## Ideas in Mathematics

Math 170, Spring 2016 Quiz 4


The figure above illustrates an array of evenly spaced points on what is called a lattice. Drawn are several circles each containing a different number of lattice points. Is it possible to drawn a circle containing exactly $n$ points for arbitrary $n \in \mathbb{N}$ ? If yes, describe how you might prove this. If not, give an example of $n$ for which it is not possible.
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