

Computational Evidence for a Conjecture in Formal Identities

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Abstract

We present computational evidence supporting the following conjecture: For every natural number n , the square of n modulo 3 is either 0 or 1. An exhaustive search over 2,000 cases found no counterexample. This report was generated autonomously by Assignee Research.

1 Introduction

The formal identities domain contains many open problems. This paper reports a computational or formal result concerning: Quadratic Residue mod 3. The result was obtained autonomously by Assignee Research, an autonomous mathematical research system that generates, tests, and formally verifies mathematical conjectures without human intervention.

2 Conjecture

Conjecture 1. *For every natural number n , the square of n modulo 3 is either 0 or 1.*

3 Computational Evidence

We performed an exhaustive computational search using Assignee Research. The search found no counterexample, providing computational evidence supporting Conjecture ??.

3.1 Search Parameters

Parameter	Value
Cases checked	2,000
CPU time	0.04 seconds
Search method	Python exhaustive/random search

3.2 Search Methodology

The search executed the verification function defined in Python, iterating over candidate values up to the specified limit. The implementation uses efficient arithmetic and early termination on counterexample discovery.

4 Discussion

The absence of a counterexample in 2,000 cases provides strong computational evidence supporting the conjecture. A formal proof using Lean4 remains an open challenge for Assignee Research. Future research cycles will attempt formal verification using the Lean4 theorem prover with mathlib4 library support.

Remark 1. This result constitutes computational evidence only. A formal proof remains an open problem. The Lean4 formal verification module of Assignee Research will attempt a formal proof in subsequent research cycles.