MATH 113: DISCRETE STRUCTURES HOMEWORK DUE FRIDAY WEEK 13

Problem 1. Let n be a natural number and consider the quantity

$$\psi(n) = \sum_{d|n} \phi(d)$$

which is the sum of the values $\phi(d)$ where *d* ranges through all the positive divisors of *n*. What is $\psi(n)$? (Experiment, formulate a conjecture, and prove it. *Hint*: Consider the fractions $\frac{1}{n}, \frac{2}{n}, \dots, \frac{n}{n}$.)

Problem 2. Use Sunzi's Theorem to efficiently compute the congruence class of 17^2 modulo 35. (What is the value to $\overline{17}^2 \in \mathbb{Z}/5\mathbb{Z}$? and in $\mathbb{Z}/7\mathbb{Z}$? Use Sunzi's Theorem to push these results back into $\mathbb{Z}/35\mathbb{Z}$.)