# Conjectured Primality Test for Specific Class of $9 \cdot b^n - 1$

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Abstract: Conjectured polynomial time primality test for specific class of numbers of the form  $9 \cdot b^n - 1$  is introduced.

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### **1** Introduction

In 1969 Hans Riesel provided polynomial time primality test for numbers of the form  $3 \cdot 2^n - 1$  with n > 2, see Theorem 5 in [1]. In this note I present polynomial time primality test for specific class of numbers of the form  $9 \cdot b^n - 1$  that is similar to the Riesel primality test for  $3 \cdot 2^n - 1$ .

#### 2 The Main Result

**Definition 2.1.** Let  $P_m(x) = 2^{-m} \cdot \left( \left( x - \sqrt{x^2 - 4} \right)^m + \left( x + \sqrt{x^2 - 4} \right)^m \right)$ , where *m* and *x* are nonnegative integers.

**Conjecture 2.1.** Let  $N = 9 \cdot b^n - 1$  such that n > 2 and

$$\begin{cases} b \equiv 2 \pmod{10} \text{ with } n \equiv 0, 1 \pmod{4} \\ b \equiv 4 \pmod{10} \text{ with } n \equiv 0, 2 \pmod{4} \\ b \equiv 6 \pmod{10} \text{ with } n \equiv 0, 1, 2, 3 \pmod{4} \\ b \equiv 8 \pmod{10} \text{ with } n \equiv 0, 3 \pmod{4} \end{cases}$$
  
Let  $S_i = P_b(S_{i-1})$  with  $S_0 = P_{9b/2}(P_{b/2}(5778))$ , thus  $N$  is prime iff  $S_{n-2} \equiv 0 \pmod{N}$ 

## References

[1] Riesel, Hans (1969), "Lucasian Criteria for the Primality of  $k \cdot 2^n - 1$ ", *Mathematics of Computation* (AmericanMathematical Society), 23 (108): 869-875.