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Problem 1: Use the Euclidean algorithm to find $\gcd(272, 1479)$.

Solution: We have

$$1479 = 5 \times 272 + 119$$

$$272 = 2 \times 119 + 34$$

$$119 = 3 \times 34 + 17$$

$$34 = 2 \times 17$$

Therefore, $\gcd(272, 1479) = 17$.