30 Ideas about Prime Numbers

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Abstract: A Prime number (or a Prime) is a natural number greater than 1 that has no positive divisors other than 1 and itself.

The crucial importance of Prime numbers to number theory and mathematics in general stems from the fundamental theorem of arithmetic, which states that every integer larger than 1 can be written as a product of one or more Primes in a way that is unique except for the order of the Prime factors. Primes can thus be considered the "basic building blocks", the atoms, of the natural numbers.

In this paper we present 30 ideas about Primes. Some are based on the fact that all Primes greater than 3, are 1 unit away from a multiple of 1, 2, 3, 4, or 6, which is used to introduce new methods to factorize, to count Primes less than a given number, and to add some ideas to already famous Prime conjectures.

1. Prime sequence

A Prime number (or a Prime) is a natural number (a whole number) greater than 1 that has no positive divisors other than 1 and itself. The sequence of Prime numbers is infinite, is composed only by odd numbers (and the number 2) and there is no known close form formula to generate it.

The first 25 Prime numbers are given by:

$$\{2, 3, 5, 7, 11, 13, 17, 19, 23, 29, 31, 37, 41, 43, 47, 53, 59, 61, 67, 71, 73, 79, 83, 89, 97 \dots\}$$

The sequence of Prime numbers is usually described as random. This statement does not reflect the fact that there are many known structures within the Prime sequence. There are infinitely many Primes, as demonstrated by Euclid around 300 BC. There is no known simple formula that separates Prime numbers from composite numbers.

However, the distribution of Primes, that is to say, the statistical behavior of Primes in the large, can be modeled. The first result in that direction is the Prime number theorem, proven at the end of the 19th century, which says that the probability that a given, randomly chosen number N is Prime is inversely proportional to its number of digits, which is equivalent to the logarithm of N.

The way to build the sequence of Prime numbers uses sieves, an algorithm yielding all Primes up to a given limit, or using trial division method which consists of dividing N by each integer M that is greater than 1 and less than or equal to the square root of N. If the result of any of these divisions is an integer, then \underline{N} is not a Prime, otherwise it is a Prime.

Eratosthenes (276 BC – 194 BC) introduced a sieve to generate the Prime sequence: starting with 2, eliminate every 2 numbers, then find the next number, which is 3 and eliminate every 3 numbers, and repeat it sequentially with any P number that has not been eliminated previously and eliminate every P numbers. The remaining set are the Prime numbers.

Since Eratosthenes, there has been a continuous effort to find patterns, count the number of Primes, and efficiently factor very large integers.

New ideas regarding Primes are difficult to prove and some widely accepted conjectures are still unproven, such as Goldbach's and Grimm's, just to name famous ones.

[IDEA #1] In this paper we use the fact that all Primes can be expressed using one of the two following formulas for a = 1,2,3,4,6:

$$p=a*k_{an}+1$$
 that we will call the P^{a+} series (1)

$$p = a * k_{am} - 1$$
 $k_{am} \in N$ that we will call the P^{a-} series (2)

We will call k_{an} and k_{am} Prime Generators.

All Prime numbers, except in some cases 2 and 3, belong to either P^{a+} or P^{a-} series. We will call this kind of intertwined sequences the DNA-Prime Sequences as it resembles the intertwined DNA helix.

Counting Primes less than a number N is equivalent to counting how many Prime generators k_{an} and k_{am} are less than floor(N/a) where floor(x) is the function that gives the greatest integer that is less than or equal to x.

2. Prime Generator sequences $P^{a+} = \{k_{an}\}$ and $P^{a-} = \{K_{am}\}$

The only values of \underline{a} that generate the complete sequence of primes are a = 1, 2, 3, 4, 6. For each one of them different conditions apply, although all those conditions have a similar structure.

2.1. Case a=6.

When a=6, it is known that all primes, except 2 and 3, are 1 unit away of a multiple of 6. For p prime, the following is true: $p = 6k \pm 1$

Not all values of $k \in N$ make $6k \pm 1$ prime. The following conditions apply:

$$\begin{array}{lll} \text{If} & k_{6n} \neq 6xy + x + y \\ \text{And} & k_{6n} \neq 6xy - x - y \\ \text{If} & k_{6m} \neq 6xy + x - y \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{ll} \text{then} & p = 6*k_{6n} + 1 \text{ is prime} \\ \text{then} & p = 6*k_{6m} - 1 \text{ is prime} \end{array}$$

The set of Prime numbers using k_{6n} can be defined as [IDEA #2]:

{Primes} = {2,3}
$$\cup \{6 * k_{6n} + 1 \mid k_{6n} \neq 6xy + x + y \text{ and } k_{6n} \neq 6xy - x - y \text{ for all } x, y \in N\}$$
$$\cup \{6 * k_{6m} - 1 \mid k_{6m} \neq 6xy - x + y \text{ for all } x, y \in N\}$$

Which is equivalent to say that any number that is not of the form 6*(6xy + x + y) + 1, for any $x, y \in N$ is a Prime number because 6*(6xy + x + y) + 1 = (6x + 1)(6y + 1)

First elements of $k_{6n} = \{1, 2, 3, 5, 6, 7, 10, 11, 12, 13, 16, 17, 18, 21, 23, 25, 26, 27, 30, 32, 33, 35, 37, 38, ...\}$ First elements of $k_{6m} = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 7, 8, 9, 10, 12, 14, 15, 17, 18, 19, 22, 23, 25, 28, 29, 30, 32, 33, 38, 39, ...\}$

In theory, if we knew the sequences k_n and k_m we would know all Primes as there is a bijective relationship between k_n and k_m and the Primes that they generate, as we can see in the following table:

P+	P-		
6kn+1	6km-1	kn	km
	5	1	
7			1
	11	2	
13			2
	17	3	
19			3
	23	4	
	29		5
31		5	

Table 1

It can be easily observed that there are values of k that do not generate Prime numbers:

k	6k+1	6k-1
1	7	5
2	13	11
3	19	17
4	25	23
5	31	29
6	37	35
7	43	41

Table 2

And there are other values of k that do not generate a Prime in either P^{6+} and P^{6-} series: (OEIS A060461 Beedassy)

As commented by the researcher in that sequence: "All terms can be expressed as (6ab+a+b OR 6cd-c-d) AND (6xy+x-y) for a,b,c,d,x,y positive integers. Example: 20=6*2*2-2-2 AND 20=6*3*1+3-1))

2.2. Case a=1

When a=1 the prime sequence can be generated using condition:

If
$$k_{1n} \neq xy + x + y$$
 then $p = k_{1n} + 1$ is prime

This is probably the simplest way to define a prime number. It is a powerful condition that can drive simple factorization and primality methods as we will describe later in the paper.

The set of Prime numbers using k_{1n} can be defined as [IDEA #3]:

$$\{Primes\} = \{k_{1n} + 1 \mid k_{1n} \neq xy + x + y\}$$
(4)

Which is equivalent to say that any number that is not of the form xy + x + y +, for any $x, y \in N$ is a Prime number, which is obvious given that xy + x + y + 1 = (x + 1) * (y + 1). The following matrix shows numbers of the form xy + x + y + 1 that are all composite. Each row x contains the multiples of (x + 1):

First elements of $k_{1n} = \{1, 2, 4, 6, 10, 12, 16, 18, 22, 28, 30, 36, 40, 42, 46, 52, 58, 60, 66, 70, 72, 78, 82 \dots \}$

The matrix $\{xy + x + y + 1\}$ that we will call c_{ij} or matrix of composite numbers:

	1	2	3	4	5	6	Observation
1	4	6	8	10	12	14	Multiples of 2
2	6	9	12	15	18	21	Multiples of 3
3	8	12	16	20	24	28	Multiples of 4
4	10	15	20	25	30	35	Multiples of 5
5	12	18	24	30	36	42	Multiples of 6
6	14	21	28	35	42	49	Multiples of 7
7	16	24	32	40	48	56	Multiples of 8

Table 3

2.3. Case a=2

When a=2 the prime sequence, except the number 2 can be generated using one condition:

If
$$k_{2n} \neq 2xy + x + y$$
 then $p = 2k_{2n} + 1$ is prime

The set of Prime numbers using k_{2n} can be defined as [IDEA #4]:

$$\{Primes\} = \{2\} \cup \{2 * k_{2n} + 1 \mid k_{2n} \neq 2xy + x + y\}$$
 (5)

First elements of $k_{2n} = \{1, 2, 3, 5, 6, 8, 9, 11, 14, 15, 18, 20, 21, 23, 26, 29, 30, 33, 35, 36, 39, 41, 44, ...\}$

Which is equivalent to say that any number that is not of the form $2^*(2xy + x + y) + 1$, for any $x, y \in N$ is a Prime number because $2^*(2xy + x + y) + 1 = (2x + 1)(2y + 1)$

2.4. Case a=3

When a=3 the prime sequence, except the number 3 can be generated using 3 conditions:

$$\begin{array}{ll} \text{If} & k_{3n} \neq 3xy + x + y \\ \text{And} & k_{3n} \neq 3xy - x - y \\ \text{If} & k_{3m} \neq 3xy + x - y \text{ then } p = 3k_{3m} + 1 \text{ is prime} \\ \end{array}$$

The set of Prime numbers using k_{3n} can be defined as [IDEA #5]:

{Primes} = {3}
$$0.05 = \{3 * k_{3n} + 1 \mid k_{3n} \neq 3xy + x + y \text{ and } k_{3n} \neq 3xy - x - y \text{ for all } x, y \in N\}$$

$$0.05 = \{3 * k_{3n} + 1 \mid k_{3n} \neq 3xy - x + y \text{ for all } x, y \in N\}$$

First elements of $k_{3n} = \{2, 4, 6, 10, 12, 14, 20, 22, 24, 26, 32, 34, 36, 42, 46, 50, 52, 54, 60, 64, 66, 70, 74, , ...\}$ First elements of $k_{3m} = \{1, 2, 4, 6, 8, 10, 14, 16, 18, 20, 24, 28, 30, 34, 36, 38, 44, 46, 50, 56, 58, 60, 64, 66, ...\}$

Which is equivalent to say that any number that is not of the form $3^*(3xy + x + y) + 1$, for any $x, y \in N$ is a Prime number because $3^*(3xy + x + y) + 1 = (3x + 1)(3y + 1)$

2.5. Case a=4

When a=4 the prime sequence, except numbers 2 and 3, can be generated using 3 conditions:

If
$$k_{4n}\neq 4xy+x+y$$
 And
$$k_{4n}\neq 4xy-x-y \qquad then \quad p=4k_{4n}+1 \text{ is prime}$$
 If
$$k_{4m}\neq 4xy+x-y \qquad then \quad p=4k_{4m}-1 \text{ is prime}$$

The set of Prime numbers using k_{4n} can be defined as [IDEA #6]:

{Primes} = {2}
$$0.05 = \{2\}$$
 $0.05 = \{4 * k_{4n} + 1 \mid k_{4n} \neq 4xy + x + y \text{ and } k_{4n} \neq 4xy - x - y \text{ for all } x, y \in N\}$ $0.05 = \{4 * k_{4n} + 1 \mid k_{4n} \neq 4xy - x + y \text{ for all } x, y \in N\}$

First elements of $k_{4n} = \{1, 3, 4, 7, 9, 10, 13, 15, 18, 22, 24, 25, 27, 28, 34, 37, 39, 43, 45, 48, 49, 57, 58, 60, ...\}$ First elements of $k_{4m} = \{1, 2, 3, 5, 6, 8, 11, 12, 15, 17, 18, 20, 21, 26, 27, 32, 33, 35, 38, 41, 42, 45, 48, 50, ...\}$

Which is equivalent to say that any number that is not of the form 4*(4xy + x + y) + 1, for any $x, y \in N$ is a Prime number because 4*(4xy + x + y) + 1 = (4x + 1)(4y + 1)

2. Characteristics of the DNA-Prime Sequences P^{6+} and P^{6-} . Understanding k_{6n} and k_{6n} conditions.

The difference between two Primes in either sequence P^{6+} and P^{6-} is a multiple of 6. In the following table we show the two DNA-Prime series, the difference between two consecutive elements of the series, the difference divided by 6 and the cumulative difference divided by 6.

One can observe that the cumulative difference from any element of the series and the first element, that we will call R_n for the P^{6+} series, and R_m for the P^{6-} series, is equal to the (k-1), where k is any generator k_{6n} or k_{6m} . This key fact will help us formulate a way to generate the Prime sequence. For simplification we will denominate $P^+ = P^{6+}$ and $P^- = P^{6-}$ in this section.

		P+					Р-		
Pn+	Kn	P(n)-P(n-1)	(P(n)-P(n-1))/6	Rn	Pm-	Km	P(m)-P(m-1)	(P(m)-P(m-1))/6	Rm
7	1				5	1			
13	2	6	1	1	11	2	6	1	1
19	3	6	1	2	17	3	6	1	2
31	5	12	2	4	23	4	6	1	3
37	6	6	1	5	29	5	6	1	4
43	7	6	1	6	41	7	12	2	6
61	10	18	3	9	47	8	6	1	7
67	11	6	1	10	53	9	6	1	8
73	12	6	1	11	59	10	6	1	9
79	13	6	1	12	71	12	12	2	11

Table 4

We can see in the chart that:

$$P^+$$
 series $P(n) - P(n-1) \mod 6 = 0$
 P^- series $P(m) - P(m-1) \mod 6 = 0$

a. The difference between any two Primes in either series is given by:

$$P^+$$
 series if $p1 = 6 * k_1 + 1$ and $p2 = 6 * k_2 + 1$
 P^+ series if $p1 = 6 * k_1 - 1$ and $p2 = 6 * k_2 - 1$
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b. The difference between any Prime in either sequence P^+ and P and the first one in the series is a multiple of the generators R_n and R_m :

$$P^+$$
 series $P^+=7+6*R_n$
 P^- series $P^-=5+6*R_m$
Where
 $R_n=k_n-1$ and $R_m=k_m-1$

Let's take a look at the R_n and R_m sequences eliminating (in color) all those that don't generate a Prime using previous formulas:

	R _n								
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30
31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40
41	42	43	44	45	46	47	48	49	50
51	52	53	54	55	56	57	58	59	60
61	62	63	64	65	66	67	68	69	70
71	72	73	74	75	76	77	78	79	80
81	82	83	84	85	86	87	88	89	90
91	92	93	94	95	96	97	98	99	100
101	102	103	104	105	106	107	108	109	110
111		113							120
121	122	123	124	125	126	127	128	129	130
131	132	133	134	135	136	137	138	139	140
141	142	_		_	_	_	148	_	150
151	152	153	154	155	156	157	158	159	160
161	162	163	164	165	166	167	168	169	170
171							178		180
181	182	183	184	185	186	187	188	189	190
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3. Reasoning for the formulation of the Prime sequence using P^+ and P^-

3.1. A definition of Primes using the sequences P^+ and P^-

From the tables above and testing many potential combinations, we conclude that the sequence of DNA-Primes and their generators R_n and R_m can be formulated algebraically as follows:

$$\begin{array}{lll} P^{+} \mbox{ series} & P^{+} = 7 + 6^{*}R_{n} \\ & R_{n} \neq x + (6x + 1) * y - 1 & x > 0, y > 1 \in N \\ & R_{n} \neq -x + (6x - 1) * y - 1 & x > 1, y > 1 \in N \\ \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{lll} P^{-} \mbox{ series} & P^{-} = 5 + 6^{*}R_{m} \\ & R_{m} \neq x + (6x - 1) * y - 1 & x > 0, y > 1 \in N \\ & R_{m} \neq -(x + 1) + (6x + 1) * y & x > 0, y > 1 \in N \end{array}$$

We defined Kn = Rn + 1 and Km = Rm + 1, so, these conditions can be simplified as follows:

$$P^{+} \text{ series} \qquad P^{+} = 6 * Kn + 1 \\ \text{Where} \qquad K_{n} \neq A_{n} = 6xy + x + y \qquad x > 0, y > 0 \in N \\ K_{n} \neq B_{n} = 6xy - x - y \qquad x > 0, y > 0 \in N$$

$$P^{-} \text{ series} \qquad P^{-} = 6 * Km - 1 \\ \text{Where} \qquad K_{m} \neq C_{n} = 6xy - x + y \qquad x > 0, y > 0 \in N$$

7 8 9 10 11 12 43 50 57 64 71 78 85 92 54 67 80 93 106 119 132 145 158 171 184 197 79 | 98 | 117 | 136 | 155 | 174 | 193 | 212 | 231 | 250 | 269 | 288 48 65 82 99 116 133 150 167 184 201 218 235 252 104 129 154 179 204 229 254 279 304 329 354 379 88 | 111 | 134 | 157 | 180 | 203 | 226 | 249 | 272 | 295 | 318 | 341 160 191 222 253 284 315 346 377 408 470 439 198 227 140 169 256 285 314 343 372 401 265 302 339 376 413 450 487 524 561 204 239 274 309 344 379 414 449 280 321 362 403 444 308 351 394 437 480 523 566 609 652 485 400 449 498 547 596 645 694 743 368 415 462 509 556 9 614 779 834 669 724 10 620 681 742 803 864 925 639 11 815 882 949 1016 748 11 704 769 834 899 888 961 1034 1107

1040 1119 1198

1204 1289

The tables showing the values of A_n , B_n , and C_n are the following:

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Cn	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
1	6	11	16	21	26	31	36	41	46	51	56	61	66	71	76
2	13	24	35	46	57	68	79	90	101	112	123	134	145	156	167
3	20	37	54	71	88	105	122	139	156	173	190	207	224	241	258
4	27	50	73	96	119	142	165	188	211	234	257	280	303	326	349
5	34	63	92	121	150	179	208	237	266	295	324	353	382	411	440
6	41	76	111	146	181	216	251	286	321	356	391	426	461	496	531
7	48	89	130	171	212	253	294	335	376	417	458	499	540	581	622
8	55	102	149	196	243	290	337	384	431	478	525	572	619	666	713
9	62	115	168	221	274	327	380	433	486	539	592	645	698	751	804
10	69	128	187	246	305	364	423	482	541	600	659	718	777	836	895
11	76	141	206	271	336	401	466	531	596	661	726	791	856	921	986
12	83	154	225	296	367	438	509	580	651	722	793	864	935	1006	1077
13	90	167	244	321	398	475	552	629	706	783	860	937	1014	1091	1168
14	97	180	263	346	429	512	595	678	761	844	927	1010	1093	1176	1259
15	104	193	282	371	460	549	638	727	816	905	994	1083	1172	1261	1350

Table 7

Some observations regarding matrices A_n , B_n , and C_n :

- A_n and B_n have a symmetry over the main diagonal
- There are duplicates within A_n , B_n , and C_n and between A_n and B_n

From tables [5],[6],[7], we can list the elements of K_n and K_m , as:

$$\{K_n\}=\{N\}-\{A_n\cup B_n\}$$

 $\{K_m\}=\{N\}-\{C_n\}$

Where {N} is the set of Natural numbers.

And the set of Prime numbers can be expressed as:

The generation of Primes using this algorithm is complete based on the following observation:

1) With
$$k = 6xy + x + y$$
, we have:

$$6k + 1 = 36xy + 6x + 6y + 1 = (6x + 1)(6y + 1),$$
i.e. all products of two factors both equivalent to $+1 \pmod{6}$

840 911

982 1053

988 1065 1142

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- 2) With k = 6xy x y, we have: 6k + 1 = 36xy 6x 6y + 1 = (6x 1)(6y 1), i.e. all products of two factors both equivalent to $-1 \pmod{6}$
- 2) With k = 6xy x + y, we have: 6k 1 = 36xy 6x + 6y 1 = (6x + 1)(6y 1), i.e. all products of two factors, one equivalent to $+1 \pmod{6}$ and the other equivalent to $-1 \pmod{6}$.

Starting with the integers equivalent to $\pm 1 \pmod{6}$ and excluding these three sets leaves those integers equivalent to $\pm 1 \pmod{6}$ which cannot be represented as a product of two factors equivalent to $\pm 1 \pmod{6}$, i.e. the Primes $p \ge 5$.

The first numbers in the generator series k_{6n} :

$$k_{6n} = 1, 2, 3, 5, 7, 10, 11, 12, 13, 16, 17, 18, 21, \dots$$

Generating Primes $P^{6+} = 6 * k_n + 1$

$$P^{6+} = 7, 13, 19, 31, 43, 61, 67, 73, 79, 97, 103, 109, 127, ...$$

The first numbers in the generator series k_m:

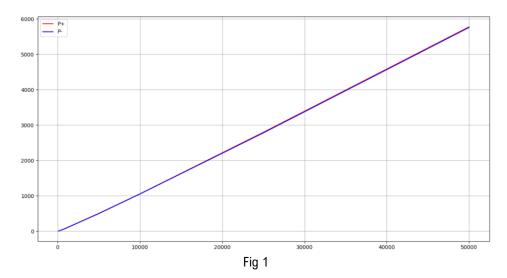
$$k_{6m} = 1, 2, 3, 5, 7, 8, 9, 10, 12, 14, 15, 17, 18, 19, 22 \dots$$

Generating Primes $P^{6-} = 6 * k_{6m} - 1$:

$$P^{6-} = 5, 11, 17, 29, 41, 47, 53, 59, 71, 83, 89, 101, 107, 113, 131 \dots$$

For any given number N, the number of unique values in P^- and P^- are almost the same as can be seen in the following chart:





The difference in counts between $\pi(P^-)$ and $\pi(P^+)$ for Primes less than N is plotted in the next chart for values Prime values $\leq 10^7$:

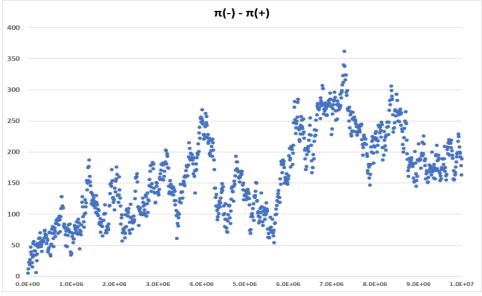


Fig 2

The following chart shows $\pi(P^-)$ and $\pi(P^+)$ as a percentage of N:

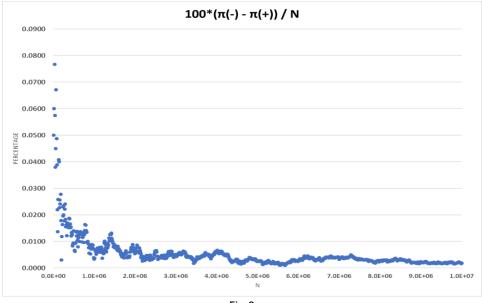


Fig 3

[IDEA #7] With
$$\lim_{N \to \infty} \frac{\pi(P^-) - \pi(P^+)}{N} = 0$$

There are countless sequences that can be built based on the sequences of Prime Generators P^{6+} and P^{6-} . These are a few examples:

a. Numbers n such that (6k-1) for k=n, n+1, n+2, n+3 are all primes with no primes of the form (6k+1) in between. This sequence of numbers is formed by positive integers k that make 6k-1, 6k+5, 6k+11 and 6k+17 prime numbers with no primes of the form 6k+1 in between. (OEIS A296011 Caceres):

{42,897,1052,2107,2242,2457,2632,2912,3887,4362,9347,10367,12587,13132,13797,...}

b. Numbers n such that 6k+1 is prime for k=n, n+1, n+2, n+3 with no primes of the form 6k-1 in between. This sequence of numbers is formed by positive integers k that make 6k+1, 6k+7, 6k+13 and 6k+19 prime numbers with no primes of the form 6k-1 in between. (OEIS A296055 Caceres):

 $\{290, 550, 850, 1060, 2650, 3035, 3245, 5015, 5105, 8935, 10615, 11890, 12925, 13485, 13905, ...\}$

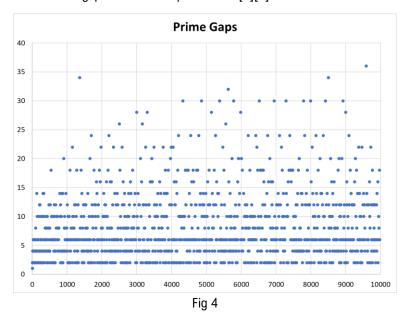
4. Differences between consecutive Primes

The differences between two of these consecutive Primes is calculated to be:

Prime	2	3	5	7	11	13	17	19	23	29	31	37	41	43	47	53	59	61	67	71	73	79	83	89	97
Gap		1	2	2	4	2	4	2	4	6	2	6	4	2	4	6	6	2	6	4	2	6	4	6	8

Table 8

The next figure shows the Prime gaps for Primes up to 10000 [5][6]:



The Prime gap function is defined as [2]:

$$g_n = p_n - p_{n-1}$$

Verifying that the gap can get infinitely large with:

$$\lim_{n\to\infty}g_n=\infty$$

But it grows slower than the sequence of Primes, therefore:

$$\lim_{n\to\infty}\frac{g_n}{p_n}=\ 0$$

The differences between Primes are increasing and the Prime number theorem proves that these gaps grow with log(n). The function is neither multiplicative nor additive. The Merit of a gap is defined by:

$$Merit(g(n)) = \frac{g_n}{\ln(p_n)}$$

The race to find larger Prime gaps as well as Prime numbers never stops. The maximal prime gap G(N) is the length of the largest prime gap that begins with a prime p_k less than some maximum value N.

The following chart represents the gaps between elements of P^+ and P^- for Primes less than 1,000,000. It shows again the similar behavior of both Prime sequences P^+ and P^- :

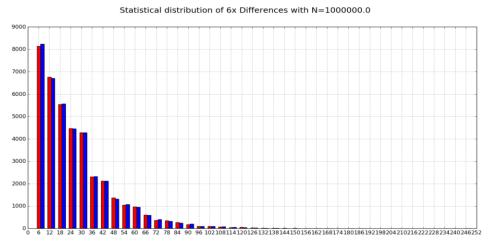


Fig 5

5. Ratios between consecutive Primes

The ratios between two consecutive Primes is given by:

Prime	2	3	5	7	11	13	17	19	23	29	31	37	41	43	47
Jump		1.500	1.667	1.400	1.571	1.182	1.308	1.118	1.211	1.261	1.069	1.194	1.108	1.049	1.093

Table 9

The next figure plots the function $\frac{p_n}{p_{n-1}}$ for the Primes \leq 1000:

These ratios are decreasing with: $\lim_{n\to\infty} \frac{p_n}{p_{n-1}} = 1$

The gaps are not consistently decreasing, and important research has been done on the limits of those gaps. This research is related to the counting of the number of Primes less than a given number.

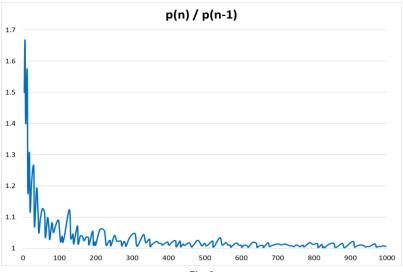


Fig 6

6. Twin Primes

Twin Primes are Primes that are two units apart. We will use S_{2n} to refer to the set of twin Primes. The first few twin Prime pairs are:

$$S_{2n} = \{(3,5), (5,7), (11,13), (17,19), (29,31), (41,43), (59,61), (71,73), (101,103), \ldots\}$$

It is easily observable that every twin pair, other than (3,5) is of the form (6k-1,6k+1) for some value of k.

The sequence of Twin Primes generators is: (OEIS A002822 Sloane):

$$\{1, 2, 3, 5, 7, 10, 12, 17, 18, 23, 25, 30, 32, 33, 38, 40, 45, 47, 52, 58, 70, 72, 77, 87 \dots\}$$

[IDEA #8] We have previously formulated that if k is a twin pair generator, k cannot be represented by any of these three equations with x, y positive integers:

$$k = 6xy + x + y$$

$$k = 6xy - x - y$$

$$k = 6xy + x - y$$

6.1. Brun's Theorem

It is conjectured that there are an infinite number of twin Primes (this is one form of the twin Prime conjecture) but proving this remains one of the most elusive open problems in number theory. An important result for twin Primes is Brun's theorem, which states that the number obtained by adding the reciprocals of the odd twin Primes.

$$B_2 = (\frac{1}{3} + \frac{1}{5}) + (\frac{1}{5} + \frac{1}{7}) + (\frac{1}{11} + \frac{1}{13}) + (\frac{1}{17} + \frac{1}{19}) + \dots$$

converges to a definite number ("Brun's constant" B_2), a value that gets updated based on the larger number of twin Primes available for the calculation. The number of terms has since been calculated using twin Primes up to 10^{16} [11], giving the result

$$B_2 = 1.902160583104$$

[IDEA #9] Let (L) be the lesser of a twin Prime pair and (G) the greater. We know that every L is of the form 6k - 1 and every G is of the form 6k + 1, so

$$\left(\frac{1}{L}\right) - \left(\frac{1}{G}\right) = \frac{1}{6k-1} - \frac{1}{6k+1} = \frac{2}{(36k^2-1)}$$

And:

$$\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{2}{(36k^2 - 1)} = 1 - \frac{\pi}{2\sqrt{3}}$$

Therefore:

$$\sum \frac{1}{L} - \sum \frac{1}{G} \le 1 - \frac{\pi}{2\sqrt{3}} = 0.09310032... = D_2$$

We know that the Brun's constant is:

 $\sum \frac{1}{L} + \sum \frac{1}{G} = B_2$

SO:

$$\sum \frac{1}{L} = 0.99763$$

$$\sum \frac{1}{G} = 0.90453$$

and:

$$\sum \frac{1}{L} / \sum \frac{1}{G} \le 1.10296$$

Also, the theorem can be expressed:

$$\sum \frac{1}{L} \leq \frac{B_2 + D_2}{2}$$

$$\sum \frac{1}{G} > = \frac{B_2 - D_2}{2}$$

6.2. Twin Pair Centers

If we call Twin Prime Center the composite number in the middle of a Twin pair. The sequence of Twin Centers is (OEIS A014574 Guy, Sloane, Weisstein):

$$\{4, 6, 12, 18, 30, 42, 60, 72, 102, 108, 138, 150, 180, 192, 198, 228, 240, 270 \dots\}$$

Twin Centers greater than 18 can be written as the sum of two smaller twin centers. The result is the sequence (OEIS A305825 Caceres):

$$\{0, 0, 0, 1, 1, 1, 1, 2, 2, 1, 1, 2, 3, 2, 3, 1, 4, 3, 3, 3, 2, 6, 3, 5, 3, 3...\}$$

plotted in the following figure:

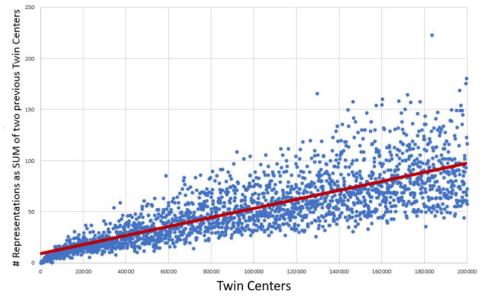


Fig 7

6.3. [IDEA #10] An equation with solutions that are twin Primes:

If k is a Twin Prime generator, then:

$$36k^2 - 12kx + x^2 - 1 = 0$$

for any k, has two solutions that are twin Primes.

Examples:

k (Twin Prime Generator)	solution 1	solution 2
1	5	7
2	11	13
3	17	19
5	29	31
7	41	43
10	59	61
12	71	73
17	101	103
18	107	109

Table 10

6.4. [IDEA #11] Infinite roots with twin Primes

Let's define a seed (s) and a recurrence z = r(n, m, x) to build infinite roots of the form:

$$z = \sqrt{s} + \sqrt{z}$$

for instance, if:

$$seed = n$$

$$z = r(n, m, x) = n + (m + j) * \sqrt{z}$$

then we have a Ramanujan infinite root. For example, for n=1, m=2:

$$z = \sqrt{(1 + 2\sqrt{(1 + 3\sqrt{(1 + 4\sqrt{...})})})}$$

We can build an infinite root using n and m Prime numbers:

Example: for
$$n = 3$$
, $m = 7 \rightarrow z = \sqrt{(3 + 7\sqrt{(3 + 8\sqrt{(3 + 9\sqrt{(3 + 10\sqrt{...})})})}}$

And calculate the infinite roots that provide an integer solution:

$$n = 107 & m = 101 & ---> z = 103$$

 $n = 113 & m = 107 & ---> z = 109$
 $n = 197 & m = 191 & ---> z = 193$
 $n = 233 & m = 227 & ---> z = 229$
 $n = 317 & m = 311 & ---> z = 313$
 $n = 353 & m = 347 & ---> z = 349$

It can be observed that (m, z) are twin Primes and (m, z, n) are three consecutive Primes.

7. Prime factorization

In number theory, the Prime factors of a positive integer are the Prime numbers that divide that integer with no remainder. The crucial importance of Prime numbers to number theory and mathematics in general stems from the Fundamental Theorem of Arithmetic, which states that every integer larger than 1 can be written as a product of one or more Primes in a way that is unique except for the order of the Prime factors. Primes can thus be considered the "basic building blocks", the atoms, of the natural numbers.

If <u>n</u> is divided by <u>p</u>, there is a $k, r \in Z$ such that:

$$n = k*p + r$$

 \underline{p} is a Prime factor of \underline{n} , if and only if r = 0, which can also be expressed using the mod(ulo) function by:

$$n \mod p = 0$$

Where the function mod (modulo) is defined as follows:

$$r = p - n * trunc(\frac{p}{n})$$

The Prime factorization of a positive integer is a list of the integer's Prime factors, together with their multiplicities; the process of determining these factors is called integer factorization. The fundamental theorem of arithmetic says that every positive integer has a single unique Prime factorization.[7]

One useful fact is that any composite number has at least one factor that is less or equal than the square root of the number.

The test to verify if a number is prime is called primality test. According to [13]: "A primality test is a test to determine whether or not a given number is prime, as opposed to actually decomposing the number into its constituent prime factors (which is known as prime factorization). Primality tests come in two varieties: deterministic and probabilistic. Deterministic tests determine with absolute certainty whether a number is prime. Examples of deterministic tests include the Lucas-Lehmer test and elliptic curve primality proving. Probabilistic tests can potentially (although with very small probability) falsely identify a composite number as prime (although not vice versa). However, they are in general much faster than deterministic tests. Numbers that have passed a probabilistic prime test are therefore properly referred to as probable primes until their primality can be demonstrated deterministically."

Among other fields of mathematics, prime factorization is used extensively in asymmetric public key cryptography. Our inability to factorize large numbers with current methods and computing power is the basis of internet security and most security protocols in networks and information systems in general. One of the methods used in cryptography are the RSA codes which consist of very large composite numbers that have exactly two known Prime factors. These numbers are called Semiprimes. Finding those two factors require very complex algorithms as the numbers are composed by two Prime numbers of more than one hundred digits. As an example:

RSA-220 = {200 digits long}

260138526203405784941654048610197513508038915719776718321197768109445641817 966676608593121306582577250631562886676970448070001811149711863002112487928 199487482066070131066586646083327982803560379205391980139946496955261

Has the following two factors:

FACTOR 1 of RSA-220 =

686365641226756627438237149928843780013084223997916484462124499332154106144

14642667938213644208420192054999687

FACTOR 2 of RSA-220 =

329290743948634981204930154921293529191645519653623395246268605116929034930 94652463337824866390738191765712603

The simple factorization method is the trial division method which consists in dividing sequentially by all known Primes until we find a factor. Then we reduce the number by the factor and start again. This method is unpractical for large Primes.

The fastest-known fully proven deterministic algorithm is the Pollard-Strassen method (Pomerance 1982; Hardy et al. 1990). [8]

Wolfram Math World mentions the following list of factorization methods: [7][10]:

- Brent's Factorization Method,
- Class Group Factorization Method,
- Continued Fraction Factorization Algorithm,
- Direct Search Factorization,
- Dixon's Factorization Method.
- Elliptic Curve Factorization Method,
- Euler's Factorization Method,
- Excludent Factorization Method,
- Fermat's Factorization Method,
- Legendre's Factorization Method,
- Number Field Sieve,
- Pollard p-1 Factorization Method,
- Pollard rho Factorization Algorithm,
- Quadratic Sieve,
- Trial Division,
- Williams p+1 Factorization Method

7.1. **[IDEA #12]** Primality test using DNA-Prime sequences P^{6+} and P^{6-}

We are going to formulate a new factorization method base on the P^+ and P^- seres. We know that for a number N to be Prime, the following conditions must be met:

- a) If $(N-1) \mod 6 \neq 0$ and $(N+1) \mod 6 \neq 0$ the number is not Prime
- b) If (N-1) mod 6=0 then $N=6*k_{6n}+1$ CONDITION C1 $(K_{6n}-s)\ mod\ (6s+1)\neq 0$ for $s\in N<\mathsf{k}_{\mathsf{n}}$ CONDITION C2 $(K_{6n}+s)\ mod\ (6s-1)\neq 0$ for $s\in N<\mathsf{k}_{\mathsf{n}}$

If s=1 or $s=k_n$ then N is Prime.

c) If (N+1) mod 6=0 then
$$N=6*k_{6m}-1$$
 CONDITION C3 $(K_{6m}+s)\ mod\ (6s+1)\neq 0$ for $s\in N<$ k_m CONDITION C4 $(K_{6m}-s)\ mod\ (6s-1)\neq 0$ for $s\in N<$ k_m

If s=1 or $s=k_m$ then N is Prime.

N	kn=(N+1)/6	kn=(N-1)/6	S	Primality?	Factors
4489	748.33	748.00	11	No	67x67
6839	1140.00	1139.67	1	No	7x977
9973	1662.33	1662.00	-	Yes	-
100001	16667.00	16666.67	2	No	11x9091

Table 11

7.2. A practical factorization method using DNA-Prime sequences

The algorithm to factorize N using DNA-Primes logic would be as follows:

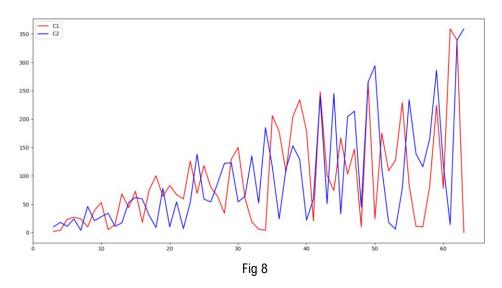
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While N>1
    If (N-1)=0 mod 6 then
             N \in P^+
             K=(N-1)/6
             S=2
             While S<K:
                      If (K-S)=0 mod (6S+1) then add factor (6S+1)
                                                                           [Condition C1]
                      If (K+S)=0 mod (6S-1) then add factor (6S-1)
                                                                           [Condition C2]
             If S=K then N is Prime
             N=N/factor
    Else if (N+1)=0 mod 6 then
             N \in P^-
             K=(N+1)/6
             While S<K:
                      If (K-S)=0 mod (6S-1) then add factor (6S-1)
                                                                           [Condition C3]
                      If (K+S)=0 mod (6S+1) then add factor (6S+1)
                                                                           [Condition C4]
             If S=K then N is Prime
             N=N/factor
    Else
             N is Prime
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Some examples of factorization with code FACTORIZA7.SIX (using Python 3.7.):

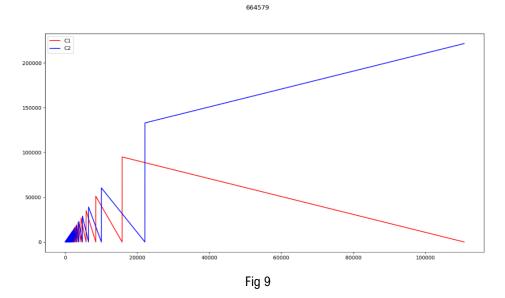
N	Factors (FACTORIZA7.SIX)	Time Elapsed (sec)
10^10+1	101 * 3541 * 27961	0.0123
10^20+1	73 * 137 * 1676321 * 5964848081	0.0469
10^30+1	61 * 101 * 3541 * 9901 * 27961 * 4188901 * 39526741	0.1406
10^40+1	17 * 5070721 * 5882353 * 19721061166646717498359681	0.0625
10^50+1	101 * 3541 * 27961 * 60101 * 7019801 * 14103673319201 * 1680588011350901	339.8750
10^60+1	73 * 137 * 1676321 * 99990001 * 5964848081 * 1000099999989999900000010001	1.2031
10^70+1	29 * 101 * 281 * 421 * 3541 * 27961 * 3471301 * 13489841 * 121499449 * 60368344121 * 848654483879497562821	88.8906
10^80+1	353 * 449 * 641 * 1409 * 69857 * 1634881 * 18453761 * 947147262401 * 349954396040122577928041596214187605761	8.4375

Table 12

The algorithm checks the remainders of $(k \pm s)/(6s \pm 1)$. When these remainders hit zero, a factor is found. The algorithm performs a sequential search. One important component of any optimized strategies has to do with the remainders of $(k \pm s)/(6s \pm 1)$. These remainders have very interesting behaviors. The following chart plots the value of the remainders obtain for the search of the first factor of a composite number 693949:



And the following chart plots the remainder when the number to factor is prime:



[IDEA #13] One can observe that the plot of remainders for a Prime number when verifying conditions C1, C2, C3, C4 has a linear structure for s greater than a certain s_0 .

Using the fact that, at some time in the sequence, the remainders of prime numbers are part of straight lines with slopes that are one away from a multiple of six, one can build a code to perform primality tests.

Running the code created based on the shape of the remainder curves (FACTORIZA10 in Python 3.7) we can check the primality of the integer plotted in the previous chart N=664579 with the following result:

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It can be observed that:

- a. 664579 is in the series P^+ , which means that (N-1) = 0 mod 6 so we will check conditions C1 and C2.
- b. k = (N-1)/6 = 110763
- c. Remainder when testing for Condition 1 (C1) gives at some point (s=200) a straight line
 - The slope of the line verifies (slope+1) = 0 mod 6 (-553+1 = 0 mod 6)
- d. So, there are no divisors of the form C1 (6s+1)
- e. Remainder when testing for Condition 2 (C2) gives at some point (s=199) a straight line
 - The slope of the line verifies (slope-1) = 0 mod 6 (-557-1 = 0 mod 6)
- f. So, there are no divisors of the form C2 (6s-1)
- g. Therefore 664579 is prime

7.3. [IDEA #14] Factorization and Primality test using DNA-Prime sequences P^{1+} and P^{1-}

We are going to formulate a new factorization method base on the P^{1+} and P^{1-} series. We know that for a number N to be Prime, the following conditions must be met:

- d) If (N) mod 2≠0 the number is not Prime
- e) If (N-1) mod 2=0 then N = kn + 1

CONDITION C1
$$(K_n - s) \bmod (s + 1) \neq 0$$
 for $s \in N < k_n$ If s=1 or s= k_n then N is Prime.

Examples:

N	kn=(N-1)	S	Primality?	Factors
4489	4488.00	66	No	67x67
6839	6838.00	6	No	7x977
9973	9972.00	-	Yes	-
100001	100000.00	10	No	11x9091

Table 13

We can compare the speed of FACTORIZA7.UNO code using P^{1+} and P^{1-} with the previous results of FACTORIZA7.SIX in table 12:

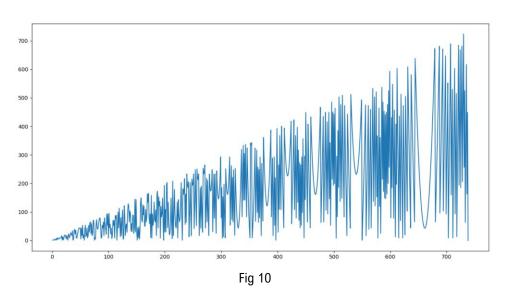
N	Factors (FACTORIZA7.UNO)				
10^10+1	101 * 3541 * 27961	0.1719			
10^20+1	73 * 137 * 1676321 * 5964848081	0.1719			
10^30+1	61 * 101 * 3541 * 9901 * 27961 * 4188901 * 39526741	0.2656			
10^40+1	17 * 5070721 * 5882353 * 19721061166646717498359681	0.1875			
10^50+1	101 * 3541 * 27961 * 60101 * 7019801 * 14103673319201 * 1680588011350901	209.4844			
10^60+1	73 * 137 * 1676321 * 99990001 * 5964848081 * 10000999999899999900000010001	1.2188			
10^70+1	29 * 101 * 281 * 421 * 3541 * 27961 * 3471301 * 13489841 * 121499449 * 60368344121 * 848654483879497562821	68.0938			
10^80+1	353 * 449 * 641 * 1409 * 69857 * 1634881 * 18453761 * 947147262401 * 349954396040122577928041596214187605761	5.3594			

Table 14

Comparing Table 14 to Table 12, one can see that FACTORIZA7.UNO is faster that FACTORIZA7 for larger N.

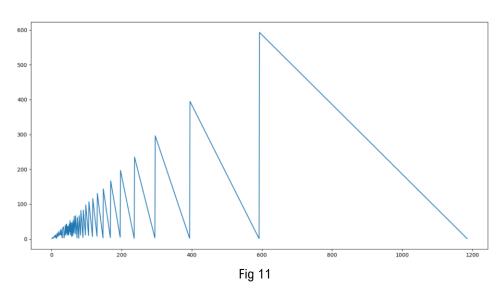
The algorithm checks the remainders of (k-s)/(s+1). When the remainder hits zero, a factor is found. The algorithm performs a sequential search. The following chart plots the value of the remainders obtain for the search of the first factor of a composite number 877193 = 2 * 3 * 19 * 739 * 1187, until the code finds factor 739:

Remainders for k1n for N= 877193



Again, we can see the different structure of the remainder plot when N is prime:

Remainders for kln for N= 1187



As done before, we will test primality and processing time for larger primes optimizing the code using the characteristics of the straight lines in the plot of remainders of Primes using $(K - s) \mod (s + 1)$:

Code: Factoriza10.UNO v. 04/26/2020 PJC

---- N = 100000003319

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JUMP C1: 2 -> New s= 175 -> resto1[-3]= 131 -> resto11[-1]= -62

JUMP C1: 4 -> New s= 1000 -> resto1[-3]= 422 -> resto11[-1]= -103

JUMP C1: 3 -> New s= 2924 -> resto1[-3]= 2198 -> resto11[-1]= -627

JUMP C1: 100000003319 -> New s= 447809 -> resto1[-3]= 446647 -> resto11[-1]= -223309
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N= 100000003319 --> PRIME

Time Elapsed = 1.3125 seconds

The code found at s=4447809 a straight that verifies the conditions for primality.

7.4. Some other interesting (and impractical) factorization methods or primality tests

a. [IDEA #15] Recurrence to check Primality

The following recurrence that will generate a positive integer only if m is Prime:

$$b(1) = 1$$

$$b(n) = ((n-1)^2 / n) * (b(n-1) + (n-3)/(n-1))$$
(8)

Also, the integer values for b(m) when m is Prime are the elements of the OEIS A091330 sequence [13]. This has been added as a comment to that sequence.

The values of b(n) are:

$$b(n) = [1, 0, 0, \frac{3}{4}, 4, \frac{115}{6}, 102, \frac{5033}{8}, \frac{40312}{9}, \frac{362871}{10}, 329890, \dots]$$

b. Wilson's theorem.

First stated by Ibn al-Haytham (c. 1000 AD), and, in the 18th century, by John Wilson. Edward Waring announced the theorem in 1770, although neither he nor his student Wilson could prove it. Lagrange gave the first proof in 1771. There is evidence that Leibniz was also aware of the result a century earlier, but he never published it.

In essence, it says that: A natural number n > 1 is a Prime number if and only if the product of all the positive integers less than n is one less than a multiple of n. That is (using the notations of modular arithmetic), one has that the factorial $(n-1)!=1\times2\times3\times\cdots\times(n-1)$ satisfies $(n-1)!\equiv -1 \pmod{n}$ exactly when n is a Prime number.

We can rewrite Wilson's theorem saying that if:

$$K(n) = \frac{1}{n} + \frac{\Gamma(n)}{n} - 1 \tag{9}$$

is integer, then n is Prime. ($\Gamma(n) = (n-1)!$ Is the gamma function. It is not a very efficient algorithm for primality as gamma(n) can get very large very quickly. The values of K(n) are:

$$K(n) = \{1, 0, 0, \frac{3}{4}, 4, \frac{115}{6}, 102, \frac{5033}{8}, \frac{40312}{9}, \frac{362871}{10}, 329890, \dots\}$$

One can observe the equivalence of K(n) with b(n) from 7.3.a.

c. [IDEA #16] Using combinations to check primality

p is Prime if $C(p,n) = 0 \mod p$ for all positive integer n such that n<p.

Example:

7 is Prime because C(7,1)/7=1, C(7,2)/7=3, C(7,3)/7=5, are integers, and obviously C(7,4)/7, C(7,5)/7, and C(7,6)/7 as well.

8 is not Prime because: C(8,2)/8=3.5 is not integer.

as factorials grow fast, the best way to code this is by simplifying:

$$C(p,n) = p * (p-1) * ... * \frac{p-n+1}{n!} = p * \frac{p-1}{n} * ... * (p-n+1)$$

And:

$$\frac{C(p,n)}{p} = \frac{p-1}{n} * \dots * (p-n+1) = \prod_{k=1}^{n-1} \frac{p-k}{n+1-k}$$
 (10)

d. [IDEA #17] Primality test using powers of 2 and 3:

For n>3:

$$gcd(2^n + n, 3^n + n, n + 1) = n + 1$$
 if and only if $(n + 1)$ is Prime

Using WolframAlpha for n=1..100

The condition implies that if (n + 1) is Prime then:

$$(2^n + n) = 0 \mod(n+1)$$

and

$$(3^n + n) = 0 \mod(n+1)$$

which can be proved using Fermat's Little Theorem (p Prime and n=p-1):

$$(2^p - 2) = 0 \mod (p)$$

and

$$\frac{\left[\frac{2^{p}-2}{p}+2\right]}{2} = \frac{2^{n}+n}{n+1}$$

$$\frac{\left[\frac{3^{p}-3}{p}+3\right]}{3}=\frac{3^{n}+n}{n+1}$$

which proves that:

$$(2^n + n) = 0 \mod (n + 1)$$

$$(3^n + n) = 0 \mod (n + 1)$$

this will be true for any n = p - 1 with p Prime.

e. [IDEA #18] Primality test using the Lambert W-function: :

As a corollary, the following formula has integer solutions only if (p + 1) is Prime:

$$p = -\frac{k+1}{k} - \frac{LambertW\left(-1, -\frac{\log(2)}{2k * 2^{\frac{1}{k}}}\right)}{\log(2)}$$

$$\tag{11}$$

where LambertW is the Lambert W function. The formula provides the following integer solutions:

$$\{k, p\} = \{(1,2), (3,4), (9,6), (93,10), (315,12), (3855,16), \dots\}$$

which makes $\{p+1\} = \{3,5,7,11,13,17,\dots\}$ Prime

7.5. Other interesting conjectures on Primes and divisions:

a. Grimm's Conjecture

In number theory, Grimm's conjecture (named after Carl Albert Grimm) states that to each element of a set of consecutive composite numbers one can assign a distinct Prime that divides it. [4]

Formal statement: if n + 1, n + 2, ..., n + k are all composite numbers, then there are k distinct Primes p_i such that p_i divides n + j for $1 \le j \le k$.

Weaker version: A weaker, though still unproven, version of this conjecture goes: If there is no Prime in the interval [n + 1, n + k], then:

 $\prod_{x \le k} (n+x)$ has at least k distinct Prime divisors.

[IDEA #19] We propose the following proof for this conjecture:

- i. Lemma 1: There is a Prime between n and 2n (Bertrand's Theorem)
- ii. Corollary: There is a Prime in [n, 3n], [n,5n], ... [n, p*n] for every Prime
- iii. Lemma 2: There are no ODD composites with same Prime factors without a Prime number in between.
- iv. If $c1 = \prod \{p \ primes\} p^{k1p}$ and $c2 = \prod \{p \ primes\} p^{k2p}$ with same Prime factors p, then, from Lemma 1, there is a Prime in the interval [c1,c2].
- v. Theorem 1: For a sequence of ODD composite numbers (2k+1), (2k+3), (2k+5), ... (2k+n), there are, from Lemma 2, at least (n+2) Prime factors to factor these composites.
- vi. To prove Grimm's conjecture, we can separate the sequence of composites on evens and odds. The odds are proved through theorem 1, the evens can be reduced to odds dividing by 2 and using Theorem 1.

b. [IDEA #20] Maximum Common Divisors of multiple of Primes

If P = 6p + 1 is Prime and Q = 6q - 1 is Prime, then the following sequence a(n) gives the greatest common divisors for $(P^n - 1)$ and $(Q^n + 1)$:

 $\{6, 24, 18, 240, 6, 72, 6, 480, 54, 264, 6, 720, 6, 24, 18, 16320, 6, 216, 6, 13200, 18, 552, 6, 1440, 6, ...$

Examples:

- All Primes squared are 1 away from a multiple of 24
- All Primes to the 8th power are 1 away from a multiple of 480

c. [IDEA #21] Divisibility criteria

We define a Digit Vector for any integer N from its expanded form using power of 10:

$$15263 = 1 * 10^5 + 5 * 10^4 + 2 * 10^3 + 6 * 10^1 + 3 * 10^0$$

Then the Digit Vector is:

D(15263)=[1,5,2,6,3]

We define the following Key vectors:

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Key03= [1]
Key07= [2,3,1,5,4,6]
Key11= [1,10]
Key13= [1,4,3,12,9,10]
Key17= [1,12,8,11,13,3,2,7,16,5,9,6,4,14,15,10]
Key19= [1,2,4,8,16,13,7,14,9,18,17,15,11,3,6,12,5,10]
Key23= [1,7,3,21,9,17,4,5,12,15,13,22,16,20,2,14,6,19,18,11,8,10]
Key29= [1,3,9,27,23,11,4,12,7,21,5,15,16,19,28,26,20,2,6,18,25,17,22,8,24,14,13,10]
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These keys can be extended repeating the sequence, for example:

$$Key07 = [2,3,1,5,4,6,2,3,1,5,4,6,2,3,1,5,4,6,...]$$

The divisibility criteria we propose says that an integer N with Digit Ventor D of length L(D) is divisible by a factor X if the scalar product of the vectors D and KeyX (extended to length L(D)) is divisible by X, or formulated, D° KeyX = 0 mod X.

The proof is based on the fact that the Key vectors are residuals of mod(10[^]k, X) with k∈N.

For example:

2,900,519,955 is divisible by 19 because (extend digits in KeyX if necessary):

$$[2,9,0,0,5,1,9,9,5,5]$$
 ° $[1,2,4,8,16,13,7,14,9,18,17(,15,11,3,6,12,5,10)] = 437$

$$[4,3,7] \circ [1,2,4] = 38$$

$$[3,8]*[1,2] = 19$$

The most astonishing property of the Key vectors is that if a number N is divisible by X, this will be true for any permutation of the elements of KeyX containing complete replications of the initial core sequence where order is maintained. For example:

$$[1,0,6,8,5,4,0,1,6,5]$$
 ° $[2,3,1,5,4,6,2,3,1,5,4,6]$ = 126 = 18 * 7 $[1,0,6,8,5,4,0,1,6,5]$ ° $[6,2,3,1,5,4,6,2,3,1,5,4]$ = 98 = 14 * 7 $[1,0,6,8,5,4,0,1,6,5]$ ° $[4,6,2,3,1,5,4,6,2,3,1,5]$ = 98 = 14 * 7

As a larger example, the following number N with 79 digits is divisible by 17:

N=1068540165654659843210003216540065687987946512103468798415498798746513216873038

d. PrimeFactorial and Primorial functions.

If p(n) is the n^{th} prime, Primorial(p(n)) or n# is the multiplication of all primes up to p(n):

$$n\# = \prod_{k=1}^{n} p(k)$$

[IDEA #22] We define PrimeFactorial or n_i as the product of all primes less than n:

$$n_{\mathsf{i}} = \prod_{k=1}^{n} (p(k) < n)$$

Examples for n=5:

$$5! = 5 * 4 * 3 * 2 * 1 = 120$$
 (Factorial function)
 $5# = 2 * 3 * 5 * 7 * 11 = 2310$ (Primorial Function)
 $5_i = 2 * 3 = 6$ (PrimeFactorial function)

From the definitions, one can also obtain:

$$\sum_{i=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n!} = e = 2.7181828184590455...$$

$$\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n^{\#}} = 1.70523017171801...$$

$$\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n_i} = 3.9200509773161327...$$

Also:

 $a(n) = n^{\#}/n_i$ is always integer (OEIS A301600 Caceres) with offset 0,2:

 $\{1, 2, 6, 15, 35, 385, 1001, 17017, 46189, 1062347, 30808063, 955049953, 3212440751 \dots \}$

a(n) = n!/n# is always integer (OEIS A300902 Caceres) with offset 0,3:

 $\{1, 1, 2, 3, 4, 20, 24, 168, 192, 1728, 17280, 190080, 207360, 2695680, 2903040, \dots\}$

8. Number of Primes less than a given number. Function $\pi(x)$

Let's call $\pi(n)$ the number of Primes less than n. The Prime number theorem says that:

$$\lim_{n \to \infty} \pi(n)/(n/\ln n)) = 1 \tag{12}$$

A better approximation given by Riemann is [3]:

$$\lim_{n \to \infty} \pi(n)/li(n) = 1 \tag{13}$$

Where li(n) is the logarithmic integral function:

$$li(n) = \int_0^n \frac{dt}{\ln(t)} \tag{14}$$

In 1899, de la Vallee Poussin proved that:

$$\pi(x) = li(x) + O(x e^{-\left(a\sqrt{\ln(x)}\right)})$$

For some positive constant 'a' and O() being the big O notation.

The following table shows the results of these approximations [6]:

	1-0	() (1	11/> />	-64 (P()
X	$\pi(x)$	$\pi(x) - x / \ln x$	$li(x) - \pi(x)$	$\pi(x) / \operatorname{li}(x)$
1E+01	4	-0.34	2.200	0.645161290
1E+02	25	3.29	5.100	0.830564784
1E+03	168	23.24	10.000	0.943820225
1E+04	1,229	143.26	17.000	0.986356340
1E+05	9,592	906.11	38.000	0.996053998
1E+06	78,498	6115.59	130.000	0.998346645
1E+07	664,579	44158.31	339.000	0.999490163
1E+08	5,761,455	332773.98	754.000	0.999869147
1E+09	50,847,534	2592591.57	1701.000	0.999966548
1E+10	455,052,511	20758029.10	3104.000	0.999993179
1E+11	4,118,054,813	169923159.33	11588.000	0.999997186

Table 15

The effort in this direction is to find more accurate approximations to $\pi(n)$. All these expressions involve complex algebraic expressions of $\ln(n)$, or the Riemann Zeta function, and $\mathrm{li}(x)$.

As an example, the Riemann hypothesis is equivalent to a much tighter bound on the error in the estimate for $\pi(n)$, and hence to a more regular distribution of Prime numbers, Specifically, [9]

$$|\pi(n) - li(x)| < \frac{1}{8\pi} \sqrt{x} \ln x$$
 for all x>2657

9. [IDEA #23] Counting Primes less than a given number N using Prime generators K_{6n} and K_{6m}

9.1. Based on:

{Primes} = {2,3}
$$\cup \{6k_n + 1 \mid k_n \neq 6xy + x + y \ and \ k_n \neq 6xy - x - y \ for \ all \ x, y \in N\} \\ \cup \{6k_m - 1 \mid k_m \neq 6xy - x + y \ for \ all \ x, y \in N\}$$

The total number of Primes less than a given number N can be calculated following this algorithm:

- a. Calculate the total number of elements in A_n = Da
- b. Calculate the total number of duplicates in A_n = Daa
- c. Calculate the total number of elements in $B_n = Db$
- d. Calculate the total number of duplicates in B_n = Dbb
- e. Calculate the total number of duplicates between A and B_n = Dab
- f. Calculate the total number of Primes<N of the form (6K_n+1)

$$\pi(P^+) = \frac{N}{6} - (Da - Daa) - (Db - Dbb) + Dab$$

- g. Calculate the total number of elements in C_n = Dc
- h. Calculate the total number of duplicates in C_n = Dcc
- i. Calculate the total number of Primes<N of the form (6 K_m -1)

$$\pi(P^-) = \frac{N}{6} - (Dc - Dcc)$$

j. Calculate the total number of Primes<N:

$$\pi(N) = \pi(P^+) + \pi(P^-) + 2$$

Where the additional (+2) comes from the fact that Primes $\{2,3\}$ cannot be generated by either (P^+) or (P^-) .

9.2. Calculation of the number of elements in sequences A_n , B_n , and C_n

Condition 1:
$$A_n = 6xy + x + y$$
 $x > 0, y > 0 \in N$

For every \underline{x} , the maximum value of \underline{y} that makes the Prime $6A_n + 1 \le n$ is:

$$6(6xy + x + y) + 1 \le n$$

$$(6xy + x + y) \le (n-1)/6$$

$$y(6x+1) + x \le (n-1)/6$$

$$y(6x+1) \le \frac{n-1}{6} - x$$

$$y \le (\frac{n-1}{6} - x) / (6x+1)$$

For y=1, we obtain the maximum value of x (number of rows):

$$xmax = \frac{n-7}{42}$$

 A_n is symmetric therefore ymax = xmax.

And the total number of non-generators for a given x, that we will call Da(x) can be calculated by:

$$Da = \sum_{x=1}^{x \max} \frac{\left(\frac{n-1}{6} - x\right)}{6x+1} - (x-1)$$
 (15)

Using the same logic to calculate the total number of elements in B_n and C_n , that we will call respectively Db and Dc:

$$Db = \sum_{x=1}^{x \max} \frac{\left(\frac{n-1}{6} + x\right)}{6x - 1} - (x - 1)$$
 (16)

With:

$$xmax = \frac{n+5}{30}$$

ymax = xmax because of the symmetry of B_n

And:

$$Dc = \sum_{x=1}^{x \max} \frac{\left(\frac{n+1}{6} - x\right)}{6x - 1} \tag{17}$$

With:

$$xmax = \frac{n+7}{42}$$

$$Ymax = \frac{n-5}{30}$$

Using these expressions, the calculated values of Da, Db, Dc, for different values of N are:

N	Da	Db	Dc
1.00E+02	2	3	4
1.00E+03	44	59	97
1.00E+04	743	896	1,626
1.00E+05	10,572	12,121	22,649
1.00E+06	137,523	153,049	290,411
1.00E+07	1,694,547	1,849,728	3,543,726

Table 16

9.3. Calculation of the number of duplicates Daa, Dbb, Dab, and Dab

It can easily be observed that non-generators An, Bn, Cn matrices have duplicates. If we set N=1000 as an example, the duplicates in these matrices (Daa, Dbb, Dab, Dcc) are shown in bold in the following print out:

$$N = 1000$$

 $N//6 = 166$

```
= 44
Da
       = 2 ---> [106, 155]
Daa
Na
       = 42
Db
       = 59
       = 4 ---> [64, 99, 119, 134]
Dbb
Nb
       = 55
       = 11 ---> [29, 54, 64, 79, 99, 104, 119, 129, 134, 141, 154]
Dab
Nab
       = 86 \rightarrow Pi(P+)= 80
       = 97
Dc
Dcc
        = 17 ---> [41, 46, 71, 76, 76, 90, 96, 101, 111, 111, 121, 139, 141, 146, 146, 156, 156]
Nc
       = 80 - Pi(P-) = 86
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Number of Primes less than 1000 CPI(X)= 168 π (X)= 168

The main problem is to find a close form expression to calculate the duplicates for a certain N, and to that end, we are going to use numeric analysis to calculate the number of duplicates as a function of N. In the following table we show a limited number of rows of the dataset built to analyze the number of duplicates computed for different values of N and values from [8]:

N	Da	Daa	Db	Dbb	Dab	Dc	Dcc	π(P+)	π(P-)	π(N)
- 14	Da	Daa		000	Dab		DCC	741 .7	74(1 /	76(14)
100	2	0	3	0	0	4	0	11	12	25
500	18	0	25	1	4	40	5	45	48	95
1000	44	2	59	4	11	97	17	80	86	168
5000	324	40	400	77	104	717	221	330	337	669
10000	743	119	896	214	251	1626	576	611	616	1229
25000	2170	440	2557	737	755	4695	1918	1371	1389	2762
50000	4811	1141	5585	1792	1686	10363	4605	2556	2575	5133
75000	7634	1941	8796	2985	2686	16386	7596	3682	3710	7394
100000	10572	2810	12121	4268	3733	22649	10789	4784	4806	9592

Table 17

We have decided to use as the independent variable *nmax*:

$$xmax = int(N / 42)$$

$$ymax = int(N / 5) - 1$$

$$nmax = ymax - xmax$$

The main reason to use nmax is that provides a method to obtain all correlations in a linear or quadratic form using the logarithm of N in base 10 (log(N, 10)) as an input. We can now express the previous table introducing the independent variable nmax:

nmax	Da	Daa	Db	Dbb	Dab	Dc	Dcc
17	2	0	3	0	0	4	0
88	18	0	25	1	4	40	5
176	44	2	59	4	11	97	17
880	324	40	400	77	104	717	221
1761	743	119	896	214	251	1626	576
4404	2170	440	2557	737	755	4695	1918
8809	4811	1141	5585	1792	1686	10363	4605
13214	7634	1941	8796	2985	2686	16386	7596
17619	10572	2810	12121	4268	3733	22649	10789
22023	13599	3744	15539	5612	4791	29080	14137
26428	16699	4722	19026	7024	5886	35656	17596

Table 18

Then we can chart:

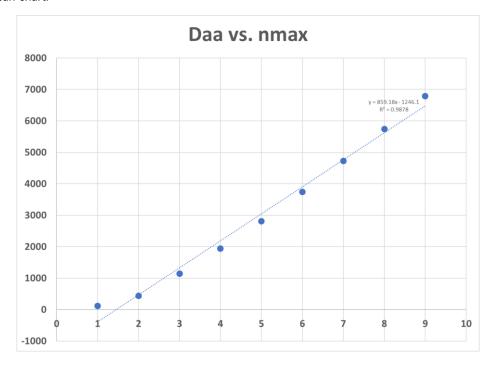


Fig 12

Where we can see that Daa can be expressed as a linear regression over nmax.

- 9.4. The computation of all data vectors $\{Da\}, ..., \{Dcc\}$ as function of nmax
- 9.4.1. Computation of Dc, Dcc to obtain $\pi(P^-)$

We define

log x2 = log(N, 10) - 2 where log(N, 10) is the logarithm in base 10 of N

then the computation of all regressions for $R^2 > 0.999$ gives:

c[1] = 0.633480 - 26/1000000

c[2] = 0.193065 + 2/1000000

c[3] = 0.340500 - 34/1000000

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c[4] = -(0.39520 + 4/1000000)
c[5] = -(0.01860 + 5/1000000)
c[6] = 0.260600 - 55/1000000
c[7] = 0.450000 + 50/1000000
c[8] = 0.997381368
sx = c[1] * logx2 + c[2]
tx = c[3] * logx2 + c[4]
fx = (c[5] * logx2^2 + c[6] * logx2 + c[7])/c[8]
and:
Dc = int(nmax * sx)
Dcc = nmax * tx
\pi(P^-) = int((int(N/6) - (Dc - Dcc)) * 1/fx)
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The error of calculated $\pi(P^-)$ compared to actuals:

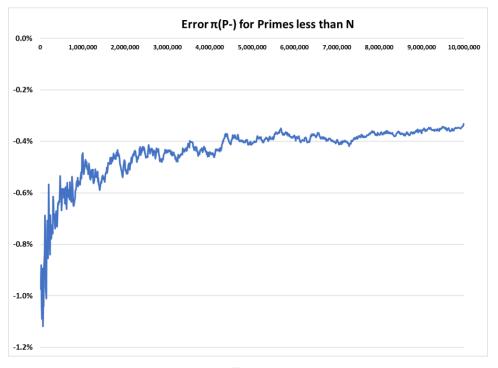


Fig 13

9.4.2. Computation of Da, Daa, Db, Dbb, Dab to obtain $\pi(P^+)$

We define:

$$log x = log(N, 10)$$

then the computation of all regressions for $R^2 > 0.9999$ gives:

Da = int(nmax * sx) Daa = nmax * tx Db = int(nmax * ux) Dbb = nmax * vxDab = nmax * wx

Where:

$$sx = b[0] * logx + b[1]$$

 $tx = b[2] * logx^2 + b[3] * logx + b[4]$

$$ux = b[5] * logx + b[6]$$

 $vx = b[7] * logx^2 + b[8] * logx + b[9]$
 $wx = b[10] * logx^2 + b[11] * logx + b[12]$

that can be simplified into one quadratic model:

$$D = c[0] + c[1] * logx + c[2] * logx ** 2$$

Where:

$$c = 0.47956, 0.112818, 1/(-8.827 * logx - 39.927)$$
 for logx≥14 $c = [0.47956, 0.112818, 1/(-2.0238logx^3 + 41.114 logx^2 - 290.89logx + 620.2)$ for logx<14

And:

$$\pi(P^+) = int((int(x/6) - D * nmax))$$

The error of calculated $\pi(P^+)$ compared to actuals:

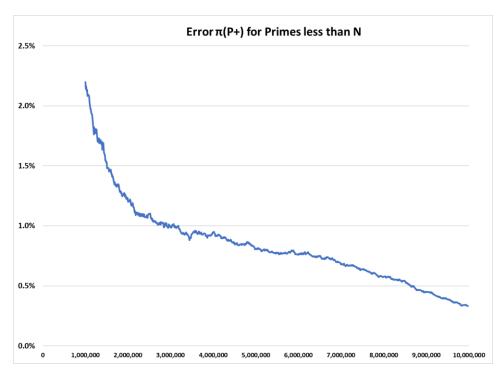


Fig 14

9.4.3. [IDEA #] METHOD CPIX1: Calculate values of CPIX using only counts over the series P-

The sequences P^- and P^+ have similar number of elements. We have plotted these numbers in Fig. 1 and based on Fig. 3 we can say that:

$$\lim_{N\to\infty}\frac{\pi(P^-)-\pi(P^+)}{N}=0$$

This can be used to simplify the algorithm described in 9.1:

- a. Calculate the total number of elements in $C_n = Dc$
- b. Calculate the total number of duplicates in C_n = Dcc
- c. Calculate the total number of Primes<N of the form (6K_m-1)

$$\pi(P^-) = \frac{N}{6} - (Dc - Dcc)$$

d. Calculate the total number of Primes<N:

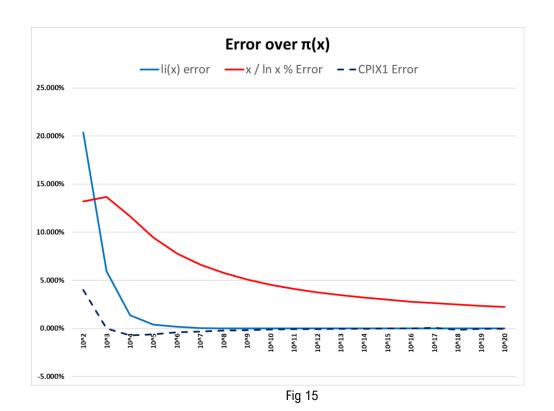
$$CPIX1 = 2 * \pi(P^{-})$$

The error of the calculations obtained using this method are compared to the errors using Li(x) and x/ln(x) in the following table:

X	π(x)	li(x) error	x / In x % Error	CPIX1 Error
10^2	25	20.40000000000000%	13.200%	4.00000000000%
10^3	168	5.95238095238095%	13.690%	0.00000000000%
10^4	1,229	1.38323840520749%	11.640%	-0.732302685110%
10^5	9,592	0.39616346955798%	9.450%	-0.625521267723%
10^6	78,498	0.16560931488701%	7.790%	-0.405105862570%
10^7	664,579	0.05100973699139%	6.640%	-0.307412662753%
10^8	5,761,455	0.01308697195412%	5.780%	-0.226314359828%
10^9	50,847,534	0.00334529497537%	5.100%	-0.162411022725%
10^10	455,052,511	0.00068211907966%	4.560%	-0.116388106251%
10^11	4,118,054,813	0.00028139499171%	4.130%	-0.082868372447%
10^12	37,607,912,018	0.00010174188874%	3.770%	-0.058232969673%
10^13	346,065,536,839	0.00003148854433%	3.470%	-0.039101919895%
10^14	3,204,941,750,802	0.00000982513957%	3.210%	-0.022973864527%
10^15	29,844,570,422,669	0.00000352700336%	2.990%	-0.007120543713%
10^16	279,238,341,033,925	0.00000115121441%	2.790%	0.014604542693%
10^17	2,623,557,157,654,230	0.00000030327485%	2.630%	0.086124038326%
10^18	24,739,954,287,740,860	0.00000008872107%	2.480%	-0.141772447230%
10^19	234,057,667,276,344,607	0.00000004267229%	2.340%	-0.048090380881%
10^20	2,220,819,602,560,918,840	0.0000001002984%	2.220%	-0.028947325069%
10^21	21,127,269,486,018,731,928	0.00000000282760%	2.110%	-0.019832875445%
10^22	201,467,286,689,315,906,290	0.00000000095914%	2.020%	-0.014235299182%
10^23	1,925,320,391,606,803,968,923	0.0000000037657%	1.930%	-0.010370932566%
10^24	18,435,599,767,349,200,867,866	0.0000000009301%	1.840%	-0.007528339373%
10^25	176,846,309,399,143,769,411,680	0.0000000003120%	1.770%	-0.005356412793%
10^26	1,699,246,750,872,437,141,327,603	0.0000000000917%	1.700%	-0.003656237399%
10^27	16,352,460,426,841,680,446,427,399	0.0000000000311%	1.640%	-0.002303853847%

Table 19

And plotting the differences graphically:



9.4.4. **[IDEA #24]** METHOD CPIX2: Calculate values of CPIX2 using counts from the series P^- and P^+ Using 8.4.1 and 8.4.2. we can calculate CPIX2(N) = $\pi(P^+) + \pi(P^-) + 2$

X	π(x)	li(x) error	x / In x % Error	CPIX2 Error
10^2	25	20.40000000000000%	13.200%	0.000000000000%
10^3	168	5.95238095238095%	13.690%	0.595238095238%
10^4	1,229	1.38323840520749%	11.640%	4.963384865745%
10^5	9,592	0.39616346955798%	9.450%	9.288990825688%
10^6	78,498	0.16560931488701%	7.790%	0.016560931489%
10^7	664,579	0.05100973699139%	6.640%	0.000000000000%
10^8	5,761,455	0.01308697195412%	5.780%	0.004356538409%
10^9	50,847,534	0.00334529497537%	5.100%	0.000000000000%
10^10	455,052,511	0.00068211907966%	4.560%	0.000005713626%
10^11	4,118,054,813	0.00028139499171%	4.130%	0.000000000000%
10^12	37,607,912,018	0.00010174188874%	3.770%	0.000000109020%
10^13	346,065,536,839	0.00003148854433%	3.470%	0.000000169332%
10^14	3,204,941,750,802	0.00000982513957%	3.210%	0.000000222500%
10^15	29,844,570,422,669	0.00000352700336%	2.990%	0.000000266394%
10^16	279,238,341,033,925	0.00000115121441%	2.790%	0.000000385323%
10^17	2,623,557,157,654,230	0.00000030327485%	2.630%	0.000000386950%
10^18	24,739,954,287,740,860	0.00000008872107%	2.480%	0.000000350235%
10^19	234,057,667,276,344,607	0.00000004267229%	2.340%	0.000000564029%
10^20	2,220,819,602,560,918,840	0.0000001002984%	2.220%	0.000000774968%

Table 20

CPIX2 method is more precise than CPIX1. The comparison is shown in the following chart:



Fig 16

10. [IDEA #25] Counting Primes less than a given number N using Prime generators K_{1n}

10.1. Based on:

$$\{ \text{Primes} \} = \{ k_{1n} + 1 \mid k_n \neq xy + x + y \quad \textit{for all } x, y \in N \}$$

The total number of Primes less than a given number N can be calculated following this algorithm:

- a. Calculate the total number of elements in A_n = Da
- b. Calculate the total number of duplicates in A_n = Daa
- c. Calculate the total number of Primes<N of the form (K_{1n}+1)

$$\pi(P^+) = N - (Da - Daa)$$

10.2. Calculation of *Da* the number of elements in sequence $A_n = xy + x + y$

Condition 1:
$$A_{1n} = xy + x + y$$
 $x > 0, y > 0 \in N$

For every $\underline{\mathbf{x}}$, the maximum value of $\underline{\mathbf{y}}$ that makes the Prime $A_{1n}+1\leq n$ is:

$$y \le \frac{n}{x+1} - 1$$

For x=1, we obtain:

$$y_{max} = \frac{n}{2} - 1$$

 A_n is symmetric therefore ymax = xmax.

And the total number of non-generators for a given x, that we will call Da(x) can be calculated by:

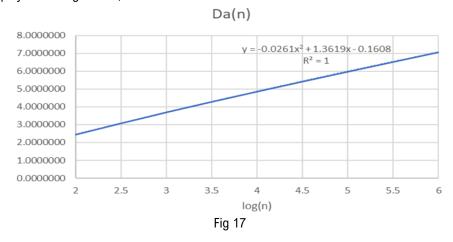
$$Da = \sum_{x=1}^{xmax} \frac{n}{x+1} - 1 \tag{18}$$

With values:

N	Da	Da-odds
100	283	56
1,000	5,070	1,111
10,000	73,669	16,877
100,000	966,751	226,337
1,000,000	11,970,035	2,839,095
10,000,000	142,725,365	34,147,078
100,000,000	1,657,511,569	399,035,115

Table 21

Computing a polynomial regression, Da can be defined as a function of n:



10.3. Calculation of *Daa*, the repeated numbers in sequence $A_n = xy + x + y$

The number of duplicated elements Daa and its behavior can be observed in the following table:

	Calculated			
N	Daa Total	Daa Unique	Daa computed	Error
100	276	203	208	-0.0240384615
400	2211	1339	1347	-0.0059391240
900	6833	3723	3731	-0.0021441973
1600	14785	7507	7520	-0.0017287234
2500	26582	12815	12828	-0.0010134082
3600	42779	19766	19764	0.0001011941
4900	63475	28366	28369	-0.0001057492
6400	89171	38724	38733	-0.0002323600
8100	120146	50902	50897	0.0000982376
10000	156489	64891	64898	-0.0001078616
12100	198705	80806	80804	0.0000247512
14400	246772	98627	98627	0.0000000000
16900	300797	118376	118405	-0.0002449221

Table 22

The calculation of the duplicate composite numbers less than N in the previous table correspond to the following formula **[IDEA #26]**, which gives the approximations shown in the Error column in Table 22:

$$Daa = \sum_{k=3}^{xmax} \frac{N}{2k} + \sum_{k=4}^{xmax} \frac{N}{3k} + \frac{f(N)}{\log(N)} \sum_{j>3}^{xmax} \sum_{prime}^{xmax} \frac{N}{ij}$$
(19)

Where f(N) is an algebraic function.

And the calculated values for CPIX1(n) = N - Da(n) + Daa(n) are:

N	Da	Daa	CPIX1(N)	π(N)	Error
100	283	203	20	25	-20.000%
400	1669	1339	70	78	-10.256%
900	4477	3723	146	154	-5.195%
1600	8869	7507	238	251	-5.179%
2500	14961	12815	354	367	-3.542%
3600	22861	19766	505	503	0.398%
4900	32615	28366	651	654	-0.459%
6400	44299	38724	825	834	-1.079%
8100	57979	50902	1023	1018	0.491%
10000	73669	64891	1222	1229	-0.570%
12100	91457	80806	1449	1447	0.138%
14400	111341	98627	1686	1686	0.000%
16900	133357	118376	1919	1948	-1.489%
25000	207037	184710	2673	2762	-3.222%
30000	253926	227051	3125	3245	-3.698%

Table 23

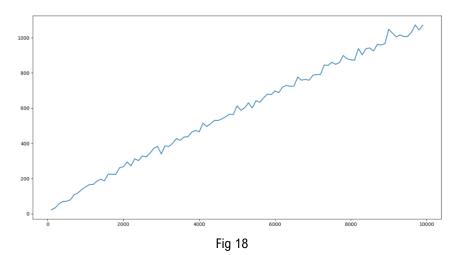
The error with this method is larger than the methods developed using series P^{6+} and P^{6-} .

11. Ideas on Legendre's Conjecture

11.1. Legendre's Conjecture states that there is always a prime number between n^2 and $(n+1)^2$ provided that $n \ne -1$ or 0.

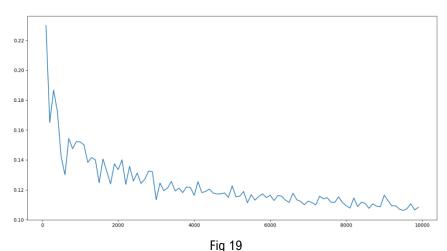
The following chart shows the number of Primes between n^2 and $(n+1)^2$.

Legendre Conjecture -> Primes between n^2 and $(n+1)^2$



The prime number theorem suggests that the actual number of primes between n^2 and $(n + 1)^2$ is asymptotic to $n/\ln(n)$.





A way to understand this conjecture can be based on the definition of Primes in series P^{1+} :

$$\{\text{Primes}\} = \{k_{1n} + 1 \mid k_{1n} \neq xy + x + y\}$$

Based on this definition, all composite numbers are of the form c = xy + x + y + 1.

In this case, we can observe that:

$$n^2 = (n-1)*(n-1)+(n-1)+(n-1)+1 \qquad \qquad x=y=(n-1)$$
 and
$$(n+1)^2 = n*n+n+1 + 1 \qquad \qquad x=y=n$$

Any number between n^2 and $(n+1)^2$ that can't be represented by c=xy+x+y+1=(x+1)*(x-1) would be Prime. Between n^2 and $(n+1)^2$ there are 2n+1 numbers:

$$n^2 \rightarrow \{n^2+1, n^2+2, ..., n^2+2n\} \rightarrow (n+1)^2$$

We can see those numbers (in orange) in the following matrix with each element $c_{ij} = xy + x + y + 1$:

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19
1	4	6	8	10	12	14	16	18	20	22	24	26	28	30	32	34	36	38	40
2	6	9	12	15	18	21	24	27	30	33	36	39	42	45	48	51	54	57	60
3	8	12	16	20	24	28	32	36	40	44	48	52	56	60	64	68	72	76	80
4	10	15	20	25	30	35	40	45	50	55	60	65	70	75	80	85	90	95	100
5	12	18	24	30	36	42	48	54	60	66	72	78	84	90	96	102	108	114	120
6	14	21	28	35	42	49	56	63	70	77	84	91	98	105	112	119	126	133	140
7	16	24	32	40	48	56	64	72	80	88	96	104	112	120	128	136	144	152	160
8	18	27	36	45	54	63	72	81	90	99	108	117	126	135	144	153	162	171	180
9	20	30	40	50	60	70	80	90	100	110	120	130	140	150	160	170	180	190	200
10	22	33	44	55	66	77	88	99	110	121	132	143	154	165	176	187	198	209	220
11	24	36	48	60	72	84	96	108	120	132	144	156	168	180	192	204	216	228	240
12	26	39	52	65	78	91	104	117	130	143	156	169	182	195	208	221	234	247	260
13	28	42	56	70	84	98	112	126	140	154	168	182	196	210	224	238	252	266	280
14	30	45	60	75	90	105	120	135	150	165	180	195	210	225	240	255	270	285	300
15	32	48	64	80	96	112	128	144	160	176	192	208	224	240	256	272	288	304	320
16	34	51	68	85	102	119	136	153	170	187	204	221	238	255	272	289	306	323	340
17	36	54	72	90	108	126	144	162	180	198	216	234	252	270	288	306	324	342	360
18	38	57	76	95	114	133	152	171	190	209	228	247	266	285	304	323	342	361	380
19	40	60	80	100	120	140	160	180	200	220	240	260	280	300	320	340	360	380	400

Fig 24

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For example, if n = 9, with $n^2 = 81$, x = y = (n - 1) = 8 with 8 * 8 + 8 + 8 + 1 = 81

The matrix is symmetric, with the upper area values calculated between:

$$x = 1 \quad and \quad y = \frac{n^2 - 2}{2}$$

and:

$$x = n - 1$$
 and $y = n - 1$

We can observe that for every row x in the chart, the values are the multiples of (x + 1).

If we prove that the set of values between n^2 and $(n+1)^2$ in the matrix does not contain all the (2n+1) elements between n^2 and $(n+1)^2$ $\{n^2+1, n^2+3, n^2+5..., n^2+2n-1\}$, then Legendre's conjecture will be true.

Based on (18) the number of composite numbers c(x) less than n^2 is:

$$c(n^{2}) = Da(n^{2}) - Daa(n^{2}) = \sum_{x=1}^{\frac{n^{2}-2}{2}} \left(\frac{n^{2}}{x+1} - 1\right) - Daa(n^{2})$$

And:

$$c((n+1)^2) = Da((n+1)^2) - Daa((n+1)^2) = \sum_{x=1}^{\frac{(n+1)^2-2}{2}} \left(\frac{(n+1)^2}{x+1} - 1\right) - Daa((n+1)^2)$$

We are trying to prove that:

 $c((n+1)^2) - c(n^2) < 2n+1$ linearly increasing as it can be observed in the next chart:

Which can easily be observed graphically:

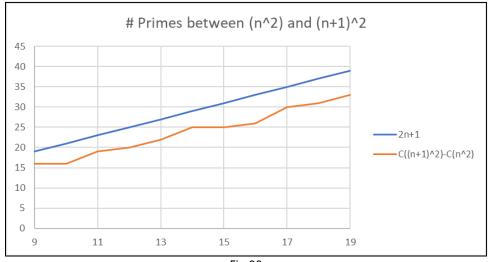


Fig 20

And numerically:

N	N^2	Da	Daa Unique	Daa Total	Calc #Primes	Actual # Primes	-	Actual F	rimes b	etween	N^2 an	d (N+1)	^2
9	81	110	42	52	3	3	[83,	89,	97]				
10	100	146	56	72	5	5	[101,	103,	107,	109,	113]		
11	121	187	73	97	4	4	[127,	131,	137,	139]			
12	144	235	91	126	5	5	[149,	151,	157,	163,	167]		
13	169	286	114	157	5	5	[173,	179,	181,	191,	193]		
14	196	346	142	195	4	4	[197,	199,	211,	223]			
15	225	413	171	237	6	6	[227,	229,	233,	239,	241,	251]	
16	256	485	201	284	7	7	[257,	263,	269,	271,	277,	281,	283]
17	289	564	234	337	5	5	[293,	307,	311,	313,	317]		
18	324	651	270	394	6	6	[331,	337,	347,	349,	353,	359]	
19	361	743	311	455	6	6	[367,	373,	379,	383,	389,	397]	
20	400	844	355	523			[401,	409,	419,	421,	431,	433,	439]

Table 25

With the number of primes between n^2 and $(n + 1)^2$ calculated following:

$$Cal\#Primes = (2n + 1) - Delta(Da) + Delta(Daa)$$

The analytical prove of Legendre's conjecture will have to show that, for every n, there are more elements in (2n+1) than in the set $\{c((n+1)^2-c(n)^2)\}$.

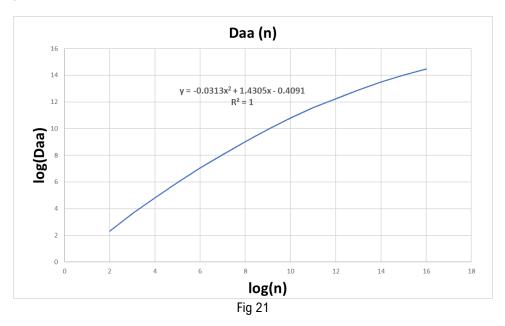
[IDEA #27] At the core of the prove, we need to formulate Daa(n) and demonstrate that for every n:

Condition 1: $Daa(n) \leq Da(n)$

which is obvious because Da(n) contains all elements of the c-matrix and Daa is a subset of c-matrix and

Condition 2: $Daa((n+1)^2) > Daa(n^2)$

Numerically, a good regression for Daa(n) for $n < 10^{18}$ is shown in the next picture. Algebraic approximations for Prime related functions only work on limited intervals. Logarithmic approximations always work better for general purposes:



From (17), and for $\pi(n)$ the Prime Counting function:

$$\pi(n) = N - Da(n) + Daa(n)$$

With:

$$Daa(n) = \pi(n) - N + Da(n)$$

And:

$$Daa(n+1) - Daa(n) = \pi(n+1) - \pi(n) - N + 1 - N + Da(n+1) - Da = \pi(n+1) - \pi(n) + Da(n+1) - Da + 1$$

And we know that for n>1:

$$\pi((n+1)^2) > \pi(n^2)$$

And:

$$Da((n+1^2)) > Da(n^2)$$

Therefore:

 $Daa((n + 1^2)) > Daa(n^2)$ and Daa(n) is strictly increasing which proves Legendre's conjecture.

11.2. What is the minimum value of x such that there is always, at least, one prime between n^x and $(n+1)^x$?

Let's observe the problem numerically and let's define $c(n) = floor(n^x)$ where floor(a) is the highest integer less than a.

For x=1 the calculation rapidly shows that there are no new primes between n=3 and n=4.

N	N^1	Da	Daa	π(x)=N-Da+Daa
1	1	0	0	0
2	2	0	0	1
3	3	0	0	2
4	4	1	0	2

Table 26

The lowest x that verifies that the count of primes increases at least by one with an increase in n is 1.60:

π(n^x)	for x=	1.00	>	Repeats at N=4 ¹	=	4
$\pi(n^x)$	for x=	1.01	>	Repeats at N=4^1.01	=	4
$\pi(n^x)$	for x=	1.02	>	Repeats at N=4^1.02	=	4
$\pi(n^x)$	for x=	1.58	>	Repeats at N=21^1.58	=	122
$\pi(n^x)$	for x=	1.59	>	Repeats at N=21^1.59	=	126
$\pi(n^x)$	for x=	1.60	>	NO REPEATS		
$\pi(n^x)$	for x=	1.61	>	Repeats at N=20^1.61	=	124

So, we can conclude that there is a Prime p between $n^{1.6}$ and $(n+1)^{1.6}$.

12. [IDEA #28] Ideas on the Prime Conjecture that there is infinite Primes of the form $n^2 + 1$

We are looking for odd values of $n^2 + 1$ that only happens when n is even. If n is odd, then n^2 is odd, and $n^2 + 1$ is even and never prime.

If we use n = 2k for $k \in N$, then using generators k_{1n} :

 $n^2 = xy + x + y + 1$ which is true for all composite numbers.

Then, if $n^2 + 1$ to be prime, cannot be expressed, for any $a, b \in N$, as:

$$n^2 + 1 = ab + a + b + 1$$

Or:

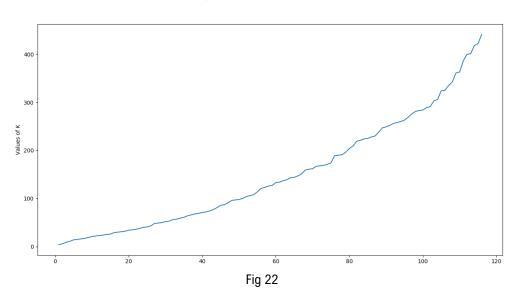
$$4k^2 = ab + a + b$$

Or, if we call k_{np} the values of k that make $(2k_{np})^2 + 1$ no prime, then:

$$k_{np} = \frac{1}{2}\sqrt{(ab + a + b)}$$

If we plot the values of k_{np} for $a \le 1000$ and $b \le 1000$:

Values of K | $4K^2 = ab+a+b$ for a <= 1000 and b <= 1000



Of the a*b=1,000,000 possible combinations of a & b, only 116 of those combinations make $(2k_{np})^2+1$ no Prime. The first elements of this sequence are:

$$\{4, 6, 9, 11, 14, 15, 16, 17, 19, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 29, 30, 31, 32, 34, 35, 36, 38, 40, 41, 43, 48, 49, \dots\}$$

For example, the element {23} is in the sequence because:

$$4 * 23^2 = 2116 = 28 * 72 + 28 + 72$$
 with a=28 and b=72

and
$$n = 2k_{np} = 46$$

The following histogram shows that the number of \boldsymbol{k}_{np} decreases as $\boldsymbol{a}, \boldsymbol{b}$ grow

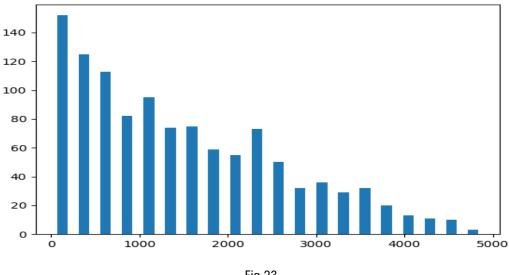
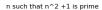
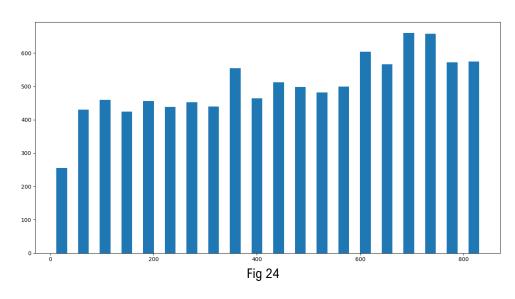


Fig 23

And the following chart shows how the histogram of values of n such that $n^2 + 1$ is prime increases:





13. [IDEA #29] Ideas on Goldbach's Conjecture using P^{6+} and P^{6-}

Golbach's conjecture says that every even integer greater than 2 can be expressed as the sum of two Primes. [12] From the definition of the two DNA-Prime sequences we know that any Prime can be expressed as:

$$p^+ = 6k_n + 1$$

$$k_n \in N$$

$$p^- = 6k_m - 1$$

$$k_m \in N$$

The addition of two odd Prime numbers will always be even.

If N=2q is any even number, for it to be the addition of two Primes, the following needs to be true:

$$N = 2q = p_1 + p_2$$

To illustrate the problem, we can build a simple table for N=18

<u>N</u>	<u>p1</u>	<u>p2</u>
<u>N</u> 18	1	<u>p2</u> 17
	3	15
	5	13
	7	11
	9	9
	11	7
	13	5
	15	3
	17	1

We can observe that:

- there are N/2 combinations of two odd numbers that add up to N.
- there are 2 combinations involving 1 and 1 is not a Prime.
- the option N/2 + N/2 = N does not involve addition of Primes and we can disregard it.

Of the remaining combinations, they repeat themselves due to the commutative property of the addition in N.

So, the net number of potential valid combinations of two odd numbers with one of them at least being Prime is:

$$(N/2 - 3)/2$$

If p is Prime, based on the Prime number theorem, we can see that for N>76 the number of combinations is larger than the number of Primes <N as:

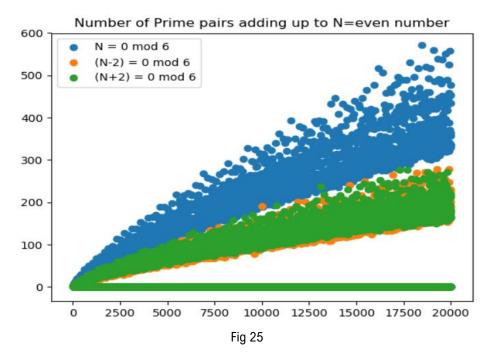
$$(N/2 - 3)/2 > N/\ln N$$
 for N>76

So, the number of Primes that meet Golbach's conjecture for any even number N are proportionally less than the number of combinations of odd numbers as N grows.

It is easily observable that any even number N belongs to one of the following sets:

$$\{N == 0 \ (mod \ 6)\}$$
$$\{(N + 2) == 0 \ (mod \ 6)\}$$
$$\{(N - 2) == 0 \ (mod \ 6)\}$$

Let's chart the number of potential representations of even integers as the sum of two Primes separating these three sets of even numbers which let's us propose a conjecture: In any combination of three consecutive even numbers \geq 48, the one of the form N == 0 (mod 6) will have the largest number of decompositions into 2 Prime numbers. This sequence contains those local maxima for every set of three consecutive even numbers. This sequence forms the upper envelope of Goldbach's comet chart.



The first terms of this sequence (OEIS A322921 Caceres) are:

$$\{1, 1, 2, 3, 3, 4, 4, 5, 5, 6, 6, 6, 7, 8, 9, 7, 8, 8, 10, 12, 10, 9, 8, 11, 12, 11, 10, 13 \dots \}$$

We know that if p_1 and p_2 are Primes, we can use the DNA-Prime series to say:

$$p_1 = 6 * k_1 \pm 1$$

$$p_2 = 6 * k_2 \pm 1$$

And there are three possibilities:

$$N = p_1 + p_2 = 6 * (k_1 + k_2) - 2$$

$$N = p_1 + p_2 = 6 * (k_1 + k_2)$$

$$N = p_1 + p_2 = 6 * (k_1 + k_2) + 2$$

Based on this, and assuming that p_1 and p_2 exist, we can affirm that:

If N mod 6=0 N is the addition of a
$$p_1 \in P^+$$
 and $p_2 \in P^-$

If (N-2) mod 6=0 N is the addition of a $p_1 \in P^+$ and $p_2 \in P^+$

If (N+2) mod 6=0 N is the addition of a $p_1 \in P^-$ and $p_2 \in P^-$

given that for any even number, there is a $q \in N$ such that N=2q and the previous expressions are equivalent to:

q mod
$$3 = 0$$

or (q-1) mod $3 = 0$
or (q+1) mod $3 = 0$

Which is obviously true as for any 3 consecutive numbers (q-1), q, (q+1), one of them must necessarily be divisible by 3. The three possible combinations of Primes mentioned earlier can be also reformulated as follows:

[IDEA #30] If q mod 3 =0
$$\frac{q}{3} = k_1 + k_2 \quad p_1 = 6k_1 + 1 \text{ and } p_2 = 6k_2 - 1$$
If (q-1) mod 3 =0
$$\frac{q-1}{3} = k_1 + k_2 \quad p_1 = 6k_1 + 1 \text{ and } p_2 = 6k_2 + 1$$
If (q+1) mod 3 =0
$$\frac{q+1}{3} = k_1 + k_2 \quad p_1 = 6k_1 - 1 \text{ and } p_2 = 6k_2 - 1$$

As examples of these expressions:

				Potent	ial Primes	s k ₁	k ₂
N=54	q=27	q=3*9	q/3=9	2 <i>P</i> +	7 <i>P</i> -	13	41
N=64	q=32	q=3*11-1	(q+1)/3=11	$3P^-$	8 <i>P</i> -	17	47
N=68	q=34	q=3*11+1	(q-1)/3=11	5P+	6P+	31	37

To prove Golbach's conjecture we must prove that for any $n \in N$ we can find combinations of k_n and k_m in the DNA-Prime generator series such that:

$$q = k_n + k_m = R_n^1 + R_m^2 - 2$$
 or $q = k_{n1} + k_{n2} = R_n^1 + R_n^2 - 2$ or $q = k_{m1} + k_{m2} = R_m^1 + R_m^2 - 2$ where $R_m = k_m + 1$ and $R_n = k_n + 1$

In other words, that for any $q \in N$, we can find two elements of R_n , or two elements of R_m , or one element of R_n and one element of R_m , that add up to q, as all even numbers are of the form: N=2q, with $q \in N$

To prove it, we are going to use an induction proof.

We will define a condition that is observable and met for a certain k=k*, we will assume that the condition is met at k=n-1 and then we will prove that this means the condition is also true at k=n for any element n of the generator series.

Let's observe that in the following chart of (Rm + Rm), the square Rm * Rm contains at least all naturals up to Rm.

Rm	x Rn	n tal	ble											
	1	2	3	4	6	7	8	9	11	13	14	16	17	18
1	2	3	4	5	7	8	9	10	12	14	15	17	18	19
2	3	4	5	6	8	9	10	11	13	15	16	18	19	20
3	4	5	6	7	9	10	11	12	14	16	17	19	20	21
4	5	6	7	8	10	11	12	13	15	17	18	20	21	22
6	7	8	9	10	12	13	14	15	17	19	20	22	23	24
7	8	9	10	11	13	14	15	16	18	20	21	23	24	25
8	9	10	11	12	14	15	16	17	19	21	22	24	25	26
9	10	11	12	13	15	16	17	18	20	22	23	25	26	27
11	12	13	14	15	17	18	19	20	22	24	25	27	28	29
13	14	15	16	17	19	20	21	22	24	26	27	29	30	31
14	15	16	17	18	20	21	22	23	25	27	28	30	31	32
16	17	18	19	20	22	23	24	25	27	29	30	32	33	34
17	18	19	20	21	23	24	25	26	28	30	31	33	34	35
18	19	20	21	22	24	25	26	27	29	31	32	34	35	36

Table 27

For example, the square for $(R_{11} \ x \ R_{11})$ of dimension (11x11) contains up to the natural number up to 11, i.e. contains [1],2,3,4,5,6,7,8,9,10,11 We could use any other cardinal to observe that this true.

Let's assume now that the condition is true for R_{m-1} , which means that the square $R_{m-1} \times R_{m-1}$ contains all naturals up to R_{m-1} generated by the addition of two given R_m^1 and R_m^2 both $< R_{m-1}$ and let's prove that the condition is met for the square $R_m \times R_m$, which means that the square $R_m \times R_m$ must contain all naturals up to R_m .

The set of natural numbers between R_{m-1} and R_m are, by definition of the matrix

 $R_m x R_m$:

$$D_n = \{ R_{m-1} R_{m-1} = \{ R_{m-1} + 1, R_{m-1} + 2, R_{m-1} + 3 \dots, R_{m-1} + (R_{m-1} R_{m-1}) \}$$

We assumed that all naturals up to R_{m-1} exist and for each even number $n < R_{m-1}$ there are two R_{m-1}^j and R_{m-1}^k such that $n = R_{m-1}^j + R_{m-1}^k$

We can express this as:

$${R_{m-1}^{j} + R_{m-1}^{k}} = {2,3,4,5, \dots R_{m-1}}$$

with
$$R_{m-1}^j = \{1,2,3,4,5,6,8,9, \dots R_{m-1}\}$$

If we add R_{m-1} to any of the two $R_{m-1}^{j} + R_{m-1}^{k}$ we can say that:

$${R_{m-1}+R_{m-1}^{j}}={R_{m-1}+1,R_{m-1}+2...,R_{m-1}+R_{m-1}}$$

 $\{2*R_{m-1}\}$ is the last diagonal term of the defined and known matrix $R_{m-1}xR_{m-1}$ which is contained in R_mxR_m We can use Bertrand's postulate [13] to affirm that $R_m - R_{m-1} < 2*R_{m-1}$ therefore D_n is contained in the matrix R_mxR_m . [QED]

Same proof works for (R_n+R_n) and (R_n+R_m), which proves Golbach's conjecture.

As an example, to find the Primes that add up to 180:

N=180 N mod 6=0 so one Prime belongs to
$$P^+$$
 and the other to P^-

and the addition of the two Prime generators is kn + km = 30. That give all these potential combinations:

Kn	Km	P+	Р-	P+ + P-
2	28	13	167	180
5	25	31	149	180
7	23	43	137	180
11	19	67	113	180
12	18	73	107	180
13	17	79	101	180
16	14	97	83	180
18	12	109	71	180
21	9	127	53	180
23	7	139	41	180
25	5	151	29	180
26	4	157	23	180
27	3	163	17	180

Table 28

14. Conclusion

The sequence of Prime numbers can be defined using the fact that Primes are one away from a multiple of a = 1, 2, 3, 4, and 6. In general, we can say that a Prime $p = a * k(a) \pm 1$ for some $k(a) \neq a * x * y \pm x \pm y$.

In the case of a=1:

{Primes} =
$$\{k_{1n} + 1 \mid k_{1n} \neq xy + x + y \quad for \ x, y \in N\}$$

$$k_{1n} = \{1, 2, 4, 6, 10, 12, 16, 18, 22, 28, 30, 36, 40, 42, 46, 52, 58, 60, 66, 70, 72 \dots \}$$

In the case of a=2:

{Primes} = {2}
$$\cup \{2k_{2n} + 1 \mid k_{2n} \neq 2xy + x + y \quad for \ x, y \in N\}$$

$$k_{2n} = \{1, 2, 3, 5, 6, 8, 9, 11, 14, 15, 18, 20, 21, 23, 26, 29, 30, 33, 35, 36, 39, 41, \dots\}$$

In case of a=3:

{Primes} = {3}
$$\cup \{3k_{3n} + 1 \mid k_{3n} \neq 3xy + x + y \text{ and } k_{3n} \neq 3xy - x - y \text{ for } x, y \in N\}$$

$$\cup \{3k_{3m} - 1 \mid k_{3m} \neq 3xy - x + y \text{ for } x, y \in N\}$$

$$k_{3n} = \{2, 4, 6, 10, 12, 14, 20, 22, 24, 26, 32, 34, 36, 42, 46, 50, 52, 54, 60, \dots\}$$

$$k_{3m} = \{1, 2, 4, 6, 8, 10, 14, 16, 18, 20, 24, 28, 30, 34, 36, 38, 44, 46, 50, 56, 58, \dots\}$$

In case of a=4:

$$\begin{aligned} & \{ \text{Primes} \} = \{ 2 \} \\ & \cup \{ 4k_{4n} + 1 \mid k_{4n} \neq 4xy + x + y \text{ and } k_{4n} \neq 4xy - x - y \text{ for } x, y \in N \} \\ & \cup \{ 4k_{4m} - 1 \mid k_{4m} \neq 4xy - x + y \text{ for } x, y \in N \} \end{aligned}$$

$$k_{4n} = \{ 1, 3, 4, 7, 9, 10, 13, 15, 18, 22, 24, 25, 27, 28, 34, 37, 39, 43, 45, 48, 49, \ldots \}$$

$$k_{4m} = \{ 1, 2, 3, 5, 6, 8, 11, 12, 15, 17, 18, 20, 21, 26, 27, 32, 33, 35, 38, 41, 42, \ldots \}$$

In case of a=6:

$$\begin{aligned} & \{ \text{Primes} \} \text{=} \left\{ 2,3 \right\} & \cup \left\{ 6k_{6n} + 1 \mid k_{6n} \neq 6xy + x + y \text{ and } k_{6n} \neq 6xy - x - y \text{ for } x,y \in N \right\} \\ & \cup \left\{ 6k_{6m} - 1 \mid k_{6m} \neq 6xy - x + y \text{ for } x,y \in N \right\} \\ & k_{6n} = \left\{ 1,2,3,5,6,7,10,11,12,13,16,17,18,21,23,25,26,27,30,32,33,\ldots \right\} \\ & k_{6m} = \left\{ 1,2,3,4,5,7,8,9,10,12,14,15,17,18,19,22,23,25,28,29,30,32,\ldots \right\} \end{aligned}$$

These expressions have been used to formulate factorization methods, primality tests, methods to count Primes less than a number (CPIX), and different ideas about some open conjectures regarding Prime numbers. In the process, several conjectures are proposed as well as new numerical and computational methods.

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