

Claim.

$$A = \{3n : n \in \mathbb{Z}\}$$

$$B = \{6n : n \in \mathbb{Z}\}$$

$$\Rightarrow B \subsetneq A$$

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Proof.

$$\text{Given } A = \{3n : n \in \mathbb{Z}\}$$

$$B = \{6n : n \in \mathbb{Z}\}$$

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(1) $B \subseteq A$

We show: $x \in B \Rightarrow x \in A$.

Given $x \in B$.

$$x = 6k, \quad k \in \mathbb{Z}$$

by defn of membership in B

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$$= 3 \cdot 2k$$

$$= 3n, \quad n \in \mathbb{Z}.$$

by closure of mult in \mathbb{Z}
($2, k \in \mathbb{Z} \Rightarrow 2k \in \mathbb{Z}$)

Hence x_{test} satisfies membership rules for A
 $\Rightarrow x \in A$.

By defn of subset, $B \subseteq A$.

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(2) $\exists x \in A \text{ s.t. } x \notin B$

We find an elt of A not

in B. Observe that all $x \in B$ are even (by defn of even):

$$x \in B \Rightarrow x = 3 \cdot 2k = 2 \cdot 3k$$

by \otimes and comm of mult in \mathbb{Z}

$$= 2m, \quad m \in \mathbb{Z}$$

by closure of mult in \mathbb{Z} ($3, k \in \mathbb{Z} \Rightarrow 3k \in \mathbb{Z}$)

But there are members of A that are odd,
e.g., 3, 6, 15, ... These members of A are
not in B.

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B and A satisfy The defn of strict subset $\Rightarrow B \subsetneq A$, \square