HOMEWORK 6

Due: Monday, May 21

READING ASSIGNMENT: 5.3, 5.4 **PROBLEMS FROM THE NOTES:** 5.3.1, 5.3.2, 5.4.1, 5.4.3 **ADDITIONAL PROBLEMS:**

Problem 1: Recall the Fibonacci sequence $\{F_n : n \ge 1\}$ defined in class.

(a) Prove or disprove: There are only finitely many even Fibonacci numbers.

(b) Prove or disprove: For all $n\geq 1$, we have $F_n\leq 2^n.$

(c) Prove or disprove: For all $n \ge 1$, we have $F_n \le n^2$.

Problem 2: Prove by minimum counterexample the following statement:

"for all natural number n, 7 divides $2^{n+2} + 3^{2n+1}$."

Can you prove the above statement by induction? Here 0 is a natural number.