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Module #15 (Recursive Data Types and Structural Induction) - in class Author: Tawheed Abdul-Raheem

Small group problems

- 1. Recursive definitions. Recursively define the sets of natural numbers \mathbb{N} , Fibonnaci numbers, and integers \mathbb{Z} .
 - (a) Base case: Let $0 \in \mathbb{N}$.
 - Constructor case: Given $x \in \mathbb{N}$, $x + 1 \in \mathbb{N}$.
 - (b) Base case: Let $0 \in F(0) = 0$.
 - Base case: Let $1 \in F(1) = 1$.
 - Constructor case: $if x \in F$ and x > 1 then $F(x) = F_{x-1} + F_{x-2}$.
 - (c) Base case: Let $0 \in \mathbb{Z}$.
 - Constructor case: Given $x \in \mathbb{Z}$, $x + 1 \in \mathbb{Z}$, $x 1 \in \mathbb{Z}$.