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Exercise 3.2. What is an example of a proof with mathematical content?

Solution:

Proof. If you want to include math in a sentence, you use \$. For example (see latex file), $\int x = \frac{1}{2}x^2 + C$. If you want to display math (centered on a new line), use \$\$. For example (see latex file),

$$\sum_{i=1}^{100} i = 5050.$$

Next is an example of the align environment:

$$\sum_{i=1}^{k+1} i = \left(\sum_{i=1}^{k} i\right) + (k+1)$$
$$= \frac{k(k+1)}{2} + k + 1$$
$$= \frac{k(k+1) + 2(k+1)}{2}$$
$$= \frac{(k+1)(k+2)}{2}$$
$$= \frac{(k+1)((k+1)+1)}{2}.$$

(by inductive hypothesis)