

ORMC Olympiad Group

Winter: Week 6

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Problems

1. (2012W Junior Tubitak Camp) $p > 7$ is a prime number and $m = \frac{8^p-1}{7}$ chosen. Prove

$$2^{m-1} \equiv 1 \pmod{m}$$

2. **(TJNMO-FR 2018 - modified)** A positive integer is called *special* if there exist two positive integers $a \geq 5$ and $b \geq 5$ so that n gives remainder b when divided by a , and gives remainder $a - 2$ when divided by b . Find the number of *special* numbers less than 100.
3. Assume p is a prime in a form of $p = 3k + 2$ where k is an positive integer. Assume $p|a^2 + ab + b^2$ for some integers a, b . Prove $p|a$.
4. (2013W Junior Tubitak Camp - Bahattin Yildiz) Find all prime pairs (p, q) such that

$$(p + q)^p = (q - p)^{2q-1}$$

5. (Ireland 2009) Find all positive integers n for which $n^8 + n + 1$ is a prime number.
6. Find the number of solution pairs (x, y) where $x, y \in \{1, 2, \dots, 20\}$ such

that

$$\begin{aligned}3x - y &\equiv 0 \pmod{5} \\ xy &\equiv 2 \pmod{5}\end{aligned}$$

7. **(AIME 1983)** Let $a_n = 6^n + 8^n$. Determine the remainder upon dividing a_{83} by 49.
8. **(AIME 1988)** Find the smallest positive integer whose cube ends in 888. **HINT: Say $N^3 \equiv 888 \pmod{1000}$. Writing $1000 = 125 \cdot 8$, we have $N^3 \equiv 888 \pmod{125}$ and $N^3 \equiv 888 \equiv 0 \pmod{8}$ (which means N is even). Progressively look N in mod 5, mod 25 and mod 125. You may start by writing $N = 5k + r$, and find r and k in mod 5**
9. **(AIME 1988-modified)** Find the smallest positive integer whose cube ends in 207.
10. **(TNMO-FR 2009-modified)** Find the largest positive integer which cannot be written as a sum of two positive composite numbers, one divisible by 7 and the other divisible by 13.
11. **(AIME 2021 II)** Find the least positive integer n for which $2^n + 5^n - n$ is a multiple of 1000.