

Such Calculic (OK to post)

Homework 7

10/3/2021

1. You would give the cashier three \$109 coins, which amounts to \$327. The cashier would give you back three \$14 coins, which is \$42.

$$1 = m(109) + n(95)$$

$$109 = 1(95) + 14 \quad 14 = 1(109) - 1(95)$$

$$\gcd(109, 95) = \gcd(95, 14)$$

$$95 = 6(14) + 11 \quad 11 = 1(95) - 6(14) = 1(95) - 6(1(109) - 1(95))$$

$$= 7(95) - 6(109)$$

$$\gcd(95, 14) = \gcd(14, 11)$$

$$14 = 1(11) + 3 \quad 3 = 14 - 11 = 1(109) - 1(95) - (7(95) - 6(109))$$

$$= 7(109) - 8(95)$$

$$\gcd(14, 11) = \gcd(11, 3)$$

$$11 = 3(3) + 2 \quad 2 = 11 - 3(3) = 7(95) - 6(109) - 3(7(109) - 8(95))$$

$$= 31(95) - 27(109)$$

$$\gcd(11, 3) = \gcd(3, 2)$$

$$3 = 1(2) + 1 \quad 1 = 3 - 2 = 7(109) - 8(95) - (31(95) - 27(109))$$

$$= 34(109) - 39(95)$$

So, you'd give the cashier 34 \$109 coins and the cashier would give you back 39 \$95 coins.

$$3. 1 = m(37) + n(16)$$

$$37 = 2(16) + 5 \quad 5 = 1(37) - 2(16)$$

$$\gcd(37, 16) = \gcd(16, 5)$$

$$16 = 3(5) + 1 \quad 1 = 16 - 3(5) = 1(16) - 3(1(37) - 2(16))$$

$$= 7(16) - 3(37)$$

So, on one side you'd put 7 16 kg weights and the other side you'd put 3 37 kg weights, and the first side would be 1 pound heavier than the second side.