

How to Find the Surplus Root (Prime Number) in Power Surplus of Prime Numbers

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Explanation of how to find the root of the remainder (prime number) in power remainder of prime numbers.

1 Introduction

First, this sentence is created by machine translation.[1],[2] There may be some strange sentences.

There are already various formulas for calculating power remainders and roots of remainders. Based on these, I have created a simple and quick way to calculate it. However, there is no theoretical proof.

2 $x^2 \equiv a \pmod{p}$

2.1 Definition of value

$$\begin{aligned} p &= \text{odd prime} & g &= \text{primitive root} & g^x &\equiv a \pmod{p} \\ \text{Quadratic residue} &= g^{2n} & \equiv a^{\left(\frac{p-1}{2}\right)} &\equiv 1 \pmod{p} & [4] \\ \text{Quadratic nonresidue} &= g^{2n+1} & \equiv a^{\left(\frac{p-1}{2}\right)} &\equiv -1 \pmod{p} & [4] \end{aligned}$$

2.2 Function to find the root of a square remainder

$$(p-1) = q^k \times n$$

$$r = \frac{(p-1) \times s + q^k}{q^{(k+1)}} \quad (s = 1)$$

$$\left(g^{(q^k \times n)}\right)^r \equiv a \pmod{p} \quad g^{(q^k \times n)} \equiv (\pm a)^2 \pmod{p}$$

However, in the case of $\{g^x \equiv 1 \pmod{p}\}$, the root of the square surplus cannot be calculated.

2.3 How to find $x^2 \equiv a \pmod{p}$

“x” assumes that there is a quadratic residue.

$$g^{2^n} \equiv \pm x^2 \pmod{p}$$

$$(p-1) = 2^k \times n \quad r = \frac{(p-1) + 2^k}{2^{(k+1)}} \quad j = \frac{(p-1)}{2^k}$$

$$\left(g^{(2^k \times n)}\right)^r \equiv a \pmod{p} \quad g^{(2^k \times n)} \equiv (\pm a)^2 \pmod{p}$$

Correction method

$$\left(g^{(2^k \times n)}\right)^r \equiv a \pmod{p}$$

$$m = (p-1) - (\text{moving distance}) \times \frac{1}{2} \quad g^{\left(\frac{x}{2}\right)} = \text{moving distance} \times \frac{1}{2}$$

$$g^m \equiv f \pmod{p} \quad f \times a \equiv y \pmod{p} \quad \pm y = \text{Quadratic residue root}$$

First check the value of (k).

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Then calculate (r) from (k).

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Go from $\{g^{2^n}\}$ to the nearest $\{g^{(2^k \times n)}\}$ and calculate the root of the square surplus.

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Corrects the root of the square surplus according to the distance traveled.

However, in the case of $\{g^x \equiv 1 \pmod{p}\}$, the root of the square surplus cannot be calculated.

2.4 Flowchart

$$(p-1) = 2^k \times n \quad r = \frac{(p-1) + 2^k}{2^{(k+1)}} \quad j = \frac{(p-1)}{2^k}$$

$$g^{2^n} \equiv a \pmod{p}$$

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$$k = 1 \begin{cases} r = \frac{(p-1)+2^k}{2^{(k+1)}} = \frac{p+1}{4} & \left(g^{(2^k \times n)}\right)^r = \left(g^{(2^n)}\right)^r \\ a^r \equiv b \pmod{p} & a \equiv (\pm b)^2 \pmod{p} \\ \text{fin.} \end{cases}$$

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$$a^j \equiv -1 \pmod{p} \quad j = \frac{(p-1)}{2^t} \quad t = 2$$

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$$a \times g^m \equiv b_1 \pmod{p} \quad m = 2^{(t-1)} \quad (\text{Move } +2)$$

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$$b_1^j \equiv 1 \pmod{p} \quad j = \frac{(p-1)}{2^t} \quad t = 2 \quad \rightarrow \quad t = 3$$

$$b_1^j \equiv -1 \pmod{p} \quad j = \frac{(p-1)}{2^t} \quad t = 3$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&\downarrow \\
&b_1 \times g^m \equiv b_2 \pmod{p} \quad m = 2^{(t-1)} \quad (\text{Move} + 4) \\
&\downarrow \\
&b_2^j \equiv -1 \pmod{p} \quad j = \frac{(p-1)}{2^t} \quad t = 3 \\
&\downarrow \\
&b_2 \times g^m \equiv b_3 \equiv 1 \pmod{p} \quad \text{NG} \quad m = 2^{(t-1)} \quad (\text{Move} + 4) \\
&\downarrow \\
&b_3 \times g^m \equiv b_4 \pmod{p} \quad m = 2^{(t-1)} \quad (\text{Move} + 4) \\
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&\downarrow \\
&b_n^j \equiv 1 \pmod{p} \quad j = \frac{(p-1)}{2^t} \quad t = k \\
&\left(g^{(2^k \times n)} \right)^r \equiv h \pmod{p} \quad r = \frac{(p-1) + 2^k}{2^{(k+1)}} \quad \pm h = \text{Quadratic residue root} \\
&\downarrow \\
&d = (p-1) - ((\text{moving distance}) \times \frac{1}{2}) \\
&g^d \equiv f \pmod{p} \\
&\downarrow \\
&f \times h \equiv y \pmod{p} \\
&\downarrow \\
&a \equiv (\pm y)^2 \pmod{p}
\end{aligned}$$

$$3 \quad x^3 \equiv a \pmod{p}$$

3.1 Definition of value

$$\begin{aligned}
p &\geq 13 & g &= \text{primitive root} \quad (g = 2, 3, 5, 7, \dots, P_n) \\
g^x &\equiv a \pmod{p}
\end{aligned}$$

3.2 Judgment by type

$$p \geq 13 \quad (p-1) = q^k \times n$$

1. $p \equiv 2 \pmod{3}$
2. $p \not\equiv 2 \pmod{3} \wedge n \equiv 1 \pmod{3}$
3. $p \not\equiv 2 \pmod{3} \wedge n \equiv 2 \pmod{3}$

3.3 Function to find the cubic surplus root

$$\begin{aligned}
&(p-1) = q^k \times n \\
&\text{type1. type2. } s = 2 \quad \text{type 3. } s = 1
\end{aligned}$$

$$r = \frac{(p-1) \times s + q^k}{q^{(k+1)}}$$

$$\left(g^{(q^k \times n)}\right)^r \equiv a \pmod{p} \quad g^{(q^k \times n)} \equiv a^3 \pmod{p}$$

However, in the case of $\{g^x \equiv 1 \pmod{p}\}$, the cubic surplus root cannot be calculated.

3.4 How to find 1 type 1. $p \equiv 2 \pmod{3}$

$$g^n \equiv a \pmod{p} \quad (p-1) = q^k \times n \quad s = 2$$

$$q = 3 \quad k = 0 \quad (p-1) = n$$

$$r = \frac{(p-1) \times s + q^k}{q^{(k+1)}} = \frac{(p-1) \times 2 + 3^k}{3^{(k+1)}} = \frac{(p-1) \times 2 + 1}{3}$$

$$a^r \equiv b \pmod{p} \quad a \equiv b^3 \pmod{p} \quad = \text{Cubic surplus root}$$

3.5 How to find 2 type 2. type 3. ($k = 1$)

“a” assumes that there is a cubic surplus.

$$g^{3n} \equiv a \pmod{p} \quad a^{\left(\frac{p-1}{3}\right)} \equiv 1 \pmod{p} \quad (p-1) = q^k \times n$$

$$q = 3 \quad k = 1 \quad (p-1) = 3 \times n \quad \text{type2. } s = 2 \quad \text{type3. } s = 1$$

$$\text{type 2} \quad r = \frac{(p-1) \times s + 3^k}{3^{(k+1)}} = \frac{(p-1) \times 2 + 3}{3^2}$$

$$\text{type 3} \quad r = \frac{(p-1) \times s + 3^k}{3^{(k+1)}} = \frac{(p-1) + 3}{3^2}$$

$$a^r \equiv b \pmod{p}$$

$$g^j \equiv h \pmod{p} \quad j = \frac{(p-1)}{3}$$

$$h \times b \equiv c \pmod{p} \quad h \times c \equiv d \pmod{p}$$

$$a \equiv b^3 \equiv c^3 \equiv d^3 \pmod{p} \quad = \text{Cubic surplus root}$$

3.6 How to find 3 type 2. type 3. ($k \geq 2$)

“a” assumes that there is a cubic surplus.

$$g^{3n} \equiv a \pmod{p} \quad a^{\left(\frac{p-1}{3}\right)} \equiv 1 \pmod{p} \quad (p-1) = q^k \times n$$

$$q = 3 \quad (p-1) = 3^k \times n \quad \text{type2. } s = 2 \quad \text{type3. } s = 1$$

$$\text{type 2} \quad r = \frac{(p-1) \times s + q^k}{q^{(k+1)}} = \frac{(p-1) \times 2 + 3^k}{3^{(k+1)}}$$

$$\text{type 3} \quad r = \frac{(p-1) \times s + q^k}{q^{(k+1)}} = \frac{(p-1) + 3^k}{3^{(k+1)}}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \left(g^{(3^k \times n)}\right)^r &\equiv b \pmod{p} & g^{(3^k \times n)} &\equiv b^3 \pmod{p} \\ g^j &\equiv h \pmod{p} & j &= \frac{(p-1)}{3} \\ h \times b &\equiv c \pmod{p} & h \times c &\equiv d \pmod{p} \\ g^{(3^k \times n)} &\equiv b^3 \equiv c^3 \equiv d^3 \pmod{p} & &= \text{Cubic surplus root} \end{aligned}$$

Moving method

$$\begin{aligned} (p-1) &= 3^k \times n & j &= \frac{(p-1)}{3^t} & t_1 &= 1 \\ a^j &\equiv x \pmod{p} \begin{cases} \equiv 1 & t_n + 1 = t_{(n+1)} & a^j &\equiv x \pmod{p} \\ \neq 1 & a_n \times g^s \equiv a_{(n+1)} \pmod{p} & s = 3^{t_n} & (\text{Move} + 3^s) \end{cases} \\ & \text{Repeat until } \{ t_n = k & a^j &\equiv 1 \pmod{p} \} \\ & a \times g^{(\text{moving distance})} &\equiv g^{(3^k \times n)} \pmod{p} \end{aligned}$$

Correction method

$$\begin{aligned} g^{(3^k \times n)} &\equiv b^3 \equiv c^3 \equiv d^3 \pmod{p} & &= \text{Cubic surplus root} \\ g^m &\equiv f \pmod{p} & m &= (p-1) - (\text{moving distance}) \times \frac{1}{3} \\ f \times b &\equiv b_2 \pmod{p} & f \times c &\equiv c_2 \pmod{p} & f \times d &\equiv d_2 \pmod{p} \\ a &\equiv b_2^3 \equiv c_2^3 \equiv d_2^3 & &= \text{cubic surplus root} \end{aligned}$$

First check the value of (k).

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Then calculate (r) from (k).

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Go from $\{ g^{3^n} \}$ to the nearest $\{ g^{(3^k \times n)} \}$ and calculate the root of the cubic remainder.

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Corrects to cubic surplus root according to the distance traveled.

However, in the case of $\{ g^x \equiv 1 \pmod{p} \}$, the cubic surplus root cannot be calculated.

$$4 \quad x^q \equiv a \pmod{p}$$

$$g^n \equiv a \pmod{p} \quad g = \text{primitive root} \quad (g = 2, 3, 5, 7, \dots, P_n)$$

4.1 Function to find the surplus root

$$(p-1) = q^k \times n \quad (q = 2, 3, 5, 7, 11, \dots, p_n)$$

$$r = \frac{(p-1) \times s + q^k}{q^{(k+1)}}$$

$$\left(g^{(q^k \times n)}\right)^r \equiv b \pmod{p} \quad g^{(q^k \times n)} \equiv b^q \pmod{p}$$

4.2 k = 0

$$(p-1) = q^k \times n = n \quad k = 0 \quad (q = 2, 3, 5, 7, 11, \dots, p_n)$$

$$g^n \equiv a \pmod{p}$$

$$r = \frac{(p-1) \times s + q^k}{q^{(k+1)}} = \frac{(p-1) \times s + 1}{q}$$

$$a^r \equiv b \pmod{p} \quad a \equiv b^q \pmod{p}$$

I think the function to find "s" is as follows.

$$p \equiv x_1 \pmod{q}$$

$$x_1 \times (q-1) \equiv x_2 \pmod{q} \quad (x_2 + 1)^{(q-2)} \equiv s \pmod{q}$$

4.3 k ≥ 1

"a" assumes that there is a surplus root.

$$(p-1) = q^k \times n \quad (k \geq 1) \quad (q = 2, 3, 5, 7, 11, \dots, p_n)$$

$$g^{(qn)} \equiv a \pmod{p} \quad a^{\left(\frac{p-1}{q}\right)} \equiv 1 \pmod{p}$$

$$r = \frac{(p-1) \times s + q^k}{q^{(k+1)}}$$

$$\left(g^{(q^k \times n)}\right)^r \equiv b \pmod{p} \quad g^{(q^k \times n)} \equiv b^q \pmod{p}$$

$$q = 5 \quad n \equiv x \pmod{5} \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \equiv 1 \quad s = 4 \\ \equiv 2 \quad s = 2 \\ \equiv 3 \quad s = 3 \\ \equiv 4 \quad s = 1 \end{array} \right. \quad q = 7 \quad n \equiv x \pmod{7} \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \equiv 1 \quad s = 6 \\ \equiv 2 \quad s = 3 \\ \equiv 3 \quad s = 2 \\ \equiv 4 \quad s = 5 \\ \equiv 5 \quad s = 4 \\ \equiv 6 \quad s = 1 \end{array} \right.$$

Based on the above calculations, I believe that the function to find "s" should be as follows.

$$\begin{aligned}
n &\equiv x_1 \pmod{q} \\
x_1 \times (q-1) &\equiv x_2 \pmod{q} \quad x_2^{(q-2)} \equiv s \pmod{q} \\
\left(g^{(q^k \times n)}\right)^r &\equiv b \pmod{p} \quad g^{(q^k \times n)} \equiv b^q \pmod{p} \\
g^j &\equiv h \pmod{p} \quad j = \frac{(p-1)}{q} \\
h \times b &\equiv b_1 \pmod{p} \quad \dots \quad h \times b_{q-2} \equiv b_{q-1} \pmod{p} \\
g^{(q^k \times n)} &\equiv b^q \equiv \dots \equiv b_{q-1}^q \pmod{p} = \text{surplus root}
\end{aligned}$$

Moving method

$$\begin{aligned}
(p-1) &= q^k \times n \quad j = \frac{(p-1)}{q^t} \quad t_1 = 1 \\
a^j \equiv x \pmod{p} &\begin{cases} \equiv 1 & t_n + 1 = t_{(n+1)} & a^j \equiv x \pmod{p} \\ \not\equiv 1 & a_n \times g^s \equiv a_{(n+1)} \pmod{p} & s = q^{t_n} \end{cases} \quad (\text{Move} + q^s) \\
&\text{Repeat until } \{ t_n = k \quad a^j \equiv 1 \pmod{p} \} \\
&a \times g^{(\text{moving distance})} \equiv g^{(q^k \times n)} \pmod{p}
\end{aligned}$$

Correction method

$$\begin{aligned}
g^{(q^k \times n)} &\equiv b^q \equiv \dots \equiv b_{q-1}^q \pmod{p} = \text{surplus root} \\
g^m &\equiv f \pmod{p} \quad m = (p-1) - (\text{moving distance}) \times \frac{1}{q} \\
f \times b &\equiv c_1 \pmod{p} \quad \dots \quad f \times b_{q-1} \equiv c_q \pmod{p} \\
a &\equiv c_1^q \equiv \dots \equiv c_q^q \pmod{p} = \text{surplus root}
\end{aligned}$$

However, in the case of $\{ g^x \equiv 1 \pmod{p} \}$, the surplus root cannot be calculated.

5 Conclusion

We have created a calculation method, but unfortunately we do not have a theoretical proof. So, if it is a huge prime number or special prime number, may be wrong.

6 Example

$$\begin{array}{c} \text{-- (} p = 37 \text{) --} \\ (p-1) = 2^2 \times 3^2 \quad q = 3 \quad k = 2 \quad g = 2 \quad 2^2 \equiv 1 \pmod{3} \end{array}$$

$$\frac{p-1}{3} = 12 \quad \frac{p-1}{3^2} = 4 \quad r = \frac{(36 \times 2 + 3^2)}{3^3} = 3$$

$$\text{-- (mod 37) --}$$

$$g^x \equiv 2^{24} \equiv 10$$

$$\frac{p-1}{3} = 12 \quad 10^{12} \equiv 1 \quad 10^4 \equiv 10$$

$$10 \times 2^3 \equiv 6$$

$$\frac{p-1}{3^2} = 4 \quad 6^4 \equiv 1$$

$$r = \frac{(36 \times 2 + 3^2)}{3^3} = 3 \quad 6^3 \equiv 31$$

$$\frac{p-1}{3} = 12 \quad 2^{12} \equiv 26$$

$$26 \times 31 \equiv 29 \quad 26 \times 29 \equiv 14$$

$$(p-1) - \frac{3}{3} = 35 \quad 2^{35} \equiv 19$$

$$19 \times 31 \equiv 34 \quad 19 \times 29 \equiv 33 \quad 19 \times 14 \equiv 7$$

$$10 \equiv 34^3 \equiv 33^3 \equiv 7^3$$

$$\text{-- (} p = 43 \text{) --}$$

$$(p-1) = 2 \times 3 \times 7 \quad q = 7 \quad k = 1 \quad g = 3$$

$$\frac{p-1}{7} = 6 \quad r = \frac{(42 \times 1 + 7)}{7^2} = 1$$

$$\text{-- (mod 43) --}$$

$$g^x \equiv 3^{28} \equiv 6$$

$$\frac{p-1}{7} = 6 \quad 6^6 \equiv 1$$

$$6 \equiv 6 \pmod{7} \quad 6 \times 6 \equiv 1 \pmod{7} \quad 1^5 \equiv 1 \pmod{7} \quad s = 1$$

$$r = \frac{(42 \times 1 + 7)}{7^2} = 1 \quad 6^1 \equiv 6$$

$$\frac{p-1}{7} = 6 \quad 3^6 \equiv 41$$

$$41 \times 6 \equiv 31 \quad 41 \times 31 \equiv 24 \quad 41 \times 24 \equiv 38$$

$$41 \times 38 \equiv 10 \quad 41 \times 10 \equiv 23 \quad 41 \times 23 \equiv 40$$

$$6 \equiv 6^7 \equiv 31^7 \equiv 24^7 \equiv 38^7 \equiv 10^7 \equiv 23^7 \equiv 40^7$$

$$\begin{aligned} & \text{-- (} p = 97 \text{) --} \\ (p-1) &= 2^5 \times 3 \quad g = 5 \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{-- (mod 97) --}$$

$$q = 19 \quad k = 0$$

$$g^x \equiv 5^{57} \equiv 67$$

$$97 \equiv 2 \pmod{19} \quad 2 \times 18 \equiv 17 \pmod{19} \quad 18^{17} \equiv 18 \pmod{19} \quad s = 18$$

$$r = \frac{((p-1) \times 18 + 1)}{19} = 91 \quad 67^{91} \equiv 28$$

$$67 \equiv 28^{19}$$

$$\text{-- (mod 97) --}$$

$$q = 2 \quad k = 5 \quad r = \frac{(p+31)}{2^6} = 2 \quad m = \frac{(p-1)}{2^k}$$

$$g^{2x} \equiv 2^{70} \equiv 3$$

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$$3^{24} \equiv -1 \quad m = \frac{(p-1)}{2^k} \quad k = 2$$

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$$3 \times 5^2 \equiv 75 \quad n + 2$$

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$$75^{24} \equiv 1 \quad m = \frac{(p-1)}{2^k} \quad k = 2$$

$$75^{12} \equiv -1 \quad m = \frac{(p-1)}{2^k} \quad k = 3$$

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$$75 \times 5^4 \equiv 24 \quad n + 4$$

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$$24^{12} \equiv -1 \quad m = \frac{(p-1)}{2^3} \quad k = 3$$

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$$24 \times 5^4 \equiv 62 \quad n + 4$$

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$$62^{12} \equiv 1 \quad m = \frac{(p-1)}{2^k} \quad k = 3$$

$$62^6 \equiv 1 \quad m = \frac{(p-1)}{2^k} \quad k = 4$$

$$62^3 \equiv -1 \quad m = \frac{(p-1)}{2^k} \quad k = 5$$

$$\begin{aligned}
& \downarrow \\
62 \times 5^{16} &\equiv 1 \quad n+16 \quad g^x \equiv 1 \quad NG \\
1 \times 5^{16} &\equiv 36 \quad n+16 \\
& \downarrow \\
36^3 &\equiv -1 \quad m = \frac{(p-1)}{2^k} \quad k=5 \\
& \downarrow \\
36 \times 5^{16} &\equiv 35 \quad n+16 \\
35^3 &\equiv 1 \quad m = \frac{(p-1)}{2^k} \quad k=5 \\
& \downarrow \\
35^2 &\equiv 61 \\
& \downarrow \\
96 - ((2+4+4+16+16+16) \times \frac{1}{2}) &= 67 \\
5^{67} &\equiv 59 \\
& \downarrow \\
61 \times 59 &\equiv 10 \\
3 &\equiv (\pm 10)^2 \pmod{97} \\
\text{Quadratic residue root} &= 10, 87
\end{aligned}$$

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