

OMK 2014 - Sulong (3 July 2015)

(B2) Next, we compute:

$$f(w^2) = \prod_{k=1}^{2011} (1+w^{2k})$$

$2011 \times 2 = 4022$

$$= (1+w^2)(1+w^4)(1+w^6)(1+w^8) \times \dots \times (1+w^{4022})$$

$$= \left(\prod_{m=1}^{670} (1+w^{2(3m)}) \right) \times \left(\prod_{n=0}^{670} (1+w^{2(3n+1)}) \right) \times \left(\prod_{l=0}^{669} (1+w^{2(3l+2)}) \right)$$

$$= \left(\prod_{m=1}^{670} (1+1) \right) \times \left(\prod_{n=0}^{670} (1+w^2) \right) \times \left(\prod_{l=0}^{669} (1+w) \right)$$

$$= \left(\prod_{m=1}^{670} 2 \right) \times \left(\prod_{n=0}^{669} (1+w^2)(1+w) \right) \times (1+w^2)$$

→ using 3b

$$= 2^{670} \times \left(\prod_{n=0}^{669} (-w \times (-w^2)) \right) \times (1+w^2)$$

→ using 3a

$$= 2^{670} \times \left(\prod_{n=0}^{669} w^3 \right) \times (-w)$$

→ using 3b

$$= 2^{670} \times \left(\prod_{n=0}^{669} 1 \right) \times (-w)$$

$$= 2^{670} \times (-w)$$

$$= -2^{670} w$$

i.e.

$$f(w^2) = -2^{670} w \quad \text{--- (6)}$$

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Since w^{2k} becomes
 $\times w^{2(3h)}$
 $= w^{3(2h)}$
 $= 1^{2h}$
 $= 1$
~~and~~
 $\times w^{2(3h+1)}$
 $= w^{3(2h)} \cdot w^2$
 $= 1^{2h} \times w^2$
 $= w^2$
~~and~~
 $\times w^{2(3h+2)}$
 $= w^{3(2h)} \times w^4$
 $= 1^{2h} \times w^3 \times w$
 $= 1 \times 1 \times w$
 $= w$