

Question 1. Compute the following greatest common divisor:

- (a) $\gcd(12, 8)$
- (b) $\gcd(36, 84)$
- (c) $\gcd(120, 98)$

Question 2. Using the Euclidean Algorithm to find the greatest common divisor for the numbers in Question 1.

Question 3. Determine the following statements are true or false:

- (a) If $\gcd(a, b) = 1$ and $\gcd(a, c) = 1$, then $\gcd(b, c) = 1$
- (b) If $\gcd(a, b) = 1$ and $\gcd(a, c) = 1$, then $\gcd(a, bc) = 1$

Question 4. Prove that if $\gcd(x, y) = 1$, then $\gcd(x + y, x - y) = 1$ or 2 .

Question 5. Use the Euclidean Algorithm to compute $\gcd(120, 84)$, and then find the integer a and b such that $\gcd(120, 84) = 120a + 84b$.

Question 6. Prove that for any $n \in \mathbb{Z}$, $\gcd(n, n + 1) = 1$. Conclude that if a prime p divides n , then p cannot divide $n + 1$.

Question 7. If the equation $\gcd(n, m) = \gcd(n + m, n - m)$ is true? Prove it if it is true, otherwise,

give a counter example.

Question 8. Suppose n is even and $\gcd(n, m) = 5$, show that m is odd.