

NT & ECC
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Home-B

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Hello. Essays violate the CHECKLIST at *Grade Peril!*
Exam is due by **4PM, Thursday, 15Nov2007**, slid under my office door, LIT402.

Write **DNE** in a blank if the described object does not exist or if the indicated operation cannot be performed.

B0: Show no work.

a Bits **01001010100100001110001101101100111** decode in Idx-form, e.g. **<7>1<3>1<9>0...<3>1<0><4>**, to

As 15 bits, it is

having used Ziv seeded with **<0>=''**, **<1>='1'**, and **<2>='0'**.

Employing our fivebit-code, the 15 bits decode to symbols

b Let $f(x) := x^2 - 9x + 14$, and $N := 28225 \stackrel{\text{note}}{=} p \cdot 25$, where $p := 1129$ is prime. The number of solns $x \in [0..N)$ to $f(x) \equiv_N 0$ is $K =$. A number $Z \in [0..N)$ such that $f(Z) \neq 0$ yet $f(Z) \equiv_N 0$ is.

[Hint: Find solns mod- p and mod-25, then use CRT.]

c Let $f(x) := 2x^3 + 7x + 5$ and $z_0 := c_0 := 2$. Note $f(z_0) \equiv_7 0$. Note $f'(z_0) \not\equiv_7 0$.

Use Hensel's lemma repeatedly to compute coefficients $c_k \in [-3..3]$ (these are the blanks, below)

$$z_3 = \underbrace{c_0 \cdot 7^0 + \underbrace{}_{z_2}}_{z_2} + $$

so that integers $z_k := \sum_{i=0}^k c_i 7^i$ satisfy

$$f(z_k) \equiv_{7^{k+1}} 0,$$

for $k = 1, 2, 3$.

d Let $N := 250$. In std. form, this cyclo-poly $C_N(x) =$

e Define the **numeral map** $h: [1..12] \rightarrow \mathbb{N}$, where $h(n)$ is the number of letters in the n^{th} numeral. So $h(12)$ equals 6, since "twelve" has 6 letters.

Compute the convolution $[h \otimes \mu](12) =$

f The divisor-sum $\sigma(1500) =$

Express your answer a product $p_1^{e_1} \cdot p_2^{e_2} \cdot \dots$ of primes to posint powers, with $p_1 < p_2 < \dots$

Essay questions: Type in complete sentences and also fill-in the blanks. Each essay starts a new page.

B1: Suppose the letters A F H M N U have frequencies $\frac{12}{170}, \frac{46}{170}, \frac{38}{170}, \frac{18}{170}, \frac{15}{170}, \frac{41}{170}$, respectively. Construct the unique Huffman prefix-code with these frequencies; at each coalescing, use **0** for the less-probable branch and **1** for the more-probable. **Draw** the Huffman tree (large!). Label the branches and leaves with bits and letters. The name HUFFMAN encodes to

Examining the tree, what kind of Being is HUFFMAN?

Answering the question "What're y'all?", message **10100010101001110100110111010!** decodes to

B2: Use Pollard- ρ to find a non-trivial factor of $M := 59749$, using seed $s_0 := 7$ and map $f(x) := 1+x^2$. Make a nice table, labeled

Time | Tortoise | Hare | $s_{2k} - s_k$ | Gcd(??)

—but **replace** the "??" with the correct expression. You found non-trivial factor $E :=$

The hare Hits into the tortoise at time $H :=$

Repeat, showing the table for $s_0 := 24$. Experiment with different seeds; what is the typical running time? How is it related to the factor you find?

ii A seed s determines a **tail**; the smallest natnum T for which there is a time $n > T$ with $f^n(s) = f^T(s)$. The smallest such n is $T+L$ where L is the **period**. Derive (picture+reasoning) a formula for the hitting time $H(T, L)$. [Hint: $H(0, L) = L$.]

iii Produce a Floyd-done-twice algorithm that computes both T and L . The number, N , of f -evaluations is upper-bounded by some small constant times $T+L$ (=arclength of ρ). How small can you get $N(T, L)$? [Hint: $N(0, L) = 3L$.]

B3: Choose your own NT problem and solve it. Show off!

B0: _____ 180pts

B1: _____ 55pts

B2: _____ 105pts

B3: _____ 15pts

Total: _____ 355pts

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