

WORKSHEET 1

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First exercise: dividing by 11.

1- Write the algorithm $\text{Div11}(n)$ that outputs “yes” if n is divisible by 11 and “no” otherwise. What is the complexity of $\text{Div11}(n)$?

2- Did you know that a number is divisible by 11 if and only if the alternating sum of its digits is divisible by 11?

For example, 41527 is not divisible by 11 because $4-1+5-2+7 = 13$, but 50457 is divisible by 11 because $5-0+4-5+7 = 11$.

Knowing this, check whether 145 379 is divisible by 11. How many elementary operations have you executed? How many would $\text{Div11}(145\ 379)$ execute to get the same answer?

Second exercise: dividing by n by k .

Write an algorithm $\text{Div}(n,k)$ that takes as an input two integers n and k and gives the result of the division of n by k and its remainder term.

For example, $\text{Div}(17,5)$ gives $(3,2)$ as an output because $17 = 3 \times 5 + 2$. $\text{Div}(3,5)$ gives $(0,3)$ because $3 = 0 \times 5 + 3$. $\text{Div}(18,3)$ gives $(6,0)$ because $18 = 6 \times 3 + 0$.

What is the complexity of this algorithm as a function of n and k ?