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If  $\lambda \in \mathbb{N}, \lambda \geq 2$  then solve for naturals:

$$\frac{1}{1+2} + \frac{1}{1+2+3} + \dots + \frac{1}{1+2+3+\dots+x} = \frac{2\lambda}{2\lambda+1}$$

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$$1 + \frac{1}{1+2} + \frac{1}{1+2+3} + \dots + \frac{1}{1+2+3+\dots+x} = \frac{4\lambda+1}{2\lambda+1}$$

$$\sum_{n=1}^x \frac{1}{\sum_{k=1}^n k} = \frac{4\lambda+1}{2\lambda+1}$$

$$\text{Note: } \rightarrow \begin{cases} 1+2+3+\dots+x = S \\ x+(x-1)+(x-2)+\dots+1 = S \end{cases}$$

$$2S = \underbrace{(x+1) + (x+1) + (x+1) + \dots + (x+1)}_x \rightarrow S = \frac{x(x+1)}{2}$$

$$\sum_{k=1}^n k = \frac{n(n+1)}{2} \rightarrow 2 \sum_{n=1}^x \frac{1}{n(n+1)} = \frac{4\lambda+1}{2\lambda+1}$$

$$2 \left( \underbrace{\sum_{n=1}^x \frac{1}{n} - \sum_{n=1}^x \frac{1}{n+1}}_{\text{Teleskopik sum}} \right) = \frac{4\lambda+1}{2\lambda+1} \rightarrow 2 \left( 1 - \frac{1}{x+1} \right) = \frac{4\lambda+1}{2\lambda+1}$$

$$\frac{x-1}{x+1} = \frac{2\lambda}{2\lambda+1} \rightarrow \frac{x+1}{x-1} = 1 + \frac{1}{2\lambda} \rightarrow \frac{2}{x-1} = \frac{1}{2\lambda}$$

$$x = 4\lambda + 1$$