

Section 2.4

2. (d) $x=1529$, $y=14039$. Now stepping through the Euclidean algorithm,

$r:=x \bmod y=1529$, $x:=y=14039$, $y:=r=1529$

$r:=x \bmod y=278$, $x:=y=1529$, $y:=r=278$

$r:=x \bmod y=139$, $x:=y=278$, $y:=r=139$

$r:=x \bmod y=0$, $x:=y=139$, $y:=r=0$

Thus $\gcd(1529, 14039)=139$

14. (a) $5=9-3-1=3^2 - 3^1 - 3^0$

(b) $13=9+3+1=3^2 + 3^1 + 3^0$

(c) $37=27+9+1=3^3 + 3^2 + 3^0$

(d) $79=81-3+1=3^4 - 3^1 + 3^0$

24. (a) 010110

(b) 011111

(c) 111001

(d) 101101

26. Since m is positive, the first bit from the left needs to be changed from 0 to 1. Now for the remaining $n-1$ bits, for each $i=1, \dots, n-1$, if bit i is 0, change it to 1 and if it is 1, change it to 0. Now add 1 to this bit string. The reasoning is as follows. Let $0a_n \dots a_1$ be the bitstring representation for m , where $a_i=0$ or $a_i=1$ for $i=1, \dots, n$. Note that since m is positive, the leftmost bit is 0. Since $-m$ is negative the leftmost bit must be 1. Now let the remaining $n-1$ bits be $b_n \dots b_1$ which is the binary expansion of $2^{n-1}-m=1+((2^{n-1}-1)-m)$. Note that the binary expansion of $2^{n-1}-1$ is just $(n-1)$ 1s. And the binary expansion of $((2^{n-1}-1)-m)$ involves just switching the ones and zeros in the binary expansion of m . And then we add 1 back.

Section 2.5

2. (e) The greatest common divisor of 101 and 203 is $1=203-2*101$

(g) The greatest common divisor of 2002 and 2339 is $1=-819*2002+701*2339$

10. Let $\gcd(a, m)=k>1$. Now assume that there exists b such that $ab \equiv 1 \pmod m$. This implies that m divides $(ab-1)$. Let s be such that $ms=ab-1$, hence $ab-ms=1$. Now since k divides a as well as m , k must also divide $ab-ms$. But k does not divide 1 since $k>1$ and we have a contradiction. Thus an inverse of a modulo m does not exist if $\gcd(a, m)>1$.

22. To use the Chinese Remainder Theorem, we can set this problem up as solving $x \equiv 0 \pmod 5$ and $x \equiv 1 \pmod 3$. Then using the notation from the book, $m_1 = 5$, $m_2 = 3$, $m = 15$, $M_1 = 3$, $M_2 = 5$, $a_1 = 0$, and $a_2 = 1$. Hence we solve $3y_1 \equiv 1 \pmod 5$ and $5y_2 \equiv 1 \pmod 3$, getting $y_1 = 2$ and $y_2 = 2$. There is then a unique solution modulo m given by $x = a_1 M_1 y_1 + a_2 M_2 y_2 = 10$. Hence $10 + 15n$ for any integer n satisfies the conditions.

36. First note that $n=43*59=2537$. Translating the letters in the word **ATTACK** to their numerical equivalents and grouping them into blocks of four we get

0019 1900 0210.

Encrypting each block, $19^{13} \bmod 2537 = 2299$, $1900^{13} \bmod 2537 = 1317$ and, $210^{13} \bmod 2537 = 2117$. Thus the encrypted message is 2299 1317 2117.

Section 2.6

4. (a)

$$AB = \begin{vmatrix} -1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -1 \\ 1 & -2 & 1 \end{vmatrix}$$

14. Let A, B be $n \times n$ diagonal matrices. Let $C = AB$. We want to show that C is a diagonal matrix as well. Let $C(i, j)$ denote the entry in the i^{th} row and j^{th} column of matrix C . Now

$$C(i, j) = \sum A(i, k) * B(k, j), \text{ where } k \text{ runs from } 1 \text{ to } n.$$

Since A and B are diagonal matrices, $A(i, k) = 0$ if $k \neq i$ and $B(k, j) = 0$ if $k \neq j$ and so $C(i, j) = 0$ if $i \neq j$. Thus C is a diagonal matrix. Since C is diagonal, we need only compute the diagonal entries. $C(i, i) = A(i, i) * B(i, i)$ for $i = 1, \dots, n$.

20. (a) $A^{-1} =$

$$\begin{vmatrix} -0.6 & 0.4 \\ 0.2 & 0.2 \end{vmatrix}$$

(b) $A^3 =$

$$\begin{vmatrix} 1 & 18 \\ 9 & 37 \end{vmatrix}$$

(c) $(A^{-1})^3 =$

$$\begin{vmatrix} -0.296 & 0.144 \\ 0.072 & -0.008 \end{vmatrix}$$

(d) To check that $(A^{-1})^3 = (A^3)^{-1}$, we compute $A^3 * (A^{-1})^3 =$

$$\begin{vmatrix} -0.296 + 18 * 0.072 & 0.144 - 18 * 0.008 \\ -9 * 0.296 + 37 * 0.072 & 9 * 0.144 - 37 * 0.008 \end{vmatrix}$$

=

$$\begin{vmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{vmatrix}$$

Since inverses are unique, we have that $(A^{-1})^3 = (A^3)^{-1}$.

Problem: Let A and B be the first and second matrices in problem 18, respectively, and let C and D be formed from A and B by taking each entry mod 2. Find the Boolean product of C and D .

First we form C and D . We have $C =$

$$\begin{vmatrix} 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \end{vmatrix}$$

And $D=$

$$\begin{vmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \end{vmatrix}$$

Now $C \odot D=$

$$\begin{vmatrix} (0 \wedge 1) \vee (1 \wedge 0) \vee (1 \wedge 1) & (0 \wedge 0) \vee (1 \wedge 1) \vee (1 \wedge 1) & (0 \wedge 1) \vee (1 \wedge 1) \vee (1 \wedge 1) \\ (1 \wedge 1) \vee (0 \wedge 0) \vee (1 \wedge 1) & (1 \wedge 0) \vee (0 \wedge 1) \vee (1 \wedge 1) & (1 \wedge 1) \vee (0 \wedge 1) \vee (1 \wedge 1) \\ (1 \wedge 1) \vee (1 \wedge 0) \vee (1 \wedge 1) & (1 \wedge 0) \vee (1 \wedge 1) \vee (1 \wedge 1) & (1 \wedge 1) \vee (1 \wedge 1) \vee (1 \wedge 1) \end{vmatrix}$$

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$$\begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \end{vmatrix}$$