



Assignment SIX

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1. Does 17 divide each of these numbers?

a) 68

b) 84

a) $68 / 17 = 4$ "Yes, 17 can divide"

b) $84 / 17 = 4.94$ "No, it can't"

2. Suppose that a and b are integers, $a \equiv 4 \pmod{13}$, and $b \equiv 9 \pmod{13}$. Find the integer c with

$0 \leq c \leq 12$ such that $c \equiv 9a \pmod{13}$.

$$a = 13k + 4$$

$$b = 13m + 9$$

$$c = 13n + 9a$$

$$\text{at } k = 0 \text{ then, } a = 4$$

$$c = 13n + 9a$$

$$c = 13n + 9 \cdot 4$$

$$c = 36 \bmod 13$$

$$\mathbf{c = 10}$$