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37181 DISCRETE MATHEMATICS LEARNING PROGRESS CHECK 8

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INSTRUCTIONS. 40-60 minutes.

Upload **as a single PDF file** on Canvas/Assignments/LPC8 before 7:59pm Tuesday 2 May 2022. (Recommended: 7:40pm)

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You may refer to your personal class notes, and a basic (non-programmable) calculator.

Work on this on your own, do not discuss with anyone or using Discord/WeChat/Whatsapp/any websites including paid homework sites.

1. (1 mark) (a) Compute $\gcd(119, 16)$.

- (b) Find $p, q \in \mathbb{Z}$ so that $1 = 119p + 16q$. ¹ [Show steps.](#)

answer: $p =$ $q =$

Date: Tuesday 3 May 2022.

¹Hint: extended Euclidean algorithm.

2. (1 mark) Let $x, y, \lambda, \mu \in \mathbb{Z}$. Prove that if $1 = \lambda x + \mu y$ then x, y are relatively prime.

3. (1 mark) (a) Find a *prime factorization*² for $n = 3333$.

- (b) Compute $\varphi(3333)$ where φ is Euler's phi function. [Show your reasoning.](#)

²i.e. write as $p_1^{i_1} p_2^{i_2} \dots p_n^{i_n}$

4. (1 mark) Let $\mathcal{R}$ be the relation

$$x\mathcal{R}y \text{ if } 3 \mid (x - y)$$

on $\mathbb{Z}$.

Prove that $\mathcal{R}$ is an equivalence relation.

5. (1 mark) Let the universe of discourse be $\mathbb{N}$. Let $P(n)$ be the statement “ $n^2 + 5n + 1$ is even”.

(a) Which of the following statements is true?

A. $P(n)$ is true for all $n \geq 3$

D. $\forall k$, if $n > k$ then $P(n)$ is true

B. $\exists k$ such that $P(n)$ is true for all $n \geq k$

E. $P(1)$ is true

C. $\forall k$, if $P(k)$ is true then $P(k + 1)$ is true

F. none of (A)–(E).

(b) Justify your choice for part (a).