

1. Prove $\sum_{i=1}^n i^2 = \frac{n(n+1)(2n+1)}{6}$.
2. Prove that for all $x, y \in \mathbb{Z}$, x and y are odd iff xy is odd.
3. Let f be differentiable and $f'(x) < 0$ for all x . Prove that f is decreasing. (Don't forget the Mean Value Theorem.)
4. Prove that there is no largest integer.
5. Prove that for all $x \in \mathbb{Z}^>$ (aka non-negative integers), there exists $q, r \in \mathbb{Z}$ such that $x = 3q + r$ where $0 \leq r < 3$.
6. Prove that the square of any integer is of the form $3k$ or $3k + 1$ (aka prove that if $x \in \mathbb{Z}$, then there exists $k \in \mathbb{Z}$ such that $x^2 = 3k$ or $x^2 = 3k + 1$). (Use the previous result.)
7. Prove that if $m|a$ and $n|b$, then $mn|ab$.
8. Prove that if $a + b > 100$, then either $a > 50$ or $b > 50$.
9. Prove $\sum_{i=1}^n (2i - 1) = n^2$.
10. Prove that if $x \in \mathbb{Z}$, then $x^2 + x$ is even.

1) Prove $\sum_{i=1}^n i^2 = \frac{n(n+1)(2n+1)}{6}$ (Induction)

Let $n=1$ $\sum_{i=1}^1 i^2 = 1^2 = \frac{1(2)(3)}{6}$ ✓ $(2k-1)$

So true for $n=k-1$, then $\sum_{i=1}^{k-1} i^2 = \frac{(k-1)(k)(2k-1)}{6}$

Show true for $n=k$

$$\sum_{i=1}^k i^2 = \sum_{i=1}^{k-1} i^2 + k^2 = \frac{(k-1)(k)(2k-1)}{6} + k^2$$

$$= \frac{k}{6} ((k-1)(2k-1) + 6k)$$

$$= \frac{k}{6} (2k^2 - 3k + 1 + 6k) = \frac{k}{6} (2k^2 + 3k + 1)$$

$$= \frac{k}{6} (k+1)(2k+1) = \frac{k(k+1)(2k+1)}{6}$$

\therefore the rule holds.

2) Let $x, y \in \mathbb{Z}$ prove x, y both odd $\iff xy$ odd

(\implies) Let x, y both be odd $\implies \exists m, n \in \mathbb{Z} \implies$

(Direct)

$$x = 2m+1 \quad \text{and} \quad y = 2n+1$$

$$\implies xy = (2m+1)(2n+1) = 4mn + 2m + 2n + 1$$

$$= 2(2mn + m + n) + 1$$

$$\text{Since } m, n \in \mathbb{Z} \implies 2mn + m + n \in \mathbb{Z}$$

$\therefore xy$ is odd

(\impliedby) Let xy be odd $\implies \exists k \in \mathbb{Z} \implies xy = 2k+1$

So x and/or y is even (Contrapositive)

(Case 1 one is odd + one is even
WLOG (without loss of generality)

let x be odd and y be even

(Direct)

$$\Rightarrow \exists m, n \in \mathbb{Z} \ni x = 2m+1 \text{ and } y = 2n$$

$$\Rightarrow xy = (2m+1)(2n) = 2(2mn+n)$$

$$m, n \in \mathbb{Z} \Rightarrow 2mn+n \in \mathbb{Z}$$

$$\Rightarrow xy \text{ is even} \Rightarrow \Leftarrow$$

\therefore ~~it~~ it can't be that one is even + one is odd

Case 2 both are even

$$\Rightarrow \exists m, n \in \mathbb{Z} \ni x = 2m \text{ and } y = 2n$$

(Direct)

$$\Rightarrow xy = 2m(2n) = 2(2mn)$$

$$\text{Since } m, n \in \mathbb{Z} \Rightarrow 2mn \in \mathbb{Z}$$

$$\therefore xy \text{ is even} \Rightarrow \Leftarrow$$

\therefore it can't be that both x, y are even

but at least one is even $\Rightarrow \Leftarrow$

\therefore x and y must both be odd

3) Recall MVT: let f be cont on $[a, b]$ + diff on (a, b)
then $\exists c \in (a, b) \ni f'(c) = \frac{f(b) - f(a)}{b - a}$

Prove if f is diff + $f'(x) < 0 \quad \forall x$ then f is decreasing

S $x < y$ show $f(x) > f(y)$ (Direct)

$$\text{by MVT } \exists z \in (x, y) \ni f'(z) = \frac{f(y) - f(x)}{y - x}$$

(since f is diff $\Rightarrow f$ is cont).

$$\text{Since } f'(x) < 0 \quad \forall x \Rightarrow f'(z) = \frac{f(y) - f(x)}{y - x} < 0$$

+ since $x < y \Rightarrow y - x > 0$, then $f(y) - f(x) < 0$

$\Rightarrow f(y) < f(x) \quad \therefore f$ is decreasing

4) Prove that there is no largest integer

$$\neg \exists k \in \mathbb{Z} \ni k > n \quad \forall n \in \mathbb{Z} \quad (\text{Contradiction})$$

Consider $k+1$, since $k \in \mathbb{Z}$, $k+1 \in \mathbb{Z}$

and since $k+1 > k \Rightarrow k \not> n \quad \forall n \in \mathbb{Z}$

$\therefore \nexists$ a largest integer

5) Let $x \in \mathbb{Z}^+$, prove $\exists q, r \in \mathbb{Z} \ni x = 3q + r, 0 \leq r < 3$

(Induction)

$$x=1 \quad \text{let } q=0, r=1$$

$$\text{then } x = 3q + r$$

$$\text{So } \exists q, r \in \mathbb{Z} \ni x = n = 3q + r \quad (\text{w/ } 0 \leq r < 3)$$

Consider $x = n+1$

$$n+1 = 3q + r + 1$$

if $r=0$ then set $q' = q$ and $r' = 1$ (cases)

$$\text{and } n+1 = 3q' + r'$$

if $r=1$ then set $q' = q$ and $r' = 2$

$$\text{and } n+1 = 3q' + r'$$

if $r=2$ then set $q' = q+1$ and $r' = 0$

$$\text{and } n+1 = 3q' + r'$$

$$\therefore \exists q, r \in \mathbb{Z} \ni$$

$$x = 3q + r \quad \text{w/} \\ 0 \leq r < 3$$

6) given for any $x \in \mathbb{Z}^+$ $\exists q, r \in \mathbb{Z} \Rightarrow x = 3q + r$
 show that for any $n \in \mathbb{Z}$ $n^2 = 3k$ or $n^2 = 3k+1$
 for some $k \in \mathbb{Z}$

since $n \in \mathbb{Z} \Rightarrow n^2 \in \mathbb{Z}^+$ if $n \neq 0$

if $n=0$ then $n^2=0=3(0)$ Let $k=0$ (cases)

if $n \neq 0$ then $n^2 \in \mathbb{Z}^+$ and $\exists q, r \in \mathbb{Z}$, $0 \leq r < 3$

$$\text{where } |n| = 3q + r$$

$$\Rightarrow n^2 = (|n|)^2 = (3q+r)^2 = 9q^2 + 6qr + r^2$$

if $r=0$ then $n^2 = 9q^2 = 3(3q^2)$ (cases)

$$\text{since } q \in \mathbb{Z} \Rightarrow 3q^2 \in \mathbb{Z}$$

if $r=1$ then $n^2 = 9q^2 + 6q + 1$

$$= 3(3q^2 + 2q) + 1$$

$$\text{since } q \in \mathbb{Z} \Rightarrow 3q^2 + 2q \in \mathbb{Z}$$

if $r=2$ then $n^2 = 9q^2 + 12q + 4$

$$= (9q^2 + 12q + 3) + 1$$

$$= 3(3q^2 + 4q + 1) + 1$$

$$\text{since } q \in \mathbb{Z} \Rightarrow 3q^2 + 4q + 1 \in \mathbb{Z}$$

7) Prove if $m|a$ and $n|b$ then $mn|ab$

$$\text{Let } m|a \text{ and } n|b \Rightarrow \exists x, y \in \mathbb{Z} \Rightarrow a = mx, b = ny$$

$$\Rightarrow ab = mx(ny) = mn(xy) \quad \text{since } x, y \in \mathbb{Z} \Rightarrow xy \in \mathbb{Z}$$

$$\Rightarrow \exists w = xy \in \mathbb{Z} \Rightarrow ab = mnw \Rightarrow mn|ab$$

8) if $a+b > 100$ show $a > 50$ or $b > 50$

$$\text{S } a \leq 50 \text{ and } b \leq 50$$

(Contrapositive)

$$\Rightarrow a+b \leq 100 \Rightarrow \Leftarrow$$

\therefore either $a > 50$ or $b > 50$

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$$\text{let } a+b > 100$$

(CASES)

either $a > 50$ (the result holds)

or

$$a \leq 50 \Rightarrow 50 \geq a$$

$$50+b \geq a+b > 100$$

$$\Rightarrow 50+b > 100$$

$$\Rightarrow b > 50 \text{ (the result holds)}$$

9) Prove $\sum_{i=1}^n (2i-1) = n^2$

(Induction)

$$n=1 \quad \sum_{i=1}^1 (2i-1) = 2-1 = 1 = 1^2 \quad \checkmark$$

$$\text{S holds for } n=k-1 \Rightarrow \sum_{i=1}^{k-1} (2i-1) = (k-1)^2 = k^2 - 2k + 1$$

show true for $n=k$

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{i=1}^k (2i-1) &= \sum_{i=1}^{k-1} (2i-1) + 2k-1 = k^2 - 2k + 1 + 2k - 1 \\ &= k^2 \text{ result holds} \end{aligned}$$

10) if $x \in \mathbb{Z}$ show x^2+x is even

if x is even $\Rightarrow \exists k \in \mathbb{Z} \ni x = 2k$ (cases)

$$x^2+x = (2k)^2 + 2k = 2(2k^2+k) \text{ since } k \in \mathbb{Z} \Rightarrow 2k^2+k \in \mathbb{Z} \Rightarrow x^2+x \text{ is even}$$

if x is odd $\Rightarrow \exists k \in \mathbb{Z} \ni x = 2(k)+1$

$$\begin{aligned} x^2+x &= (2k+1)^2 + 2k+1 = 4k^2+4k+1+2k+1 \\ &= 4k^2+6k+2 = 2(2k^2+3k+1) \text{ since } k \in \mathbb{Z} \Rightarrow 2k^2+3k+1 \in \mathbb{Z} \\ &\Rightarrow x^2+x \text{ is even} \end{aligned}$$