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Let's define a relation T between natural numbers follows:

aTb if and only if a = b + 2k, where k is a natural number

Working directly from this definition, prove that T is antisymmetric.

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A closed interval of the real line can be represented as a pair (c, r), where c is the center of the interval and r is its radius. Let $X = \{(c, r) \mid c, r \in \mathbb{R}, r \geq 0\}$ be the set of closed intervals represented this way.

Now, let's define the interval containment \preceq on X as follows

 $(c,r) \leq (d,q)$ if and only if $r \leq q$ and $|c-d| + r \leq q$.

Prove that \leq is transitive.

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Suppose that T is a relation on the integers which is transitive. Let's define a relation R on the integers as follows:

xRy if and only if there is an integer k such that xTk and kTy.

Prove that R is transitive.

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Let T be the relation defined on \mathbb{Z}^2 by

(x,y)T(p,q) if and only if x < p or $(x = p \text{ and } y \le q)$

Prove that T is antisymmetric.

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Define the relation \sim on $\mathbb Z$ by

 $x \sim y$ if and only if $5 \mid (3x + 7y)$

Working directly from the definition of divides, prove that \sim is transitive.

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Let $A=\{(x,y,z)\in\mathbb{Z}^3:x\leq y\leq z\}.$ Let's define a relation R on A as follows:

(a,b,c)R(x,y,z) if and only if $a \le x$ and $z \le b$.

Working directly from this definition, prove that R is antisymmetric.

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Let $A = \mathbb{Z}^+ \times \mathbb{Z}^+$, i.e. pairs of positive integers.

Define a relation \gg on A as follows:

 $(x,y)\gg(p,q)$ if and only if there exists an integer $n\geq 1$ such that (x,y)=(np,nq).

Prove that \gg is antisymmetric.

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Working directly from this definition, prove that R is transitive.