

Tutorial 7

CSCI2110/MATH2080: Discrete Mathematics

4.3 - Primes and Greatest Common Divisors

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Question 1 - Product of Three Consecutive Integers

(Rosen 49/290) Prove that the product of any three consecutive integers is divisible by 6.

Question 2 - Euclidean Algorithm

(Rosen 32/289) Use the Euclidean algorithm to find the following greatest common divisors:

- 1 (1, 5)
- 2 (100, 101)
- 3 (123, 277)
- 4 (1529, 14039)
- 5 (1529, 14038)
- 6 (11111, 111111)

Question 3 - Prime Factorizations

(Rosen 4/288) Find the prime factorizations of each of these integers.

- 1 39
- 2 81
- 3 101
- 4 143
- 5 289
- 6 899