

# New Prime Numbers

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I have found some new prime numbers using the PROTH program of Yves Gallot. This program is based on the following theorem:

## Proth Theorem (1878):

Let  $N = k \cdot 2^n + 1$  where  $k < 2^n$ . If there is an integer number  $a$  so that  $a^{\frac{N-1}{2}} \equiv -1 \pmod{N}$  therefore  $N$  is prime.

The Proth program is a test for primality of greater numbers defined as  $k \cdot b^n + 1$  or  $k \cdot b^n - 1$ . The program is made to look for numbers of less than 5.000000 digits and it is optimized for numbers of more than 1000 digits..

Using this Program, I have found the following prime numbers:

$3239 \cdot 2^{12345} + 1$	with 3720 digits	$a = 3, a = 7$
$7551 \cdot 2^{12345} + 1$	with 3721 digits	$a = 5, a = 7$
$7595 \cdot 2^{12345} + 1$	with 3721 digits	$a = 3, a = 11$
$9363 \cdot 2^{12321} + 1$	with 3713 digits	$a = 5, a = 7$

Since the exponents of the first three numbers are Smarandache number  $Sm(5)=12345$  we can call this type of prime numbers, prime numbers of Smarandache .

Helped by the MATHEMATICA program, I have also found new prime numbers which are a variant of prime numbers of Fermat. They are the following:

$$2^{2^n} \cdot 3^{2^n} - 2^{2^n} - 3^{2^n} \text{ for } n=1, 4, 5, 7 .$$

It is important to mention that for  $n=7$  the number which is obtained has 100 digits.

Chris Nash has verified the values  $n=8$  to  $n=20$ , this last one being a number of 815.951 digits, obtaining that they are all composite. All of them have a tiny factor except  $n=13$ .

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