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LARSON—MATH 305—CLASSROOM WORKSHEET 03
Sage LAB!—Section 1.1

1. Log in to your Sage/CoCalc account.
 - (a) Start the Chrome browser.
 - (b) Go to `http://cocalc.com` and sign in.
 - (c) You should see an existing Project for our class. Click on that.
 - (d) Click “New”, call it **c03**, then click “Sage Worksheet”.
 - (e) For each problem number, label it in the Sage cell where the work is. So for Problem 1, the first line of the cell should be **#Problem 1**.
 - (f) When you are finished with the worksheet, click ”make pdf”, email me the pdf (at `clarson@vcu.edu`, with a header that says **Math 305 c03 worksheet attached**).

The following examples are all from our text. We’ll just see today that we can compute them in Sage/Cocalc.

2. `prime_range(10,50)`.
3. `[n for n in range(10,30) if not is_prime(n)]`.
4. `gcd(97,100)`.
5. `gcd(97 * 1015, 1920 * 972)`.
6. `factor(1275)`.
7. `factor(2007)`.
8. `factor(31415926535898)`.
9. `n = 7403756347956171282804679609742957314259318888`
`...9231289084936232638972765034028266276891996419625117`
`...8439958943305021275853701189680982867331732731089309`
`...0055250511687706329907239638078671008609696253793465`
`...0563796359`
10. `len(n.str(2))`.

11. `len(n.str(10))`.
12. `n.is_prime()` .
13. `p = 2^32582657 - 1`.
14. `p.ndigits()`.
15. Find the first few Euclidean primes. Let $P_1 = 2$. Then at each step find the product of the existing primes plus 1. Add the largest prime factor that is not in your current list of Euclidean primes.
16. (**Density of the Primes**). Find the ratio of the number of primes in the interval $[10^i]$ to 10^i for $i = 1 \dots 9$.

Boolean Expressions in Sage

A *boolean expression* is one that evaluates to True or False.

17. Evaluate `3==4`.
18. Evaluate `3==3`.
19. Evaluate `3>3`.
20. Evaluate `3>=-3`.
21. Evaluate `13%2==1`.
22. Evaluate `13%2==0`.

While “==” is used as a claim of equality of expressions (the left-hand-side and the right-hand-sides of the “==”) the symbol “!=” is used to express does-not-equal.

23. Evaluate `5!=7`.
24. Evaluate `5!=5`.

25. We will *assign* a value to a variable “a”. Then we will use that variable in a boolean expression. (These two lines can be typed in one cell, or each in its own cell). Type and evaluate:

```
a=5  
a>2
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Boolean expressions can be combined with *boolean operators* like “and” and “or”.

26. Evaluate `3==3` and `3==4`.
27. Evaluate `3==3` or `3==4`.

Lists in Sage

A *list* is a basic *data structure* in Python and Sage. They are represented by square brackets with comma separated numbers, strings, etc., between them (like `[2, 5, 9]` or `["red", "blue"]`).

28. Lists can be given names. Evaluate `L=[2,5,9]`. Then evaluate `L`.
29. Lists are indexed starting with 0. Evaluate each of `L[0]`, `L[1]`, `L[2]`, and `L[3]`.
30. Lists can be combined with “+”. Evaluate `[2,5,9]+[3,4,5]`.
31. Let `M=[3,4,5]`. Evaluate `L+M`.
32. If you want all the integers from x to y you can use the shorthand notation `[x..y]`. Evaluate `[3..7]`.
33. If you want a list with m n 's you can use the shorthand notation `[n]*m`. Evaluate `[0]*7`.
34. You can have a list of lists. Evaluate `L=[[0,1],[2,3],[4,5]]`. Now evaluate `L[1]`. Then evaluate `L[1][0]`. What do you think the value of `L[0][1]` is?