

Math 2200 Hw #9 Graded Problems

4.2 #2, 7, 12, 26, 30

4.3 #4, 6, 8, 12, 13

1.2
 ② show (strong induction) all dominoes fall in an arrangement of dominoes if you know that the first 3 fall, and when one domino falls, the domino 3 farther down falls.

Pf ① We already were given that it's true for $n=1, 2, 3$.

② Assume it's true for $n=1, 2, 3, \dots, m$, i.e. that the first n dominoes all fall.

Then for $m+1$ case, we know the $(m+1)-3 = m-2$ domino fell \Rightarrow $m+1$ domino also fell. //

③ which amts of money can be formed using \$2 bills & \$5 bills?

Claim $2a+5b=m$ for some $a, b \in \mathbb{W}$, then any integer ≥ 4 can be formed.

Pf ① check $m=4$ case + $m=5$ case.

if $m=4$, $a=2, b=0$ works

if $m=5$, $a=0, b=1$ works

② Assume statement is true $\forall m=4, 5, \dots, n$. Then we can find $a_n, b_n \in \mathbb{W} \exists 2a_n+5b_n=m$.

check $n+1$ case. we know $n+1 = 2a_n+5b_n+1$ from induction assumption.

$$\text{also } n+1 = (n-1) + 2 = (2a_{n-1} + 5b_{n-1}) + 2$$

$$= 2(a_{n-1} + 1) + 5b_{n-1} \Rightarrow a_{n+1} = a_{n-1} + 1$$

$$b_{n+1} = b_{n-1} //$$

4.2 #12 Show every $n \in \mathbb{Z}^+$ can be written as sum of distinct powers of 2, i.e. as sum of $2^0=1, 2^1=2, \dots$

Claim $n = a_k 2^k + a_{k-1} 2^{k-1} + \dots + a_1 2 + a_0$ where $a_i = 0$ or 1
 $n \in \mathbb{Z}^+$ for some $k \in \mathbb{Z}^+$, $\forall i = 0, 1, \dots, k$

pf ① $n=1$ case $1=2^0$ ✓

② Assume true $\forall n=1, 2, \dots, m$. Check $m+1$ case.

$m = a_p 2^p + a_{p-1} 2^{p-1} + \dots + a_2 2^2 + a_1 2 + a_0$ where $a_i = 0$ or 1
 (induction assumption) $i = 0, \dots, p$

$\Rightarrow m+1 = a_p 2^p + a_{p-1} 2^{p-1} + \dots + a_2 2^2 + a_1 2 + a_0 + 1$

Case 1: if $a_0 = 0$ (m even), then $a_0 + 1 = 1 = 1(2^0)$

$\Rightarrow m+1 = a_p 2^p + \dots + a_2 2^2 + a_1 2 + 1$ ✓

Case 2: if $a_0 = 1$ (m odd), then $m+1$ even.

$\Rightarrow \frac{m+1}{2} = b \in \mathbb{Z}^+$, $b < m \Rightarrow b$ can be written as sum of powers of 2, i.e.

$$b = a_{r,b} 2^r + a_{r-1,b} 2^{r-1} + \dots + a_{1,b} 2 + a_{0,b}$$

and $m+1 = 2b = a_{r,b} 2^{r+1} + a_{r-1,b} 2^r + \dots + a_{1,b} 2^2 + a_{0,b} 2$ ✓

②6 $P(n)$ is propositional fn. Determine for which nonnegative integers n $P(n)$ must be true if

(a) $P(0)$ is true; $\forall n \in \mathbb{W}$, $P(n) \rightarrow P(n+2)$ true.
 then $P(n)$ is true for all even values of n ,
 $P(0), P(2), P(4), \dots$

(b) $P(0)$ true; $\forall n \in \mathbb{W}$ $P(n) \rightarrow P(n+3)$ true.
 $P(0), P(3), P(6), P(9), \dots$
 n that are multiple of 3.
 i.e. true \forall values of

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(c) $P(0) \wedge P(1)$ true; $\forall n \in \mathbb{N}$, $P(n) \wedge P(n+1)$ are true, then $P(n+2)$ true.

get all $P(0), P(1), P(2), P(3), P(4), \dots$ true $\forall n \in \mathbb{N}$.

(d) $P(0)$ true; $\forall n \in \mathbb{N}$ $P(n)$ true $\Rightarrow P(n+2) \wedge P(n+3)$ true.

then we get $P(0), P(2), P(3), P(4), P(5), \dots$

i.e. everything except $P(1)$ is true.

(30) Find flaw.

claim $a^n = 1 \forall n \in \mathbb{N}, a \in \mathbb{R}, a \neq 0$.

Pf ① $a^0 = 1$ true by defn a^0 .

② Assume $a^j = 1 \forall j \leq k, j \in \mathbb{N}$.

$$\Rightarrow a^{k+1} = \frac{a^k \cdot a^k}{a^{k-1}} = \frac{1 \cdot 1}{1} = 1$$

* we assumed $k \geq 1$ for this

we should have also checked $a^1 = 1$ (which is not true, of course) step which means

4.3 (#4) Find $f(2), f(3), f(4), f(5)$ for $f(0) = f(1) = 1$ & $\forall n = 1, 2, \dots$

(a) $f(n+1) = f(n) - f(n-1)$

$$f(2) = f(1) - f(0) = 0$$

$$f(3) = f(2) - f(1) = -1$$

$$f(4) = f(3) - f(2) = -1 - 0 = -1$$

$$f(5) = f(4) - f(3) = -1 - (-1) = 0$$

#4 (cont)

$$(b) f(n+1) = f(n)f(n-1)$$

$$\cdot f(2) = f(1)f(0) = 1$$

$$f(3) = f(2)f(1) = 1$$

$$f(4) = f(3)f(2) = 1$$

$$f(5) = f(4)f(3) = 1$$

$$(c) f(n+1) = [f(n)]^2 + [f(n-1)]^3$$

$$f(2) = [f(1)]^2 + [f(0)]^3 = 2$$

$$f(3) = [f(2)]^2 + [f(1)]^3 = 4 + 1 = 5$$

$$f(4) = [f(3)]^2 + [f(2)]^3 = 25 + 8 = 33$$

$$f(5) = [f(4)]^2 + [f(3)]^3 = 33^2 + 125 = 1214$$

$$(d) f(n+1) = \frac{f(n)}{f(n-1)}$$

$$f(2) = \frac{f(1)}{f(0)} = 1$$

$$f(3) = \frac{f(2)}{f(1)} = 1$$

$$f(4) = \frac{f(3)}{f(2)} = 1$$

$$f(5) = \frac{f(4)}{f(3)} = 1$$

Ⓢ6 valid recursive fn from \mathbb{Z}^+ to \mathbb{Z} ?
if f well-defined, find formula for $f(n)$
& prove it.

$$(a) f(0) = 1, f(n) = -f(n-1) \quad \forall n \geq 1$$

valid

n	f
0	1
1	-1
2	1
3	-1

$$\Rightarrow \underline{\text{claim}} \quad f(n) = (-1)^n$$

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(a) (cont)

Pf ① $f(0)=1$ and $(-1)^0=1$ ✓

② Assume true for n , i.e. $f(n)=(-1)^n$.

check $n+1$ case.

we know $f(n+1) = -f(n)$ by defn

$$= -(-1)^n \quad \text{by inductn assumption}$$

$$= (-1)^{n+1} //$$

(b) $f(0)=1, f(1)=0, f(2)=2, f(n)=2f(n-3) \forall n \geq 3$. valid

n	f	
0	1	$=2^0$
1	0	
2	2	$=2^1$
3	2	$=2^1$
4	0	
5	4	$=2^2$
6	4	$=2^2$
7	0	
8	8	$=2^3$
9	8	$=2^3$
10	0	
11	16	$=2^4$

claim $f(n) = \begin{cases} 2^{n/3} & n \equiv 0 \pmod 3 \\ 0 & n \equiv 1 \pmod 3 \\ 2^{(n+1)/3} & n \equiv 2 \pmod 3 \end{cases}$

Pf ① $n=0, f(0)=1, 2^{0/3}=1$ ✓
 $n=1, f(1)=0, 0$ ✓
 $n=2, f(2)=2, 2^{(2+1)/3}=2^1=2$ ✓

② Assume claim is true $\forall n=0,1,2,\dots,m$.

check $m+1$ case.

(i) if $m+1 \equiv 0 \pmod 3$,
 then $m-2 \equiv 0 \pmod 3$

$f(m+1) = 2f(m-3) = 2f(m-2)$ by defn
 $\Rightarrow f(m+1) = 2 \left(2^{\frac{m-2}{3}} \right)$
 $= 2^{\frac{3+m-2}{3}} = 2^{\frac{m+1}{3}} //$

(ii) if $m+1 \equiv 1 \pmod 3$,
 then $m-2 \equiv 1 \pmod 3$

$f(m+1) = 2f(m-2)$
 $\Rightarrow f(m+1) = 2(0) = 0$

(iii) if $m+1 \equiv 2 \pmod 3$,
 then $m-2 \equiv 2 \pmod 3$

$f(m+1) = 2f(m-2)$
 $\Rightarrow f(m+1) = 2 \left(2^{\frac{m-2+1}{3}} \right) = 2^{\frac{m+1}{3}} //$

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(c) $f(0)=0, f(1)=1, f(n)=2(n+1) \quad \forall n \geq 2$
 invalid because it needs the next term
 in sequence before it is defined

(d) $f(0)=0, f(1)=1, f(n)=2f(n-1) \quad \forall n \geq 1$
 $f(1)=1$ but according to recursive formula
 $f(1)=2f(0)=2(0)=0$

→ invalid

(e) $f(0)=2, f(n)=\begin{cases} f(n-1) & n \text{ odd}, n \geq 1 \\ 2f(n-2) & n \text{ even}, n \geq 2 \end{cases}$ valid

n	f
0	$2=2^1$
1	$2=2^1$
2	$4=2^2$
3	$4=2^2$
4	$8=2^3$
5	$8=2^3$
6	$16=2^4$

claim $f(n) = 2^{\lfloor \frac{n+1}{2} \rfloor}$

Pf ① $f(0)=2$ given
 $2^{\lfloor \frac{0+1}{2} \rfloor} = 2^1 = 2$

if want to check
 $f(1)=2$
 $2^{\lfloor \frac{1+1}{2} \rfloor} = 2^1 = 2 \checkmark$

② Assume true for $m=1, 2, \dots, n$

check $n+1$ case.

By defn, $f(n+1) = \begin{cases} f(n), & n+1 \text{ odd} \\ 2f(n-1), & n+1 \text{ even} \end{cases}$

$= \begin{cases} 2^{\lfloor \frac{n+1}{2} \rfloor} & n+1 \text{ odd} \\ 2(2^{\lfloor \frac{n-1}{2} \rfloor}) & n+1 \text{ even} \end{cases}$ by Induction Assumption

$= \begin{cases} 2^{\lfloor \frac{n+1}{2} \rfloor} & n+1 \text{ odd} \\ 2^{\lfloor \frac{n}{2} \rfloor + 1} & n+1 \text{ even} \end{cases} = \begin{cases} 2^{\lfloor \frac{n+1}{2} \rfloor} & n+1 \text{ odd} \\ 2^{\lfloor \frac{n+1}{2} \rfloor} & n+1 \text{ even} \end{cases}$

$= 2^{\lfloor \frac{n+1}{2} \rfloor}$
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4.3 #8 Give recursive defn of $\{a_n\}$ $n=1, 3, 5, \dots$ if

there will be lots of right answers here

(a) $a_n = 4n - 2$ $a_1 = 4(1) - 2 = 2$

So $a_1 = 2, a_n = a_{n-1} + 4$

(b) $a_n = 1 + (-1)^n$ $a_1 = 1 + (-1) = 0$ $a_2 = 1 + (-1)^2 = 2$
 $\Rightarrow a_1 = 0, a_2 = 2, a_n = a_{n-2} \quad \forall n \geq 3$

(c) $a_n = n(n+1)$ $a_1 = 1(2) = 2$ (since I know $\sum_{i=1}^n i = \frac{n(n+1)}{2}$)
 $\Rightarrow a_1 = 2, a_n = a_{n-1} + 2n$

(d) $a_n = n^2$

n	a_n
1	1
2	4
3	9
4	16
5	25

$a_1 = 1$
 $a_n = a_{n-1} + 2n - 1$

#12 Claim $f_1^2 + f_2^2 + \dots + f_n^2 = f_n f_{n+1} \quad n \in \mathbb{Z}^+$
 $\Rightarrow \sum_{i=1}^n f_i^2 = f_n f_{n+1}$ Defn $f_0 = 0, f_1 = 1,$
 $f_n = f_{n-1} + f_{n-2}$
 $n = 2, 3, 4, \dots$

Pf ① $m=1$ case. $\sum_{i=1}^1 f_i^2 = f_1^2 = 1^2 = 1$

and $f_1 f_2 = 1(1+0) = 1$ ✓

② Assume true $\forall m=1, 3, \dots, n$, i.e. $\sum_{i=1}^m f_i^2 = f_m f_{m+1}$
 Check $n+1$ case. $\sum_{i=1}^n f_i^2 + f_{n+1}^2 = f_n f_{n+1} + f_{n+1}^2$

$= f_{n+1} (f_n + f_{n+1})$

$= f_{n+1} (f_{n+2})$

$= f_{n+1} f_{n+2} //$

by defn

4.3 #13 claim $f_1 + f_3 + \dots + f_{m-1} = f_{2n}$ $n \in \mathbb{Z}^+$.

$$\Leftrightarrow \sum_{i=1}^n f_{2i-1} = f_{2n}$$

Pf ① $m=1$ case. $\sum_{i=1}^1 f_{2i-1} = f_1 = 1$

$$\text{and } f_{2n} = f_2 = 1 \quad \checkmark$$

② Assume true \checkmark $m=1, 2, \dots, n$, i.e. $\sum_{i=1}^m f_{2i-1} = f_{2m}$.

check $n+1$ case. $\sum_{i=1}^{n+1} f_{2i-1} + f_{2(n+1)-1} = f_{2n} + f_{2(n+1)-1}$

$$\sum_{i=1}^{n+1} f_{2i-1} = f_{2n} + f_{2n+1}$$

$$= f_{2n+2} \text{ (by defn)} //$$