



Representation of A Number Using Unique Factorization Theorem In DNR2 Expression

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ABSTRACT

In the fundamental theorem of arithmetic every integer greater than 1 either is a prime number itself or can be represented as the product of prime numbers and this representation is unique. In this paper, we represented a number in DNR2 expression by using unique factorization theorem.

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Introduction:

The fundamental theorem of arithmetic, also called the unique factorization theorem states that, every integer greater than 1 either is a prime number itself or can be represented as the product of prime numbers.

For example:

$$1200 = 2^4 \times 3^1 \times 5^2 = 2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 3 \times 5 \times 5.$$

As Canonical representation of a positive integer is every positive integer $n > 1$ can be represented in exactly one way as a product of prime powers.

i.e., $n = p_1^{k_1} \times p_2^{k_2} \times \dots \times p_r^{k_r}$ where $p_1 < p_2 < \dots < p_r$ are primes and then k_r are positive integers. This representation is commonly extended to all positive integers, including 1, by

the convention that the empty product is equal to 1 (the empty product corresponds to $k = 0$). This representation is the canonical representation of n .

For example:

$$999 = 3^3 \times 37, 1000 = 2^3 \times 5^3.$$

The concept of unique factorization plays an important role in modern commutative ring theory.

A. G. Okseil A. Gargun and E. Mehmet Ozkan [1] discussed comprehensive survey of the history of the Fundamental Theorem of Arithmetic. They investigated the main steps during the period from Euclid to Gauss.

Artur Korniewicz and Piotr Rudnicki [2] formalized the notion of the prime-power factorization of a natural number and prove the Fundamental Theorem of Arithmetic. They prove how prime-power factorization can be used to compute: products, quotients, powers, greatest common divisors and least common multiples.

We consider any positive integer N greater than 1 and write number N in the product of powers of prime factors. This factorization we write by DNR2 expression discussed in the following.

1. Let $N = p_1^{k_1}$ where p_1 is a prime number and k_1 is any positive integer, we write N by the DNR2 expression,

$$N = (p_1 - 1) \times (\text{Sum of proper divisors of } p_1^{k_1}) + 1.$$

2. Let $N = p_1^{k_1} \times p_2^{k_2}$ where p_1, p_2 is a prime number and k_1, k_2 is any positive integers, we write N by the DNR2 expression,

$$N = [(p_1 - 1) \times (\text{Sum of proper divisors of } p_1^{k_1}) + 1] \\ \times [(p_2 - 1) \times (\text{sum of proper divisors of } p_2^{k_2}) + 1]$$

3. Let $N = p_1^{k_1} \times p_2^{k_2} \dots \times p_r^{k_r}$ where p_1, p_2, \dots, p_r is prime number and k_1, k_2, \dots, k_r is positive integers, we write N by the DNR2 expression,

$$N = [(p_1 - 1) \times (\text{Sum of proper divisors of } p_1^{k_1}) + 1] \\ \times [(p_2 - 1) \times (\text{Sum of proper divisors of } p_2^{k_2}) + 1] \dots \\ \times [(p_r - 1) \times (\text{Sum of proper divisors of } p_r^{k_r}) + 1].$$

Definition 1: If $a, b \in \mathbb{Z}$ we say that a divides b , written $a|b$, if $ac = b$ for some $c \in \mathbb{Z}$. In this case, we say a is a divisor of b . We say that a does not divide b , written $a \nmid b$, if there is no $c \in \mathbb{Z}$ such that $ac = b$.

Definition 2: An integer $n > 1$ is a *prime* if the only positive divisors of n are 1 and n . A prime power is a positive integer power of a single prime number.

Result 1: If $N = p_1^{k_1} > 1$, where p_1 is any prime number and k_1 is any positive integer, can be expressed by DNR2 expression as,

$$N = (p_1 - 1) \times (\text{Sum of proper divisors of } p_1^{k_1}) + 1.$$

Proof: Consider $N = p_1^{k_1} > 1$, where p_1 is any prime number and k_1 is any positive integer. We prove this result by using mathematical induction.

a) Let $k_1 = 1$, we write by DNR2 expression

$$\begin{aligned} N &= p_1^1 = (p_1 - 1) \times (\text{Sum of proper divisors of } p_1^1) + 1 \\ &= (p_1 - 1) \times [1] + 1 = (p_1 - 1) \times 1 + 1 = p_1, \end{aligned}$$

i.e., it holds for $k_1 = 1$.

b) Let us assume it also holds for $k_1 = r, r < k_1$, then we write by DNR2 expression,

$$N = p_1^r = (p_1 - 1) \times (\text{Sum of proper divisors of } p_1^r) + 1.$$

Now to prove it also hold for $k_1 = r + 1$, we can write

$$\begin{aligned} N &= p_1^{k_1} = p_1^{r+1} = p_1^r \times p_1^1 \\ &= (p_1 - 1) \times (\text{Sum of proper divisors of } p_1^r) + 1 \\ &\quad \times (p_1 - 1) \times (\text{Sum of proper divisors of } p_1^1) + 1 \\ &= [(p_1 - 1) \times (1 + p_1 + p_1^2 + \dots + p_1^{r-1}) + 1] \times [(p_1 - 1) \times (1) + 1] \\ &= [p_1 + p_1^2 + p_1^3 \dots + p_1^r - 1 - p_1 - p_1^2 - p_1^3 \dots - p_1^r + 1] \times [(p_1 - 1) \times (1) + 1] \\ &= p_1^r \times p_1 = p_1^{r+1}. \end{aligned}$$

Therefore, by mathematical induction it holds for $N = p_1^{k_1}$

Hence, we prove that,

$$N = (p_1 - 1) \times (\text{Sum of proper divisors of } p_1^{k_1}) + 1.$$

We illustrate this result by following example.

Example 1: Let $N = 125$ then we can write by DNR2 expression,

$$\begin{aligned} 125 &= 5^3 = (5 - 1) \times [1 + 5^1 + 5^2] + 1 \\ &= 4 \times [1 + 5 + 25] + 1 = (4 \times 31) + 1 = 124 + 1 = 125. \end{aligned}$$

Result 2: If $N = p_1^{k_1} \times p_2^{k_2}$ then by DNR2 expression,

$$\begin{aligned} N &= (p_1 - 1) \times (\text{Sum of proper divisors of } p_1^{k_1}) + 1 \\ &\quad \times (p_2 - 1) \times (\text{Sum of proper divisors of } p_2^{k_2}) + 1. \end{aligned}$$

This result 2 can be proved by mathematical induction as proved in the result 1.

We illustrate this result by following example.

Example 2: Let $N = 784$ then we can write by DNR2 expression,

$$\begin{aligned} 784 &= 2^4 \times 7^2 = [(2 - 1) \times (1 + 2^1 + 2^2 + 2^3) + 1] \times [(7 - 1) \times (1 + 7^1) + 1] \\ &= [1 \times (1 + 2 + 4 + 8) + 1] \times [6 \times (1 + 7) + 1] = [15 + 1] \times [48 + 1] = 16 \times 49 = 784. \end{aligned}$$

Result 3: If $N = p_1^{k_1} \times p_2^{k_2} \dots \times p_r^{k_r}$ where p_1, p_2, \dots, p_r is prime number and k_1, k_2, \dots, k_r is positive integers, we write N by the DNR2 expression,

$$N = [(p_1 - 1) \times (\text{Sum of proper divisors of } p_1^{k_1}) + 1] \\ \times [(p_2 - 1) \times (\text{Sum of proper divisors of } p_2^{k_2}) + 1] \dots \\ \times [(p_r - 1) \times (\text{Sum of proper divisors of } p_r^{k_r}) + 1].$$

We illustrate this result by following example.

Example 3: Let $N = 9000$ then we can write by DR expression,

$$9000 = 2^3 \times 3^2 \times 5^3 \\ = [(2-1) \times (1+2^1 + 2^2) + 1] \times [(3-1) \times (1+3^1) + 1] \times [(5-1) \times (1+5^1 + 5^2) + 1] \\ = [1 \times (1 + 2 + 4) + 1] \times [2 \times (1 + 3) + 1] \times [4 \times (1 + 5 + 25) + 1] \\ = [(1 \times 7) + 1] \times [(2 \times 4) + 1] \times [(4 \times 31) + 1] = 8 \times 9 \times 125 = 9000.$$

Conclusion

Every positive integer can be expressed by unique factorization theorem, $N = p_1^{k_1} \times p_2^{k_2} \dots \times p_r^{k_r}$ where p_1, p_2, \dots, p_r is any prime number and k_1, k_2, \dots, k_r is any positive integers. This representation we can write by DNR2 expression. So, we write any positive integer in DNR2 expression by using uniquefactorization theorem.

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