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## Examination of Pre-Service Mathematics Teachers' Ability to Make Algebraic Proof\*

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## **Keywords: Abstract** Algebraic Proof, In this study, it was aimed to determine the difficulties they faced in the process of creating an algebraic proof by examining the situation of mathematical prospective mathematics teachers to make an algebraic proof. The case proof, study design was used in this study. 5 prospective mathematics teachers proving were included voluntarily in the study. The proving process of the participants was recorded by video. The implementations, each lasting Paper Type: an average of fifteen minutes, were videotaped by the researchers and Research analyzed by descriptive analysis. In the light of the findings obtained, it was determined that the prospective mathematics teachers had difficulties such as not being able to start the proof in the process of creating a proof, not being able to use this feature and definition while creating the proof even though they know which feature and definition to use in the proof.

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