# MACM 401/MATH 701/MATH 819 Assignment 4, Spring 2009.

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This assignment is to be handed in by Tuesday March 10th at the start of class.

For problems involving Maple calculations and Maple programming, you should submit a printout of a Maple worksheet of your Maple session.

Late Penalty: -20% for up to 24 hours late. Zero after that.

## Question 1: Resultants (15 marks)

- (a) Calculate the resultant of  $A = 3x^2 + 3$  and B = (x 2)(x + 5) by hand.
- (b) Let A, B be non-constant polynomials in  $\mathbb{Z}[x]$  and  $c \in \mathbb{Z}$ . Let res(A, B) denote the resulant of A and B. From the definition, determine f(c) so that

$$\operatorname{res}(cA, B) = f(c) \operatorname{res}(A, B).$$

(c) Let A, B be two non-zero polynomials in  $\mathbb{Z}[x]$ . Let  $A = G\overline{A}$  and  $B = G\overline{B}$  where  $G = \operatorname{gcd}(A, B)$ . Recall that a prime p in the modular gcd algorithm is unlucky iff p|R where  $R = \operatorname{res}(\overline{A}, \overline{B}) = 0$  is the resultant of  $\overline{A}$  and  $\overline{B}$ , an integer.

Consider the following pair of polynomials from assignment 3.

$$A = 58 x^{4} - 415 x^{3} - 111 x + 213, \text{ and}$$
$$B = 69 x^{3} - 112 x^{2} + 413 x + 113.$$

They are relatively prime, i.e., G = 1,  $\overline{A} = A$  and  $\overline{B} = B$ . Using Maple, compute the resultant R and identify all unlucky primes. For each unlucky prime p compute the gcd of the polynomials A and B modulo p to verify that the primes are indeed unlucky.

## Question 2: *P*-adic Lifting (15 marks)

Reference: Section 6.3.

(a) By hand, determine the *p*-adic representation of the integer u = 116 for p = 5 using the positive representation, then the symmetric representation for  $\mathbb{Z}_p$ .

Using Maple, determine the *p*-adic representation for the polynomial

$$u(x) = 28 x^2 + 24 x + 58$$

with p = 3 using, first the positive representation for  $\mathbb{Z}_3$ , then the symmetric representation.

(b) Determine the cube-root, *if it exists*, of the following polynomials

$$a(x) = x^{6} - 531x^{5} + 94137x^{4} - 5598333x^{3} + 4706850x^{2} - 1327500x + 125000,$$
  

$$b(x) = x^{6} - 406x^{5} + 94262x^{4} - 5598208x^{3} + 4706975x^{2} - 1327375x + 12512500,$$

using reduction mod 5 and linear *p*-adic lifting. Factor the polynomials so you know what the answers are. Express the answer in the p-adic representation. To calculate the initial solution  $u_0 = \sqrt[3]{a} \mod 5$  use any method. Use Maple to do the calculations.

# Question 3: Hensel lifting (15 marks)

Reference: Section 6.4 and 6.5.

(a) Given

$$a(x) = x^4 - 2x^3 - 233x^2 - 214x + 85$$

and image polynomials

$$u_0(x) = x^2 - 3x - 2$$
 and  $w_0(x) = x^2 + x + 3$ ,

satisfying  $a \equiv u_0 w_0 \pmod{7}$ , lift the image polynomials using Hensel lifting to find (if there exist) u and w in  $\mathbb{Z}[x]$  such that a = uw.

(b) Given

$$b(x) = 48 x^4 - 22 x^3 + 47 x^2 + 144$$

and an image polynomials

$$u_0(x) = x^2 + 4x + 2$$
 and  $w_0 = x^2 + 4x + 5$ 

satisfying  $b \equiv 6 u_0 w_0 \pmod{7}$ , lift the image polynomials using Hensel lifting to find (if there exist) u and w in  $\mathbb{Z}[x]$  such that b = uw.

## Question 4: Determinants (20 marks)

Consider the following 3 by 3 matrix A of polynomials in  $\mathbb{Z}[x]$  and its determinant d.

> P := () -> randpoly(x,degree=2,dense): > A := linalg[randmatrix](3,3,entries=P);

$$A := \begin{bmatrix} -55 - 7x^2 + 22x & -56 - 94x^2 + 87x & 97 - 62x \\ -83 - 73x^2 - 4x & -82 - 10x^2 + 62x & 71 + 80x^2 - 44x \\ -10 - 17x^2 - 75x & 42 - 7x^2 - 40x & 75 - 50x^2 + 23x \end{bmatrix}$$

> d := linalg[det](A);

$$d := -224262 - 455486 x^2 + 55203 x - 539985 x^4 + 937816 x^3 + 463520 x^6 - 75964 x^5$$

(a) Let A by an n by n matrix of polynomials in  $\mathbb{Z}[x]$  and let  $d = \det(A)$ . Develop a modular algorithm for computing  $d = \det(A) \in \mathbb{Z}[x]$ . Your algorithm will compute determinants of A modulo a sequence of primes and apply the CRT. For each prime p it will compute the determinant in  $\mathbb{Z}_p[x]$  by evaluation and interpolation. In this way we reduce computation of a determinant of a matrix over  $\mathbb{Z}[x]$  to many computations of determinants of matrices over  $\mathbb{Z}_p$ , a field, for which ordinary Gaussian elimination, which does  $O(n^3)$  arithmetic operations in  $\mathbb{Z}_p$ , may be used.

You will need bounds for deg d and  $||d||_{\infty}$ . Use primes p = [101, 103, 107, ...] and use Maple to do Chinese remaindering. Use x = 1, 2, 3, ... for the evaluation points and use Maple for interpolation. Implement your algorithm in Maple and test it on the above example.

To reduce the coefficients of the polynomials in A modulo p = 7 in Maple use

> B := A mod p;

To evaluate the polynomials in B at  $x = \alpha$  modulo p in Maple use

> C := eval(B,x=alpha) mod p;

To compute the determinant of a matrix C over  $\mathbb{Z}_p$  in Maple use

> Det(C) mod p;

(b) Suppose A is an n by n matrix over  $\mathbb{Z}[x]$  and  $A_{i,j} = \sum_{k=0}^{d} a_{i,j,k} x^k$  and  $|a_{i,j,k}| < B^m$ . That is A is an n by n matrix of polynomials of degree at most d with coefficients at most m base B digits long. Assume the primes satisfy  $B and that arithmetic in <math>\mathbb{Z}_p$  costs O(1). Estimate the time complexity of your algorithm in big O notation as a function of n, m and d. Make reasonable simplifying assumptions such as n < B and d < B as necessary. Also helpful is  $\ln n! < n \ln n$ . State your assumptions.

### Question 5: (15 marks) (MACM 401 and MATH 701 students only)

For the Sparse Multivariate Polynomial data structure that you designed and implemented on assignment 2, implement a Maple procedure SMPdiv(A,B) that outputs the quotient Q if B|A otherwise outputs FAIL. Test your routine on the examples in Question 6 below.

## Question 6: (25 marks) (MATH 819 students only)

If you used a recursive form for the SMP polynomial data structure on your last assignment, use a distributed form this time. And if you used a distributed form on your last assignment use a recursive form this time. Implement the same 5 Maple procedures

- Maple2SMP to convert from Maple's expanded form to SMP,
- SMP2Maple to convert from SMP to Maple's expanded form,
- SMPadd to add two polynomials,
- SMPmul to multiply two SMP polynomials,
- SMPdiv to divide two SMP polynomials.

Use Maple to do coefficient and exponent arithmetic. Test your routine on the following

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> a := randpoly([x,y,z],degree=6,terms=15);
> b := randpoly([x,y,z],degree=6,terms=15);
> A := Maple2SMP(a);
> B := Maple2SMP(b);
> C := SMPadd(A,B);
> a+b - SMP2Maple(C));
> C := SMPmul(A,B);
> expand(a*b) - SMP2Maple(C); # should output 0
> SMPdiv(A,B); # should output FAIL
> Q := SMPdiv(C,A);
> expand(b-SMP2Maple(Q)); # should output 0
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