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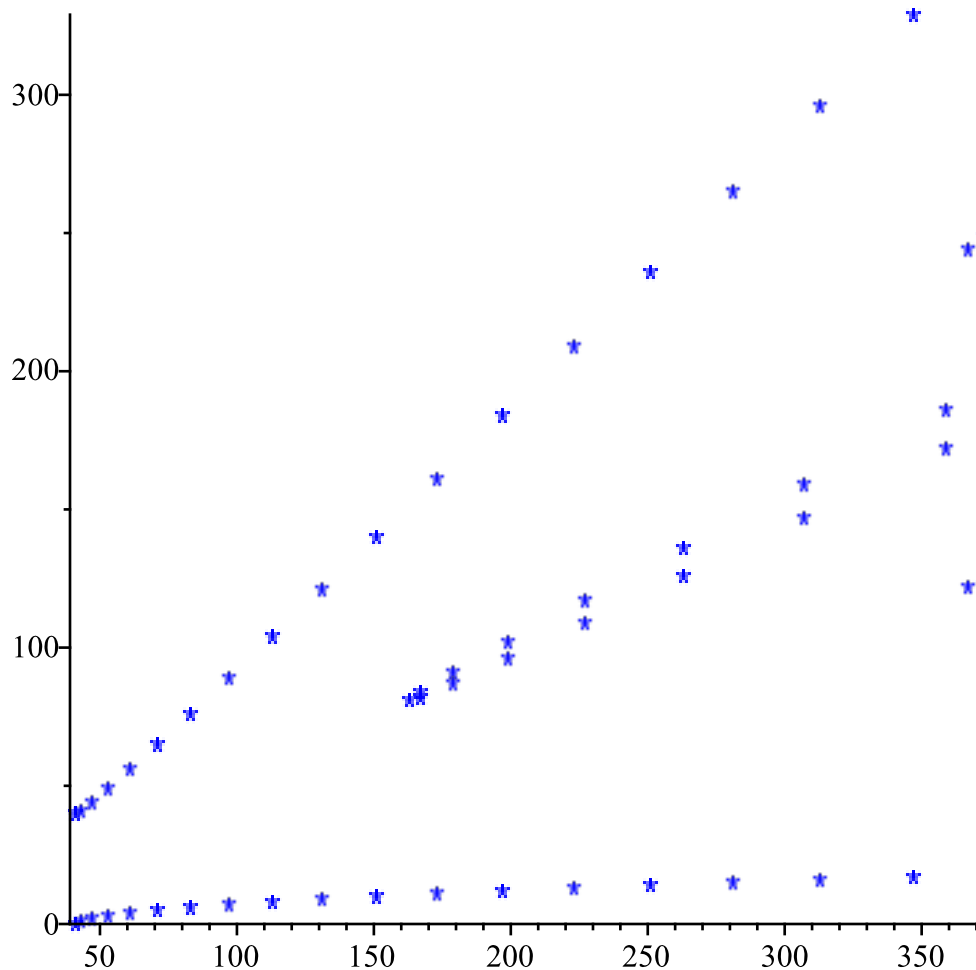
# Maple code for graph of discrete divisors
# prime producing trinomial for  $b^2 + b + p$  for  $p$  in {2, 3, 5, 11, 17, 41}
x := Vector[row](55) :
y := Vector[row](55) :
counter := 1 :

for a from 2 to 378 do
for b from 0 to a - 1 do
if mod( $b^2 + b + 41$ , a) = 0
then x[counter] := a : y[counter] := b : counter := counter + 1;
end if;
end do:
end do:

#The number 378 was chosen by trial and error to completely fill the vector of length 55.
#The number 55 was chosen so that we can easily identify five parabolas from the data points
#This code creates a data set and stores it in two vectors.

plot(x, y, style=point, symbol=asterisk, color=blue)

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# now for  $b^2 + b + 17$ 
# note, data points at the origin, are okay

x := Vector[row](55) :
y := Vector[row](55) :
counter := 1 :

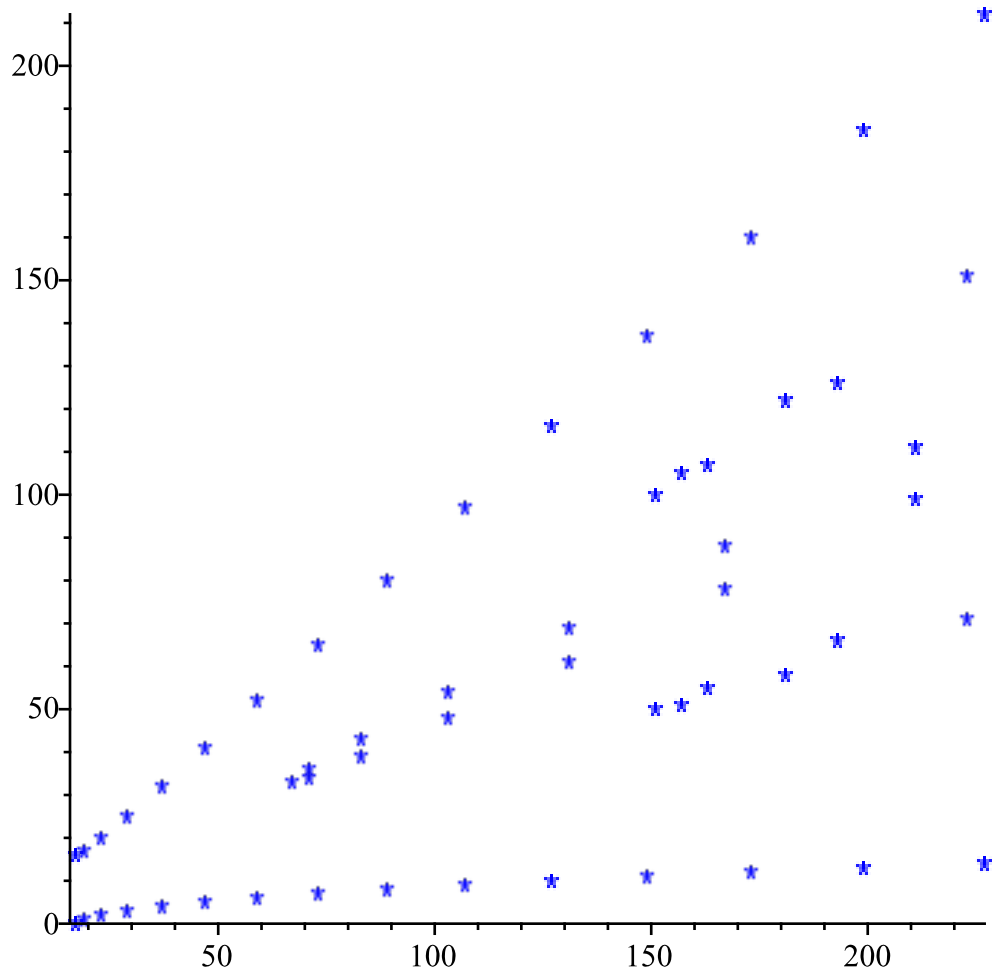
for a from 2 to 378 do
for b from 0 to a - 1 do
if mod( $b^2 + b + 17$ , a) = 0
then x[counter] := a : y[counter] := b : counter := counter + 1;
end if;
end do:
end do:

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Error, Vector index 56 out of range

# data in x and y vectors

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plot(x, y, style=point, symbol=asterisk, color=blue)
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# and interesting plot, and now moving on to the next plot



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# now for  $b^2 + b + 11$ 
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 $x := \text{Vector}[\text{row}](55) :$ 
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 $y := \text{Vector}[\text{row}](55) :$ 
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 $\text{counter} := 1 :$ 
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for  $a$  from 2 to 378 do
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for  $b$  from 0 to  $a - 1$  do
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if  $\text{mod}(b^2 + b + 11, a) = 0$ 
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then  $x[\text{counter}] := a : y[\text{counter}] := b : \text{counter} := \text{counter} + 1;$ 
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end if;
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end do:
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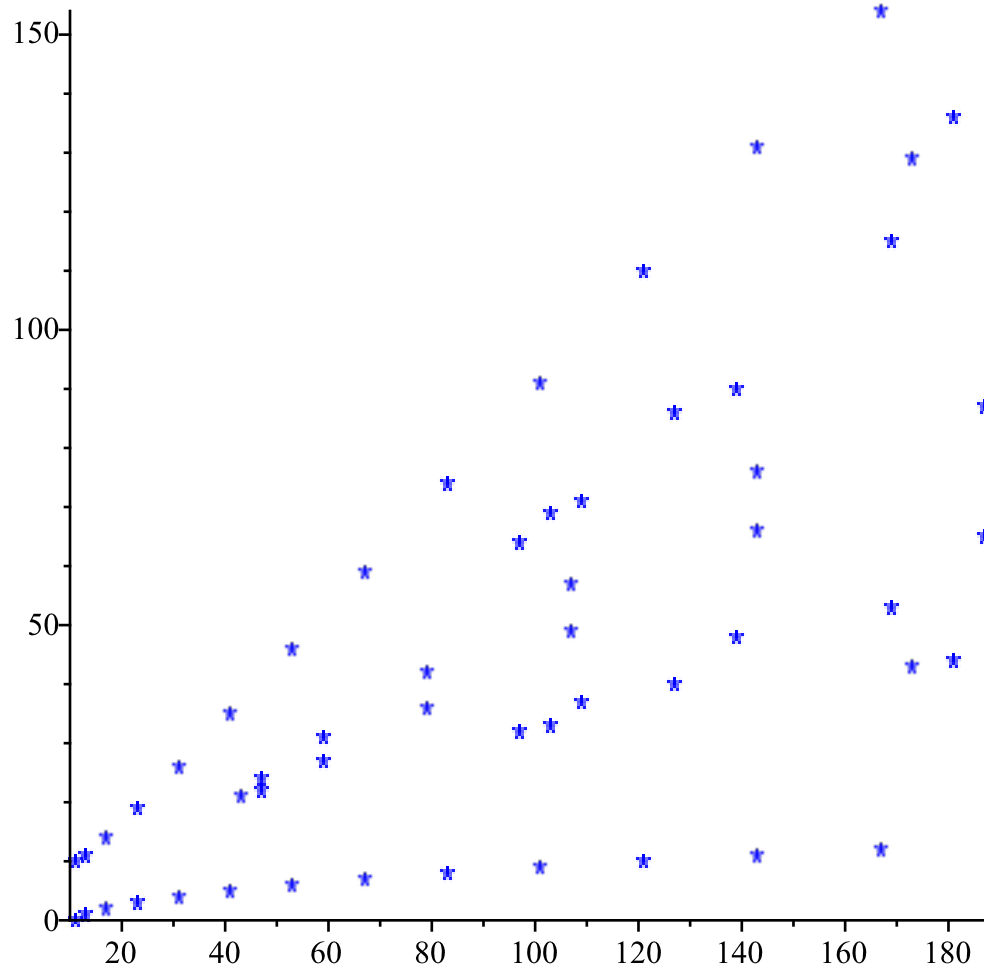
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end do:
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# Error, is just a warning, ignore, not going to cook this example graph (plot command)
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# data in x and y vectors
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plot(x, y, style = point, symbol = asterisk, color = blue)
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*# good plot*

*# seven parabolas showing, this time, curve fit possible*

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# now for  $b^2 + b + 5$ 
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x := Vector[row](55) :
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y := Vector[row](55) :
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counter := 1 :
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```
for a from 2 to 378 do
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for b from 0 to a - 1 do
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if mod( $b^2 + b + 5$ , a) = 0
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then x[counter] := a : y[counter] := b : counter := counter + 1 ;
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end if ;
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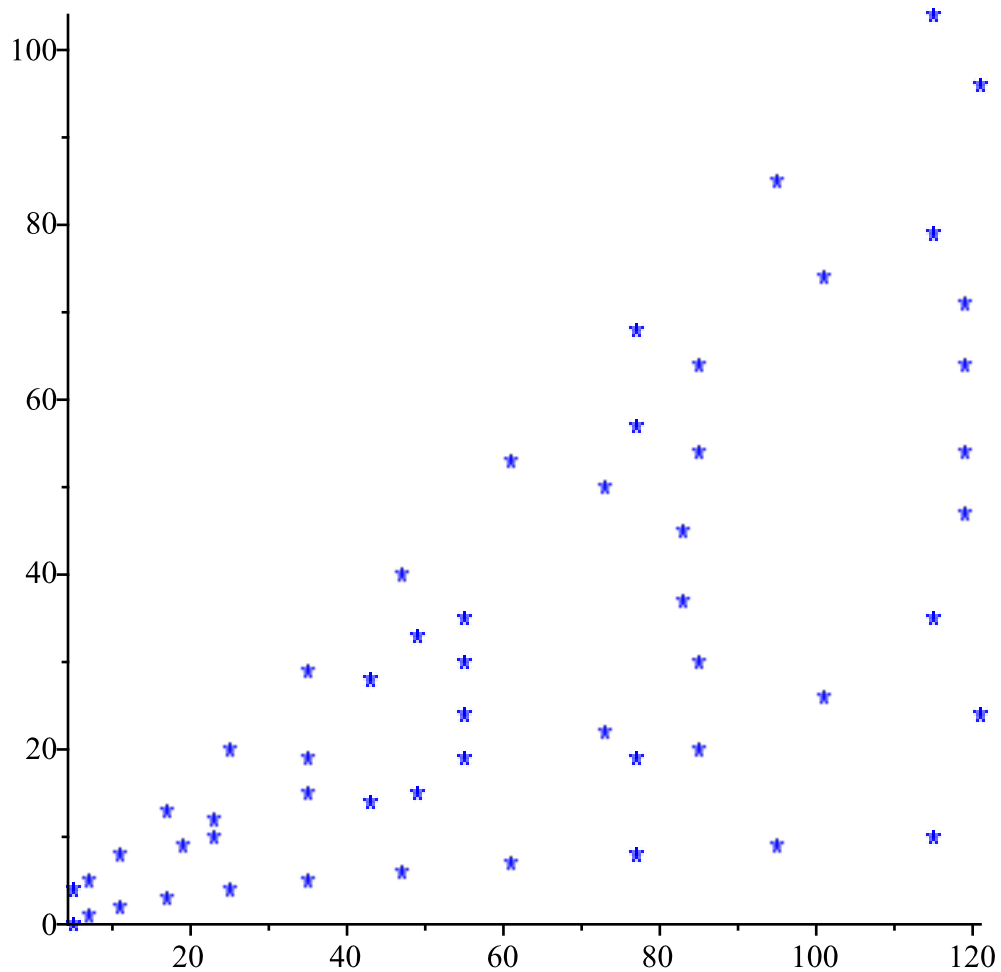
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end do ;
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end do ;
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```
# data in x and y vectors
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plot(x, y, style = point, symbol = asterisk, color = blue)
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*# harder to see, but at least five parabolas, in this plot*

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# now for  $b^2 + b + 3$ 
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x := Vector[row](55) :
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y := Vector[row](55) :
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counter := 1 :
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```
for a from 2 to 378 do
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```
for b from 0 to a - 1 do
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if mod( $b^2 + b + 3$ , a) = 0
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then x[counter] := a : y[counter] := b : counter := counter + 1;
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end if;
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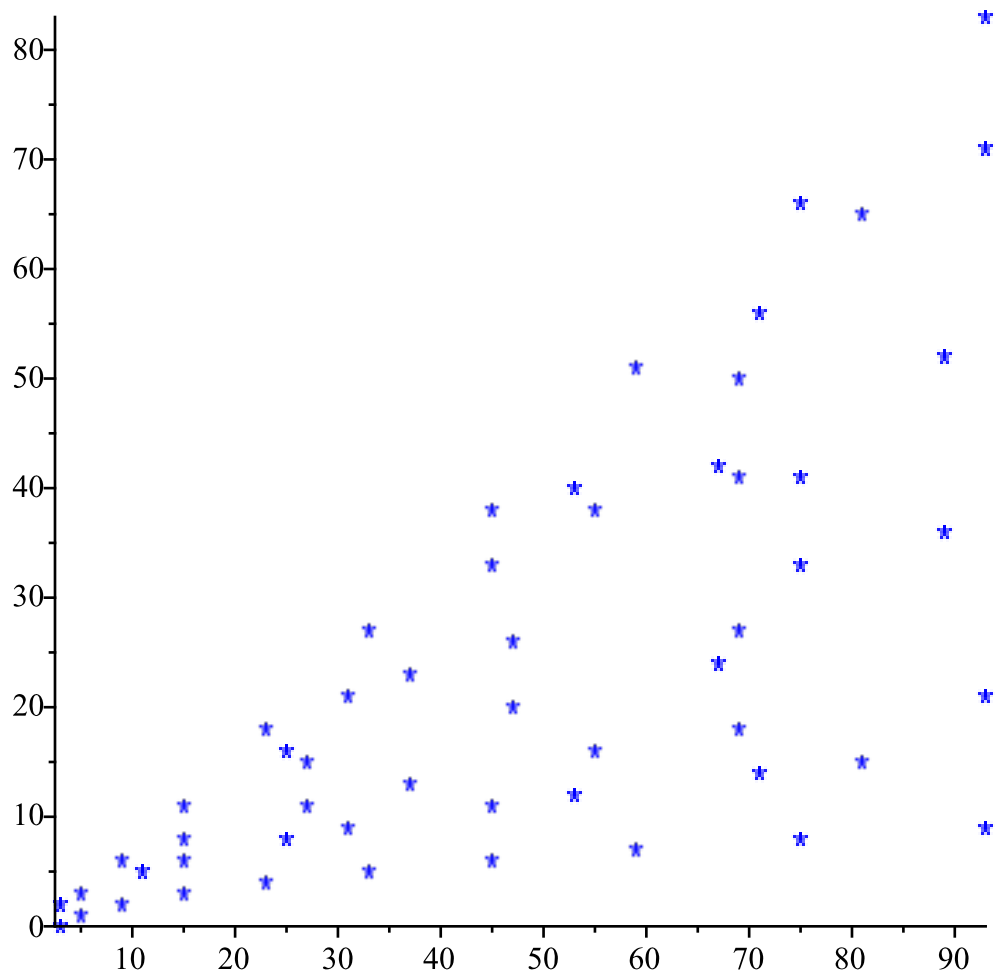
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end do;
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end do;
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# data in x and y vectors
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plot(x, y, style = point, symbol = asterisk, color = blue)
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*# parabolas very hard to see*

*# more work is to find curve fit parametric parabolas*

# now for the last one,  $b^2 + b + 2$

$x := \text{Vector}[\text{row}](55) :$

$y := \text{Vector}[\text{row}](55) :$

$\text{counter} := 1 :$

**for**  $a$  **from** 2 **to** 378 **do**

**for**  $b$  **from** 0 **to**  $a - 1$  **do**

**if**  $\text{mod}(b^2 + b + 2, a) = 0$

**then**  $x[\text{counter}] := a : y[\text{counter}] := b : \text{counter} := \text{counter} + 1 ;$

**end if;**

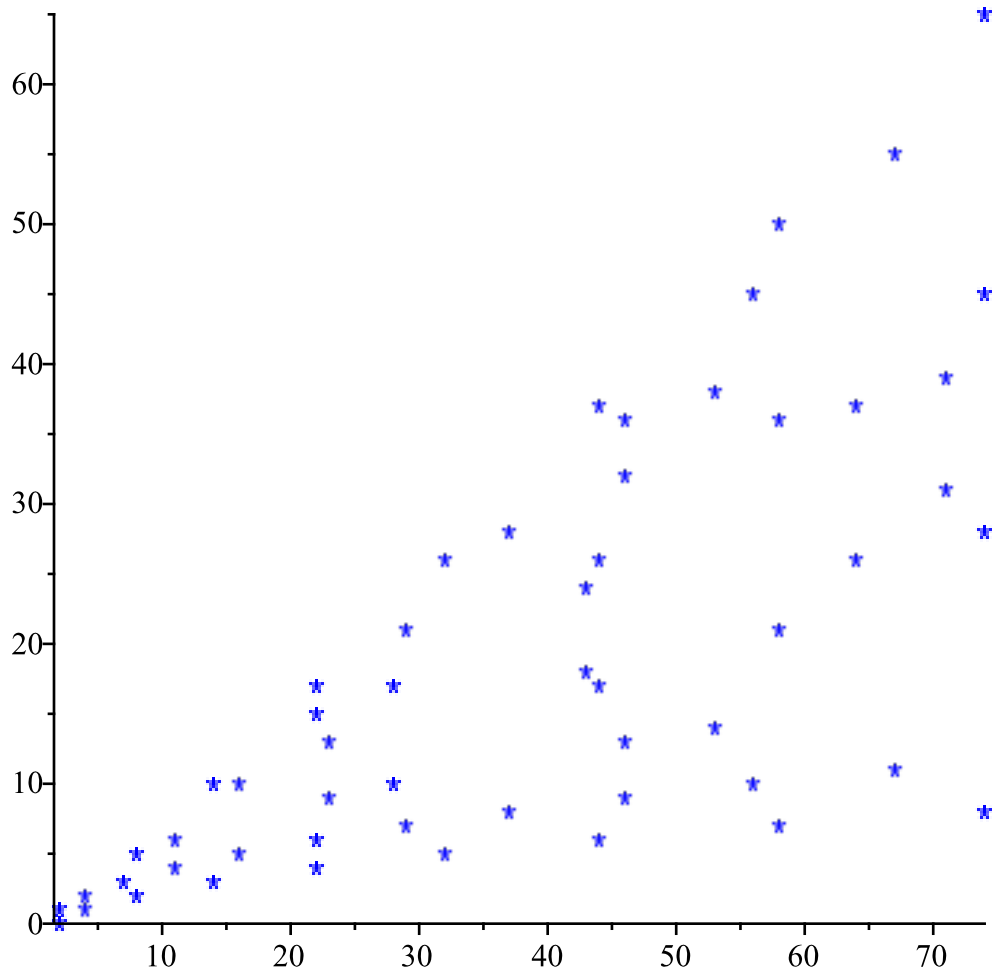
**end do;**

**end do;**

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# data in  $x$  and  $y$  vectors

$\text{plot}(x, y, \text{style}=\text{point}, \text{symbol}=\text{asterisk}, \text{color}=\text{blue})$



# the graph, or plot, for  $b^2 + b + 2$  is messy,

# but deterministic, and interesting,

# and is the cases when  $b^2 + b + 2$  is a composite number, **for** a given value of  $b$ ,  
under modular arithmetic