

**Math 347H: Fundamental Math (H)    HOMEWORK 2    Due date: Sept 21 (Thu)**

**Exercises from Sally's book.** 1.5.2, 1.5.3, 1.5.6, 1.5.8, 1.5.10, 1.5.14(i)

**Other (mandatory) exercises.**

1. Prove Facts 1.5.1(2).
2. Prove that the statement in Exercise 1.5.4 implies the cancellation for multiplication law (C). Recall that I proved the reverse implication in class, so the two statements are indeed equivalent.
3. For a set  $X := \{v_0, v_1, v_2, v_3, v_4\}$  and for each of the requirements below, construct an example of a binary relation  $R$  on  $X$  satisfying this requirement. You can draw each of these examples, putting an arrow  $v_i \rightarrow v_j$  to mean that  $(v_i, v_j) \in R$ .
  - (a)  $R$  is nonsymmetric (i.e. not symmetric), but not antisymmetric.
  - (b)  $R$  is nonreflexive, but not irreflexive.
  - (c)  $R$  is irreflexive, antisymmetric, and transitive.
  - (d)  $R$  is reflexive, symmetric, and transitive.
  - (e)  $R$  is a partial (nonstrict) order, but not a total order.
  - (f)  $R$  is a total strict order.

4. Prove the formula for the sum of squares: for every  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ , 
$$\sum_{k=1}^n k^2 = \frac{n(n+1)(2n+1)}{6}.$$