**Proposition 8.A:** The number  $0 \in \mathbb{R}$  does not have a multiplicative inverse.

*Proof.* 
$$\square$$
 **Proposition 8.B:** If  $c, x \in \mathbb{R}$  and  $cx = 1$ , then  $x \neq 0$  and  $c = x^{-1}$ .

Proof.

**Proposition 8.C:** If  $x, y \in \mathbb{R}$  and  $x \neq 0$  and  $y \neq 0$ , then  $xy \neq 0$  and  $(xy)^{-1} = x^{-1}y^{-1}$ .

Proof.

**Proposition 8.D:** If  $x \in \mathbb{R}$  and  $x \neq 0$ , then  $x^{-1} \neq 0$  and  $(x^{-1})^{-1} = x$ .

Proof.

**Proposition 8.E:** If  $x \in \mathbb{R}$  and x > 0, then  $x^{-1} > 0$ .

Proof.

**Corollary 8.F:** If  $x \in \mathbb{R}$  and  $x \neq 0$ , if  $x^{-1} > 0$  then x > 0.

Proof.

## **Proposition 8.40:**

(ii) Let  $x, y \in \mathbb{R}$  such that 0 < x < y. Then 0 < 1/y < 1/x.

*Proof.* Be sure to take advantage of Propositions 2A-2H as well as the work you've just done to make for a very short proof.  $\Box$ 

**Proposition 8.43:** Let  $x, y \in \mathbb{R}$  such that x < y. Then there exists  $z \in \mathbb{R}$  such that x < z < y.

Proof.

**Proposition 8.45:** If  $x_1$  and  $x_2$  are least upper bounds for  $A \subseteq \mathbb{R}$ , then  $x_1 = x_2$ .

Proof.

**Proposition 8.45:**  $sup((-\infty, 0)) = 0$ 

Proof.

**Lemma 9.A:** Suppose  $f : A \rightarrow B$  and  $g : B \rightarrow C$ .

- 1. If  $g \circ f$  is injective, then f is injective.
- 2. If  $g \circ f$  is surjective, then g is surjective.
- 3. If  $g \circ f$  is bijective, then f is injective and g is surjective.

Proof.

**Proposition 9.7:** (ii) If  $f : A \to B$  is surjective, and  $G : B \to C$  is surjective, then  $g \circ f : A \to C$  is surjective.

Proof.

**Proposition 9.11:** If  $f : A \rightarrow B$  has an inverse function, the inverse function is unique.

Proof.

**Proposition 11.3:** If  $x, y, z \in \mathbb{R}$  with  $y \neq 0$  and  $z \neq 0$ , then

$$\frac{xz}{yz} = \frac{x}{y}.$$

Proof. Your proof goes here.

2