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**Directions:** Show all work. No credit for answers without work.

- 1. [1 point] Determine whether the following statements are true or false. Write the entire word "true" or the entire word "false".
  - (a)  $15 \equiv 9 \pmod{6}$
  - (b)  $6 \equiv -24 \pmod{10}$
  - (c)  $13 \equiv -6 \pmod{7}$
- 2. [2 points] Fill in the blanks: an integer n is odd if and only if n is congruent to modulo
- 3. [3 points] For which positive integers m is it true that  $17 \equiv 37 \pmod{m}$ ?

4. [4 points] Let a, b, and c be integers, and let m be a positive integer. Prove that if  $a \equiv b \pmod{m}$  and  $b \equiv c \pmod{m}$ , then  $a \equiv c \pmod{m}$ .