

Theorem:

If g is the gcd of a, b , then the Euclidean Algorithm will give integers s and t so that

$$g = as + bt.$$

"Just keep dividing"

$$288 = 5 \cdot 51 + 33$$

$$51 = 1 \cdot 33 + 18$$

$$33 = 1 \cdot 18 + 15$$

$$18 = 1 \cdot 15 + 3$$

$$15 = 5 \cdot 3 + \underline{0}$$

done

3 is gcd
of 288, 51.

one line
up

Find s, t so that

$$3 = 288 \cdot s + 51 \cdot t$$

After you do this using the
info on the previous slide,
find some other s and t
that also work.