

SHOW AND GIVE INFINITELY MANY PAIRS OF TWIN PRIMES OF THE FORM $\{2 \cdot 6^k \pm 1, k \in \mathbb{N}\}$

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Abstract: With observations and speculation, this article puts forward a proposition about twin primes that *every pair of numbers of the form $\{2 \cdot 6^k \pm 1, k \in \mathbb{N}\}$ all be twin primes*. Proves the proposition statement is true applied Wilson's theorem and induction, show there are infinitely many twin primes of the form $\{2 \cdot 6^k \pm 1, k \in \mathbb{N}\}$, and conclude the twin prime conjecture statement is true.

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"I think that only daring speculation can lead us further----- and not accumulation of facts ." Albert Einstein

"The moving power of mathematical invention is not reasoning ----- but imagination."
Augustus de Morgan

1. Introduction

The *twin prime conjecture*[1] is a beautiful open problem in *Number Theory* about primes, a pair of primes are called *twin primes* such as $\{11,13\}$, $\{29,31\}$ or $\{101,103\}$ of the form $\{p, p+2\}$, and the *twin prime conjecture* states that there exist infinitely many primes p such that $p+2$ is also prime.

In the article, puts forward a proposition about twin primes, proves the proposition statement is true applied Wilson's theorem and induction, show there are infinitely many twin primes of the form $\{2 \cdot 6^k \pm 1, k \in \mathbb{N}\}$, and conclude the twin prime conjecture statement is true.

By observing, with intuition and imagine, draw the following speculation:

Proposition *For every positive integer k , each and every pair of numbers of the form*

(i) $\{2 \cdot 6^k \pm 1\}$; (ii) $\{3 \cdot 6^k \pm 1\}$; (iii) $\{5 \cdot 6^k \pm 1\}$; (iv) $\{7 \cdot 6^k \pm 1\}$.

All is twin primes.

Theorem For every positive integer k , each and every pair of numbers of the form

$$\{2 \cdot 6^k \pm 1\}$$

All is twin primes.

2. Proof of the Theorem

Theorem

Proof.

This completes the proof of the Theorem. □

3. Conclusion

By the Theorem statement, we have

There exist infinitely many primes $(2 \cdot 6^k - 1)$ such that $(2 \cdot 6^k + 1)$ is also prime.

Up to now, we proved that the *twin prime conjecture* statement is true.

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