

MACM 101 (D200)
Homework WHW 3
Due October 6, 2020; 12:30 pm

September 30, 2020

Exercises from the text (To be handed in).

- (A) 2.1.2, 2.1.6
- (B) 2.2.1, 2.2.4, 2.2.5
- (C) 2.3.1, 2.3.3
- (D) 2.4.3, 2.4.4
- (E) 2.5.1, 2.5.5
- (F) 2.6.3, 2.6.6
- (G) 2.7.1, 2.7.3

Other Problems (Not To be handed in).

1. Give an example to show that

$$(\forall y)(\exists x) p(x, y) \leftrightarrow (\exists y)(\forall x) p(y, x)$$

2. Suppose n is an arbitrary integer.

- (a) Show that $n(n + 1)$ is divisible by 2.
- (b) Show that $n(n + 1)(n + 2)$ is divisible by 3!.

3. (a) Prove that $\sqrt{7}$ is an irrational number.
(b) Show where your arguments in (a) get violated if you want to show in a similar manner that $\sqrt{9}$ is an irrational number.
4. Find a counterexample to the statement that every positive integers can be written as the sum of the squares of three integers. What is the smallest integer for which it is a counterexample.