

claim (4.16) If $|x| + |y| \neq |x+y|$ then $xy < 0$.

<u>ex</u>	x	y	$ x + y $	$ x+y $	xy
	-2	3	5	1	-6 TT
	2	3	5	5	6 FF

Pf we prove the contra positive. That is,
if $xy \geq 0$ then $|x| + |y| = |x+y|$.
Suppose $xy \geq 0$. WTS $|x| + |y| = |x+y|$.

We prove using cases.

Case 1: $x, y \geq 0$.

$$|x| + |y| = x + y$$

$$x + y = |x + y|$$

by def of $| \cdot |$, $x \geq 0$,
 $y \geq 0$

b.c. $x, y \geq 0 \Rightarrow x+y \geq 0$,
def of $| \cdot |$

Case 2: $x, y \leq 0$.

$$|x| + |y| = -x + -y$$

$$-x - y = -(x + y)$$

$$-(x + y) = |x + y|$$

def. of $| \cdot |$, $x, y \leq 0$

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b.c. $x, y \leq 0 \Rightarrow x+y \leq 0$,
def of $| \cdot |$

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claim All prime numbers are odd.

\equiv If p is prime, then p is odd.

Disproof by counterexample: 2 is prime but 2 is not odd.

claim. let $p \geq 3$. if p is prime, then p is odd.

Pf We prove the contrapositive. That is, we let $p \geq 3$, and we show that if p is even, then p is not prime.
let $p \geq 3$ and p even.

p has 2 as a divisor

given

p is not prime

$p \neq 2$, so p has a divisor not equal to itself or 1.

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