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ON CONGRUENT AXIOMS IN LINEARLY ORDERED SPACES, II¹⁰

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6. Model M(R, C, I)

M(R, C, I): A model of a geometry in which Axioms R, C and I alone hold besides Axiom E. (Notice that I follows automatically from E, R and C.)

The construction of M(R, C, I) is quite different from those of other models, and its exposition here may be too long, but it seems to the authors appropriate to provide it with a full proof. It depends essentially upon Lemma below, and we will begin by introducing some definitions and auxiliarly axioms needed in it.

Let A be a finite number of linearly ordered points, in which congruence relations are supposed to hold among some of the segments, and let P, Q, P' etc. denote points of A.

DEFINITION. We write

 $PQ \approx Q'P'$ or $Q'P' \approx PQ$, PQ = Q'P' and Q'P' = PQ

if and only if

at the same time.



¹⁾ Continuation of Part I, this Journal, vol. 3 (1966), 269-292. Referred to as Part I.