



A fascinating numerical connection exists between Gandhi's new age, 143, and palindrome birthday 2102012. Here is how:

1. First, 143 and its reverse 341 add up to 484.
2. Second, split 143 as 1 and 43. (Note that the letters of Gandhi in English alphabet (A= 1, B = 2, etc.) add up to 43.)
3. Third, add 1 and subtract 43 from 143 resulting in $143 + 1 - 43 = 101$. (Note that the letters of "Satyagraha" in English add up to 101.)
4. Next, multiply the numbers generated from 143, namely:
 $484 \times 1 \times 43 \times 101 = 2102012!$ Amazing!
5. Also, split 143 as 14 and 3. Note that $14 + 3 = 2 + 3 + 5 + 7$ (that is, the sum of the first four prime numbers).
6. Multiply these four consecutive primes: $2 \times 3 \times 5 \times 7 = 210$ (that is, 2 October)! Wow!

Happy 143rd palindrome birthday, Mahatma Gandhi!