

puzzle some pennies are placed on the infinite line \mathbf{Z} . the following moves are allowed:

- i. removing two pennies at $n - 1$ and at $n + 1$ for a single penny at n .
- ii. vice versa, removing a penny at n for two pennies at $n - 1$ and at $n + 1$.

show that from a starting state of a single penny at 0 we can reach an end state of a single penny at 6.

possible solution to puzzle

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      1
    1   1
  1  1   1
1  1  1   1
1  1  1  1   1
1  1  1  1  1   1
1  1  1  1  1  1   1
1  1  1  1  1  1  1   1
1  1  1  1  1  2   1  1
1  1  1  1  2  1  1  1  1
1  1   2  1  1  1  1  1
1   1  1  1  1  1  1  1
    1   1  1  1  1  1  1
      1   1  1  1  1  1
        1   1  1  1  1
          1   1  1  1
            1   1  1
              1   1
                1

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exercise how is the above related to the fact that $x^2 - x + 1 \mid x^6 - 1$?