

Homework #1

Read S-POP Part A and B (until ex. B(i)-1 on Pg. 3)
T-BOP sections 1.1 (Pg. 3-7) and 4.1-4.4 (Pg. 113-125)

Exercises:

- S-POP, Pt. B(i): Ex. 1, 2, 3
- T-BOP, Sec 1.1 (Pg. 7-8) Ex. A(1, 3, 6, 9, 14)
B(17, 18, 26, 27)
C(29, 32, 34, 38)
- T-BOP, Chap. 4 (Pg. 126-127): 5, 7, 14

My signal to end a proof: ~~QED~~ (it is a cat)

S-POP Exercises:

B(i)-1 a) Prove that the sum of two odd numbers is even:

If n is an odd number, and m is an odd number, then $n+m$ is an even number.

Assume $n, m \in \mathbb{Z}$ and both m and n are odd

Assume $n+m = \ell$ for some $\ell \in \mathbb{Z}$.

because m and n are odd, say $m = 2k+1$ for some $k \in \mathbb{Z}$ and
 $n = 2x+1$ for some $x \in \mathbb{Z}$.

We can say $(2k+1) + (2x+1) = \ell$.

$$2k + 2x + 2 = \ell.$$

$$2(k+x+1) = \ell.$$

the sum of integers are integers, so let $k+x+1 = q$ for some $q \in \mathbb{Z}$.

$$\text{therefore, } 2q = \ell$$

therefore, by definition of an even number, the sum of 2 odd numbers is an even number. ~~QED~~

B(i)-1 b) Prove that the product of 2 odd numbers is odd.

let $n, m \in \mathbb{Z}$ be odd so $n = 2k+1$ and $m = 2x+1$ for some $k, x \in \mathbb{Z}$.

let $mn = p$ for some $p \in \mathbb{Z}$.

$$(2k+1)(2x+1) = p$$

$$4kx + 2k + 2x + 1 = p$$

$$2(2kx + k + x) + 1 = p$$

let $2kx + k + x = q$ for some $q \in \mathbb{Z}$.

$$2q + 1 = p$$

So, by definition of an odd number, the product of 2 odd numbers is odd. ~~QED~~

B(i) - 2

a) Prove that if n is even, then n^2 is divisible by 4

Suppose the even number $n = 2k$ for some $k \in \mathbb{Z}$

let $n^2 = p$ for some $p \in \mathbb{Z}$.

$$(2k)^2 = p$$

$$4k^2 = p$$

let $k^2 = z$ for $z \in \mathbb{Z}$

$$4z = p$$

So, because $n^2 = 4z$, and $4z = p$, then the square of any even number, n , is divisible by 4.

b) Prove that if n is odd, then $n^2 - 1$ is divisible by 4.

Assume that because n is odd, $n = 2k + 1$ for some $n, k \in \mathbb{Z}$.

let $n^2 - 1 = d$ for $d \in \mathbb{Z}$.

$$(2k+1)^2 - 1 = d$$

$$4k^2 + 4k + 1 - 1 = d$$

$$4(k^2 + k) = d$$

let $k^2 + k = x$ for $x \in \mathbb{Z}$.

$$4x = d$$

Because $n^2 - 1 = d$ and $4x = d$ and $4x$ is divisible by 4, then $n^2 - 1$ is divisible by 4 for some odd integer n .

B(i) - 3 $a, b, c \in \mathbb{Z}$. $a|b \Rightarrow a$ divides b if exists some $q \in \mathbb{Z}$ such that $b = aq$

a) Prove that, if $a|b$ and $a|c$, then $a|(b+c)$

assume $a, b, c \in \mathbb{Z}$

if $a|b$, then $b = aq$ for some $q \in \mathbb{Z}$.

and if $a|c$ then $c = ax$ for some $x \in \mathbb{Z}$

So, if we say $a|(b+c)$

$$= a|aq + ax$$

$$= a|a(q+x)$$

we know any product of an integer is divisible by that integer.

$$= a|a\left(\frac{b}{a} + \frac{c}{a}\right)$$

$$= a|(b+c)$$

therefore if $a|c$ and $a|b$, then $a|(b+c)$ $\square$

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b) Prove that, if $a|b$, then $a|nb$ for $n \in \mathbb{Z}$

$a, b, n \in \mathbb{Z}$

by definition, if $a|b$, then $b = aq$ for some $q \in \mathbb{Z}$.

so, $a|anq$.

any integer is divisible by the product of that integer and another integer, so by definition, if $a|b$ then $a|nb$ for some $n \in \mathbb{Z}$ ~~Q.E.D.~~

Note to self: cardinality/size denoted by $|x|$ or $|A| \rightarrow$ only if $x|A$ is a set
 Set Builder $x = \{ \text{expression} : \text{Rule} \} \quad (: \approx |)$

T-BOP, Sec 1.1 (Pg. 7-8) Ex. $A(1, 3, 6, 9, 14)$

$B(17, 18, 26, 27)$

$C(29, 32, 34, 38)$

T-BOP, Chap. 4 (Pg. 126-127): 5, 7, 14

A. 1) $\{5x - 1 : x \in \mathbb{Z}\} = \{\dots, -11, -6, -1, 4, 9, \dots\}$

3) $\{3x + 2 : x \in \mathbb{Z}\} = \{\dots, -4, -1, 2, 5, 8, \dots\}$

6) $\{x \in \mathbb{R} : x^2 = 9\} = \{-3, 3\}$

9) $\{x \in \mathbb{R} : \sin \pi x = 0\} = x \in \mathbb{Z} \text{ or } \{\dots, -1, 0, 1, 2, \dots\}$

14) $\{5x : x \in \mathbb{Z}, |2x| \leq 8\} = \{\pm 20, \pm 15, \pm 10, \pm 5, 0\}$

$|x| \leq 4 \leftarrow$

or

$-4 \leq x \leq 4$

B. 17) $\{2, 4, 8, 16, 32, 64, \dots\} = \{2^n : n \in \mathbb{N}\}$

18) $\{0, 4, 16, 36, 64, 100, \dots\} = \{4(n^2) : n \in \mathbb{Z}, n \geq 0\}$

26) $\{\dots, \frac{1}{27}, \frac{1}{9}, \frac{1}{3}, 1, 3, 9, 27, \dots\} = \{3^n : n \in \mathbb{Z}\}$

27) $\{\dots, -\pi, -\frac{\pi}{2}, 0, \frac{\pi}{2}, \pi, \frac{3\pi}{2}, 2\pi, \frac{5\pi}{2}, \dots\} = \{\frac{n\pi}{2} : n \in \mathbb{Z}\}$

C. (29, 32, 34, 38)

29) $|\{\{1\}, \{2, \{3, 4\}\} \emptyset\}| = 3$

32) $|\{\{\{1, 4\}, a, b, \{3, 4\}\}, \emptyset\}| = 7$

34) $|\{x \in \mathbb{N} : |x| < 10\}| = |\{1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9\}| = 9$

38) $|\{x \in \mathbb{N} : 5x \leq 20\}| = |\{x \in \mathbb{N} : x \leq 4\}| = |\{1, 2, 3, 4\}| = 4$

S - BoP) 5, 7, 14

5) Suppose $x, y \in \mathbb{Z}$. If x is even, then xy is even.

by definition of an even number, let $x = 2k$ for some $k \in \mathbb{Z}$.

let $xy = l$ for some $l \in \mathbb{Z}$

$$\text{So, } y(2k) = l$$

$$2ky = l$$

ky is the product of 2 integers, which is an integer.

So, by definition of an even number, xy is even. 

7) Suppose $a, b \in \mathbb{Z}$. If $a|b$, then $a^2|b^2$

We know that if $a|b$, $b = ak$ for some $k \in \mathbb{Z}$.

So $a|ak$ and $a^2|a^2k$

$$a^2 = a^2 \text{ and } b^2 = a^2k^2$$

any number is divisible by its multiple.

So by definition of divisibility,

$$a^2|a^2k^2 \Rightarrow a^2|b^2$$



14) If $n \in \mathbb{Z}$, then $5n^2 + 3n + 7$ is odd

Case 1: n is odd.

If n is odd, then $n = 2k + 1$ for some $k \in \mathbb{Z}$.

$$\text{So, } 5(2k+1)^2 + 3(2k+1) + 7$$

$$= 5(4k^2 + 4k + 1) + 6k + 3 + 7$$

$$= 20k^2 + 20k + 5 + 6k + 10$$

$$= 20k^2 + 26k + 14 + 1$$

$$= 2(10k^2 + 13k + 7) + 1$$

$$\text{let } 10k^2 + 13k + 7 = m \text{ where } m \in \mathbb{Z}$$

$$= 2m + 1$$

by definition of an odd number, if $n \in \mathbb{Z}$, then $5n^2 + 3n + 7$ is odd

Case 2: n is even

If n is even, then let $n = 2k$ for $k \in \mathbb{Z}$

$$5(2k)^2 + 3(2k) + 7$$

$$= 5(4k^2) + 6k + 6 + 1$$

$$= 2(10k^2 + 3k + 3) + 1$$

$$\text{let } m = 10k^2 + 3k + 3 \text{ for some } m \in \mathbb{Z}$$

$$= 2m + 1$$

So, by definition of an odd number, if $n \in \mathbb{Z}$, then $5n^2 + 3n + 7$ is odd. 