Math 234 Preview Exercises

Sections 4.4 and 4.5

Read Sections 4.4 and 4.5 in the textbook and answer the following questions. *Hand in this worksheet at the next class.*

1. How is "n div d" different from " $n \mod d$ "?

2. In what sort of situation would you use the method of proof by division into cases?

3. What is the method of proof by contradiction?

4. What contradiction occurs in Example 4.5.3? How does this contradiction imply that the sum of a rational number and an irrational number is irrational?

5. What is the *method of proof by contraposition*?