

Homework 2

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Section 2.1

1. Exercise 11 (p97)

Part (a)

Let a, b be the two given odd integers. By definition of odd, we have

$$a = 2m + 1, b = 2n + 1 : m, n \in \mathbb{Z}$$

By substitution,

$$\begin{aligned} ab &= (2m + 1)(2n + 1) \\ &= 4mn + 2m + 2n + 1 \\ &= 2(2mn + m + n) + 1 \\ &= 2k + 1, \text{ where } k = 2mn + m + n \end{aligned}$$

By closure under addition and multiplication, $k \in \mathbb{Z}$. By definition of odd, we have that ab is an odd number.

Part (b)

Let a be the given odd integer and b be the given even integer. By definition of odd and even, we have

$$a = 2m + 1, b = 2n : m, n \in \mathbb{Z}$$

By substitution,

$$\begin{aligned} ab &= (2m + 1)2n \\ &= 4mn + 2n \\ &= 2(2mn + n) \\ &= 2k, \text{ where } k = 2mn + n \end{aligned}$$

By closure under addition and multiplication, $k \in \mathbb{Z}$. By definition of even, we have that ab is an even number.

Part (c)

Let a be the given even integer and b be the given integer that is divisible by 3.

By definition of even, we have

$$a = 2m : m \in \mathbb{Z}$$

By definition of being divisible by 3, we have

$$b = 3n : n \in \mathbb{Z}$$

By substitution,

$$\begin{aligned} ab &= 2m \cdot 3n \\ &= 6mn \\ &= 6k, \text{ where } k = mn \end{aligned}$$

By closure under addition and multiplication, $k \in \mathbb{Z}$. By definition of being divisible by 6, we have that ab is divisible by 6.

2. Exercise 12.d (p97)

This pair of statements are *not* contrapositives of one another.

- Counterexample of case (i): a person that likes computers but does not like computer science.
- Counterexample of case (ii): a person that does not like computers but likes computer science.

3. Exercise 13.a (p97)

Contrapositive: “if $m = 0$ and $n = 0$, then $m^2 + n^2 = 0$.”

Proof of the contrapositive: Since $m = 0$ and $n = 0$, by substitution, we have

$$m^2 + n^2 = 0^2 + 0^2 = 0$$

Since the contrapositive is true, the original statement “if $m^2 + n^2 \neq 0$, then $m \neq 0$ or $n \neq 0$ ” is true.

4. Exercise 14.c (p98)

Section 2.2

5. Exercise 7.e (p108)
6. Exercise 16 (p109)
7. Exercise 20 (p109)
8. *Show that the square of an integer not divisible by 5 leaves a remainder of 1 or 4 when divided by 5.*
9. Exercise 26.c (p109)

Section 2.3

10. Exercise 2 (p121)

Part (a)

Part (b)

Part (c)

Part (d)

11. Exercise 3.f (p121)

12. Exercise 4.e (p122)

13. Exercise 8.f (p122)

14. Exercise 13 (p122)

Section 2.4

- 15. Exercise 1.d (p130)
- 16. Exercise 2.d (p130)
- 17. Exercise 4.b (p130)
- 18. Exercise 6 (p131)

Section 2.5

- 19. Exercise 12 (p147)
- 20. Exercise 20 (p148)
- 21. Exercise 32.b (p149)
- 22. Exercise 34.b (p149)