

Ex: $a=4, b=3$

$$\underbrace{\gcd(4,3)}_{=1} \cdot \underbrace{\text{lcm}(4,3)}_{=12} = 4 \cdot 3 = 12$$

Ex: $a=4, b=6$

$$\underbrace{\gcd(4,6)}_{=2} \cdot \underbrace{\text{lcm}(4,6)}_{=12} = 4 \cdot 6 = 24$$

$$\gcd(a,b) \cdot \text{lcm}(a,b) = ab \rightarrow \text{lcm}(a,b) = \frac{ab}{\gcd(a,b)}$$

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

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- All HW through last week returned by tomorrow.
 - Feedback on portfolio revisions by tomorrow.
 - Usual office hour today at 3 pm.

Exam 2 - Wednesday

- Exam available on Canvas as a pdf at 11 AM
- Upload solutions as pdf by 12 pm

- Max in Zoom classroom to answer questions
- 5 problems
 - Some computation / examples
 - proofs
 - ↳ at least one by induction
 - ↳ at least one from the HW
 - ↳ at least one that's new

• Content:

• Division Algorithm

Given $n, m \in \mathbb{Z}$, there exist ^{unique} $q, r \in \mathbb{Z}$ with

$$m = qn + r \iff \frac{m}{n} = q + \frac{r}{n}$$

and $0 \leq r < n$

• GCDs

• Euclidean Algorithm

Repeated division algorithm.

$$a = q_1 b + r_1$$

$$b = q_2 r_1 + r_2$$

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Last nonzero remainder is $\gcd(a, b)$.

• Induction

• Linear Diophantine Equations

Executive Summary of LDEs

$$ax + by = c \quad a, b, c \in \mathbb{Z}$$

- This has a solution (integers x, y) if and only if (a, b) divides c . **Thm 1.48**
- If there are solutions, we can find one by
 - guessing + checking
 - reverse engineer the Euclidean alg.

$$a = q_1 b + r_1$$

$$b = q_2 r_1 + r_2$$

$$r_1 = q_3 r_2 + r_3$$

⋮

$$r_{k-1} = q_{k+1} r_k + \underline{(a, b)} \rightarrow (a, b) = r_{k-1} - q_{k+1} r_k$$

↑ solve for
↑ remainder in
↑ each eq.

- Once you have one solution, call it x_0, y_0 ,
All other solutions are

$$x = x_0 + k \cdot \frac{b}{(a, b)}$$

$$y = y_0 - k \cdot \frac{a}{(a,b)}$$

where $k \in \mathbb{Z}$. Thm 1.53.

Ex: $12x + 33y = 15$

Thm 1.40: We have solutions $\Leftrightarrow (12, 33)$ divides 15.

Euclidean Alg: $33 = 2 \cdot 12 + 9$
 $12 = 1 \cdot 9 + 3 \rightarrow (12, 33) = 3$
 $9 = 3 \cdot 3$

Since $3|15$, there will be solutions.

To find one solution: Reverse the Euclidean Alg:

$$33 = 2 \cdot 12 + 9 \rightarrow 9 = 33 - 2 \cdot 12$$
$$12 = 1 \cdot 9 + 3 \rightarrow 3 = 12 - 9$$

So

$$3 = 12 - 9$$
$$= 12 - (33 - 2 \cdot 12) = \underline{12} - 33 + \underline{2 \cdot 12}$$
$$= \underline{3 \cdot 12} - 33$$

$$5 \cdot (12(3) + 33(-1)) = (3) \cdot 5$$

$$12(15) + 33(-5) = 15$$

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Find All solutions:

$$12x + 33y = 15$$

One sol. is $x_0 = 15$, $y_0 = -5$.

Other solutions:

$$x = 15 + k \cdot \frac{33}{(12,33)}, \quad y = -5 - k \cdot \frac{12}{(12,33)}$$
$$= 15 + k \cdot 11 \quad = -5 - k \cdot 4$$

where k is any integer

x	y	
-18	7	$k = -3$
-7	3	$k = -2$
4	-1	$k = -1$
15	-5	$k = 0$
26	-9	$k = 1$
37	-13	$k = 2$
48	-17	\vdots