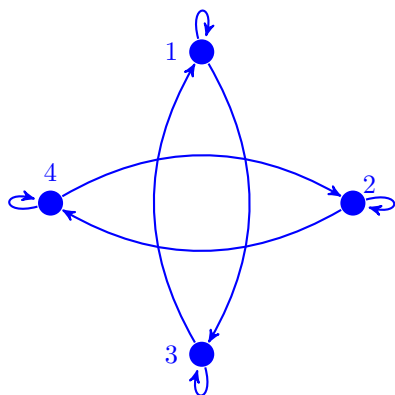


# Quiz #4

Due: July 13th, 2021 by 11:59 pm (MST)

1. Let  $R = \{(x, y) \mid x - y \text{ is even. } x, y \in H\}$  on  $H = \{1, 2, 3, 4\}$

(a) Draw the digraph of  $R$ .



(b) For each of the following, specify true or false. If true, briefly explain. If false, specify the pairs that need to be added/removed to satisfy the stated property.

- $R$  is reflexive.  
True.  $x - x = 0$  which is even.
- $R$  is irreflexive.  
False. We need to remove  $(1, 1)$ ,  $(2, 2)$ ,  $(3, 3)$  and  $(4, 4)$ .
- $R$  is symmetric.  
True. If  $x - y$  is even then for some integer  $k$ ,  $x - y = 2k$ .  $y - x = -(x - y) = -2k = 2(-k)$  which is also even.
- $R$  is antisymmetric.  
False. We need to remove one of  $(4, 2)$  and  $(2, 4)$ , and one of  $(3, 1)$  and  $(1, 3)$ .
- $R$  is transitive.  
True.  $(1, 3)$  and  $(3, 1) \Rightarrow (1, 1)$  which is in the relation.  
 $(3, 1)$  and  $(1, 3) \Rightarrow (3, 3)$  which is in the relation.  
 $(2, 4)$  and  $(4, 2) \Rightarrow (2, 2)$  which is in the relation.  
 $(4, 2)$  and  $(2, 4) \Rightarrow (4, 4)$  which is in the relation.

(c) What type of relation is  $R$ ?

- A. Equivalence Relation
- B. Weak Partial Ordering
- C. Strong Partial Ordering
- D. Total Ordering
- E. None of the above.