## MATH 052: FUNDAMENTALS OF MATHEMATICS WORKSHEET, DAY #19

**Problem 1**. Let  $a, b, m, n \in \mathbb{Z}$  with  $m, n \geq 2$ . Show that if  $a \equiv b \pmod{m}$  and  $n \mid m$  then  $a \equiv b \pmod{n}$ .

**Problem 2**. Show that if  $a \in \mathbb{Z}$  is odd, then  $a^2 \equiv 1 \pmod{8}$ .

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