

## Re: Surrogate factoring, out of the box

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What you got to like more is that it was "too efficient" when it found that the composite was a factor of the congruence [no I won't say surrogate...]. I guess when  $\rho$  returns  $n$  or  $1$  as a "divisor" it's being "efficient" as well...

Tom