

Homework Week 5

Problem N1

$$e = \frac{1}{1!} + \frac{1}{2!} + \frac{1}{3!} + \frac{1}{4!} \dots \infty$$

$$e = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n!}$$

Let's assume that e is rational

$$e = \frac{p}{q}$$

$$x = q! \left(e - \sum_{n=0}^q \frac{1}{n!} \right)$$

$$x = q! \cdot \left(\frac{p}{q} - \sum_{n=0}^q \frac{1}{n!} \right) = q! \cdot \left(\frac{p}{q} \right) - \sum_{n=0}^q \frac{q!}{n!} = a(b-1)!$$

$$\sum_{n=0}^q \frac{q!}{n!}$$

$$x = q! \left(\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n!} - \sum_{n=0}^q \frac{1}{n!} \right) = \sum_{n=q+1}^{\infty} \frac{q!}{n!}$$

$$\frac{q!}{n!} = \frac{q \cdot (q-1) \cdot (q-2) \cdots}{n \cdot (n-1) \cdot (n-2) \cdot (n-3) \cdots \cdot (q+1) \cdot q \cdot (q-1) \cdots} =$$

$$= \frac{1}{n(n-1)(n-2) \cdots (q+1)} < \frac{1}{(q+1)^{n-q}}$$

$$0 < x = \sum_{n=q+1}^{\infty} \frac{q!}{n!} < \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{(q+1)^k} = 1 - \frac{1}{q+1} = \frac{q}{q+1} < 1$$

Problem N2

$$a^2 - b^2 = (a-b)(a+b)$$

$$n=11 \rightarrow a=6; b=5$$

$$n=2k+1$$

$$a=k+1; b=k$$

$$n=2k+1 \rightarrow (k+1)^2 - k^2 = k^2 + 2k + 1 - k^2 = 2k + 1 = n$$

Problem N3

r - rational num i - irrational num

$$s = r + i \rightarrow s = \text{rational}$$

If $s = a/b$ and $r = c/d$ where a, b, c and d = integers

$$b \neq 0, d \neq 0 \rightarrow s + (-r) = (ad - bc)/(bd)$$

So $s + (-r)$ is a rational number.

But $s + (-r) = r + i - r = i$ forcing us to conclusion that

i is rational. This contradicts our hypothesis that i

is irrational. Therefore the assumption that s was

rational was incorrect, and we conclude, that s is

irrational.

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Problem N4

$\sqrt{2}$ - irrational number $\rightarrow 2$ is rational.

This counterexample refutes the proposition.

Problem N5

$$q + r \geq p$$

$$q = x \geq 1 \rightarrow q = x < 1$$

$$r = y \geq 1 \rightarrow r = y < 1$$

$$p \geq 2$$

$$\rightarrow q - p \leq 2$$

Problem N6

a) if n is odd $\rightarrow n^3 + 5$ is even

$$\text{Then } n = 2k+1 \rightarrow n^3 + 5 = (2k+1)^3 + 5 = 8k^3 + 12k^2 + 6k + 6$$

$+ 6 = 2(4k^3 + 6k^2 + 3k + 3)$. Thus $n^3 + 5$ is two times

integer, so it's even.

b) $n^3 + 5$ is odd; n is odd

$$(n^3 + 5) - n^3 = 5 \neq 0$$

Problem N7

U = all men in community

$$S = U \rightarrow \{T, F\}$$

$\forall x \in U: (\neg S(x)) \leftrightarrow x \text{ is shaved by barber}$

$\forall x \in U: (\neg$
 $S(x)) \leftrightarrow S(x)$
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Problem N8

$$\forall x \in U: (\neg S(x)) \leftrightarrow B(x)$$

$$B(b) \leftrightarrow S(b)$$

$$S(b) \rightarrow B(b) \leftrightarrow (\neg S(b))$$

$$\neg((p \leftrightarrow q) \wedge (q \leftrightarrow r)) \rightarrow (p \leftrightarrow r)$$

$$S(b) \leftrightarrow (\neg S(b))$$

Problem N8

$$x \neq \text{even} \quad y \neq \text{even}$$

$$x = 2m+1$$

$$xy = \text{odd} \quad x+y = \text{odd}$$

$$i) y = \text{even}, y = 2n, \text{ so } x+y = (2m+1) + 2n = 2(m+n) + 1 = \text{odd}$$

$$ii) y = \text{odd}, y = 2n+1, \text{ so } xy = (2m+1)(2n+1) = 4mn+2m+2n+1 =$$

$$= 2(2mn+m+n)+1 = \text{odd}$$

$2k^2 + 6k +$

times