

D. H. Lehmer points out [3] that computation of a table of  $\phi(n)$  usually has some indirect purpose inasmuch as any desired individual value of  $\phi(n)$  can be rather easily obtained. See [3] for further discussion.

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1. J. J. SYLVESTER, "On the number of fractions contained in any Farey series . . .," *Philos. Mag.*, v. 15, 1883, pp. 251-257.
2. J. W. L. GLAISHER, *Number-Divisor Tables*, British Association Mathematical Tables, v. 8, Cambridge, 1940, Table I.
3. D. H. LEHMER, *Guide to Tables in the Theory of Numbers*, National Acad. of Sciences, Washington, D. C., 1941, pp. 6-7.

50[9].—MORRIS NEWMAN, *Table of the Class Number  $h(-p)$  for  $p$  Prime,  $p \equiv 3 \pmod{4}$ ,  $101987 \leq p \leq 166807$* , National Bureau of Standards, 1969, 49 pages of computer output deposited in the UMT file.

This is an extension of Ordman's tables [1] previously deposited and reviewed. Those tables were computed because the undersigned wished to examine all cases of  $h(-p) = 25$ ; this extension to  $p = 166807$  was computed because (you guessed it) he wished to examine all cases of  $h(-p) = 27$ .

Unlike Ordman's tables, all  $p = 4n + 3$  are listed consecutively here; those of the forms  $8n + 3$  and  $8n + 7$  are not listed separately.

We may now extend the table in our previous review of the first and last examples of a given odd class number:

$h$	$8n + 3$		$8n + 7$	
27	3299	103387	983	11383
29	2939	166147	887	8863
31	3251	133387	719	13687

For  $p = 8n + 7$  our table here could be much extended, but not for  $p = 8n + 3$ , since there are known  $p = 8n + 3 > 166807$  with  $h(-p) = 33$ .

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1. EDWARD T. ORDMAN, *Tables of the Class Number for Negative Prime Discriminants*, UMT 29, *Math. Comp.*, v. 23, 1969, p. 458.

51[9].—A. E. WESTERN & J. C. P. MILLER, *Indices and Primitive Roots*, Royal Society Mathematical Tables, Vol. 9, University Press, Cambridge, 1968, liv + 385 pp., 29 cm. Price \$18.50.

To describe fully what is in this volume would be a long task; we therefore abbreviate somewhat. Let  $P$  be prime and let

$$(1) \quad P - 1 = \prod_i q_i^{\alpha_i}$$

be the factorization of  $P - 1$  into prime-powers. If  $\xi$  is the smallest positive exponent such that

$$y^\xi \equiv 1 \pmod{P}$$