

CS 278 HW 6

2.3.1 (b) T: If m and n are integers such that $m \mid n$, then $m \mid (5n^3 - 2n^2 + 3n)$

P: Let m and n be integers such that $m \mid n$.

- ① We will prove $m \mid (5n^3 - 2n^2 + 3n)$
- ② By fundamental theorem of division, there exist an integer k such that $n = km$
- ③ Plugging in km for n , $5n^3 - 2n^2 + 3n = 5(km)^3 - 2(km)^2 + 3km$
- ④ Factor out m gives $(5k^3m^2 - 2k^2m + 3k)m$
- ~~⑤ Because k and m are both integers, $5k^3m^2 - 2k^2m + 3k$ is an integer.~~
- ~~⑥ $5km$~~
- ⑥ Because m is an integer, $n = (\text{integer}) \cdot (\text{some integer}) \cdot (5k^3m^2 - 2k^2m + 3k)$
- ⑦ Therefore ~~$m \mid (5n^3 - 2n^2 + 3n)$~~ $m \mid (5n^3 - 2n^2 + 3n)$ ■

(d) T: The sum of the squares of any two consecutive integers is odd.

P: Let x and y be integers that are consecutive

- ① We will prove $x^2 + y^2$ is odd
- ② $y = x + 1$
- ③ plugging y in for $x^2 + y^2$ gives $x^2 + (x+1)^2$

$$= x^2 + x^2 + 2x + 1$$

$$= 2x^2 + 2x + 1$$

$$= 2(x^2 + x) + 1$$
- ④ x^2 and x are both integers so $x^2 + x$ will also be an integer. Let $k = x^2 + x$
- ⑤ $x^2 + y^2 = 2k + 1$. By definition $x^2 + y^2$ will be odd ■

2.3.2 (c) They didn't show algebraically the change ~~from~~ from $xz = (kw)(jy)$ to

$xz = (kj)(wy)$
and then kj is some integer m , $xz = m(wy)$

(d) This proof looks correct, except they should add let $m = kj$, $xz = m(wy)$. For clarity

2.3.3 (b) They ~~should~~ should set $2k^2 + 2k + 2j^2 + 2j + 1$ to some integer i for clarity,
So $n^2 + m^2 = 2i$, even.

(d) The equation needs to be simplified further and can't just be assumed.

$$\begin{aligned} n^2 + m^2 &= (2k+1)^2 + (2j+1)^2 \\ &= 4k^2 + 4k + 1 + 4j^2 + 4j + 1 \\ &= 2(2k^2 + 2k + 2j^2 + 2j + 1) \\ &= 2i, \text{ even} \end{aligned}$$

conclude i is integer, let it be

2.4.1 (b) T: The sum of two odd integers is an even integer

P: (1) Let x and y be two odd integers

(2) We will prove that $x+y$ is even

(3) Since x is odd there exists integer k that $x = 2k+1$

Since y is odd there exist integer j that $y = 2j+1$

(4) Plug in for $x+y = (2k+1) + (2j+1) = 2k+2j+2 = 2(k+j+1)$

(5) k and j are integers, so $k+j+1$ is an integer. Let i be $k+j+1$

(6) $x+y = 2i$, even.

① T: The product of two odd integers is an odd integer.

P: ① Let x and y be two odd integers

② We will prove $x \cdot y$ is odd

③ Since x is odd there exists an integer k that $x = 2k + 1$

④ Since y is odd there exists an integer j that $y = 2j + 1$

⑤ Plug in for $x \cdot y = (2k + 1) \cdot (2j + 1)$
 $= 4kj + 2k + 2j + 1$
 $= 2(2kj + k + j) + 1$

⑥ Because k and j are integers, $2kj + k + j$ is an integer

⑦ Let $i = 2kj + k + j$, $x \cdot y = 2i + 1$, odd ■

② F: IF x is an even integer and y is an odd integer then $3x + 2y$ is even

P: ① Let x and y be integers such that x is even and y is odd

② We will prove $3x + 2y$ is even

③ Since x is even there exists an integer k such that $x = 2k$

④ Since y is odd there exists an integer j such that $y = 2j + 1$

⑤ Plug in for $3x + 2y = 3(2k) + 2(2j + 1)$
 $= 6k + 4j + 2$
 $= 2(3k + 2j + 1)$

⑥ Because j and k are integers, $3k + 2j + 1$ is an integer

⑦ Let $i = 3k + 2j + 1$, $3x + 2y = 2i$, even

④ T: IF x is an even integer and y is an odd integer then $2x+3y$ is odd

P: ① Let x and y be integers such that x is even and y is odd. We will prove $2x+3y$ is odd.

② Since x is even there exists an integer k such that $x=2k$

③ Since y is odd there exists an integer j such that $y=2j+1$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{④ Plug in for } 2x+3y &= 2(2k) + 3(2j+1) \\ &= 4k + 6j + 3 \\ &= 2(2k+3j+1) + 1\end{aligned}$$

⑤ Because k and j are integers, $2k+3j+1$ is an integer

⑥ Let $i = 2k+3j+1$, $2x+3y = 2i+1$, odd ■

⑤ T: IF x is an odd integer then $(-1)^x = -1$

P: ① Let x be an integer that is odd

② Since x is odd there exists an integer k such that $x=2k+1$

③ ~~Plug in for x~~ We will prove $(-1)^x = -1$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{④ Plug in for } (-1)^{2k+1} &= (-1)^{2k} \times (-1)^1 \\ &= [(-1)^2]^k \times (-1) \\ &= 1^k \times (-1) \\ &= 1 \times (-1) \\ &= -1 \quad \blacksquare\end{aligned}$$

2.4.2 ② T: IF x, y are rational numbers then $3x+2y$ is also rational

P: ① Let x and y be rational numbers

② We will prove $3x+2y$ is rational

③ Since x is rational there exists integers p, q such that $x = \frac{p}{q}$

④ Since y is rational there exists integers m, n such that $y = \frac{m}{n}$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{⑤ Plug in for } 3x+2y &= \frac{3p}{q} + \frac{2m}{n} \\ &= \frac{3pn + 2mq}{qn}\end{aligned}$$

⑥ Because p, q, m, n are integers, $3pn + 2mq$ is an integer. Let it be called a

⑦ Because q, n are integers, qn is an integer. Let it be called b .

⑧ Simplify $\frac{(3pn + 2mq)}{(qn)} = \frac{a}{b}$ rational number ■

⑨ $3x + 2y = \frac{a}{b}$

① T: IF x and y are rational numbers then $3x^2 + 2y$ is also a rational number

P: ① Let x and y be rational numbers, we will prove $3x^2 + 2y$ is rational

② Because x is rational there exists integers p, q such that $x = \frac{p}{q}$

③ Because y is rational there exists integers m, n such that $y = \frac{m}{n}$

④ Plug into $3x^2 + 2y = 3\left(\frac{p}{q}\right)^2 + 2\left(\frac{m}{n}\right)$
 $= \frac{3p^2}{q^2} + \frac{2m}{n}$
 $= \frac{3p^2n + 2mq^2}{q^2n}$

⑤ Because p, n, m, q are integers, $3p^2n + 2mq^2$ is an integer, let it be a . And q^2n is an integer, let it be b

⑥ Plug into $\frac{3p^2n + 2mq^2}{q^2n} = \frac{a}{b} = 3x^2 + 2y$, rational ■

Ⓐ T: The average of two rational numbers is rational

P: ① Let x and y be rational numbers

② We will prove $(x+y)/2$ is rational

③ Because x is rational there exists $\underset{\text{integers}}{p, q}$ that
 $x = p/q$

④ Because y is rational there exists integers n, m
such that $y = m/n$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{⑤ Plug in } (x+y)/2 &= (p/q + m/n)/2 \\ &= \frac{p}{2q} + \frac{m}{2n} \\ &= \frac{2pn + 2mq}{4nq}\end{aligned}$$

⑥ ~~that exists~~ Because p, n, m, q are integers,
 $2pn + 2mq$ is an integer, let it be a

⑦ Because n, q are integers, ~~the~~ $4nq$ is an
integer, let it be b

$$\text{⑧ Plug in } (x+y)/2 = \frac{2pn + 2mq}{4nq}$$

$$= \frac{a}{b} = \text{rational} \quad \blacksquare$$