

JAVA.MATH.BIGINTEGER.MODINVERSE METHOD

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Description

The **java.math.BigInteger.modInverse** returns a BigInteger whose value is $(this^{-1} \bmod m)$.

Declaration

Following is the declaration for **java.math.BigInteger.modInverse** method

```
public BigInteger modInverse(BigInteger m)
```

Parameters

- **m** - the modulus

Return Value

This method returns a BigInteger object whose value is $this^{-1} \bmod m$.

Exception

- **ArithmeticException** - if $m \leq 0$, or this BigInteger has no multiplicative inverse mod m
this is, this BigInteger is not relatively prime to m.

Example

The following example shows the usage of **math.BigInteger.modInverse** method

```
package com.tutorialspoint;

import java.math.*;

public class BigIntegerDemo {

    public static void main(String[] args) {

        // create 3 BigInteger objects
        BigInteger bi1, bi2, bi3;

        // Two numbers are relatively prime if they have no
        // common factors, other than 1.
        bi1 = new BigInteger("7");
        bi2 = new BigInteger("20");

        // perform modInverse operation on bi1 using bi2
        bi3 = bi1.modInverse(bi2);

        String str = bi1 + "^-1 mod " + bi2 + " is " + bi3;

        // print bi3 value
        System.out.println( str );
    }
}
```

Let us compile and run the above program, this will produce the following result:

```
7^-1 mod 20 is 3
```

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