

**Dr. Z.'s Number Theory Homework assignment 8**

1. Use the Euclidean algorithm to find

i.  $\gcd(77, 143)$    ii.  $\gcd(190, 46)$    iii.  $\gcd(1001, 500)$

2. Find

i.  $\gcd(10, 20, 70, 90)$    ii.  $\gcd(6, 9, 25)$    iii.  $\gcd(35, 49, 77)$

3. Find out whether it is possible to express 1 as a linear combination  $1 = ma + nb$  for some integers  $m$  and  $n$ , and if it is, find it.

i.  $a = 55, b = 8$    ii.  $a = 100, b = 55$    iii.  $a = 1001, b = 85$    iv.  $a = 21, b = 13$ .