

Assignment: Section 5.3: 12, 26c ("5 | a+b" means that 5 divides a+b), 43, 44; (7th edition)

In Exercises 12–19 f_n is the n th Fibonacci number.

12. Prove that $f_1^2 + f_2^2 + \dots + f_n^2 = f_n f_{n+1}$ when n is a positive integer.

$$P(n) = f_1^2 + f_2^2 + \dots + f_n^2 = f_n f_{n+1}$$

Basis Step: $f_1 \times f_2 = 1 \times 1 = 1$

Recursive Step: Assuming $P(n)$ is true, show $P(n+1)$ is also true.

$$\text{This means } f_1^2 + f_2^2 + \dots + f_n^2 + f_{n+1}^2 = f_{n+1} f_{n+2}$$

$$= f_n f_{n+1} + f_{n+1}^2$$

$$= f_{n+1}(f_n + f_{n+1})$$

$$= f_{n+1} f_{n+2}$$

26. Let S be the subset of the set of ordered pairs of integers defined recursively by

Basis step: $(0, 0) \in S$.

Recursive step: If $(a, b) \in S$, then $(a + 2, b + 3) \in S$ and $(a + 3, b + 2) \in S$.

c) Use structural induction to show that $5 \mid a + b$ when $(a, b) \in S$.

By the basis step we know that $5 \mid 0 + 0 = 0$.

Recursive step: Show if $5 \mid a + b$, then $5 \mid a + b$ for any elements obtained from a, b .

If $a + b = 5k$ for an int k , where $(a + 2, b + 3)$ then $a + b + 5 = 5k + 5 = 5(k + 1)$, where $k + 1$ is also an int.

In the same way, for $(a + 3, b + 2) = a + b + 5 = 5k + 5 = 5(k + 1)$ where $k + 1$ is also an int.

43. Use structural induction to show that $n(T) \geq 2h(T) + 1$, where T is a full binary tree, $n(T)$ equals the number of vertices of T , and $h(T)$ is the height of T . The set of leaves and the set of internal vertices of a full binary tree can be defined recursively.

Basis step: The root r is a leaf of the full binary tree with exactly one vertex r . This tree has no internal vertices.

Recursive step: The set of leaves of the tree $T = T_1 \cdot T_2$ is the union of the sets of leaves of T_1 and of T_2 .

The internal vertices of T are the root r of T and the union of the set of internal vertices of T_1 and the set of internal vertices of T_2 .

Basis Step is true because $n(T) = 1$ and $h(T) = 0$, and $1 \geq 2 \times 0 + 1$ (when a tree has just a root node)

Recursive Step: Show $n(T) \geq 2h(T) + 1$ for the full binary tree T .

T is formed by two subtrees, T_1 and T_2 + the root node (where T_1 and T_2 are smaller than T) by the recursive def of a full binary tree.

T_1 and T_2 is holds true, and by the recursive definition of $n(T)$ and $h(T)$, we know that

$$n(T) = 1 + n(T_1) + n(T_2) \text{ and } h(T) = 1 + \max(h(T_1), h(T_2))$$

$$n(T) = 1 + n(T_1) + n(T_2)$$

$$\geq 1 + 2h(T_1) + 1 + 2h(T_2) + 1 \text{ Inductive Hyp}$$

$$\geq 1 + 2\max(h(T_1), h(T_2)) + 2 \text{ By } 2h(T_1) + 2h(T_2) \geq 2\max(h(T_1), h(T_2))$$

$$= 1 + 2(\max(h(T_1), h(T_2)) + 1) \text{ Factor}$$

$$= 1 + 2h(T) \text{ Recursive Def of FBT}$$

44. Use structural induction to show that $l(T)$, the number of leaves of a full binary tree T , is 1 more than $i(T)$, the number of internal vertices of T .

Basis Step: The smallest full binary tree is single root r : $l(T) = 1 = 1 + i(T)$

Recursive Step: Show result holds for T

T is formed by two subtrees, T_1 and T_2 + the root node (where T_1 and T_2 are smaller than T) by the recursive def of a full binary tree

We know by the basis step that T_1 and T_2 hold and that $i(T) = i(T_1) + i(T_2) + 1$

$l(T) = l(T_1) + l(T_2)$ Rec Def of Full Binary Tree

$= i(T_1) + 1 + i(T_2) + 1$ Induction Hypoth

$= i(T) + 1$ Recursive Def of FBT

Completing the inductive step