $y=35$. Then $12^2 + 35^2 = 37^2$.

Therefore, we can have two groups of Check Pythagorean number.

(2) Set $x^2 = (2m)^2 = 4m^2 = 1 \times 1600 = 2 \times 800 = 4 \times 400 = 5 \times 320 = 8 \times 200 = 10 \times 160 = 16 \times 100 = 20 \times 80 = 25 \times 64 = 32 \times 50 = 40 \times 40$.

Set $z-y=2$, $z+y=2m^2=800$, we have $x=40$, $y=399$, $z=401$;

Set $z-y=4$, $z+y=2m^2=400$, we have $x=40$, $y=198$, $z=202$;

Set $z-y=8$, $z+y=2m^2=200$, we have $x=40$, $y=96$, $z=104$;

Set $z-y=10$, $z+y=2m^2=160$, we have $x=40$, $y=75$, $z=85$;

Set $z-y=16$, $z+y=2m^2=100$, we have $x=40$, $y=42$, $z=58$;

Set $z-y=20$, $z+y=2m^2=80$, we have $x=40$, $y=30$, $z=50$;

Set $z-y=32$, $z+y=2m^2=50$, we have $x=40$, $y=9$, $z=41$;

Set $z=m^2+1=5$, $m=2$, we have $4^2 + 3^2 = 5^2$, $32^2 + 24^2 = 40^2$. $x=32$, $y=24$, $z=40$.

Therefore, we can write 8 groups of Check Pythagorean number based on 40.

Theorem 2 $x, y, z, l \in \mathbb{Z}_+$, equation $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = l^2$ at least has a group of solution.

Proof. $1^2 + 2^2 + 2^2 = 3^2$; $x > 2$, by the theorem 1,

$x^2 + y^2 = z_1^2$, $z_1 > 2$. $z_1^2 + z^2 = l^2$. we have $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = l^2$. \square

$x \geq 3$,

$$\begin{cases} x=2m+1 \\ y=2m^2+2m \\ z=\frac{1}{2}[(2m^2+2m+1)^2-1] \\ l=\frac{1}{2}[(2m^2+2m+1)^2+1]; \end{cases} \quad \begin{cases} x=2m(m \text{ is an even number}) \\ y=m^2-1 \\ z=\frac{1}{2}[(m^2+1)^2-1] \\ l=\frac{1}{2}[(m^2+1)^2+1]; \end{cases} \quad \begin{cases} x=2m(m \text{ is an odd number of}) \\ y=m^2-1 \\ z=\frac{1}{4}(m^2+1)^2-1 \\ l=\frac{1}{4}(m^2+1)^2+1. \end{cases}$$

Theorem 3 $x_i \in \mathbb{Z}_+$, $n \geq 3$, equation $x_1^2 + x_2^2 + \dots + x_n^2 = x_{n+1}^2$ at least has a group of solution.

II. CONGRUENCE THEORY

Prove the theorem 4 using Congruence theory.

Theorem 4. If $a, b \in \mathbb{Z}$, and not both are 0, Then there exist $s, x, y \in \mathbb{Z}$ such that $ax+by=(a, b)$ holds.

Proof. Form $ax+by=(a, b)$, we have $\frac{a}{(a,b)}x + \frac{b}{(a,b)}y = 1$, mark $m = \frac{a}{(a,b)}$, $n = \frac{b}{(a,b)}$, then we have $mx+ny=1$.

Suppose that A is complete residue system of m , Since $(m, n)=1$, nA is also the complete residue system of m , then there exists na_i and 1 in A such that $na_i \equiv 1 \pmod{m}$ holds. Take $y=a_i$, then $x=\frac{1-ny}{m} \in \mathbb{Z}$.

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III. ONE-PLACE CONGRUENT EQUATION SOLUTION

3.1. Prime Number Module of Higher Degree Congruence Equation

Lemma 1. (*J.L.Lagrange theorem*) $n (< p)$ congruence equation $f(x) \equiv 0 \pmod{p}$ ($(p, a_n)=1$) (II), necessary and sufficient condition of n different solutions is: $x^p - x \equiv q(x)f(x) \pmod{p}$.

Theorem 5. $n (< p)$ congruence equation $f(x) \equiv 0 \pmod{p}$ (II), necessary and sufficient condition of having a solution:

$$f(x) = q(x)r(x) \equiv 0 \pmod{p}, \text{ and } x^p - x = g(x)f(x) + r(x) \equiv 0 \pmod{p}.$$

If the degree of $r(x)$ is m , (II) has m different solutions. $m \leq n$.

Proof. $f(x) = q(x)r(x) \equiv 0 \pmod{p}$, $x^p - x = g(x)f(x) + r(x) \equiv r(x)[g(x)q(x)+1] \equiv 0 \pmod{p}$. By the lemma 1, $r(x) \equiv 0 \pmod{p}$ has m different solutions. So (II) has m different solutions. Necessary is obvious. □

Example 2. Solve equation $f(x) \equiv 0 \pmod{7}$.

$$f(x) = 2x^{17} + 6x^{16} + x^{14} + 5x^{12} + 3x^{11} + 2x^{10} + x^9 + 5x^8 + 2x^7 + 3x^5 + 4x^4 + 6x^3 + 4x^2 + x + 4.$$

Answer: $f(0) \not\equiv 0 \pmod{7}$, $f(x) \equiv (x^6 - 1)g_1(x) + r_1(x) \pmod{7}$. We have,

$$g_1(x) = 2x^{11} - x^{10} + x^8 - 2x^6 - 2x^5 + x^4 + x^3 - x^2 + 2x - 2, \quad r_1(x) = x^5 - 2x^4 + 3x^2 + 3x + 2.$$

$$x^6 - 1 \equiv r_1(x)g_2(x) + r_2(x) \pmod{7}. \text{ where, } g_2(x) = x + 2, \quad r_2(x) \equiv x^4 + x^3 + 3x^2 - 2x - 3 \pmod{7}.$$

$$r_1(x) \equiv r_2(x)g_3(x) \pmod{7}, \text{ so } r_3(x) \equiv 0 \pmod{7}.$$

The solution of $r_2(x) \equiv 0 \pmod{7}$ is different with the solution of $f(x) \equiv 0 \pmod{7}$.

$$x^6 - 1 \equiv (x^2 - x - 2)r_2(x) \pmod{7}, \text{ the solution of } x^3 - x^2 - 2x \equiv 0 \pmod{7} \text{ is } x \equiv 0, -1, 2 \pmod{7}.$$

The different solutions of $f(x) \equiv 0 \pmod{7}$ is complementary with the solution of $x^3 - x^2 - 2x \equiv 0 \pmod{7}$.

The different solutions of $f(x) \equiv 0 \pmod{7}$ is $x \equiv 1, -2, \pm 3 \pmod{7}$.

3.2. Equations $\begin{cases} x \equiv a \pmod{m} \\ x \equiv b \pmod{n} \end{cases}$ (III), the necessary and sufficient conditions for solvability

Theorem 6. Equations $\begin{cases} x \equiv a \pmod{m} \\ x \equiv b \pmod{n} \end{cases}$ (III), the necessary and sufficient conditions for solvability is: $a + mt \equiv b \pmod{n}$ (or $b + nt \equiv a \pmod{m}$), $t \in \mathbb{Z}$.

if so, the solution is (III) $x \equiv a + mt \pmod{[m, n]}$ (or $x \equiv b + nt \pmod{[m, n]}$).

Proof. $x \equiv b \equiv a + mt \pmod{n}$, $x \equiv a + mt \pmod{m}$. so $x \equiv a + mt \pmod{[m, n]}$.

$x \equiv a + mt \pmod{[m, n]}$, so $x \equiv a + mt \pmod{n}$, and $x \equiv b \pmod{n}$. so $a + mt \equiv b \pmod{n}$. \square

Theorem 7. Equations $\begin{cases} x \equiv b_1 \pmod{m_1} \\ \dots \\ x \equiv b_n \pmod{m_n} \end{cases}$ (IV), the necessary and sufficient conditions for solvability

is: $b_1 + m_1 t_1 + [m_1, m_2] t_2 + \dots + [m_1, m_2, \dots, m_i] t_i \equiv b_{i+1} \pmod{m_{i+1}}$, $i = 1, 2, \dots, n-1$.

If so, the solution of (IV) is: $x \equiv b_1 + m_1 t_1 + [m_1, m_2] t_2 + \dots + [m_1, m_2, \dots, m_{n-1}] t_{n-1} \pmod{[m_1, m_2, \dots, m_n]}$.

Proof. by the theorem 6, $n=1, 2$ the proposition is true. If $n=k$ we suppose the proposition is true.

The solution of (IV) is: $x \equiv b_1 + m_1 t_1 + [m_1, m_2] t_2 + \dots + [m_1, m_2, \dots, m_{k-1}] t_{k-1} \pmod{[m_1, m_2, \dots, m_k]}$.

t_{k-1} satisfy $b_1 + m_1 t_1 + [m_1, m_2] t_2 + \dots + [m_1, m_2, \dots, m_{k-1}] t_{k-1} \equiv b_k \pmod{m_k}$. $n=k+1$, we have

$$\begin{cases} x \equiv b_{k+1} \pmod{m_{k+1}} \\ x \equiv b_1 + m_1 t_1 + [m_1, m_2] t_2 + \dots + [m_1, m_2, \dots, m_{k-1}] t_{k-1} \pmod{[m_1, m_2, \dots, m_k]} \end{cases} \quad (+)$$

By theorem 6, t_k the solution of $b_1 + m_1 t_1 + [m_1, m_2] t_2 + \dots + [m_1, m_2, \dots, m_i] t_i \equiv b_{i+1} \pmod{m_{i+1}}$. (+) is the solution of (IV), then the solution of (IV) is:

$$x \equiv b_1 + m_1 t_1 + [m_1, m_2] t_2 + \dots + [m_1, m_2, \dots, m_k] t_k \pmod{[m_1, m_2, \dots, m_{k+1}]}$$

Then $n=k+1$, the proposition is true. \square

Example 3. Solve the system $\begin{cases} x \equiv 1 \pmod{15} \\ x \equiv -2 \pmod{12} \\ x \equiv 6 \pmod{10} \end{cases}$.

Answer: $1+15 t_1 \equiv -2 \pmod{12}$, $t_1 = -1$; $1+15 t_1 + 60 t_2 \equiv 6 \pmod{10}$, $t_2 = 0$.

the solution for the system is $x \equiv 1 - 15 \equiv -14 \equiv 46 \pmod{60}$.

3.3. Congruent equations group Mode expansion

$f(x) = \sum_{i=0}^n a_i x^{n-i}$, $a_i \in \mathbf{Z}$, $a_0 \neq 0$, $(a_0, a_1, \dots, a_n) = 1$, $f(x)$ for the simplest polynomial with integer

coefficients.

Theorem 8. For System $\begin{cases} f \equiv r_1 \pmod{m} \\ f \equiv r_2 \pmod{n} \end{cases}$ (V), it has solution when satisfy the necessary and sufficient

condition: $mt + r_1 \equiv r_2 \pmod{n}$ (or $nt + r_2 \equiv r_1 \pmod{m}$).

The solution for system (V) is $f \equiv mk + r_1 \equiv r_2 \pmod{[m, n]}$.

NOTICE: Here, f , r_1 , r_2 , t , m , n is the minimalist integral coefficient polynomial, $\partial^\circ r_1 < \partial^\circ m$, $\partial^\circ r_2 < \partial^\circ n$ ($\partial^\circ f(x)$ for the number of x).

Proof. set $f \equiv r_2 \equiv mt + r_1 \pmod{n}$, $x \equiv mt + r_1 \pmod{m}$. such that: $f \equiv mt + r_1 \pmod{[m, n]}$.

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Example 4. Solve the system $\begin{cases} f(x) \equiv r_1 \pmod{g_1(x)} \\ f(x) \equiv r_2 \pmod{g_2(x)} \\ f(x) \equiv r_3 \pmod{g_3(x)} \end{cases}$

Here, $r_1(x) = 13x^2 - 8x + 26$, $g_1(x) = x^3 + 2x^2 + 3$; $r_2(x) = 105x - 60$, $g_2(x) = x^2 - 4x + 2$; $r_3(x) = 52$, $g_3(x) = x + 2$.

Answer: Set $g_1(x) p(x) + r_1(x) \equiv r_2 \pmod{g_2(x)}$, it is $(22x - 9) p(x) - 61x + 60 \equiv 0 \pmod{g_2(x)}$, then we have: $-61x + 60 \not\equiv 0 \pmod{g_2(x)}$, $\partial^\circ(22x - 9) = 1$, $\partial^\circ(g_2(x)) = 2$.

Set $p(x) = ax + b$, we have: $(22x - 9)(ax + b) - 61x + 60 \equiv 22ax^2 - (9a - 22b + 61)x - (9b - 60) \equiv c(x^2 - 4x + 2) \pmod{g_2(x)}$, because $22a = c$, $9a - 22b + 61 = 4c$, $9b - 60 = -2c$, then we have $a = 3$, $b = -8$, therefore $p(x) = 3x - 8$.

So the solution for equations (1)&(2) is $f(x) \equiv g_1(x) p(x) + r_1(x) \equiv 3x^4 - 2x^3 - 3x^2 + x + 2 \pmod{g_1(x)g_2(x)}$,

because $3x^4 - 2x^3 - 3x^2 + x + 2 \equiv 52 \pmod{g_3(x)}$, the solution for the system is $f(x) \equiv 3x^4 - 2x^3 - 3x^2 + x + 2 \pmod{g_1(x)g_2(x)g_3(x)}$.

IV. THE SOLUTION OF QUADRATIC CONGRUENCE EQUATION

4.1. The solution of quadratic congruence equation for a odd prime module

Theorem 9. p is a prime number, for equations, $x^2 \equiv b \pmod{p}$ (VI), $x \equiv \pm \frac{p-1}{2} \pmod{p}$ (VII),

(VII) is the a solution of (VI) , here: $p=4n+1$, $b=-\frac{p-1}{4}$; $p=4n+3$, $b=\frac{p+1}{4}$.

Proof. (i) $p=4n+1$, $x^2-b \equiv \frac{(p-1)^2}{4} + \frac{p-1}{4} \equiv \frac{p(p-1)}{4} \equiv 0 \pmod{p}$;
 (ii) $p=4n+3$, $x^2-b \equiv \frac{(p-1)^2}{4} - \frac{p+1}{4} \equiv \frac{p(p-3)}{4} \equiv 0 \pmod{p}$.

From Lemma 1, (VII) is the solution of (VI). \square

Definition 1. p is a prime number, then $x^2 \equiv b \pmod{p}$ is called $x \equiv \pm \frac{p-1}{2} \pmod{p}$ *benchmark equation*.

Theorem 10. p is a prime number, $(p, a)=1$, $x^2 \equiv a \pmod{p}$. (VIII)

(i) $a \equiv b \pmod{p}$, the solution of (VIII) is $x \equiv \pm \frac{p-1}{2} \pmod{p}$;

(ii) $a \not\equiv b \pmod{p}$, the necessary and sufficient condition for euqtion (VIII) has solution is $m(m+1) \equiv a-b \pmod{p}$. $m = 1, 2, \dots, n-1$.

If that, the solution for equation (VIII) is $x \equiv \pm(\frac{p-1}{2} - m) \pmod{p}$, when $p=4n+1$, $b=-\frac{p-1}{4}$; $p=4n+3$,

$$b=\frac{p+1}{4}.$$

Proof. (i) if $a \equiv b \pmod{p}$, it is obvious that equation (VII) is the solution of equation (VI) and (VIII).

(ii) if $a \not\equiv b \pmod{p}$,

$x \equiv \pm(\frac{p-1}{2} - 1) \pmod{p}$ is the solution of $x^2 \equiv b + (\frac{p-1}{2} - 1)^2 - \frac{(p-1)^2}{4} \equiv b+1 \times 2 \pmod{p}$;

$x \equiv \pm(\frac{p-1}{2} - 2) \pmod{p}$ is the solution of $x^2 \equiv b + (\frac{p-1}{2} - 2)^2 - \frac{(p-1)^2}{4} \equiv b+2 \times 3 \pmod{p}$;

$x \equiv \pm(\frac{p-1}{2} - m) \pmod{p}$ is the solution of $x^2 \equiv b + (\frac{p-1}{2} - m)^2 - \frac{(p-1)^2}{4} \equiv b+ m(m+1) \pmod{p}$, $m = 1, 2, \dots,$

$n-1$.

Therefore, $x \equiv \pm(\frac{p-1}{2} - m) \pmod{p}$ is the solution of equation (VIII). \square

$m(m+1)$ is the product of two consecutive integers, product of two consecutive integers single-digit just could be 0,2,6. In general, we need only check three numbers.

Example5. Solve these equation

$$(1) x^2 \equiv 11 \pmod{43}; \quad (2) x^2 \equiv 73 \pmod{127}.$$

Solution: (1) $\frac{p-1}{2} = 21$, $b = \frac{p+1}{4} = 11$. $x^2 \equiv 11 \pmod{43}$ is the benchmark equation for eqution $x \equiv \pm 21 \pmod{43}$.

The solution of (1) is $x \equiv \pm 21 \pmod{43}$.

(2) $\frac{p-1}{2}=63$, $b=\frac{p+1}{4}=32$. $x^2 \equiv 32 \pmod{127}$ is the benchmark equation for equation $x \equiv \pm 63 \pmod{127}$, set $m(m+1)=127k+(73-32)=127k+41$. $k_{\text{unit}}=3, 5, 7$, such that $k=7$, $127k+41=30 \times 31$, $m=30$, $\frac{p-1}{2}=30=33$, The solution of (2) is $x \equiv \pm 33 \pmod{127}$.

4.2. The solution of quadratic congruence equation for module p^k

P is a prime number, $x^2 \equiv a \pmod{p^k}$, $(p, a)=1$. (IX)

Make (IX) as below system:

$$\begin{cases} f(x) = x^2 - a \equiv 0 \pmod{p}, & \textcircled{1} \\ f(x) \equiv 0 \pmod{p^2}, & \textcircled{2} \\ \dots & \dots \\ f(x) \equiv 0 \pmod{p^k}. & \textcircled{K} \end{cases}$$

Lemma 2. Necessary and sufficient condition for equation (IX) has solution:

$$f'(x_i)p^i t_i + f(x_i) \equiv 0 \pmod{p^{i+1}}, i=1, 2, \dots, k-1.$$

Since $f'(x)=2x$, $x_1 p^i t_i + f(x_i) \equiv 0 \pmod{p^{i+1}}$. $2x_i t_i + \frac{f(x_i)}{p^i} \equiv 0 \pmod{p}$. (\star)

$(x_i, p)=1$, $(2, p)=1$, $(2x_i, p)=1$, $i=1, 2, \dots, k-1$. If equation (\star) has only two solutions, it means anyone of equations $\textcircled{1}$, $\textcircled{2}$, ..., \textcircled{K} has only two solution, then the way to get the solution of quadratic congruence equation for module p^k is the same as module p (p is a prime number).

Theorem 11. p is a prime number, $(p^k, a)=1$, $x^2 \equiv a \pmod{p^k}$ (IX)

(i) $a \equiv b \pmod{p^k}$, the solution of (IX) is $x \equiv \pm \frac{p^k - 1}{2} \pmod{p^k}$;

(ii) $a \not\equiv b \pmod{p^k}$, the necessary and sufficient condition for equation (IX) has solution is $m(m+1) \equiv a - b \pmod{p^k}$. $m=1, 2, \dots, n-1$.

If that, the solution for equation (IX) is $x = \pm(\frac{p^k - 1}{2} - m) \pmod{p^k}$, when $p^k=4n+1$, $b=-\frac{p-1}{4}$; $p^k=4n+3$,

$$b=\frac{p+1}{4}.$$

Definition2. p is a prime number, for $x \equiv \pm \frac{p^k - 1}{2} \pmod{p^k}$, $x^2 \equiv b \pmod{p^k}$ is called its *benchmark equation*.

Example 6. Solving equation $x^2 \equiv 11 \pmod{5^3}$.

Dissolve: $\frac{5^3 - 1}{2}=62$, $b=-\frac{5^3 - 1}{4}=-31$. For $x \equiv \pm 62 \pmod{5^3}$, $x^2 \equiv -31 \pmod{5^3}$ is named as its benchmark equation.

$$m(m+1)=5^3k+(a-b)=5^3k+6 \times 7. \quad k=0, m=6, \quad \frac{5^3 - 1}{2} - m=62 - 6=56.$$

The solution of the original equation is $x \equiv \pm 56 \pmod{5^3}$.

4.3. Mold is the solution of quadratic congruence equation of 2^k

$$x^2 \equiv a \pmod{2^k}, \quad (2, a)=1 \quad (\text{X}).$$

$k=1$, (X) has the unique solution $x \equiv 1 \pmod{2}$; $k=2$, the sufficient and necessary condition that (X) is of solvability is: $a \equiv 1 \pmod{2^2}$. If this, the solution of (X) is $x \equiv \pm 1 \pmod{2^2}$; $k \geq 3$, the sufficient and necessary condition that (X) is of solvability is: $a \equiv 1 \pmod{2^3}$. If this, (X) has 4 Solutions. If $x=\alpha$ is one solution of (X), then all solutions of (X) are $x \equiv \pm \alpha, \quad \pm(\alpha+2^{k-1}) \pmod{2^k}$.

Definition3. for $x \equiv \pm(2k-1) \pmod{2^k}$, $x^2 \equiv (2k-1)^2 \equiv b \pmod{2^k}$ ($k \geq 3$) is called as its *benchmark equation*.

Theorem 12. $x^2 \equiv a \pmod{2^k}$, $(2, a)=1$ (X).

(i) if $a \equiv b \pmod{(2k-1)^2}$, the solutions of equation are $x \equiv \pm(2k-1)$ and $x \equiv \pm(2k-1+2^{k-1}) \pmod{2^k}$.
 (ii) if $a \not\equiv b \pmod{2^k}$ and the necessary and sufficient condition of equation having the solution is $(m+k)(m+k-1) \equiv k(k-1) + \frac{a-b}{4} \pmod{2^{k-2}}$,

as the solutions of equation.

Proof. For $x^2 \equiv (2k-1)^2 \equiv 4k(k-1)+1 \equiv b \pmod{2^k}$ ($k \geq 3$), $x \equiv \pm(2k-1) \pmod{2^k}$ are called as its solutions of equation.

(i) if $a \equiv b \pmod{2^k}$, the solutions of equation are $x \equiv \pm(2k-1)$ and $x \equiv \pm(2k-1+2^{k-1}) \pmod{2^k}$.

(ii) if $a \not\equiv b \pmod{2^k}$ and the solution of equation is $x \equiv \pm(2k-1)+2m \pmod{2^k}$, we can get

$$[(2k-1)+2m]^2 \equiv 4(m+k)(m+k-1)+1 \equiv a \pmod{2^k}.$$

When $b-a \equiv 4k(k-1)-4(m+k)(m+k-1) \pmod{2^k}$, $k \geq 3$ and $8|(b-a)$, we have

$$(m+k)(m+k-1) \equiv k(k-1) + \frac{a-b}{4} \pmod{2^{k-2}}. \quad \square$$

$(m+k)(m+k-1)$ is called as the product of two consecutive integers; in general, only three numbers are checked out among ten numbers.

Example 7 Solve the following equation.

$$(1) x^2 \equiv 57 \pmod{2^6}; \quad (2) x^2 \equiv 145 \pmod{2^8}.$$

Solution: (1) $k=6$, $2k-1=11$, $x^2 \equiv 11^2 \equiv 57 \pmod{2^6}$ is benchmark equation of $x \equiv \pm 11 \pmod{64}$.

The solution of (1) is $x \equiv \pm 11, \pm(11+2^5) \equiv \pm 11, \pm 21 \pmod{2^6}$.

(2) $k=8$, $2k-1=15$. $x^2 \equiv 15^2 \equiv 225 \pmod{2^8}$ is benchmark equation of $x \equiv \pm 15 \pmod{256}$.

$$(m+k)(m+k-1) = (m+7)(m+8) = 2^{k-2} n + k(k-1) + \frac{a-b}{4} = 64n+36, \quad n_{unit} = 0, 4, 6.$$

$$n=6, \quad 64n+36=20 \times 21, \quad m+7=20, \quad m=13. \quad (2k-1)+2m=15+26=41.$$

$$\text{The solution of (2) is } x \equiv \pm 41, \pm(41+2^7) \equiv \pm 41, \pm 87 \pmod{2^8}.$$

4.4.The sum of the squares of the two Numbers

The prime number p is expressed as $p=x^2+y^2$ ($p=4n+1$), according to the following steps.

(1) Solve equations $x^2 \equiv -1 \pmod{p}$.

$(-1)^{\frac{p-1}{2}} = (-1)^{2n} = 1$, the equation has the solution. According to theorem 10, $x \equiv \pm x_1 \pmod{p}$ is the solutions of equation.

(2) Seek the values of x, y by Euclid algorithm.

Calculate $r=[\sqrt{p}+1]$, when $r_{n-1} < r, r_n < r, r_{n-2} > r$, make $x=r_n, y=r_{n-1}$, then $x^2+y^2=p$.

Example 8. Write 233 for the sum of the squares of the other two Numbers.

Answer: The solution of $x^2 \equiv -1 \pmod{233}$ is $x \equiv \pm 89 \pmod{233}$.

$$r=[\sqrt{233}+1]=16. \quad \text{Take } x=13, y=8, \text{ then } 233=13^2+8^2.$$

2	89, 233	
1	34, 55	1
1	13, 21	1
		8

V. ORIGINAL ROOT

5.1. The relation among original root and the simplified residue system .quadratic residue

Lemma 3 . (L.Euler criterion) Suppose p is odd prime numbers,

The necessary and sufficient condition for x is quadratic residue of mod p is:

$$x^{\frac{p-1}{2}} - 1 \equiv 0 \pmod{p};$$

The necessary and sufficient condition for x is not quadratic residue of mod p is: $x^{\frac{p-1}{2}} + 1 \equiv 0 \pmod{p}$.

Theorem 13. If $j_{(p)}$, $p_{(p)}$, $g_{(p)}$ are the sets of simplified residue system .quadratic residue and original root of odd prime numbers p , $f_{(p)} = j_{(p)} \setminus (p_{(p)} \cup g_{(p)})$ (where $j_{(p)}$ represent complementary set).as in figure 1.

(i) If $p-1=2^\alpha$, then $g_{(p)} = j_{(p)} \setminus (p_{(p)})$, that is $f_{(p)}=\emptyset$.

(ii) If $p-1=2^\alpha \prod_{i=1}^k q_i^{\beta_i}$, q_i is odd prime numbers, then $g_{(p)} = j_{(p)} \setminus (p_{(p)} \cup f_{(p)})$.

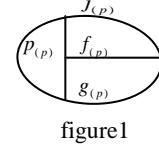


figure1

Proof. (i) $\varphi(\varphi(p)) = \varphi(p-1) = \varphi(2^\alpha) = 2^{\alpha-1}$, $\text{card}(g_{(p)}) = 2^{\alpha-1}$ (card (A)represents the numbers of set A).

$x^{p-1} - 1 = x^{2^\alpha} - 1 = (x^{2^{\alpha-1}} - 1)(x^{2^{\alpha-1}} + 1)$.From Lemma 3,

$$p_{(p)} = \{x \mid x^{2^{\alpha-1}} - 1 \equiv 0 \pmod{p}\}, \quad \text{card}(p_{(p)}) = \frac{p-1}{2} = 2^{\alpha-1}, \quad \text{card}(j_{(p)}) = p-1 = 2^\alpha.$$

$$\text{card}(j_{(p)}) - \text{card}(p_{(p)}) = 2^\alpha - 2^{\alpha-1} = 2^{\alpha-1} = \text{card}(g_{(p)}).$$

$$g_{(p)} = \{x \mid x^{2^{\alpha-1}} + 1 \equiv 0 \pmod{p}\} = j_{(p)} \setminus (p_{(p)}).$$

$$(ii) \quad \varphi(p-1) = \varphi(2^\alpha \prod_{i=1}^k q_i^{\beta_i}) = 2^{(\alpha-1)} \prod_{i=1}^k q_i^{(\beta_i-1)} \prod_{i=1}^k (q_i - 1),$$

$$x^{2^\alpha \prod_{i=1}^k q_i^{\beta_i}} - 1 = (x^{2^{(\alpha-1)} \prod_{i=1}^k q_i^{\beta_i}} - 1)(x^{2^{(\alpha-1)} \prod_{i=1}^k q_i^{\beta_i}} + 1) \cdot \text{mark } t_{(g_i)} = 2^{(\alpha-1)} \prod_{i=1}^k q_i^{\beta_i} / q_i,$$

$$x^{2^{(\alpha-1)} \prod_{i=1}^k q_i^{\beta_i}} + 1 = (x^{t(q_1)} + 1)(\sum_{i=0}^{q_1-1} (-1)^i x^{t(q_1)i}) = (x^{t(q_2)} + 1)(\sum_{i=0}^{q_2-1} (-1)^i x^{t(q_2)i}) = \dots = (x^{t(q_k)} + 1)(\sum_{i=0}^{q_k-1} (-1)^i x^{t(q_k)i}).$$

Original roots are not in $x^{t(q_i)} + 1 \equiv 0 \pmod{p}$, but in (XI).

$$g_{(x)} = \{x \mid \sum_{i=0}^{q_1-1} (-1)^i x^{t(q_1)i} \equiv 0 \pmod{p}, i=1,2, \dots, k\} = j_{(p)} \setminus (p_{(p)} \cup f_{(p)}). \quad (\text{XI}) \quad \square$$

Since q_1, q_2, \dots, q_k are co-prime, The number of equations in (XI) is not equal. From theorem 5, Seprate the factors not containing (ii) using (XI), we have $g_{(x)} \equiv 0 \pmod{p}$.

Example 9. Solve the original roots of the following numbers.

- (1) 17; (2) 211.

Answer: (1) $\varphi(\varphi(17)) = \varphi(16) = 8$. $x^{16} - 1 = (x^8 - 1)(x^8 + 1) \equiv 0 \pmod{17}$.

$$j_{(17)} = \{\pm 1, \pm 2, \dots, \pm 8\}, p_{(17)} = \{\pm 1, \pm 2, \pm 4, \pm 8\}, g_{(17)} = \{\pm 3, \pm 5, \pm 6, \pm 8\}.$$

$$(2) \quad \varphi(210) = \varphi(2) \varphi(3) \varphi(5) \varphi(7) = 48. \quad x^{210} - 1 = (x^{105} - 1)(x^{105} + 1).$$

$$x^{105} + 1 = (x^{35} + 1)(\textcircled{1}) = (x^{21} + 1)(\textcircled{2}) = (x^{15} + 1)(\textcircled{3}).$$

$$\textcircled{1} = x^{70} - x^{35} + 1; \quad \textcircled{2} = x^{84} - x^{63} + x^{42} - x^{21} + 1; \quad \textcircled{3} = x^{90} - x^{75} + x^{60} - x^{45} + x^{30} - x^{15} + 1.$$

$$\textcircled{1} \cap \textcircled{2} = x^{56} + x^{49} - x^{35} - x^{28} - x^{21} + x^7 + 1. \quad \textcircled{4}$$

$$g_{(x)} = \textcircled{3} \cap \textcircled{4} = x^{48} - x^{47} + x^{46} - x^{42} + 2x^{41} - x^{40} + x^{39} + x^{36} - x^{35} + x^{34} - x^{33} + x^{32} - x^{31} - x^{28} - x^{26} - x^{24} - x^{22} - x^{20} - x^{17} + x^{16} - x^{15} + x^{14} - x^{13} + x^{12} + x^9 - x^8 + 2x^7 - x^6 + x^5 + x^2 - x + 1 \quad \textcircled{5}.$$

The 48 original roots of 211 are in $g_{(x)} \equiv 0 \pmod{211}$.

$$x^{70} - x^{35} + 1 = (x^{14} - x^7 + 1)(x^8 + x^7 - x^5 - x^4 - x^3 + x + 1) (\textcircled{5}), j_{(211)} = \{\pm 1, \pm 2, \dots, \pm 105\}.$$

$$f_{(211)} = \{x \mid (x^{35} + 1)(x^{14} - x^7 + 1)(x^8 + x^7 - x^5 - x^4 - x^3 + x + 1) \equiv 0 \pmod{211}\}.$$

$$p_{(211)} = \{1, -2, -3, 4, 5, 6, -7, -8, 9, -10, 11, -12, 13, 14, -15, 16, -17, -18, 19, 20, 21, -22, -23, 24, 25, -26, -27, -28, -29, 30, -31, -32, -33, 34, -35, 36, 37, -38, -39, -40, -41,$$

$-42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, -48, 49, -50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, -57, 58, 59, -60, -61, 62, -63, 64, 65, 66,$
 $-67, -68, 69, 70, 71, -72, 73, -74, -75, 76, -77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, -85, -86, 87, -88, -89, -90,$
 $-91, -92, 93, -94, 95, 96, -97, -98, 99, 100, 101, -102, 103, -104, 105\}.$
 $\{x|x^{35}+1 \equiv 0 \pmod{211}\} = \{-1, -5, 8, -11, 12, -13, 18, 23, -25, 27, 28, 40, 42, -55, -58, 60, 63, -64, -65,$
 $67, 68, -71, -76, -79, 82, 86, -87, 88, 89, 90, -96, 97, 98, 102, 104\}.$
 $\{x|x^{14}-x^7+1 \equiv 0 \pmod{211}\} = \{-14, 15, 26, 31, 32, 33, -34, 38, -43, 50, -54, -73, 94, -101\}.$
 $\{x|x^8+x^7-x^5-x^4-x^3+x+1 \equiv 0 \pmod{211}\} = \{10, -19, -21, 61, 74, 77, -83, -100\}.$
 $g_{(211)} = \{2, 3, -4, -6, 7, -9, -16, 17, -20, 22, -24, 29, -30, 35, -36, -37, 39, 41, -44, -45, -46, -47, 48,$
 $-49, -51, -52, -53, -56, 57, -59, -62, -66, -69, -70, 72, 75, -78, -80, -81, -84, 85, 91, 92, -93, -95, -99, -103, -105\}.$

5.2. The application of original root in factoring

If $f(2t, d_t) = \sum_{i=0}^{2t/d_t} (-1)^i x^{2t-id_t}$, (XII) where d_t is the approximate number of t , $(4t+2d_t+1)$ is a prime number.

The index number of x is arithmetic progression with tolerance d_t and coefficient $(-1)^i$. If number of terms of (XII) is composite number, then (XII) is dissolvable. We discuss the case when the number of items of (XII) is odd prime numbers.

d_t is the approximate number of t , The index number of x is arithmetic progression with tolerance d_t , d_t are different, the tolerance of the sequence are different, the number of terms of (XII) are different. Denote $T_{(t)}$ is the number of approximate number of t , the expression number of (XII) is $T_{(t)}$.

Theorem14. if $P(P=4t+2d_t+1)$ is a prime number,

- (i) If $\varphi(4t+2d_t)=2t$, then (XII) is not decomposable;
- (ii) If $\varphi(4t+2d_t)<2t$, then (XII) is decomposable.

$$\text{Proof. (i)} \quad f(2t, d_t) = \sum_{i=0}^{2t/d_t} (-1)^i x^{2t-id_t} = \frac{x^{2t+d_t} + 1}{x^{d_t} + 1} = \frac{x^{4t+2d_t} - 1}{(x^{d_t} + 1)(x^{2t+d_t} - 1)}.$$

The original root of P is not in $x^{2t+d_t} - 1 \equiv 0 \pmod{p}$ and $x^{d_t} + 1 \equiv 0 \pmod{p}$. if (XII) can factor, then the number of the original root of (XII) is smaller than $2t$. this is contradict with $\varphi(4t+2d_t)=2t$. (i) is held.

(ii) $g(x)$ is polynomial with integer coefficients. $\varphi(4t+2d_t)<2t$, there exists polynomial with integer coefficients $f(x)$ in (XII), such that $f(2t, d_t) = f(x)g(x)$ hold. Therefore (XII) is decomposable. (ii) hold.

□

Example10. distinguish if this following formulas are decomposable, decompose those can be decomposable.

$$(1) x^{12}-x^{10}+x^8-x^6+x^4-x^2+1; \quad (2) x^{804}-x^{603}+x^{402}-x^{201}+1.$$

Answer: (1) $2(12+2)+1=29$, $\varphi(28)=12$, (1) is not decomposable.

(2) $2(804+201)+1=2011$, $\varphi(2010)=528<804$, (2) is decomposable..

$$\begin{aligned} x^{2010}-1 &= (x^{1005}-1)(x^{1005}+1), \\ x^{1005}+1 &= (x^{201}+1)(x^{804}-x^{603}+x^{402}-x^{201}+1) = (x^{335}+1)(x^{670}-x^{335}+1). \\ x^{804}-x^{603}+x^{402}-x^{201}+1 \text{ and } x^{670}-x^{335}+1 \text{ factor is } &x^{536}+x^{469}-x^{335}-x^{268}-x^{201}+x^{67}+1. \\ x^{804}-x^{603}+x^{402}-x^{201}+1 &= (x^{536}+x^{469}-x^{335}-x^{268}-x^{201}+x^{67}+1)(x^{268}-x^{201}+x^{134}-x^{67}+1). \end{aligned}$$

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初等数论的几个基础问题

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摘要: 给出不定方程 $x^2+y^2=z^2$ 的一条性质; 给出一元同余方程、二次同余方程的解; 揭示奇素数 p 的原根与简化剩余系、平方剩余的关系.

关键词: 勾股数; 一元同余方程; 二次同余方程; 原根.

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1. 勾股数

定理 1 $x, y, z \in \mathbb{Z}_+$ (\mathbb{Z} 为整数集), $x > 2$, 方程 $x^2+y^2=z^2$ (I), 至少有一组解.

证 $x^2=z^2-y^2=(z+y)(z-y)$.

(i) $x=2m+1$, $m \in \mathbb{Z}_+$ 时, $\forall m$ 使 $(z+y)(z-y)=(2m+1)^2$ 成立.

令 $z-y=1$, $z+y=(2m+1)^2$, 得到 $x=2m+1$, $y=2m^2+2m$, $z=2m^2+2m+1$.

(ii) $x=2m$, 且 $m \geq 2$ 时, $\forall m$ 使 $(z+y)(z-y)=4m^2$ 成立.

令 $z-y=2$, $z+y=2m^2$, 得到 $x=2m$, $y=m^2-1$, $z=m^2+1$. \square

满足(I)的三个正整数 x, y 和 z 叫做**勾股数**.

例 1 由下列各数写出勾股数.

(1) 37, (2) 40.

解 (1) 令 $x=2m+1=37$, 得 $m=18$. $y=2m^2+2m=684$, $z=y+1=685$. 那么 $37^2+684^2=685^2$;

令 $z=2m^2+2m+1=37$, 那么 $m \notin \mathbb{Z}$; 令 $y=m^2-1=37$, 那么 $m \notin \mathbb{Z}$;

令 $z=m^2+1=37$, 得 $m=6$. $x=12$, $y=35$. 那么 $12^2+35^2=37^2$.

所以由 37 可写出两组勾股数.

(2) 令 $x^2=(2m)^2=4m^2=1 \times 1600=2 \times 800=4 \times 400=5 \times 320=8 \times 200=10 \times 160=16 \times 100=20 \times 80=25 \times 64=32 \times 50=40 \times 40$.

令 $z-y=2$, $z+y=2m^2=800$, 那么 $x=40$, $y=399$, $z=401$;

令 $z-y=4$, $z+y=2m^2=400$, 那么 $x=40$, $y=198$, $z=202$;

令 $z-y=8$, $z+y=2m^2=200$, 那么 $x=40$, $y=96$, $z=104$;

令 $z-y=10$, $z+y=2m^2=160$, 那么 $x=40$, $y=75$, $z=85$;

令 $z-y=16$, $z+y=2m^2=100$, 那么 $x=40$, $y=42$, $z=58$;

令 $z-y=20$, $z+y=2m^2=80$, 那么 $x=40$, $y=30$, $z=50$;

令 $z-y=32$, $z+y=2m^2=50$, 那么 $x=40$, $y=9$, $z=41$;

令 $z=m^2+1=5$, $m=2$, 那么 $4^2+3^2=5^2$, $32^2+24^2=40^2$. $x=32$, $y=24$, $z=40$.

所以由 40 可写出 8 组勾股数.

定理 2 $x, y, z, l \in \mathbb{Z}_+$, 方程 $x^2+y^2+z^2=l^2$ 至少有一组解.

证 $1^2+2^2+2^2=3^2$. $x>2$, 由定理 1,

$x^2+y^2=z_1^2$, $z_1>2$; $z_1^2+z^2=l^2$. 所以 $x^2+y^2+z^2=l^2$. \square

$x \geq 3$,

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} x=2m+1 \\ y=2m^2+2m \\ z=\frac{1}{2}[(2m^2+2m+1)^2-1] \\ l=\frac{1}{2}[(2m^2+2m+1)^2+1]; \end{array} \right. \quad \left\{ \begin{array}{l} x=2m(m \text{ 是偶数}) \\ y=m^2-1 \\ z=\frac{1}{2}[(m^2+1)^2-1] \\ l=\frac{1}{2}[(m^2+1)^2+1]; \end{array} \right. \quad \left\{ \begin{array}{l} x=2m(m \text{ 是奇数}) \\ y=m^2-1 \\ z=\frac{1}{4}(m^2+1)^2-1 \\ l=\frac{1}{4}(m^2+1)^2+1. \end{array} \right.$$

定理 3 $x_i \in \mathbb{Z}_+, n \geq 3$, 方程 $x_1^2 + x_2^2 + \cdots + x_n^2 = x_{n+1}^2$ 至少有一组解.

2. 同余理论

用同余理论给定理 4 证明.

定理 4 若 $a, b \in \mathbb{Z}$, 且不全为 0, 则存在 $x, y \in \mathbb{Z}$ 使 $ax+by=(a, b)$ 成立.

证 由 $ax+by=(a, b)$, 得 $\frac{a}{(a,b)}x + \frac{b}{(a,b)}y = 1$, 记 $m = \frac{a}{(a,b)}$, $n = \frac{b}{(a,b)}$, 有 $mx+ny=1$.

设 A 是 m 的完全剩余系, 因为 $(m, n)=1$, nA 也是关于模 m 的完全剩余系. 那么 nA 中存在 na_i 与 A 中的 1 使 $na_i \equiv 1 \pmod{m}$ 成立. 取 $y=a_i$, 那么 $x=\frac{1-ny}{m} \in \mathbb{Z}$. \square

3. 一元同余方程

3.1. 素数模的高次同余方程

引理 1 (J.L.Lagrange 定理) $n (< p)$ 次同余方程 $f(x) \equiv 0 \pmod{p}$ ($(p, a_n)=1$) (II),

有 n 个不相同解的充要条件是: $x^p - x \equiv q(x)f(x) \pmod{p}$.

定理 5 $n (< p)$ 次同余方程 $f(x) \equiv 0 \pmod{p}$ (II), 有解的充要条件是:

$f(x) = q(x)r(x) \equiv 0 \pmod{p}$, 且 $x^p - x = g(x)f(x) + r(x) \equiv 0 \pmod{p}$.

如果 $r(x)$ 的次数为 m , 那么 (II) 有 m 个不相同的解. $m \leq n$.

证 $f(x) = q(x)r(x) \equiv 0 \pmod{p}$, $x^p - x = g(x)f(x) + r(x)[g(x)q(x) + 1] \equiv 0 \pmod{p}$. 由引理 1, $r(x) \equiv 0 \pmod{p}$ 有 m 个不相同的解. 即 (II) 有 m 个不相同的解. 必要性显然. \square

例 2 解方程 $f(x) \equiv 0 \pmod{7}$.

$$f(x) = 2x^{17} + 6x^{16} + x^{14} + 5x^{12} + 3x^{11} + 2x^{10} + x^9 + 5x^8 + 2x^7 + 3x^5 + 4x^4 + 6x^3 + 4x^2 + x + 4.$$

解 $f(0) \not\equiv 0 \pmod{7}$, $f(x) \equiv (x^6 - 1)g_1(x) + r_1(x) \pmod{7}$. 这里,

$$g_1(x) = 2x^{11} - x^{10} + x^8 - 2x^6 - 2x^5 + x^4 + x^3 - x^2 + 2x - 2, r_1(x) = x^5 - 2x^4 + 3x^2 + 3x + 2.$$

$$x^6 - 1 \equiv r_1(x)g_2(x) + r_2(x) \pmod{7}. \text{ 这里, } g_2(x) = x + 2, r_2(x) \equiv x^4 + x^3 + 3x^2 - 2x - 3 \pmod{7}.$$

$$r_1(x) \equiv r_2(x)g_3(x) \pmod{7}, \text{ 即 } r_3(x) \equiv 0 \pmod{7}.$$

$r_2(x) \equiv 0 \pmod{7}$ 的解是 $f(x) \equiv 0 \pmod{7}$ 不相同的解.

$$x^6 - 1 \equiv (x^2 - x - 2)r_2(x) \pmod{7} \text{ 中, } x^3 - x^2 - 2x \equiv 0 \pmod{7} \text{ 的解是 } x \equiv 0, -1, 2 \pmod{7}.$$

$f(x) \equiv 0 \pmod{7}$ 不相同的解与 $x^3 - x^2 - 2x \equiv 0 \pmod{7}$ 的解互补.

$f(x) \equiv 0 \pmod{7}$ 不相同的解是 $x \equiv 1, -2, \pm 3 \pmod{7}$.

3.2. 方程组 $\begin{cases} x \equiv a \pmod{m} \\ x \equiv b \pmod{n} \end{cases}$ (III), 有解的充要条件

定理 6 方程组 $\begin{cases} x \equiv a \pmod{m} \\ x \equiv b \pmod{n} \end{cases}$ (III), 有解的充要条件是:

$$a+mt \equiv b \pmod{n} \quad (\text{或 } b+nt \equiv a \pmod{m}), t \in \mathbb{Z}.$$

若此, (III) 的解是 $x \equiv a+mt \pmod{[m, n]}$ (或 $x \equiv b+nt \pmod{[m, n]}$).

证 $x \equiv b \pmod{n}$, $x \equiv a+mt \pmod{m}$. 那么 $x \equiv a+mt \pmod{[m, n]}$.

$x \equiv a+mt \pmod{[m, n]}$, 得 $x \equiv a+mt \pmod{n}$, 又 $x \equiv b \pmod{n}$. 则 $a+mt \equiv b \pmod{n}$. \square

定理 7, 方程组 $\begin{cases} x \equiv b_1 \pmod{m_1} \\ \dots \\ x \equiv b_n \pmod{m_n} \end{cases}$ (IV), 有解的充要条件是:

$$b_1 + m_1 t_1 + [m_1, m_2] t_2 + \dots + [m_1, m_2, \dots, m_i] t_i \equiv b_{i+1} \pmod{m_{i+1}}, i=1, 2, \dots, n-1.$$

若此, (IV) 的解是: $x \equiv b_1 + m_1 t_1 + [m_1, m_2] t_2 + \dots + [m_1, m_2, \dots, m_{n-1}] t_{n-1} \pmod{[m_1, m_2, \dots, m_n]}$.

证 由定理 6, $n=1, 2$ 时命题成立. 假定 $n=k$ 时命题成立.

(IV)解是: $x \equiv b_1 + m_1 t_1 + [m_1, m_2] t_2 + \dots + [m_1, m_2, \dots, m_{k-1}] t_{k-1} \pmod{[m_1, m_2, \dots, m_k]}$.

t_{k-1} 满足方程 $b_1 + m_1 t_1 + [m_1, m_2] t_2 + \dots + [m_1, m_2, \dots, m_{k-1}] t_{k-1} \equiv b_k \pmod{m_k}$. $n=k+1$ 时, 得

$$\begin{cases} x \equiv b_{k+1} \pmod{m_{k+1}} \\ x \equiv b_1 + m_1 t_1 + [m_1, m_2] t_2 + \dots + [m_1, m_2, \dots, m_{k-1}] t_{k-1} \pmod{[m_1, m_2, \dots, m_k]} \end{cases} \quad (\dagger)$$

由定理 6, t_k 满足方程 $b_1 + m_1 t_1 + [m_1, m_2] t_2 + \dots + [m_1, m_2, \dots, m_i] t_i \equiv b_{i+1} \pmod{m_{i+1}}$. (\dagger) 的解就是(IV)的解,

从而(IV)的解是:

$x \equiv b_1 + m_1 t_1 + [m_1, m_2] t_2 + \dots + [m_1, m_2, \dots, m_k] t_k \pmod{[m_1, m_2, \dots, m_{k+1}]}$.

即 $n=k+1$, 命题成立. \square

例 3 解方程组 $\begin{cases} x \equiv 1 \pmod{15} \\ x \equiv -2 \pmod{12} \\ x \equiv 6 \pmod{10} \end{cases}$.

解 $1+15 t_1 \equiv -2 \pmod{12}$, $t_1 = -1$; $1+15 t_1 + 60 t_2 \equiv 6 \pmod{10}$, $t_2 = 0$.

方程组的解是 $x \equiv 1 - 15 \equiv -14 \equiv 46 \pmod{60}$.

3.3. 同余方程组模的扩张

$$f(x) = \sum_{i=0}^n a_i x^{n-i}, a_i \in \mathbf{Z}, a_0 \neq 0, (a_0, a_1, \dots, a_n) = 1, f(x) \text{ 为最简整系数多项式.}$$

定理 8 方程组 $\begin{cases} f \equiv r_1 \pmod{m} \\ f \equiv r_2 \pmod{n} \end{cases}$ (V), 有解的充要条件是: $mt+r_1 \equiv r_2 \pmod{n}$ (或 $nt+r_2 \equiv r_1 \pmod{m}$).

若此, (V) 的解是: $f \equiv mk+r_1 \equiv r_2 \pmod{[m, n]}$.

这里, f, r_1, r_2, t, m, n 都是最简整系数多项式, $\deg r_1 < \deg m$, $\deg r_2 < \deg n$ ($\deg f(x)$ 为 x 的次数).

证 $f \equiv r_2 \pmod{n}$, $x \equiv mt+r_1 \pmod{m}$. 则 $f \equiv mt+r_1 \pmod{[m, n]}$.

$f \equiv mt+r_1 \pmod{[m, n]}$, 得 $f \equiv mt+r_1 \pmod{n}$, $f \equiv r_2 \pmod{n}$. 则 $mt+r_1 \equiv r_2 \pmod{n}$. \square

例 4 解方程组 $\begin{cases} f(x) \equiv r_1 \pmod{g_1(x)} \\ f(x) \equiv r_2 \pmod{g_2(x)} \\ f(x) \equiv r_3 \pmod{g_3(x)} \end{cases}$ ① ②. 这里

$r_1(x) = 13x^2 - 8x + 26$, $g_1(x) = x^3 + 2x^2 + 3$; $r_2(x) = 105x - 60$, $g_2(x) = x^2 - 4x + 2$; $r_3(x) = 52$, $g_3(x) = x + 2$.

解 设 $g_1(x)p(x) + r_1(x) \equiv r_2 \pmod{g_2(x)}$. 即 $(22x - 9)p(x) - 61x + 60 \equiv 0 \pmod{g_2(x)}$.

$-61x + 60 \not\equiv 0 \pmod{g_2(x)}$, $\deg(22x - 9) = 1$, $\deg(g_2(x)) = 2$. 设 $p(x) = ax + b$.

$(22x - 9)(ax + b) - 61x + 60 \equiv 22ax^2 - (9a - 22b + 61)x - (9b - 60) \equiv c(x^2 - 4x + 2) \pmod{g_2(x)}$.

由 $22a = c$, $9a - 22b + 61 = 4c$, $9b - 60 = -2c$. 得 $a = 3$, $b = -8$. 所以 $p(x) = 3x - 8$.

①, ② 的解是: $f(x) \equiv g_1(x)p(x) + r_1(x) \equiv 3x^4 - 2x^3 - 3x^2 + x + 2 \pmod{g_1(x)g_2(x)}$.

又因为 $3x^4 - 2x^3 - 3x^2 + x + 2 \equiv 52 \pmod{g_3(x)}$.

所以原方程组的解为: $f(x) \equiv 3x^4 - 2x^3 - 3x^2 + x + 2 \pmod{g_1(x)g_2(x)g_3(x)}$.

4. 二次同余方程的解

4.1. 奇素数模 p 的二次同余方程解

定理 9 $x^2 \equiv b \pmod{p}$ (VI), $x \equiv \pm \frac{p-1}{2} \pmod{p}$ (VII), (VII) 是 (VI) 的解 (p 为素数).

这里, $p = 4n+1$, $b = -\frac{p-1}{4}$; $p = 4n+3$, $b = \frac{p+1}{4}$.

证 (i) $p = 4n+1$, $x^2 - b \equiv \frac{(p-1)^2}{4} + \frac{p-1}{4} \equiv \frac{p(p-1)}{4} \equiv 0 \pmod{p}$;

$$(ii) p=4n+3, x^2-b \equiv \frac{(p-1)^2}{4} - \frac{p+1}{4} \equiv \frac{p(p-3)}{4} \equiv 0 \pmod{p}.$$

由引理 1, (VII)是(VI)的解. \square

定义 1 p 为素数, $x^2 \equiv b \pmod{p}$ 叫做 $x \equiv \pm \frac{p-1}{2} \pmod{p}$ 的**基准方程**.

定理 10 p 为素数, $(p, a)=1, x^2 \equiv a \pmod{p}$. (VIII)

(i) $a \equiv b \pmod{p}$, (VIII)的解是 $x \equiv \pm \frac{p-1}{2} \pmod{p}$.

(ii) $a \not\equiv b \pmod{p}$, (VIII)有解的充要条件是: $m(m+1) \equiv a-b \pmod{p}$. $m=1, 2, \dots, n-1$.

若此, (VIII)的解是: $x \equiv \pm \left(\frac{p-1}{2} - m \right) \pmod{p}$.

这里, $p=4n+1, b=-\frac{p-1}{4}; p=4n+3, b=\frac{p+1}{4}$.

证 (i) 当 $a \equiv b \pmod{p}$, 显然(VII)是(VI)的解也是(VIII)的解.

(ii) 当 $a \not\equiv b \pmod{p}$,

$x \equiv \pm \left(\frac{p-1}{2} - 1 \right) \pmod{p}$ 是 $x^2 \equiv b + \left(\frac{p-1}{2} - 1 \right)^2 - \frac{(p-1)^2}{4} \equiv b+1 \times 2 \pmod{p}$ 的解;

$x \equiv \pm \left(\frac{p-1}{2} - 2 \right) \pmod{p}$ 是 $x^2 \equiv b + \left(\frac{p-1}{2} - 2 \right)^2 - \frac{(p-1)^2}{4} \equiv b+2 \times 3 \pmod{p}$ 的解; ...;

$x \equiv \pm \left(\frac{p-1}{2} - m \right) \pmod{p}$ 是 $x^2 \equiv b + \left(\frac{p-1}{2} - m \right)^2 - \frac{(p-1)^2}{4} \equiv b+m(m+1) \pmod{p}$ 的解, $m=1, 2, \dots, n-1$.

所以, $x \equiv \pm \left(\frac{p-1}{2} - m \right) \pmod{p}$ 是(VIII)的解. \square

$m(m+1)$ 是两个连续整数的乘积, 两个连续整数积的个位数只是 0, 2, 6. 一般情况下, 某 10 之间只需检验 3 个数.

例 5 解下列方程.

(1) $x^2 \equiv 11 \pmod{43}$; (2) $x^2 \equiv 73 \pmod{127}$.

解 (1) $\frac{p-1}{2}=21, b=\frac{p+1}{4}=11$. $x^2 \equiv 11 \pmod{43}$ 是方程 $x \equiv \pm 21 \pmod{43}$ 的基准方程.

所以(1)的解是: $x \equiv \pm 21 \pmod{43}$.

(2) $\frac{p-1}{2}=63, b=\frac{p+1}{4}=32$. $x^2 \equiv 32 \pmod{127}$ 是 $x \equiv \pm 63 \pmod{127}$ 的基准方程.

$m(m+1)=127k+(73-32)=127k+41$. k 个位=3, 5, 7. 那么 $k=7$.

$127k+41=30 \times 31, m=30, \frac{p-1}{2}-30=33$.

(2)的解是 $x \equiv \pm 33 \pmod{127}$.

4.2. 模为 p^k 的二次同余方程的解

P 为素数, $x^2 \equiv a \pmod{p^k}, (p, a)=1$. (IX)

(IX)写成如下方程组:

$$\begin{cases} f(x) = x^2 - a \equiv 0 \pmod{p}, & ① \\ f(x) \equiv 0 \pmod{p^2}, & ② \\ \dots & \dots, \\ f(x) \equiv 0 \pmod{p^k}. & ③ \end{cases}$$

引理 2 (IX)有解的充要条件是: $f'(x_i) p^i t_i + f(x_i) \equiv 0 \pmod{p^{i+1}}$, $i=1, 2, \dots, k-1$.

由 $f'(x)=2x, x_1 p^i t_i + f(x_i) \equiv 0 \pmod{p^{i+1}}$. $2x_i t_i + \frac{f(x_i)}{p^i} \equiv 0 \pmod{p}$. (★)

$(x_i, p)=1, (2, p)=1, (2x_i, p)=1, i=1, 2, \dots, k-1$. 若(★)有解, 只有两解. 即①, ②, ..., ⑩有解且都只有两解. 这样, 模为 p 与模为 p^k 的二次同余方程有相同的解题方法.

定理 11 p 为素数, $(p^k, a)=1, x^2 \equiv a \pmod{p^k}$. (IX)

(i) 若 $a \equiv b \pmod{p^k}$, (IX) 的解是 $x = \pm \frac{p^k - 1}{2} \pmod{p^k}$;

(ii) 若 $a \not\equiv b \pmod{p^k}$, (IX) 有解的充要条件是: $m(m+1) \equiv a - b \pmod{p^k}$. $m = 1, 2, \dots, n-1$.

若此, (IX) 的解是 $x = \pm \left(\frac{p^k - 1}{2} - m \right) \pmod{p^k}$.

这里, $p^k = 4n+1, b = -\frac{p-1}{4}; p^k = 4n+3, b = \frac{p+1}{4}$.

定义 2 p 为素数, $x^2 \equiv b \pmod{p^k}$ 叫做 $x \equiv \pm \frac{p^k - 1}{2} \pmod{p^k}$ 的基准方程.

例 6 解方程 $x^2 \equiv 11 \pmod{5^3}$.

解 $\frac{5^3 - 1}{2} = 62, b = -\frac{5^3 - 1}{4} = -31. x^2 \equiv -31 \pmod{5^3}$ 是方程 $x \equiv \pm 62 \pmod{5^3}$ 的基准方程.

$$m(m+1) = 5^3 k + (a - b) = 5^3 k + 6 \times 7. \quad k=0, m=6, \quad \frac{5^3 - 1}{2} - m = 62 - 6 = 56.$$

原方程的解是 $x \equiv \pm 56 \pmod{5^3}$.

4.3. 模为 2^k 的二次同余方程的解

$x^2 \equiv a \pmod{2^k}, (2, a)=1$ (X).

$k=1$, (X) 有唯一解 $x \equiv 1 \pmod{2}$; $k=2$, (X) 有解的充要条件是: $a \equiv 1 \pmod{2^2}$. 若此, (X) 的解是 $x \equiv \pm 1 \pmod{2^2}$; $k \geq 3$, (X) 有解的充要条件是: $a \equiv 1 \pmod{2^3}$. 若此, (X) 有 4 个解. 若 $x=a$ 是(X)的一个解, (X)的所有解是 $x \equiv \pm a, \pm(a+2^{k-1}) \pmod{2^k}$.

定义 3 $x^2 \equiv (2k-1)^2 \equiv b \pmod{2^k}$ ($k \geq 3$) 叫做 $x \equiv \pm(2k-1) \pmod{2^k}$ 的基准方程.

定理 12 $x^2 \equiv a \pmod{2^k}, (2, a)=1$ (X).

(i) 若 $a \equiv b \equiv (2k-1)^2 \pmod{2^k}$, 那么(X)的解是: $x \equiv \pm(2k-1), \pm(2k-1+2^{k-1}) \pmod{2^k}$.

(ii) 若 $a \not\equiv b \pmod{2^k}$, 那么(X)有解的充要条件是:

$$(m+k)(m+k-1) \equiv k(k-1) + \frac{a-b}{4} \pmod{2^{k-2}}.$$

若此, (X) 的解是: $x \equiv \pm[(2k-1)+2m], \pm[(2k-1)+2m+2^{k-1}] \pmod{2^{k-2}}$.

证 $x \equiv \pm(2k-1) \pmod{2^k}$ 是 $x^2 \equiv (2k-1)^2 \equiv 4k(k-1)+1 \equiv b \pmod{2^k}$ ($k \geq 3$) 的解.

(i) 若 $a \equiv b \pmod{2^k}, x \equiv \pm(2k-1), \pm(2k-1+2^{k-1}) \pmod{2^k}$ 是(X)的解.

(ii) 若 $a \not\equiv b \pmod{2^k}, x \equiv \pm(2k-1)+2m \pmod{2^k}$ 是(X)的解, 则

$$[(2k-1)+2m]^2 \equiv 4(m+k)(m+k-1)+1 \equiv a \pmod{2^k}.$$

由 $b-a \equiv 4k(k-1)-4(m+k)(m+k-1) \pmod{2^k}$ 及 $k \geq 3, 8|(b-a)$, 得到

$$(m+k)(m+k-1) \equiv k(k-1) + \frac{a-b}{4} \pmod{2^{k-2}}. \quad \square$$

$(m+k)(m+k-1)$ 是两个连续整数的积, 一般情况下, 某 10 之间只需检验 3 个数.

例 7 解下列方程.

(1) $x^2 \equiv 57 \pmod{2^6}$; (2) $x^2 \equiv 145 \pmod{2^8}$.

解 (1) $k=6, 2k-1=11, x^2 \equiv 11^2 \equiv 121 \equiv 57 \pmod{2^6}$ 是 $x \equiv \pm 11 \pmod{64}$ 的基准方程.

(1) 的解是 $x \equiv \pm 11, \pm(11+2^5) \equiv \pm 11, \pm 21 \pmod{2^6}$.

(2) $k=8, 2k-1=15$. $x^2 \equiv 15^2 \equiv 225 \pmod{2^8}$ 是 $x \equiv \pm 15 \pmod{2^8}$ 的基准方程.

$$(m+k-1)(m+k) = (m+7)(m+8) = 2^{k-2} n + k(k-1) + \frac{a-b}{4} = 64n+36, \quad n \text{ 个位} = 0, 4, 6.$$

$n=6, 64n+36=20 \times 21, m+7=20, m=13. (2k-1)+2m=15+26=41$.

(2) 的解是 $x \equiv \pm 41, \pm(41+2^7) \equiv \pm 41, \pm 87 \pmod{2^8}$.

4.4. 两个数的平方和

把素数 p 表示为 $p=x^2+y^2$ ($p=4n+1$), 按如下步骤.

(1) 解方程 $x^2 \equiv -1 \pmod{p}$.

(-1) $\frac{p-1}{2} = (-1)^{2n}=1, x^2 \equiv -1 \pmod{p}$ 有解. 由定理 10, 求其解 $x \equiv \pm x_1 \pmod{p}$.

(2) 用 Euclid 算法求 x, y 的值.

计算 $r=[\sqrt{p}+1]$, 当 $r_{n-1} < r, r_n < r, r_{n-2} > r$ 时,

取 $x=r_n, y=r_{n-1}$, 则 $x^2+y^2=p$.

例 8 将 233 表作两个数的平方和.

解 $x^2 \equiv -1 \pmod{233}$ 的解是 $x \equiv \pm 89 \pmod{233}$. $r=[\sqrt{233}+1]=16$.

取 $x=13, y=8$, 则 $233=13^2+8^2$.

2	89, 233
1	34, 551
1	13, 211
	8

5. 原根

5.1. 原根与简化剩余系、平方剩余的关系

引理 3 (L.Euler 判别条件) 设 p 为奇素数,

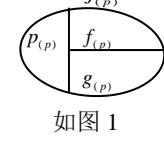
x 是模 p 的平方剩余的充要条件是: $x^{\frac{p-1}{2}} - 1 \equiv 0 \pmod{p}$;

x 是模 p 的平方非剩余的充要条件是: $x^{\frac{p-1}{2}} + 1 \equiv 0 \pmod{p}$.

定理 13 设 $j_{(p)}, p_{(p)}, g_{(p)}$ 分别是奇素数 p 的简化剩余系、平方剩余系、原根所组成的集合, $f_{(p)} = \complement_{j_{(p)}}(p_{(p)} \cup g_{(p)})$ (这里 $\complement_{j_{(p)}}$ 表示补集). 如图 1

(i) 如果 $p-1=2^\alpha$, 那么 $g_{(p)} = \complement_{j_{(p)}}(p_{(p)})$, 即 $f_{(p)} = \emptyset$.

(ii) 如果 $p-1=2^\alpha \prod_{i=1}^k q_i^{\beta_i}$, q_i 为奇素数, 那么 $g_{(p)} = \complement_{j_{(p)}}(p_{(p)} \cup f_{(p)})$.



如图 1

证 (i) $\varphi(\varphi(p)) = \varphi(p-1) = \varphi(2^\alpha) = 2^{\alpha-1}$, $\text{card}(g_{(p)}) = 2^{\alpha-1}$. ($\text{card}(A)$ 表示集合 A 元素的个数)

$x^{p-1} - 1 = x^{2^\alpha} - 1 = (x^{2^{\alpha-1}} - 1)(x^{2^{\alpha-1}} + 1)$. 由引理 3,

$$p_{(p)} = \{x | x^{2^{\alpha-1}} - 1 \equiv 0 \pmod{p}\}, \quad \text{card}(p_{(p)}) = \frac{p-1}{2} = 2^{\alpha-1}, \quad \text{card}(j_{(p)}) = p-1 = 2^\alpha.$$

$$\text{card}(j_{(p)}) - \text{card}(p_{(p)}) = 2^\alpha - 2^{\alpha-1} = 2^{\alpha-1} = \text{card}(g_{(p)})$$

$$g_{(p)} = \{x | x^{2^{\alpha-1}} + 1 \equiv 0 \pmod{p}\} = \complement_{j_{(p)}}(p_{(p)}).$$

$$(ii) \quad \varphi(p-1) = \varphi(2^\alpha \prod_{i=1}^k q_i^{\beta_i}) = 2^{(\alpha-1)} \prod_{i=1}^k q_i^{(\beta_i-1)} \prod_{i=1}^k (q_i - 1),$$

$$x^{2^\alpha \prod_{i=1}^k q_i^{\beta_i}} - 1 = (x^{2^{(\alpha-1)} \prod_{i=1}^k q_i^{\beta_i}} - 1)(x^{2^{(\alpha-1)} \prod_{i=1}^k q_i^{\beta_i}} + 1). \text{ 记 } t_{(g_i)} = 2^{(\alpha-1)} \prod_{i=1}^k q_i^{\beta_i} / q_i,$$

$$x^{2^{(\alpha-1)} \prod_{i=1}^k q_i^{\beta_i}} + 1 = (x^{t(g_1)} + 1) \left(\sum_{i=0}^{q_1-1} (-1)^i x^{t(g_1)i} \right) = (x^{t(g_2)} + 1) \left(\sum_{i=0}^{q_2-1} (-1)^i x^{t(g_2)i} \right) = \dots = (x^{t(g_k)} + 1) \left(\sum_{i=0}^{q_k-1} (-1)^i x^{t(g_k)i} \right).$$

原根不在方程组 $x^{t(q_i)} + 1 \equiv 0 \pmod{p}$ 中，在方程组(XI)中.

$$g_{(x)} = \{ x | \sum_{i=0}^{q_i-1} (-1)^i x^{t(q_i)i} \equiv 0 \pmod{p}, i=1, 2, \dots, k \} = \bigcap_{j(p)} (p_{(p)} \cup f_{(p)}). \quad (\text{XI}) \quad \square$$

因为 q_1, q_2, \dots, q_k 两两互质，(XI)中方程的次数各不相等. 由定理 5，用(XI)来分离(ii)中不含原根的因式，得 $g_{(x)} \equiv 0 \pmod{p}$.

例 9、求下列数的原根.

(1) 17; (2) 211.

解 (1) $\phi(\phi(17)) = \phi(16) = 8$. $x^{16} - 1 = (x^8 - 1)(x^8 + 1) \equiv 0 \pmod{17}$.

$$j_{(17)} = \{\pm 1, \pm 2, \dots, \pm 8\}, p_{(17)} = \{\pm 1, \pm 2, \pm 4, \pm 8\}, g_{(17)} = \{\pm 3, \pm 5, \pm 6, \pm 8\}.$$

(2) $\phi(210) = \phi(2) \phi(3) \phi(5) \phi(7) = 48$. $x^{210} - 1 = (x^{105} - 1)(x^{105} + 1)$.

$$x^{105} + 1 = (x^{35} + 1)(\textcircled{1}) = (x^{21} + 1)(\textcircled{2}) = (x^{15} + 1)(\textcircled{3}).$$

$$\textcircled{1} = x^{70} - x^{35} + 1; \textcircled{2} = x^{84} - x^{63} + x^{42} - x^{21} + 1; \textcircled{3} = x^{90} - x^{75} + x^{60} - x^{45} + x^{30} - x^{15} + 1.$$

$$\textcircled{1} \cap \textcircled{2} = x^{56} + x^{49} - x^{35} - x^{28} - x^{21} + x^7 + 1. \quad \textcircled{4}$$

$$g_{(x)} = \textcircled{3} \cap \textcircled{4} = x^{48} - x^{47} + x^{46} - x^{42} + 2x^{41} - x^{40} + x^{39} + x^{36} - x^{35} + x^{34} - x^{33} + x^{32} - x^{31} - x^{28} - x^{26} - x^{24} \\ - x^{22} - x^{20} - x^{17} + x^{16} - x^{15} + x^{14} - x^{13} + x^{12} + x^9 - x^8 + 2x^7 - x^6 + x^5 + x^2 - x + 1 \quad \textcircled{5}.$$

211 的 48 个原根在 $g_{(x)} \equiv 0 \pmod{211}$ 中.

$$x^{70} - x^{35} + 1 = (x^{14} - x^7 + 1)(x^8 + x^7 - x^5 - x^4 - x^3 + x + 1) (\textcircled{5}), j_{(211)} = \{\pm 1, \pm 2, \dots, \pm 105\}.$$

$$f_{(211)} = \{ x | (x^{35} + 1)(x^{14} - x^7 + 1)(x^8 + x^7 - x^5 - x^4 - x^3 + x + 1) \equiv 0 \pmod{211} \}.$$

$$p_{(211)} = \{1, -2, -3, 4, 5, 6, -7, -8, 9, -10, 11, -12, 13, 14, -15, 16, -17, -18, 19, 20, 21, -22, \\ -23, 24, 25, -26, -27, -28, -29, 30, -31, -32, -33, 34, -35, 36, 37, -38, -39, -40, -41, \\ -42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, -48, 49, -50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, -57, 58, 59, -60, -61, 62, -63, 64, 65, 66, \\ -67, -68, 69, 70, 71, -72, 73, -74, -75, 76, -77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, -85, -86, 87, -88, -89, -90, -91, \\ -92, 93, -94, 95, 96, -97, -98, 99, 100, 101, -102, 103, -104, 105\}.$$

$$\{x | x^{35} + 1 \equiv 0 \pmod{211}\} = \{-1, -5, 8, -11, 12, -13, 18, 23, -25, 27, 28, 40, 42, -55, -58, 60, 63, -64, -65, 67, 68, \\ -71, -76, -79, 82, 86, -87, 88, 89, 90, -96, 97, 98, 102, 104\}.$$

$$\{x | x^{14} - x^7 + 1 \equiv 0 \pmod{211}\} = \{-14, 15, 26, 31, 32, 33, -34, 38, -43, 50, -54, -73, 94, -101\}.$$

$$\{x | x^8 + x^7 - x^5 - x^4 - x^3 + x + 1 \equiv 0 \pmod{211}\} = \{10, -19, -21, 61, 74, 77, -83, -100\}.$$

$$g_{(211)} = \{2, 3, -4, -6, 7, -9, -16, 17, -20, 22, -24, 29, -30, 35, -36, -37, 39, 41, -44, -45, -46, -47, 48, -49, \\ -51, -52, -53, -56, 57, -59, -62, -66, -69, -70, 72, 75, -78, -80, -81, -84, 85, 91, 92, -93, -95, -99, -103, -105\}.$$

5.2. 原根在因式分解中的应用

$$\text{设 } f(2t, d_t) = \sum_{i=0}^{2t/d_t} (-1)^i x^{2t-id_t}. \quad (\text{XII}) \quad \text{这里 } d_t \text{ 为 } t \text{ 的约数, } (4t+2d_t+1) \text{ 是素数.}$$

x 的指数是以 d_t 为公差的等差数列，系数为 $(-1)^i$ ，如果(XII)的项数是合数，那么(XII)可分解. 下面讨论(XII)的项数是奇素数的情况.

d_t 为 t 的约数， x 的指数是以 d_t 为公差的等差数列， d_t 不同，数列的公差不同，(XII)的项数不同. 记 $T_{(t)}$ 为 t 约数数目，(XII)的表达式有 $T_{(t)}$ 个.

定理 14 设 $P(P=4t+2d_t+1)$ 是素数，

(i) 如果 $\phi(4t+2d_t)=2t$ ，那么(XII)不可分解；

(ii) 如果 $\phi(4t+2d_t) < 2t$ ，那么(XII)可分解.

$$\text{证 (i) } f(2t, d_t) = \sum_{i=0}^{2t/d_t} (-1)^i x^{2t-id_t} = \frac{x^{2t+d_t} + 1}{x^{d_t} + 1} = \frac{x^{4t+2d_t} - 1}{(x^{d_t} + 1)(x^{2t+d_t} - 1)}.$$

P 的原根不在方程 $x^{2t+d_t} - 1 \equiv 0 \pmod{p}$ 及 $x^{d_t} + 1 \equiv 0 \pmod{p}$ 中. 如果(XII)还可分解，那么(XII)中原根的数目小于 $2t$. 这与 $\phi(4t+2d_t)=2t$ 相矛盾. (i) 成立.

(ii) $g(x)$ 为整系数多项式. $\varphi(4t+2d_i) < 2t$, (XII) 中存在整系数多项式 $f(x)$, 使 $f(2t, d_i) = f(x)g(x)$ 成立. 所以 (XII) 可分解. (ii) 成立. \square

例 10 判别下列各式是否可以分解, 可分解的将其分解.

$$(1) x^{12} - x^{10} + x^8 - x^6 + x^4 - x^2 + 1; \quad (2) x^{804} - x^{603} + x^{402} - x^{201} + 1.$$

解 (1) $2(12+2)+1=29$, $\varphi(28)=12$, (1) 不可分解.

(2) $2(804+201)+1=2011$, $\varphi(2010)=528 < 804$, (2) 可分解.

$$x^{2010} - 1 = (x^{1005} - 1)(x^{1005} + 1),$$

$$x^{1005} + 1 = (x^{201} + 1)(x^{804} - x^{603} + x^{402} - x^{201} + 1) = (x^{335} + 1)(x^{670} - x^{335} + 1).$$

$x^{804} - x^{603} + x^{402} - x^{201} + 1$ 及 $x^{670} - x^{335} + 1$ 的公因式为 $x^{536} + x^{469} - x^{335} - x^{268} - x^{201} + x^{67} + 1$.

$$x^{804} - x^{603} + x^{402} - x^{201} + 1 = (x^{536} + x^{469} - x^{335} - x^{268} - x^{201} + x^{67} + 1)(x^{268} - x^{201} + x^{134} - x^{67} + 1).$$

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