Mathematics Department Presentation Series



Fall 2014

Paul Schwiegerling "Generating Pythagorean Triples and N-tuples"

Ketchum 113 Friday, October 24, 2014 3-4:30 pm

A colorful approach will be demonstrated for finding Pythagorean Triples and Quadruples by observing unique patterns. With a "what if" approach, the observed patterns are extended and Pythagorean N-tuples are generated.

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