

## Proof of $\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)! = \frac{\sqrt{\pi}}{2}$

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**Abstract:** In our study, we prove that the value of  $\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)!$  is  $\frac{\sqrt{\pi}}{2}$ .

**Preparations:** We know that

(1)  $x! = \Gamma(1 + x)$  for  $x \in \mathbb{R}^+$

(2)  $\Gamma(1 + x) = x \cdot \Gamma(x)$  for  $x \in \mathbb{R}^+$

(3)  $\Gamma\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) = \sqrt{\pi}$ .

**Proof:**

From (1)

$$\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)! = \Gamma\left(1 + \frac{1}{2}\right)$$

from (2)

$$\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)! = \frac{1}{2} \Gamma\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)$$

from (3)

$$\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)! = \frac{1}{2} \sqrt{\pi}.$$