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The Natural Number Game: an introduction to Lean tactics

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Note: if you know all this stuff already, Rob Lewis is running a parallel thread on metaprogramming (i.e. tactic-writing).

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I made the natural number game with Mohammad Pedramfar.

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All proofs are written in tactic mode (within a begin/end block).

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If you don't understand anything - ask! Zoom, Zulip etc.