Lecture 23: Strong induction

Math 345

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Textbook

This lecture discusses section 7 of the textbook.

Homework

The homework is due Thursday, November 4, 2010.

From Section 7 of the textbook, do exercises 1, 2, and 4.

prime divisors

Each natural number greater than or equal to 2 either is a product of prime numbers or is itself a prime number.

Cor: Each integer, except 1 and 1, is divisible by some prime number.

Let p be a prime number. Then for all integers x and y, if p divides xy, then p divides x or p divides y.