

Pre HL Math Induction Exit Slip

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1. By mathematical induction, prove that $\sum_{i=1}^n i(i+2) = \frac{n(n+1)(2n+7)}{6}$ for all integers $n, n \geq 1$.

1) If $n=1 \Rightarrow (1)(1+2) = 3 \Rightarrow \frac{(1)(1+1)(2+7)}{6} = 3$ The conjecture $\sum_{i=1}^n i(i+2) = \frac{n(n+1)(2n+7)}{6}$ is true.

2) If $n=k \Rightarrow$ Assume $\sum_{i=1}^k i(i+2) = \frac{k(k+1)(2k+7)}{6}$ is true for $n=k, k \in \mathbb{Z}^+$

3) If $n=k+1 \Rightarrow \sum_{i=1}^k i(i+2) + (k+1)(k+1+2)$
 $= \frac{k(k+1)(2k+7)}{6} + \frac{6(k+1)(k+3)}{6} = \frac{(k+1)}{6} [k(2k+7) + 6k+18]$
 $= \frac{(k+1)}{6} [2k^2 + 7k + 6k + 18] = \frac{(k+1)}{6} [2k^2 + 13k + 18]$
 $= \frac{(k+1)}{6} [(k+2)(2k+9)] = \frac{(k+1)(k+2)(2(k+1)+7)}{6}$

2. Prove, by mathematical induction, that $3^n - 1 - 2n, n \in \mathbb{Z}^+$, is divisible by 4.

1) If $n=1 \Rightarrow 3^1 - 1 - 2(1) = 0$
 0 is divisible by 4.

the conjecture is true for $k+1$

2) If $n=k, k \in \mathbb{Z}^+$

Assume $3^k - 1 - 2k = 4 \cdot A$ works for $k \in \mathbb{Z}^+ \Rightarrow$

$\therefore \sum_{i=1}^n i(i+2) = \frac{n(n+1)(2n+7)}{6}$ is true for Integer $n \geq 1$.

3) If $n=k+1$

$\Rightarrow 3^{k+1} - 1 - 2(k+1)$ Rewrite $3^k = 4 \cdot A + 1 + 2k$

$= 3[4 \cdot A + 1 + 2k] - 1 - 2k - 2$

$= 3[4A + 1 + 2k] - 1 - 2k - 2 = 12A + 3 + 6k - 2k - 2$
 $= 12A + 4k = 4[3A + k]$ which is divisible by 4

4) \therefore

3. $\sum_{i=1}^n (2i+1)2^{i-1} = 1 + (2n-1) \times 2^n$ for all positive integers n .

1) If $n=1 \Rightarrow ((2)(1)+1) \cdot 2^{1-1} = 3$

$\Rightarrow 1 + (2 \cdot 1 - 1) \cdot 2^1 = 3$. The Formula is true for $n=1$

2) If $n=k$ where $k \in \mathbb{Z}^+$ \Rightarrow Assume $\sum_{i=1}^k (2i+1) \cdot 2^{i-1} = 1 + (2k-1) \times 2^k$ is true

3) If $n=k+1 \Rightarrow \sum_{i=1}^k (2i+1) \cdot 2^{i-1} + (2(k+1)+1) \cdot 2^{k+1-1}$

$= 1 + (2k-1) \cdot 2^k + (2(k+1)+1) \cdot 2^k$

$= 1 + 2^k [2k-1 + 2k+3]$

$= 1 + 2^k [4k+2]$

$= 1 + 2^k \cdot 2 [2k+1]$

$= 1 + 2^{k+1} [2(k+1)-1]$

\therefore The formula $\sum_{i=1}^n (2i+1) \cdot 2^{i-1} = 1 + (2n-1) \times 2^n$ is true for $n \in \mathbb{Z}^+$