

The congruence symbol \cong does not require an extra package, but not-congruence symbol $\not\cong$ would require the package ‘amssymb’.

It is not so hard to create a matrix:

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

For every vector $x \in \mathbb{R}^3$, we define the norm of x by $\|x\|^2 = \langle x, x \rangle$, i.e.

$$\|x\| = \sqrt{\langle x, x \rangle}.$$

Normal parentheses would not adjust their size to fit the expression, but we have a solution for that, too:

$$\left(\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n^s}\right)^2 \text{ versus } \left(\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n^s}\right)^2$$

Also,

$$A = \left\{ \frac{m}{n} : m, n \in \mathbb{R} \right\} \text{ versus } A = \left\{ \frac{m}{n} : m, n \in \mathbb{R} \right\}$$

We can also define a function implicitly by

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} x - 1 & \text{if } x < 0 \\ x^2 & \text{if } 0 \leq x < 1 \\ \sin x & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

We can also do the following:

$$(x + y)^3 = (x + y)(x + y)(x + y) \tag{1}$$

$$= (x^2 + 2xy + y^2)(x + y) \tag{2}$$

$$= x^3 + 3x^2y + 3xy^2 + y^3 \tag{3}$$

We could also do without the numberings:

$$(x + y)^3 = (x + y)(x + y)(x + y)$$

$$\leq (x^2 + 2xy + y^2)(x + y)$$

$$< x^3 + 3x^2y + 3xy^2 + y^3 + 1$$