Math 441 - Homework 1

Due Friday, Sept. 4th

1. Suppose p and q are integers. Recall that an integer m is even iff m = 2k for some integer k and m is odd iff m = 2k + 1 for some integer k. Prove that if p is odd and q is odd, then pq is odd.

Proof. Enter your solution here...

- 2. Prove or give a counterexample: The sum of any five consecutive integers is divisible by 5.
- 3. Prove that $\log_2(5)$ is irrational.
- 4. Prove or give a counterexample: $2n^2 + 29$ is a prime number for all integers $n \ge 0$.