

QUESTION 1

Theorem $(\exists m \in \mathbb{N})(\exists n \in \mathbb{N})(3m + 5n = 12)$

Disproof: By consideration of cases.

From the definition of the natural numbers \mathbb{N} , and since

$$m \geq 4 \Rightarrow 3m + 5n > 12$$

$$n \geq 3 \Rightarrow 3m + 5n > 12$$

it follows that in order for the theorem to be true, $0 < m \leq 3$ and $0 < n \leq 2$.

$$m = 1 \wedge n = 1 \Rightarrow 3m + 5n = 8$$

$$m = 1 \wedge n = 2 \Rightarrow 3m + 5n = 13$$

$$m = 2 \wedge n = 1 \Rightarrow 3m + 5n = 11$$

$$m = 2 \wedge n = 2 \Rightarrow 3m + 5n = 16$$

$$m = 3 \wedge n = 1 \Rightarrow 3m + 5n = 14$$

$$m = 3 \wedge n = 2 \Rightarrow 3m + 5n = 19$$

Therefore there are no m, n that satisfy the theorem.

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