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I will present methods to compute rank of dense and sparse matrices mod very small primes such as 2 and 3. Arithmetic details, data organization, and algorithm choices available in LinBox will be discussed. (Received September 16, 2008)