Module: Algebra 01

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Exercise 1

Let P^* be the set of prime numbers strictly greater than 2.

We consider the relation \mathcal{R} between two elements of P^* defined as :

$$p\mathcal{R}q \Leftrightarrow \frac{p+q}{2} \in P^*.$$

Is the relation \mathcal{R} reflexive, symmetric, and transitive?



Exercise 2

We define the relation \mathcal{R} on \mathbb{R}^2 by :

$$(x,y)\mathcal{R}(x^{'},y^{'}) \Leftrightarrow x+y=x^{'}+y^{'}$$

- 1. Show that \mathcal{R} is an equivalence relation.
- 2. Find the equivalence class of the couple (0,0).



Exercise 3

Let R is a relation defined as

$$\forall x, y \in \mathbb{R}, \ xRy \Leftrightarrow x^2 - x = y^2 - y,$$

- 1) Show that R is an equivalence relation.
- **2)** Find the following equivalence classes: $0, 1, 2, \frac{1}{2}$.



Exercise 4

We define the relation \mathcal{T} on \mathbb{R}^2 by

$$(x,y)\mathcal{T}(x^{'},y^{'}) \Leftrightarrow |x-x^{'}| \leq y^{'}-y.$$

- 1. Verify that \mathcal{T} is an order relation. Is this order total?
- 2. Let $(a,b) \in \mathbb{R}^2$ represent the set $\{(x,y) \in \mathbb{R}^2/(x,y)\mathcal{T}(a,b)\}.$