Chapter 4.3

Thursday, Week 3

Warmup

Evaluate:

1. $7^5 \pmod{3}$

2. $8^5 \pmod{3}$

3. $13 \cdot 994 \pmod{998}$

4. $2^{88} \pmod{7}$

True or false:

- 1. 7|10n if and only if 7|n.
- 2. 8|13n if and only if 8|n.
- 3. If 5|ab then 5|a or 5|b.
- 4. If 12|ab then 12|a or 12|b.

gcd, Linear Combinations

If you have some 10-gallon jugs and some 3-gallon jugs, what is the smallest amount of water you can measure accurately?

If you have some 36-gallon jugs and some 16-gallon jugs, what is the smallest amount of water you can measure accurately?

If you have some 55-gallon jugs and some 17-gallon jugs, how can you measure out 1 gallon exactly?

The Prime Property

Find all $n \in \mathbb{Z}_8$ such that $n^2 = 1$.

Find all $n \in \mathbb{Z}_{11}$ such that $n^2 = 1$.

True or false: if $ab \equiv 0 \pmod{15}$ then $a \equiv 0 \pmod{15}$ or $b \equiv 0 \pmod{15}$.

True or false: if $ab \equiv 0 \pmod{17}$ then $a \equiv 0 \pmod{17}$ or $b \equiv 0 \pmod{17}$.