

Number Theory
Quiz 2

- 1) From the sieve of Eratosthenes we can see that $\pi(20)$ is
- A:** 14
 - B:** 19
 - C:** 8
 - D:** 2
- 2) If a and b are relatively prime positive integers, then the arithmetic progression $an + b$; $n = 1, 2, 3, \dots$ contains
- A:** No primes
 - B:** Infinitely many primes
 - C:** An odd number of primes
 - D:** A finite number of primes
- 3) For any positive integer n there are at least
- A:** n primes less than n
 - B:** No primes greater than $\frac{n}{2}$
 - C:** n consecutive composite positive integers
 - D:** None of the above
- 4) The Greatest Common Divisor between 200 and 350 is:
- A:** 25
 - B:** 20
 - C:** 350
 - D:** 50
- 5) The Greatest Common Divisor between 19 and 17 is:
- A:** 19
 - B:** 17
 - C:** 1
 - D:** None of the above

6) Every prime number is an odd positive integer.

True

False

7) There are infinitely many prime numbers.

True

False

8) $\frac{\pi(n)}{\frac{n}{\log n}}$ tends to 1 as n tends to infinity

True

False

9) The greatest common divisor of the integers a and b , not both 0, is the greatest positive integer that is a linear combination of a and b .

True

False

10) There is a formula that only generates primes.

Hint: A formula is not necessarily a simple function such as $y = 3x + 8$. A formula can be recursive, multi-variable, or both.

True

False