

Quiz 6: Cinco de Mayo, 2016

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This is a closed book quiz

1. (5 points) Prove the below by induction for all natural numbers, $n \geq 7$. You get 1 point for stating the Inductive Hypothesis, 1 point for the Basis Step, and 3 points for the Inductive step.

$$3^n < n!$$

$$P(7) : 3^7 < 7!$$

$$IH : P(k) : 3^k < k!$$

$$IC : P(k+1) : 3^{k+1} < (k+1)! \quad (\text{To prove})$$

$$3^k < k! \quad [IH]$$

$$3^k \cdot (k+1) < (k+1)!$$

[Multiply both sides by $k+1$]

$$3^{k+1} < (k+1)!$$

[$\because (k+1) > 3$]

2. (5 points) Prove the below by induction for all positive integers, n . You get 1 point for stating the Inductive Hypothesis, 1 point for the Basis Step, and 3 points for the Inductive step.

$$\sum_{i=1}^n i2^i = (n-1)2^{n+1} + 2$$

$$P(1) : 2 = 2$$

$$IH : P(k) : \sum_{i=1}^k i2^i = (k-1)2^{k+1} + 2$$

$$IC : P(k+1) : \sum_{i=1}^{k+1} i2^i = k \cdot 2^{k+2} + 2$$

$$\begin{aligned} LHS &= \sum_{i=1}^k i2^i + (k+1)2^{k+1} = (k-1)2^{k+1} + 2 + (k+1)2^{k+1} \\ &= 2k \cdot 2^{k+1} + 2 = 2^{k+2} \cdot k + 2 \end{aligned}$$