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# Well-ordering Principle

$$\forall X \subseteq \mathbb{N} . \exists \text{smallest } x \in X$$

Prime  $\subseteq \mathbb{N}$  2

Composite  $\subseteq \mathbb{N}$  0

Programs that compute  
smallest sqrt

Bytes

2.4 digits

1 KB  $\sim$  2400 digit number

thm: All natural numbers are finite  
*nothing*

Proof:

1. Assum some nat num are infinite

let  $F \subseteq \mathbb{N}$  be the infinite natural numbers

by assumption,  $|F| > 0$

by w.o.p,  $\exists$  smallest  $x \in F$ .

2. Consider  $y = x - 1$ .

$y$  is smaller than  $x$  and  $x$  is smallest infinite num  
means  $y$  is finite. So  $y+1$  must be finite,  
and  $y+1 = x$ . But we know  $x$  is infinite, a contradiction

Bks infinite-1 is infinite,  
 $x$  is infinite. But  $y$  is smaller  
than  $x$ , now  $x$  is not  
the smallest infinite nat  
num  
cont

3. Because assum infinite nat num led to cont, all nat num must be finite

$$|\mathbb{N}| = \infty$$

1. assume  $|\mathbb{N}|$  is finite.

consider the biggest element of  $\mathbb{N}$ ,  $x$

$$\text{let } y = x + 1.$$

2. Because adding two nat num creates a nat num,  $y \in \mathbb{N}$ .

$y = x + 1 > x$ , but that contradicts  $x$  being the biggest

3. Better assume  $|\mathbb{N}|$  is finite led to con,  $|\mathbb{N}| = \infty$

$$\sum_{y \in P} y \text{ sum}$$

let  $P$  be the set of all primes

assum  $|P|$  is finite

$$x = \left( \prod_{y \in P} y \right) + 1$$

↑  
product

$$1 + \left( \prod_{y \in P} y \right)$$

$x \notin P$

$\infty$  many prime numbers

assum finite number of primes,  $P_1, P_2, \dots, P_n$

consider  $x = P_1 \cdot P_2 \cdot P_3 \cdot \dots \cdot P_n + 1$

let  $x$  be  $1 +$  the product of all numbers of  $P$

no  $P_i$  is a factor of  $x$

$\Rightarrow$  T.O.A

either  $x$  is prime or  $x$  has a prime factor not in  $P_1, P_2, \dots, P_n$

$x$  is prime iff

1.  $x \in \mathbb{N}$
2. 1 is a factor of  $x$
3.  $x$  is a factor of  $x$
4.  $x$  has no other natural number factors

Case 1:  $x$  is prime

But  $x$  is not  $P_1, P_2, \dots, P_n$ , which are all the primes so  $x$  is not prime.

contradiction

0	2	4	8	8	10
0	3	6	9	12	15
0	5	10	15	20	25

1	3	5	7	9	...
1	4	7	10	13	...
1	6	11	16	21	

Case 2:  $x$  has a smaller factor  $\notin P$  not in  $P_1, \dots, P_n$

then that factor is a prime not in  $P_1, \dots, P_n$

which means it is not prime (Been not  $P_1, P_2, \dots, P_n$ )

contradiction

Bts both case result in cont, cont in general.

Bts assum finite prime led to cont,  $\infty$  primes.