HOMEWORK...

Questions

3. Mickey says he can prove that 2 = 0. Here is his proof. Let both *a* and *b* be equal to 1.

$$a = b$$

$$a^{2} = b^{2}$$

$$a^{2} - b^{2} = 0$$

$$(a - b)(a + b) = 0$$

$$\frac{(a - b)(a + b)}{(a - b)} = \frac{0}{(a - b)}$$

$$1(a + b) = 0$$

$$a + b = 0$$

$$1 + 1 = 0$$

$$2 = 0$$

Transitive property Squaring both sides Subtracting b^2 from both sides

Dividing both sides by a - bSimplifying

Substitution

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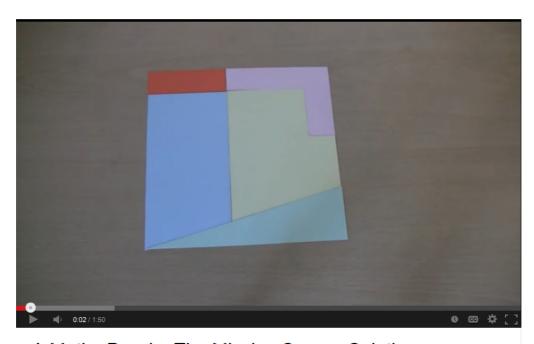
Explain whether each statement in Mickey's proof is valid.

9. Brittney said she could prove that a strip of paper has only one side. She took a strip of paper, twisted it once, and taped the ends together. Then she handed her friend Amber a pencil, and asked Amber to start at any point and draw a line along the centre of the paper without lifting the pencil. Does a strip of paper have only one side? Why or why not?

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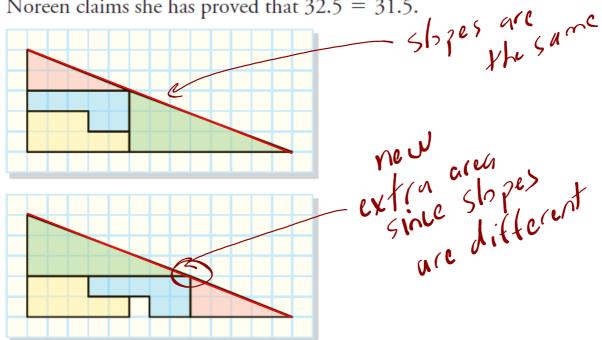


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4. Noreen claims she has proved that 32.5 = 31.5.



Is Noreen's proof valid? Explain.



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Reasoning to Solve Problems

GOAL

Solve problems using inductive or deductive reasoning.

EXPLORE...

• Suppose that you are lost in the woods for hours and come upon a cabin. In the cabin, you find a lantern, a candle, a wood stove with wood in it, and a match. What do you light first?

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Match -> Candle -> Lant c/n -> While



SAMPLE ANSWER

I would light the match first. If I didn't, I couldn't light any of the other items. I would light the candle next, since it would stay lit for longer than the match and would allow me to light the other two items. Also, it's less likely that I would make an error or fail when lighting the candle. The lantern and the stove would be more difficult to light.

APPLY the Math

EXAMPLE 1 46 Using reasoning to solve a problem

The members of a recently selected varsity basketball team met each other at their first team meeting. Each person shook the hand of every other person. The team had 12 players and 2 coaches. How many handshakes were exchanged?

Kim's Solution



I decided to think about how many times each person shook hands. There were 14 people in total, so person 1 shook hands with each of the other 13 people.

13 handshakes



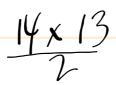
Person 2 had already shaken hands with person 1. Person 2 shook hands with each of the remaining 12 people.

13 + 12 handshakes

$$13 + 12 + 11 + 10 + 9 + 8 + 7$$

$$+6+5+4+3+2+1$$

= 91 handshakes



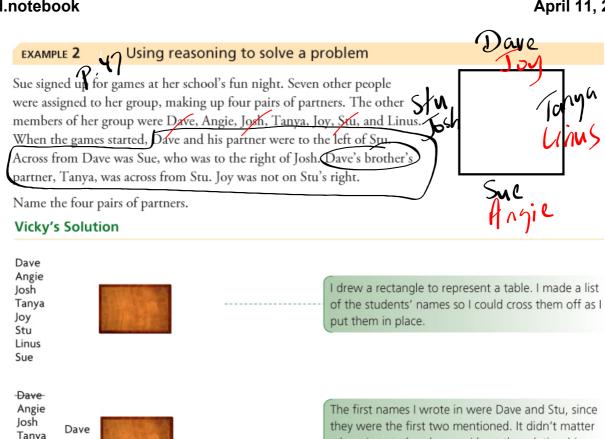
This pattern of handshakes continued until there were two people left when the last handshake happened.

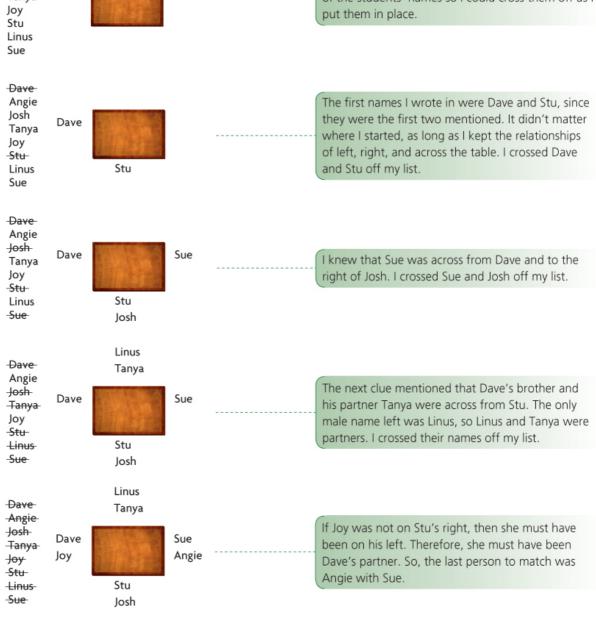
Your Turn

Discuss, with a partner, whether Kim used inductive or deductive thinking in her solution. How do you know?



Answer Kim used inductive reasoning. To solve the problem, Kim determined the new number of handshakes based on the pattern identified in the first two cases. I know that Kim used inductive reasoning because the result was specific to this number of people, not a generalization that would be true for any number of people.





The four pairs of partners were Linus and Tanya, Dave and Joy, Sue and Angie, and Stu and Josh.

The partners sat together, on the same side of the table.

In Summary

Key Idea

· Inductive and deductive reasoning are useful in problem solving.

Need to Know

- Inductive reasoning involves solving a simpler problem, observing patterns, and drawing a logical conclusion from your observations to solve the original problem.
- Deductive reasoning involves using known facts or assumptions to develop an argument, which is then used to draw a logical conclusion and solve the problem.

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