

Math 74, Week 5

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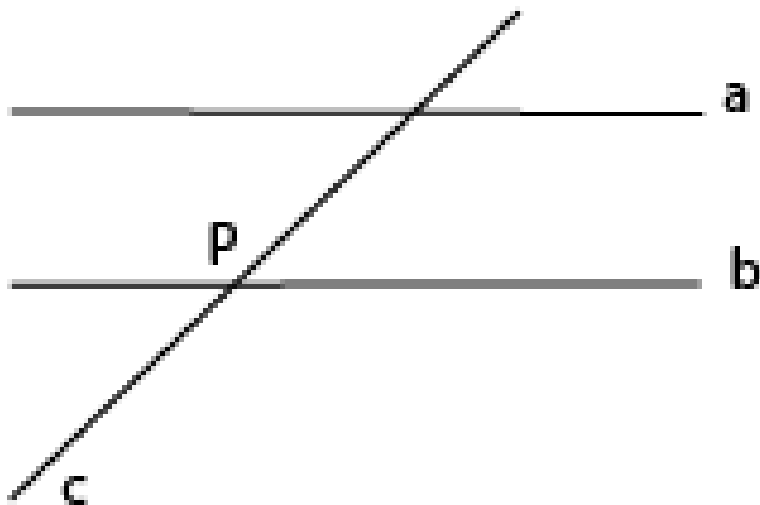
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1 Mon Lec, 2a

Let the statement: “There is at most one parallel line to a given line l through a given point P .” be statement A;

“If a line intersects one of two parallel lines, both of which are coplanar with the original line, then it also intersects the other.” be statement B.

Let a , b , and



2 Mon Lec, 3a

3 Mon Dis, 1b

3.1

3.2

$$\prod_i^n = 2(1 - \frac{1}{n^2})$$

We examine $1 - 1/k^2$ and factor it into $\frac{k^2-1}{k^2} = \frac{(k+1)(k-1)}{k^2}$. Since k is incrementing by 1 in our series, we can cancel each term out. We can expand our series into

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{1 \times 3}{2^2} \frac{2 \times 4}{3^3} \cdots \frac{(n-1)(n+1)}{n^2} \\ = \frac{1}{2} \frac{n+1}{n} = \frac{n+1}{2n} \end{aligned}$$