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$$\begin{aligned} \binom{p}{k} &= \frac{p!}{k!(p-k)!} = \frac{p(p-1)\dots 2 \cdot 1}{k!(p-k)(p-k-1)\dots 2 \cdot 1} \\ &= \frac{p(p-1)\dots(p-k+2)(p-k+1)(p-k)(p-k-1)\dots 2 \cdot 1}{k!(p-k)(p-k-1)\dots 2 \cdot 1} \\ &= \frac{p(p-1)\dots(p-k+2)(p-k+1)}{k!} \end{aligned}$$

RSA Make public (m, e)

(Private: $m = p_1 p_2$)
 $n = (p_1 - 1)(p_2 - 1)$

Condition: $\gcd(e, n) = 1$
(for RSA to work)

Private: d such that $ed = 1 \pmod{\frac{\phi}{n}}$.

$$\text{enc: } \mathbb{Z}/m\mathbb{Z} \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}/m\mathbb{Z}$$
$$x \mapsto x^e$$

$$\text{dec: } \mathbb{Z}/m\mathbb{Z} \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}/m\mathbb{Z}$$
$$y \mapsto y^d$$

RSA works if $(xe)^d = x$.

Theorem Assume $m = p_1 p_2$, with $p_1, p_2 \in \mathbb{Z} > 0$ prime, $p_1 \neq p_2$

$$n = (p_1 - 1)(p_2 - 1), \quad \boxed{\gcd(e, n) = 1.}$$

Then there exist $d, k \in \mathbb{Z}$ such that $de + kn = 1$.

Then $(xe)^d = x$.

Proof (Sketch) In $\mathbb{Z}/p_1\mathbb{Z}$,

$$\begin{aligned} (xe)^d &= \cancel{x} e^d = x^{1-kn} = x (x^n)^k \\ &= x (x^{(p_1-1)(p_2-1)})^k \\ &= x (1^{p_2-1})^k = x \cdot 1 = x. \end{aligned}$$

In $\mathbb{Z}/p_1\mathbb{Z}$
 $a^p = a$
 $a^{p-1} = 1$ (if $a \neq 0$)

$\circ x^e d - x = 0$ in $\mathbb{Z}/p_1\mathbb{Z}$.

$\circ p_1$ divides $x^e d - x$.

Similarly, in $\mathbb{Z}/p_2\mathbb{Z}$, $x^e d - x = 0$.

and so p_2 divides $x^e d - x$.

Then $p_1 p_2$ divides $x^e d - x$.

$$\text{So } x^{ed} - x = 0 \text{ in } \mathbb{Z}/p_1 p_2 \mathbb{Z} = \mathbb{Z}/m \mathbb{Z}.$$

$$\text{So } x^{ed} = x \text{ in } \mathbb{Z}/m \mathbb{Z}$$

$$\text{So } (x^e)^d = x \text{ in } \mathbb{Z}/m \mathbb{Z}. //$$

If 3 divides y
and 5 divides y then 15 divides y .

Fermat's little theorem $a \in \mathbb{Z}/p \mathbb{Z}$.

If p is prime then in $\mathbb{Z}/p \mathbb{Z}$
 $a^p = a$.

~~If p is prime and $a \neq 0$ then~~

Euler's theorem Let p_1, p_2 be
prime. ~~If~~ Let $n = (p_1 - 1)(p_2 - 1)$.

Let $a \neq 0 \pmod n$. Then

$$a^{\phi(n)} = a \text{ in } \mathbb{Z}/p_1 p_2 \mathbb{Z}.$$

Fields

A field is a number system (commutative ring) such that every nonzero element is invertible.

$\mathbb{Z}/12\mathbb{Z}$ not a field

$\mathbb{Z}/7\mathbb{Z}$ is a field

$\mathbb{Z}/p\mathbb{Z}$ is a field if p is prime.

More fields:

$$\mathbb{Q} = \left\{ \frac{a}{b} \mid a, b \in \mathbb{Z}, b \neq 0 \text{ and } \frac{a}{b} = \frac{c}{d} \text{ if } ad = bc \right\}$$

$$\frac{a}{b} \cdot \frac{b}{a} = 1 \text{ if } \frac{a}{b} \neq \frac{0}{1}$$

$\mathbb{R} = \{ \text{decimal expansions} \}$

$\mathbb{C} = \{ a+bi \mid a \in \mathbb{R}, b \in \mathbb{R} \}$

If $z = a+bi$ then

$$yz = 1 \text{ if } y = \frac{a}{a^2+b^2} + \frac{-b}{a^2+b^2}i$$

Let F be a field.

$$F[x] = \left\{ a_0 + a_1x + \dots + a_nx^n \mid \begin{array}{l} n \in \mathbb{Z}_{\geq 0} \\ a_1, \dots, a_n \in F \end{array} \right\}$$

is the number system of polynomials with coefficients in F

Example

(1) $x^2 - 9 \in \mathbb{Q}[x]$

and $(x-3)(x+3) = x^2 - 9$

is a factorization in $\mathbb{Q}[x]$.

$3 \in \mathbb{Q}$ is a solution to $x^2 - 9 = 0$.

$-3 \in \mathbb{Q}$ is a solution to $x^2 - 9 = 0$.

(2) $x^2 - 2 \in \mathbb{Q}[x]$ but does not factor in $\mathbb{Q}[x]$.

$$x^2 - 2 = (x - \sqrt{2})(x + \sqrt{2})$$

$\sqrt{2} \notin \mathbb{Q}$!!!! This is a factorization in $\mathbb{R}[x]$. (not in $\mathbb{Q}[x]$).

$\rightarrow \mathbb{Q}$ is not algebraically closed.

Let F be a field.

F is algebraically closed if the following holds:

If $x^l + a_{l-1}x^{l-1} + \dots + a_1x + a_0 \in F[x]$

then there exist

$$r_1, r_2, \dots, r_l \in F$$

such that

$$x^l + a_{l-1}x^{l-1} + \dots + a_1x + a_0$$

$$= (x - r_1)(x - r_2) \cdots (x - r_l).$$

In English:

F is algebraically closed if every polynomial in $F[x]$ factors completely.

Is \mathbb{R} algebraically closed?

NO. Because

$$x^2 + 1 \in \mathbb{R}[x] \text{ but}$$

$$x^2 + 1 = (x + i)(x - i)$$

and $i \notin \mathbb{R}$ and $-i \notin \mathbb{R}$.

Theorem \mathbb{C} is algebraically

Why should I believe \mathbb{C} is closed.

$\sqrt{\pi + i} \in \mathbb{C}$? $\sqrt{-1} \notin \mathbb{R}$.

$$\sqrt{9} = 3 \quad \text{since } 3^2 = 9$$

$$\sqrt{9} = -3 \quad \text{since } (-3)^2 = 9$$

and $-3 \neq 3$ even though
 $\sqrt{9} = \sqrt{9}$.

$\mathbb{Z}/7\mathbb{Z}$ is a field.

Is it algebraically closed?

In $\mathbb{Z}/7\mathbb{Z}$,

$$0^2 = 0, 1^2 = 1, 2^2 = 4, 3^2 = 2$$

$$4^2 = 2, 5^2 = 4, 6^2 = 1$$

$$\sqrt{0} = 0, \sqrt{1} = 1, \sqrt{4} = 2, \sqrt{2} = 3$$

$$\sqrt{2} = 4, \sqrt{4} = 5, \sqrt{1} = 6$$

$$\sqrt{4} = 2$$
$$\sqrt{4} = 5$$

(should we ban
 $\sqrt{\quad}$??)

Does $x^2 - 5 = 0$ have a solution
in $\mathbb{Z}/7\mathbb{Z}$?

(Is there $x \in \mathbb{Z}/7\mathbb{Z}$ such that $x^2 = 5$?)

No.

$x^2 - 5$ does not factor in $\mathbb{F}_7[x]$
if $\mathbb{F}_7 = \mathbb{Z}/7\mathbb{Z}$.

Common notation:

$\mathbb{F}_p = \mathbb{Z}/p\mathbb{Z}$ if p is prime.

So \mathbb{F}_7 is not algebraically
closed.