

# CSC/MAT-220: Discrete Structures

## EFY 3

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**An Interesting Relation.** Let  $R$  be a relation from  $\mathbb{N} \times \mathbb{N}$  to  $\mathbb{N}$  defined by

$$R = \{((72, 99), 27), ((27, 45), 18), ((18, 39), 21), ((21, 36), x), ((x, 28), 13), ((13, 21), 7)\}.$$

Give a formal description of the pattern in this relation and use your description to find the value of the variable  $x$ .

**More on Even and Odd Integers.** In the game of chess, is it possible for the knight to go (by allowable moves) from the lower left-hand corner of the board to the upper right-hand corner, and in the process to land exactly once on each square?

*Give a detailed explanation of your answer that includes mathematical variables to make your argument both clear and concise.*