

Solution 2

1. This is a very standard result. For a detailed proof see for example [1, Theorem 1.10].
2. This result is also standard. A proof can be found for example in [1, Theorem 11.7]. Note that there is also a slightly more general version, see [1, Theorem 11.6].
3. By summation by parts, we have

$$\sum_{p \leq x} \frac{1}{p} = \frac{\pi(x)}{x} - \frac{\pi(2)}{2} + \int_2^x \frac{\pi(t)}{t^2} dt$$

which is by the prime number theorem

$$\begin{aligned} &= \int_2^x \frac{1}{t \log t} dt + O\left(\int_1^x \frac{1}{t \log^2 t} dt\right) + O(1) \\ &= [\log \log t]_2^x + O(1) \\ &= \log \log x + O(1). \end{aligned}$$

Note that we have used the following version of the prime number theorem:

$$\pi(x) = \frac{x}{\log x} + O\left(\frac{x}{\log^2 x}\right).$$

4. a) We compute

$$\begin{aligned} |\{1 \leq n \leq N \mid n \text{ is squarefree}\}| &= \sum_{\substack{n \leq N \\ n \text{ squarefree}}} 1 = \sum_{n \leq N} \sum_{d^2 | n} \mu(d) \\ &= \sum_{d \leq \sqrt{N}} \mu(d) \sum_{\substack{n \leq N \\ d^2 | n}} 1 \\ &= \sum_{d \leq \sqrt{N}} \mu(d) \left(\frac{N}{d^2} + O(1)\right) \\ &= N \sum_{d \leq \sqrt{N}} \frac{\mu(d)}{d^2} + O(\sqrt{N}). \end{aligned}$$

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Hence, we get that

$$\frac{1}{N} |\{1 \leq n \leq N \mid n \text{ is squarefree}\}| = \sum_{d \leq \sqrt{N}} \frac{\mu(d)}{d^2} + O(N^{-\frac{1}{2}})$$

and by taking the limit $N \rightarrow \infty$, this becomes

$$\sum_{d=1}^{\infty} \frac{\mu(d)}{d^2} = \frac{1}{\zeta(2)} = \frac{6}{\pi^2}.$$

b) We compute

$$\begin{aligned} & |\{(n_1, n_2) \in \Omega_N \times \Omega_N \mid (n_1, n_2) = 1\}| \\ &= \sum_{\substack{1 \leq n_1, n_2 \leq N \\ (n_1, n_2) = 1}} 1 = \sum_{1 \leq n_1, n_2 \leq N} \sum_{d \mid (n_1, n_2)} \mu(d) = \sum_{1 \leq n_1, n_2 \leq N} \sum_{\substack{d \mid n_1 \\ d \mid n_2}} \mu(d) \\ &= \sum_{1 \leq d \leq N} \mu(d) \sum_{1 \leq k, \ell \leq \frac{N}{d}} 1 = \sum_{1 \leq d \leq N} \mu(d) \left(\frac{N}{d} + O(1)\right)^2 \\ &= \sum_{1 \leq d \leq N} \mu(d) \left(\frac{N^2}{d^2} + O\left(\frac{N}{d}\right)\right) = N^2 \sum_{1 \leq d \leq N} \frac{\mu(d)}{d^2} + O(N \log N). \end{aligned}$$

Therefore

$$\lim_{N \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{N^2} |\{(n_1, n_2) \in \Omega_N \times \Omega_N \mid (n_1, n_2) = 1\}| = \sum_{d=1}^{\infty} \frac{\mu(d)}{d^2} = \frac{1}{\zeta(2)} = \frac{6}{\pi^2}.$$

References

- [1] Tom M. Apostol, Introduction to Analytic Number Theory, Springer, 1976