

Affirmative Resolve of Collatz's Problem

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In this article, we prove Collatz's Problem.

Collatz's Problem

$$\begin{cases} n \text{ is even} & \Rightarrow \text{divide } 2 \\ n \text{ is odd} & \Rightarrow \text{times } 3 \text{ and plus } 1 \end{cases}$$

Repeat this, sequence goes to 1.

Next result is contained in our proof.

theorem 1.1. *(Half proof of Collatz's problem) Except trivial case, Collatz's sequence do not take same value.*

theorem 1.2. *Collatz's Problem is true.*

Proof. For example, the sequence start from $4n + 1$.

$$4n + 1 \rightarrow 12n + 4 \rightarrow 3n + 1$$

If n is even (0 is contained)

$$6n_2 + 1 \rightarrow 18n_2 + 4 \rightarrow 9n_2 + 2$$

n_2 is odd case,

$$18n_3 + 11 \rightarrow 54n_3 + 34 \rightarrow 27n_3 + 34$$

finally n_3 is even,

$$54n_4 + 34 \rightarrow 27n_4 + 17 \rightarrow 27n_4 + 17$$

The case, final term is 17,

$$9 \rightarrow 28 \rightarrow 7 \rightarrow 22 \rightarrow 11 \rightarrow 34 \rightarrow 17$$

We get $n = 2$, generally, if sequence is long, first term is big. We consider 17 is already big enough. If ssequence is long and do not go 1, first term is taken as infinity. First term is finite. All sequence goes to 1. Collatz's Problem is true. \square