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# Chapter I

## Problems

**1.** Let  $ABCDE$  be a regular pentagon with center  $M$ . A point  $P \neq M$  is chosen on the line segment  $MD$ . The circumcircle of  $ABP$  intersects the line segment  $AE$  in  $A$  and  $Q$  and the line through  $P$  perpendicular to  $CD$  in  $P$  and  $R$ .

Prove that  $AR$  and  $QR$  are of the same length.

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**2.** Let  $ABC$  be an acute triangle. Let  $H$  denote its orthocenter and  $D$ ,  $E$  and  $F$  the feet of its altitudes from  $A$ ,  $B$  and  $C$ , respectively. Let the common point of  $DF$  and the altitude through  $B$  be  $P$ . The line perpendicular to  $BC$  through  $P$  intersects  $AB$  in  $Q$ . Furthermore,  $EQ$  intersects the altitude through  $A$  in  $N$ .

Prove that  $N$  is the mid-point of  $AH$ .

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**3.** The diagonals  $AC$  and  $BD$  of the convex quadrilateral  $ABCD$  intersect at point  $O$ . The points  $A_1$ ,  $B_1$ ,  $C_1$  and  $D_1$  from the segments  $AO$ ,  $BO$ ,  $CO$  and  $DO$ , respectively, are such that  $AA_1 = CC_1$  and  $BB_1 = DD_1$ . Let  $M$  be the second intersection point of the circumcircles of  $\triangle AOB$  and  $\triangle COD$ ;  $N$  be the second intersection point of circumcircles of  $\triangle AOD$  and  $\triangle BOC$ ;  $P$  be the second intersection points of the circumcircles of  $\triangle A_1OB_1$  and  $\triangle C_1OD_1$  and  $Q$  be the second intersecting point of circumcircles of  $\triangle A_1OD_1$  and  $\triangle B_1OC_1$ . Prove that the points  $M$ ,  $N$ ,  $P$  and  $Q$  are concyclic.

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**4.** Consider acute scalene  $\triangle ABC$  with altitudes  $CD$ ,  $AE$  and  $BF$ . The points  $E'$  and  $F'$  are symmetric to  $E$  and  $F$  with respect to  $A$  and  $B$ , respectively. Point  $C_1$  on the ray  $\overline{CD}$  is such that  $DC_1 = 3CD$ . Prove that  $\sphericalangle E'C_1F' = \sphericalangle ACB$ .

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**5.** A square is cut into several rectangles, none of which is a square, so that the sides of each rectangle are parallel to the sides of the square. For each rectangle with sides  $a$ ,  $b$ ,  $a < b$ , compute the ratio  $\frac{a}{b}$ . Prove that sum of these ratios is at least 1.

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**6.** In  $\triangle ABC$ ,  $AB = AC$ ,  $D$  is a point on the side  $BC$  and  $E$  is a point on the segment  $AD$ . Given that  $\sphericalangle BED = \sphericalangle BAC = 2\sphericalangle CBD$ , prove that  $BD = 2CD$ .

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**7.** Let  $a, b, c$  be nonzero integers, with 1 as their only positive common divisor, such that  $\frac{1}{a} + \frac{1}{b} + \frac{1}{c} = 0$ . Find the number of such triples  $(a, b, c)$  with:

$$50 \geq |a| \geq |b| \geq |c| \geq 1.$$

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**8.** In the cyclic quadrilateral  $ABCD$ , the sides  $AB, DC$  meet at  $Q$ , the side  $AD, BC$  meet at  $P$ ,  $M$  is midpoint of  $BD$ . If  $\angle APQ = 90^\circ$ , prove that  $PM$  is perpendicular to  $AB$ .

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**9.** The incircle of  $\triangle ABC$  touches the sides  $BC, CA, AB$  at  $D, E, F$ , respectively. A circle through  $A$  and  $B$  encloses  $\triangle ABC$  and intersects the line  $DE$  at points  $P$  and  $Q$ . Prove that the midpoint of  $AB$  lies on the circumcircle of  $\triangle PQF$ .

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**10.** The four digit number  $ABCD$  has the property that:

$$ABCD = A \cdot BCD + ABC \cdot D.$$

What is the smallest possible value of  $ABCD$ ?

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**11.** The images of the reflection of the circumcentre of triangle  $ABC$  in the sides of the triangle are  $X, Y$  and  $Z$ . Prove that  $XYZ$  is congruent to the triangle  $ABC$  and corresponding sides are parallel.

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**12.** Given a point  $P$  between the legs of an angle with vertex  $A$ . Show, with proof, how to construct a line through  $P$  that intersects the legs of the angle at points  $B$  and  $C$  so that  $|PB| = |PC|$ .

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**13.** Two circles intersect at  $A$  and  $B$ . A common tangent is drawn to the circles at  $P$  and  $Q$ . A circle is drawn through  $P, Q$  and  $A$  and the line  $AB$  meets this circle again at  $C$ . Join  $CP$  and  $CQ$  and extend both to meet the given circles at  $F$  and  $B$ , respectively. Prove that  $P, Q, F$  and  $E$  lie on the circumference of a circle.

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**14.** Let  $O$  be the circumcenter of an acute triangle  $ABC$  and let  $O_1$  and  $O_2$  be circumcenters of triangles  $OAB$  and  $OAC$ , respectively. The circumcircles of triangles  $OAB$  and  $OAC$  intersect  $BC$  at  $D (\neq B)$  and  $E (\neq C)$ , respectively and the perpendicular bisector of  $BC$  intersects  $AC$  at  $F (\neq A)$ . Show that the circumcenter of the triangle  $ADE$  lies on  $AC$  if and only if the point  $F$  lies on the line passing  $O_1$  and  $O_2$ .

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**15.** Let  $L, M$  be the midpoints of two sides  $AB, CD$  of a convex cyclic quadrilateral  $ABCD$ . Let  $E$  be the intersection of its diagonals  $AC$  and  $BD$ . Suppose the rays  $AB$  and  $DC$  intersect at a point  $F$  and  $LM$  and  $DE$  intersect at a point  $P$ . Let  $Q$  be the foot of the perpendicular on the line segment  $EM$  from  $P$ . Show that if  $E$  is the orthocenter of the triangle  $FLM$ , then:

$$\frac{EP^2}{EQ} = \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{BD^2}{DF} - \frac{BC^2}{CF} \right).$$

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**16.** Four circles are drawn with the sides of the quadrilateral  $ABCD$  as diameters. The two circles passing through  $A$  meet again at  $A'$ , the two circles through  $B$  at  $B'$ , the two circles through  $C$  at  $C'$  and the two circles through  $D$  at  $D'$ . Suppose that the points  $A', B', C'$  and  $D'$  are distinct. Prove that the quadrilateral  $A'B'C'D'$  is similar to the quadrilateral  $ABCD$ .

(Note: Two quadrilaterals are *similar* if their corresponding angles are equal to each other *and* their corresponding side lengths are in proportion to each other.)

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**17.** A line segment  $B_0B_n$  is divided into  $n$  equal parts at points  $B_1, B_2, \dots, B_{n-1}$  and  $A$  is a point such that  $\angle B_0AB_n$  is a right angle. Prove that:

$$\sum_{k=0}^n |AB_k|^2 = \sum_{k=0}^n |B_0B_k|^2.$$

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**18.** Jake has 99 empty bags. An unlimited supply of balls is available, where the weight of each ball is a non-negative integer power of 3. Jake chooses a finite number of balls and distributes them into the bags such that each bag contains the same total weight. If, no matter how the bags have been filled, Jake must have chosen  $k$  balls of the same weight, find the largest possible value of  $k$ .

MARK FLANAGAN, IRELAND NMO, 2017

**19.** If  $a, b, c \geq 0, a + b + c = ab + be + ca$ , then:

$$\frac{(1+a)(1+b)}{3(1+a^2)} + \frac{(1+b)(1+c)}{3(1+b^2)} + \frac{(1+c)(1+a)}{3(1+c^2)} \leq 1 + a + b + c.$$

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**20.** If  $a, b, c, d > 0, a^2 + b^2 + c^2 + d^2 = 4$ , then:

$$\sum \frac{(2a+b+c)(2b+c+d)(2c+d+a)(2d+a+b)}{(a+b+c+d)^3} \leq 16.$$

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21. If  $a, b, c > 0$ , then:

$$\left(\sum a^2 b^2\right)\left(\sum a^4 b^4\right)\left(\sum \frac{1}{a^2 b^2}\right)\left(\sum \frac{1}{a^4 b^4}\right) \geq (\sum a)(\sum a^2)\left(\sum \frac{1}{a}\right)\left(\sum \frac{1}{a^2}\right).$$

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22. If  $x, y, z > 0$ , then:

$$\frac{(x+y+z)\sum(x+y)^2 + 2(x+y)(y+z)(z+x)}{4(x+y+z)^3} \geq \frac{13}{27}.$$

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23. Prove that if  $x, y, z > 0$ , then:

$$\sqrt{\frac{x}{y}} + 2\sqrt{\frac{y}{z}} + 3\sqrt{\frac{z}{x}} \leq \sqrt{6\left(\frac{x}{y} + \frac{2y}{z} + \frac{3z}{x}\right)}.$$

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24. If  $a, b, c > 0$ ,  $a^2 + b^2 + c^2 = 3$ , then:

$$\sum a(a+1)(a+2)(a+3) \geq 72.$$

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25. If  $a, b, c, d, e > 0$ ,  $a + b + c + d + e > 5$ , then:

$$\sum \frac{b+c+d+e}{2a+b+c+d+e} \geq \frac{10}{3}.$$

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26. If  $a, b, c > 0$ , then:

$$\left(4\sqrt{\frac{a}{b}} - \frac{a^2}{b^2}\right) + \left(4\sqrt{\frac{b}{c}} - \frac{b^2}{c^2}\right) + \left(4\sqrt{\frac{c}{a}} - \frac{c^2}{a^2}\right) \leq 9.$$

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27. If  $x, y, z > 0$ ;  $x + y + z = 1$ , then:

$$\frac{x^2}{z} + \frac{y^2}{x} + \frac{z^2}{y} + 2\left(\frac{xy}{z} + \frac{yz}{x} + \frac{zx}{y}\right) \geq 3.$$

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28. If  $x, y, z > 0$ ;  $x + y + z = 1$ , then:

$$\frac{x^2}{z} + \frac{y^2}{x} + \frac{z^2}{y} + \frac{x}{y} + \frac{y}{x} + \frac{z}{y} + \frac{z}{x} + \frac{x}{z} \geq 7.$$

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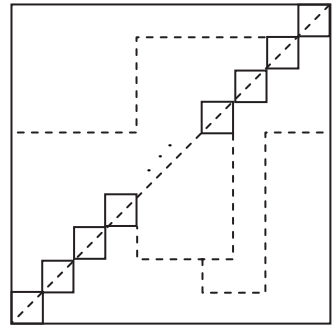
**29.** Son, his Dad and his Grandfather has ran from their home to a shop and back. Son's velocity was constant, Grandfather's velocity was two times greater than Son's while he was running to the shop and three times less when he was running back. Dad's velocity was two times less than Son's on the way to shop and 3 times greater when he was running back. Who was the first and who was the last to come home?

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**30.** There are 22 cards, where the numbers 1, 2, ..., 22 are written. Using this cards, one formed 11 fractions. What is the greatest possible number of integer numbers among the fractions?

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**31.** Given a checked square. One draw a big diagonal and paint black all the cells such that their centers belong to this diagonal. After the cells on the upper side are cut into two pieces and the lower side is cut into three pieces. It occurred that the areas of these figures are 70, 80, 90 and 100. What is the possible area of the last figure?



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**32.** 30 children – boys and girls – formed a circle. It occurred that there is no child such that both its neighbours are boys. What is the least possible number of girls there?

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**33.** Let  $ABC$  be a triangle. Suppose that  $AD$  and  $BE$  are its angle bisectors. Prove that  $\sphericalangle ACB = 60^\circ$ .

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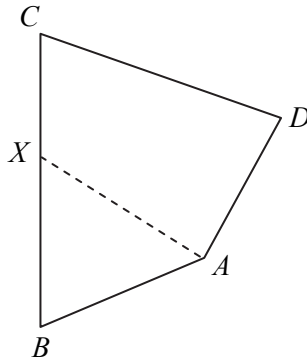
**34.** Is it possible to cut a regular triangle into:

- a) three equal quadrilaterals;
- b) three equal pentagons?

Convexes of quadrilaterals and pentagons is not obliged.

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**35.** In the quadrilateral  $ABCD$ , which is depicted at figure below, the following conditions hold:  $\sphericalangle ABC = \sphericalangle BCD$  and  $2AB = CD$ . The point  $X$  is chosen on the side  $BC$ , such that  $\sphericalangle BAX = \sphericalangle CDA$ . Prove that  $AX = AD$ .



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**36.** Prove that if  $a, b, x, y, z \in (0, \infty)$ , then:

$$\frac{yz(a^2y + b^2z)}{x} + \frac{zx(a^2z + b^2x)}{y} + \frac{xy(a^2x + b^2y)}{z} \geq \frac{2}{3}ab(x + y + z)^2.$$

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**37.** Prove that if  $a, b, c > 0$ ;  $a + b + c = 3$ , then:

$$\sum a \left( \frac{1}{b^3} + \frac{1}{c^3} \right) \geq \frac{18}{a^3 + b^3 + c^3}.$$

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**38.** If  $a, b, c$  are the length's sides in any triangle, the following relationship doesn't hold:

$$\frac{a}{b} + \frac{b}{c} + \frac{c}{a} = \frac{2}{3} \left( \frac{b}{a} + \frac{c}{b} + \frac{a}{c} \right).$$

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**39.** Prove that if  $a, b, c \in \mathbb{R}$ ;  $0 < c \leq b \leq a$ , then:

$$(a + 2b)(a + 2c)(b + 2c) \leq 8 \prod \left( \frac{a^2 + ab + b^2}{a + b} \right) \leq (2a + b)(2a + c)(2b + c).$$

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**40.** Prove that if  $a, b, c \in (0, \infty)$ ;  $\sqrt{a} + \sqrt{b} + \sqrt{c} = 3$ , then:

$$\frac{a\sqrt{b} + b\sqrt{a}}{a - \sqrt{ab} + b} + \frac{b\sqrt{c} + c\sqrt{b}}{b - \sqrt{bc} + c} + \frac{c\sqrt{a} + a\sqrt{c}}{c - \sqrt{ca} + a} \leq 6.$$

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41. Prove that if  $a, b, c \in (0, \infty)$ , then:

$$12 \sum \frac{c}{a^2 + b^2 + 9} \leq \frac{1}{abc} \sum c^2 \sqrt{a^2 + b^2}.$$

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42. The points  $A_1$  and  $C_1$  are chosen on the sides  $BC$  and  $AB$  of the triangle  $ABC$  so that the segments  $AA_1$  and  $CC_1$  are equal and perpendicular. Prove that if  $\sphericalangle ABC = 45^\circ$ , then  $AC = AA_1$ .

ANDREI GOGOLEV, UKRAINIAN NMO, 2017

43. A point  $M$  is chosen on a circle with diameter  $AB$ . A point  $Q_i$  is also taken on this circle such that  $\sphericalangle MK_iB < 90^\circ$ , where  $K_i$  is the intersection point of  $MQ_i$  and  $AB$ . The chord, which is perpendicular to  $AB$  and passes through  $K_i$ , intersect  $BQ_i$  at  $P_i$ . Prove that the points  $P_i$  belong to a fixed line, while  $Q_i$  vary.

IGOR NAGEL, UKRAINIAN NMO, 2016

44. Let  $AM$  be a median in an acute triangle  $ABC$ . Its extension intersect the circumcircle  $w$  of  $ABC$  at  $P$ . Let  $AH_1$  be an altitude of  $\triangle ABC$ ,  $H$  – its orthocenter. The rays  $MH$  and  $PH_1$  intersect  $w$  at  $K$  and  $T$  respectively. Prove that the circumcircle of  $\triangle KTH_1$  is tangent to  $BC$ .

KHILKO DANYLO, UKRAINIAN NMO, 2017

45. Let  $a, b$  and  $c$  be positive real numbers with  $a + b + c = 1$ . Prove the inequality:

$$a\sqrt{2b+1} + b\sqrt{2c+1} + c\sqrt{2a+1} \leq \sqrt{2 - (a^2 + b^2 + c^2)}.$$

NIKOLA PETROVIĆ, SERBIAN NMO, 2017

46. Let  $k$  be the circumcircle of triangle  $ABC$  and let  $k_a$  be its excircle opposite to  $A$ . The two common tangents of  $k$  and  $k_a$  meet the line  $DC$  at points  $P$  and  $Q$ . Prove that  $\sphericalangle PAD = \sphericalangle QAC$ .

DUŠAN ĐUKIĆ, SERBIAN NMO, 2017

47. Let  $ABCD$  be a cyclic quadrilateral. Let  $O$  be the circumcenter of the quadrilateral  $ABCD$ . The diagonals  $AC$  and  $BD$  intersect at  $G$ . Let  $P, Q, R$  and  $S$  be the circumcenters of triangles  $AGB, BGC, CGD$  and  $DGA$  respectively. The lines  $PR$  and  $QS$  intersect at  $M$ . Show that  $M$  is the midpoint of  $G$  and  $O$ .

THAILAND NMO, 2017

48. Let  $ABC$  be an acute triangle with height  $AD$  and  $AD = CD$ . The median  $CM$  intersects it  $N$ . Prove that  $ABC$  is an isosceles triangle if and only if  $CN = 2AM$ .

THAILAND NMO, 2017

49. Let  $ABC$  be an acute triangle with altitudes  $AK, BL, CM$ . Prove that triangle  $ADC$  is isosceles if and only if  $AM + BK + CL = AL + DM + CK$ .

JAROMIR SIMSA, CZECH & SLOVAK NMO, 2017

**50.** Let  $D$  be an arbitrary point on the base  $AB$  of an isosceles triangle  $ABC$ . Let  $E$  be such that  $ADEC$  is a parallelogram. Point  $F$  on the ray opposite to  $ED$  satisfies  $EF = EB$ . Prove that the length of a chord cut by line  $BE$  in the circumcircle of triangle  $ABE$  is twice the length of  $AC$ .

JAN KUCHARIK, PATRIK BAK, CZECH & SLOVAK NMO, 2017

**51.** Let  $ABC$  be an acute triangle with altitudes  $BD, CE$ . Given that  $AE \cdot AD = BE \cdot CD$ , what is the smallest possible measure of  $\angle BAC$ ?

PATRIK BAK, CZECH & SLOVAK NMO, 2017

**52.** If  $x, y, z > 0$ , then:

$$(x^2 + 2)(y^2 + 2)(z^2 + 2) > 16\sqrt{2xyz}\sqrt{xyz}.$$

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**53.** Let  $h_1, h_2, h_3, m_1, m_2, m_3$  be the altitudes, respectively the medians of intouch triangle in  $\triangle ABC$ . Prove that:

$$\frac{\frac{1}{h_1^2} + \frac{1}{h_2^2} + \frac{1}{h_3^2}}{\frac{1}{h_a^2} + \frac{1}{h_b^2} + \frac{1}{h_c^2}} = \frac{4R^2}{r^2} \cdot \frac{m_1^2 + m_2^2 + m_3^2}{m_a^2 + m_b^2 + m_c^2}.$$

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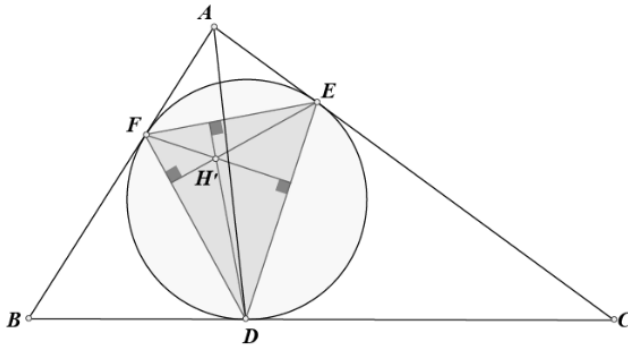
**54.** Let  $\triangle DEF, \triangle I_a I_b I_c$  be the contact, respectively the excentral triangle of  $\triangle ABC$ . If  $S_1 = S[AFE], S_2 = S[BDF], S_3 = S[CDE], S_0 = S[DEF], A = S[I_a I_b I_c]$ , then:

$$4A^2 S_1 S_2 S_3 = S^5, S_0 A = S^2.$$

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**55.** Prove that:

$$(DH')^2 + (EH')^2 + (FH')^2 \geq 3r^2.$$



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**56.** If  $a, b > 0$ ,  $a^2 + b^2 = 2$ , then:

$$(1 + 2ab)(2 + 3ab)(1 + 3ab) \leq 60(2 - ab)^3.$$

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**57.** If in  $\triangle ABC$  the nine-point circle and the circumcenter are tangents, then:

$$abc < \frac{8\sqrt{3}}{3} R^3.$$

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**58.** If  $x, y, z > 0$ , then:

$$\frac{2}{x+y} + \frac{2}{y+z} + \frac{2}{z+x} \leq \sqrt{\frac{3(x+y+z)}{xyz}}.$$

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**59.** Let the internal angle bisector of  $\sphericalangle BAC$  of  $\triangle ABC$  meet side  $BC$  at  $D$ . Let  $\Gamma$  be the circle through  $A$  tangent to  $BC$  at  $D$ . Suppose  $\Gamma$  meets sides  $AB$  and  $AC$  at  $E$  and  $F$  again, respectively. Lines  $BF$  and  $CE$  meet  $\Gamma$  again at  $F$  and  $Q$ , respectively. Let  $AP$  and  $AQ$  intersect side  $BC$  at  $X$  and  $Y$ , respectively. Prove that:

$$XY = \frac{1}{2} BC.$$

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**60.** Find all pairs  $(x, y)$  of integers satisfying the equation:

$$x^4 - (y+2)x^3 + (y-1)x^2 + (y^2+2)x + y = 2.$$

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**61.** Find the numbers  $a, b, c \in \mathbb{N}^*$ , knowing that:

$$\frac{a+1}{b} \in \mathbb{N}, \frac{b+1}{c} \in \mathbb{N} \text{ and } \frac{c+1}{a} \in \mathbb{N}.$$

GHEORGHE ALEXE, GEORGE-FLORIN ȘERBAN, RMM, WINTER EDITION, 2017

**62.** Let  $ABCD$  be a trapeze, where  $AB \parallel CD$ ;  $AB = a$ ;  $CD = b$ ;  $AD = c$ ;  $BC = d$ ;  $a > d$ . Prove that:

$$\text{Area } [ABCD] < \frac{(a+b)(a-b+c+d)^2}{16(a-b)}.$$

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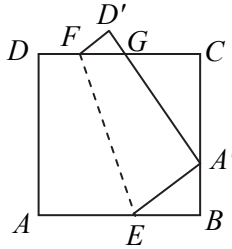


**63.** Let  $ABC$  an acute-angled triangle with incentre  $I$ . Draw a line to  $BI$  at  $I$  and let it intersect  $BC$  and  $BA$  at  $D$  and  $E$ , respectively. Let  $P$  and  $Q$  be, respectively, the incentres of the triangles  $BIA$  and  $BIC$ . Suppose the four points  $D, E, P, Q$  are concyclic. Prove that:

$$BA = BC.$$

INDIA, TST, 2017

**64.** In the given figure,  $ABCD$  is a square paper. It is folded along  $EF$  such that  $A$  goes to a point  $A' \neq C, B$  on the side  $DC$  and  $D$  goes to  $D'$ . The line  $A'D'$  cuts  $CD$  in  $G$ . Show that the inradius of the triangle  $GCA'$  is the sum of the inradii of the triangles  $GDF$  and  $A'BE$ .



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**65.** Let  $ABCDE$  be a convex pentagon in which  $\sphericalangle A = \sphericalangle B = \sphericalangle C = \sphericalangle D = 120^\circ$  and whose side lengths are 5 consecutive integers in some order. Find all possible values of  $AB + BC + CD$ .

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**66.** Let  $ABC$  be a triangle with  $\sphericalangle A = 90^\circ$  and  $AB < AC$ . Let  $AD$  be the altitude from  $A$  onto  $BC$ . Let  $P, Q$  and  $I$  denote, respectively, the incentres of triangles  $ABD, ACD$  and  $ABC$ . Prove that:

$$AI \text{ is perpendicular to } PQ \text{ and } AI = PQ.$$

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**67.** Given  $a, b, c > 0$  and  $a^2 + b^2 + c^2 = 6$ , prove:

$$\frac{a}{b} + \frac{b}{c} + \frac{c}{a} + a + b + c \geq 6.$$

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**68.** Let  $D$  be the midpoint of side  $BC$  of a triangle  $ABC$ . Points  $E$  and  $F$  are taken on the respective sides  $AC$  and  $AB$ , such that  $DE = DF$  and  $\sphericalangle EDF = \sphericalangle BAC$ . Prove that:

$$DE \geq \frac{AB + AC}{4}.$$

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**69.** Let  $P$  be a point inside  $\triangle ABC$ . Let  $A_1, B_1, C_1$  be points in the interiors of the segments  $PA, PB, PC$ , respectively. Let  $\overline{BC_1} \cap \overline{CB_1} = \{A_2\}$ ,  $\overline{CA_1} \cap \overline{AC_1} = \{B_2\}$  and  $\overline{AB_1} \cap \overline{BA_1} = \{C_2\}$ . Let  $U$  be the intersection of the lines  $A_1B_1$  and  $A_2B_2$  and  $V$  be the intersection of the lines  $A_1C_1$  and  $A_2C_2$ . Show that the lines  $UC_2, VB_2$  and  $AP$  are concurrent.

PAKAWUT JRRADILOK, WIJIT YANGJIT, THAILAND TST, 2017

**70.** Let  $D$  and  $E$  be points on sides  $AB$  and  $AC$  of triangle  $ABC$ , respectively, such that  $BD = CE$ . Let  $M$  and  $N$  be midpoints of  $BC$  and  $DE$ , respectively. Prove that  $MN$  is parallel to the bisector of  $\sphericalangle BAC$ .

B. BATTSENGEL, MONGOLIAN TST, 2017

**71.** Two circles  $\omega_1$  and  $\omega_2$  intersected at points  $A$  and  $B$ . Line through  $B$  intersects the  $\omega_1$  at point  $C$  and intersects the  $\omega_2$  at point  $D$ . The line  $AD$  intersects the  $\omega_1$  at point  $E$  different from  $A$  and the line  $AC$  intersects the  $\omega_2$  at point  $F$  different from  $A$ . If  $O$  is circumcenter of triangle  $AEF$ , then prove that  $OB \perp CD$ .

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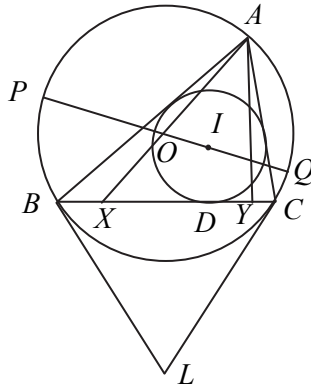
**72.** Let  $\omega$  be circumcircle of triangle  $ABC$  and let  $AD$  and  $BE$  be altitudes. A line  $DE$  intersects the circle  $\omega$  at points  $P$  and  $Q$  with order  $P, D, Q$  in the line. Let bisectors of angle  $APQ$  and  $BQP$  intersect a circle  $\omega$  at point  $K$  and  $L$ , respectively. Prove that the line  $KL$  is perpendicular to the bisector of angle  $ACB$ .

B. ULZIINASAN, NMO, 2017

**73.** Let  $\omega$  the circumcircle of a scalene triangle  $ABC$ . The tangents to  $\omega$  at  $A$  and  $C$  meet in  $P$  and the line  $BP$  intersects  $\omega$  in  $D$ . Let  $BB'$  be a diameter of  $\omega$ . The exterior angle bisector of  $\sphericalangle ABC$  and the lines  $B'A$  and  $B'C$  intersect in  $A'$  and  $C'$ , respectively. Prove that  $A', B', C', D$  are cyclic.

G. BATZAYA, MONGOLIAN NMQ, 2017

**74.** As shown in the figure, in an acute triangle  $ABC$  with  $AB > AC$ ,  $AY$  is the altitude from  $A$ ,  $\odot O$  and  $\odot I$  are the circumcircle and incircle of triangle  $ABC$ , respectively.  $\odot I$  touches  $BC$  at point  $D$ , line  $AO$  meets  $BC$  at point  $X$ . The tangent lines of  $\odot O$  at points  $B$  and  $C$  meet at point  $L$ . Let  $PQ$  be the diameter of  $\odot O$  passing through  $I$ . Show that the points  $A, D, L$  are collinear if and only if the points  $P, X, Y, Q$  are concyclic.



CHINA NMO, 2017

**75.** If  $a$  and  $b$  are positive integers, then  $\overline{a.b}$  is a decimal number obtained by writing the number  $a$ , then the decimal point and then the number  $b$ . For example, if  $a = 20$  and  $b = 17$ , then  $\overline{a.b} = 20.17$  and  $\overline{b.a} = 17.2$ . Determine all pairs  $(a, b)$  of positive integers such that  $\overline{a.b} \cdot \overline{b.a} = 13$ .

CROATIAN NMO, 2017

**76.** A triangle  $ABC$  is given. Circle  $k$  touches  $\overline{BC}$  from outside the triangle at point  $K$  and the extensions of lines  $\overline{AB}$  and  $\overline{AC}$  over points  $B$  and  $C$  at points  $L$  and  $M$ , respectively. The circle with diameter  $\overline{BC}$  intersects segment  $\overline{LM}$  at points  $P$  and  $Q$  so that point  $P$  lies between  $L$  and  $Q$ . Prove that lines  $BP$  and  $CQ$  intersect at the centre of circle  $k$ .

STIPE VIDAČ, CROATIAN NMO, 2017

**77.** Prove that the following inequalities hold for all positive real numbers:

$$\begin{aligned} \text{a) } & \frac{a^3}{ab+c^2} + \frac{b^3}{bc+a^2} + \frac{c^3}{ca+b^2} \geq \frac{3}{2} \cdot \frac{a^2+b^2+c^2}{a+b+c}; \\ \text{b) } & \frac{1}{a(b+c)} + \frac{1}{b(c+a)} + \frac{1}{c(a+b)} \geq \frac{3}{2} \cdot \frac{a+b+c}{a^3+b^3+c^3}. \end{aligned}$$

NGUYEN VIET HUNG, RMM WINTER EDITION, 2017

**78.** Prove that the following inequalities hold for all positive real numbers  $a, b, c$ :

$$\begin{aligned} \text{a) } & \frac{b}{a^2} + \frac{c}{b^2} + \frac{a}{c^2} \geq \frac{3(a+b+c)}{a^2+b^2+c^2}; \\ \text{b) } & \frac{b^3}{a^2} + \frac{c^3}{b^2} + \frac{a^3}{c^2} \geq \frac{3(a^2+b^2+c^2)}{a+b+c}. \end{aligned}$$

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**79.** Prove that for all positive real numbers  $a, b, c$ :

$$\frac{a(b^2 + c^2)}{2a^2 + bc} + \frac{b(c^2 + a^2)}{2b^2 + ca} + \frac{c(a^2 + b^2)}{2c^2 + ab} \geq \frac{6abc}{ab + bc + ca}.$$

HUNG NGUYEN VIET, RMM WINTER EDITION, 2017

**80.** Let  $x, y, z > 0$  be positive real numbers. Then:

$$\frac{1}{x+y} + \frac{1}{y+z} + \frac{1}{z+x} \geq \frac{4\sqrt{3xyz(x+y+z)}}{(x+y)(y+z)(z+x)}.$$

D.M. BĂȚINEȚU-GIURGIU, MARTIN LUKAREVSKI, RMM WINTER EDITION, 2017

**81.** Prove that for all positive real numbers  $a, b, c$ :

$$\text{a) } \frac{a^2}{a+b} + \frac{b^2}{b+c} + \frac{c^2}{c+a} \geq \frac{a+b+c}{2} + \frac{(b-c)^2}{2(a+b+c)};$$

$$\text{b) } \frac{a^2}{b+c} + \frac{b^2}{c+a} + \frac{c^2}{a+b} \geq \frac{a+b+c}{2} + \frac{(a+b-2c)^2}{2(a+b+c)}.$$

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**82.** Prove that if  $x_i \in (0, \infty)$ ;  $i \in \overline{1, n}$ ;  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ ;  $n \geq 3$ ;  $x_{n+1} = x_1; x_1 x_2 \dots x_n = 1$ , then:

$$\sum_{i=1}^n \frac{\frac{x_i + x_{i+1}}{2} + 1}{\sqrt{x_i^2 + x_i x_{i+1} + x_{i+1}^2}} \geq n\sqrt{3}.$$

DANIEL SITARU, RMM WINTER EDITION, 2017

**83.** (*Juniors*) Juku conjectured the following in his mathematics circle: whenever the product of two coprime integers  $x$  and  $y$  is divisible by the product of some two coprime integers  $a$  and  $b$ , at least one of  $x$  and  $y$  is divisible by  $a$  or  $b$ . Does his proposition hold?

ESTONIAN NMO, 2017

**84.** (*Juniors*) Solve the system  $a^3 + b = 4c$ ,  $a + b^3 = c$ ,  $ab = -1$ .

ESTONIAN NMO, 2017

**85.** (*Juniors*) Does there exist a positive integer  $n$  which has exactly 9 positive divisors and whose all divisors can be placed in a 3-by-3 table such that the products of the 3 numbers in each row, each column and on each diagonal are all the same?

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**86.** (*Juniors*) Juku thought of a 3-digit number that, when reversing the order of the digits, stays the same 3-digit number. Juku noticed that when adding 2016 to that

number, the 4-digit number that arises is again the same 4-digit number when reading the digits from right to left. What number did Juku think of?

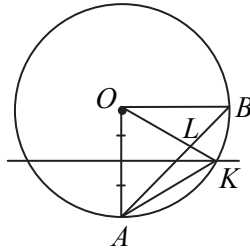
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**87. (Juniors)** a) Let  $a$  and  $b$  be arbitrary positive integers of equal parity. Can we always find noninteger numbers  $x$  and  $y$  such that  $x + y$  and  $ax + by$  are integers?

b) The same question when  $a$  and  $b$  have different parities.

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**88. (Juniors)** Let  $A$  and  $B$  be such points of the circle with centre  $O$  that the triangle  $AOB$  is right-angled. The perpendicular bisector of the segment  $AO$  intersects the shorter arc  $AB$  in point  $K$ . The lines  $KO$  and  $AB$  intersect in point  $L$ . Prove that the triangle  $KBL$  is isosceles.



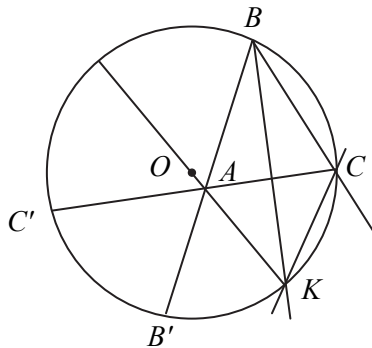
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**89. (Seniors)** On the sides  $BC$ ,  $CA$  and  $AB$  of triangle  $ABC$ , respectively, points  $D$ ,  $E$  and  $F$  are chosen. Prove that:

$$\frac{1}{2}(BC + CA + AB) < AD + BE + CF < \frac{3}{2}(BC + CA + AB).$$

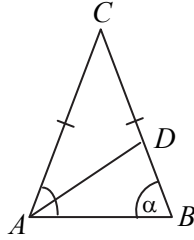
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**90. (Seniors)** The bisector of the exterior angle at vertex  $C$  of the triangle  $ABC$  intersects the bisector of the interior angle at vertex  $B$  in point  $K$ . Consider the diameter of the circumcircle of the triangle  $BCK$  whose one endpoint is  $K$ . Prove that  $A$  lies on this diameter.



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**91.** Triangle  $ABC$  has  $AC = BC$ . The bisector of angle  $CAB$  meets side  $BC$  at point  $D$ . The difference of the sizes of some two internal angles of triangle  $ABD$  is  $40^\circ$ . Find all possibilities of what the size of angle  $ACB$  can be.



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**92.** Let  $ABC$  be a scalene triangle with median  $AM$ . Let  $K$  be the point of tangency of the incircle of triangle  $ABC$  with the side  $BC$ . Prove that if the length of the side  $BC$  is the arithmetic mean of the lengths of the sides  $AB$  and  $AC$ , then the bisector of the angle  $BAC$  passes through the midpoint of the segment  $KM$ .

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**93.** Solve for natural numbers:

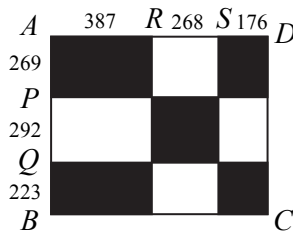
$$\frac{1^4}{x} + \frac{2^4}{x+1} + \frac{3^4}{x+2} + \dots + \frac{10^4}{x+9} = 3025.$$

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**94.** For a quadrilateral  $ABCD$ ,  $\angle A = \angle B = \angle C = 30^\circ$ ,  $AB = 4$ ,  $BC = 2\sqrt{3}$  are satisfied. Find the area of the quadrilateral  $ABCD$ . Here, by  $XY$  we denote the length of the line segment  $XY$ .

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**95.** As indicated in the diagram below, a rectangle  $ABCD$  is partitioned into 9 sub-regions by drawing 4 line segments parallel to the sides of the rectangle and they are colored black and white alternatingly. Suppose  $AP = 269$ ,  $PQ = 292$ ,  $QB = 223$ ,  $AR = 387$ ,  $RS = 263$ ,  $SD = 176$ . Find the value of the area of the region colored black minus the area of the region colored white. Here by  $XY$ , we denote the length of the line segment  $XY$ .



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**96.** 3 distinct points  $D, B, C$  lie on a common straight line and they satisfy  $DB - BC = 2$ . Suppose that the point  $A$  satisfies the condition  $AB = AC$  and, furthermore, that there exists a circle  $\Gamma$  which is tangent to the lines  $AC$  and  $DC$  at  $A$  and  $D$ , respectively. Let  $E$  be the point of intersection of  $\Gamma$  and the line  $AB$ , different from  $A$  and let  $F$  be the point of intersection of  $\Gamma$  and the line  $CE$ , different from  $E$ . Find the length of the line segment  $EF$ . Here, we denote by  $XY$  the length of the line segment  $XY$ .

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**97.** 2 points  $D, E$  lie on the side  $BC$  of a triangle  $ABC$ . 4 points  $B, D, E, C$  are located on the side  $BC$  in this order and  $\sphericalangle BAD = \sphericalangle ACE$ ,  $\sphericalangle ABD = \sphericalangle CAE$  are satisfied. Let  $X$  be the point of intersection, different from  $A$ , of the circumcircle of the triangle  $ABE$  and the circumcircle of the triangle  $ADC$ . Let  $F$  be the point of intersection of the lines  $AX$  and  $BC$ . Find the length of the line segment  $XE$  if  $BF = 5$ ,  $CF = 6$ ,  $XD = 3$ . Here, we denote by  $PQ$  the length of the line segment  $PQ$ .

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**98.** For a triangle  $ABC$ ,  $\sphericalangle B = 90^\circ$ ,  $AB = 8$ ,  $BC = 3$  are satisfied. For points  $P$  on the side  $BC$ ,  $Q$  on the side  $CA$  and  $R$  on the side  $AB$ , conditions  $\sphericalangle CRP = \sphericalangle CRQ$ ,  $\sphericalangle BPQ = \sphericalangle CPQ$  are satisfied. It is also known that the length of the circumference of the triangle  $PQR$  is 12. Find the length of the perpendicular line drawn from  $Q$  to the side  $BC$ . Here, we denote by  $XY$  the length of the line segment  $XY$ .

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**99.** Find  $x, y, z \in \mathbb{N}^*$  such that:

$$\sqrt{\underbrace{xxxx\dots xx}_{\text{for 2000 times}} - \underbrace{yyyy\dots yy}_{\text{for 1000 times}}} = \underbrace{zzzz\dots zz}_{\text{for 1000 times}}$$

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**100.** Let  $ABC$  be an acute triangle and  $O$  be the circumcenter. Let  $D, E, F$  be the foot of the perpendicular line drawn from the vertex  $A, B, C$ , respectively, to the opposite side of the triangle. Let  $M$  be the midpoint of the side  $BC$ . Let  $X$  be the point of intersection of the lines  $AD$  and  $EF$ ,  $Y$  be the point of intersection of the lines  $AO$  and  $BC$  and  $Z$  be the mid-point of the line segment  $XY$ . Prove that 3 points,  $A, Z, M$ , are collinear.

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**101.** Let  $ABC$  be a triangle with  $\sphericalangle A < \sphericalangle B < 90^\circ$  and let  $\Gamma$  be the circle through  $A, B$  and  $C$ . The tangents to  $\Gamma$  at  $A$  and  $C$  meet at  $P$ . The line segments  $AB$  and  $PC$  produced meet at  $Q$ . It is given that:

$$[ACP] = [ABC] = [BQC].$$

Prove that  $\sphericalangle BCA = 90^\circ$ . Here,  $[XYZ]$  denotes the area of triangle  $XYZ$ .

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**102.** Consider a cyclic quadrilateral  $ABCD$ . The diagonals  $AC$  and  $BD$  meet at  $P$  and the rays  $AD$  and  $BC$  meet at  $Q$ . The internal angle bisector of angle  $\sphericalangle BQA$  meets  $AC$  at  $R$  and the internal angle bisector of angle  $\sphericalangle APD$  meets  $AD$  at  $S$ . Prove that  $RS$  is parallel to  $CD$ .

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**103.** Points  $M$  and  $N$  are chosen on the sides  $BC$  and  $CD$  of a square  $ABCD$ , respectively, so that  $\sphericalangle MAN = 45^\circ$ . Circle  $w$  with diameter  $MN$  intersects segments  $AM$  and  $AN$  at points  $P$  and  $Q$ , respectively. Prove that points  $B, P$  and  $Q$  lie on a single line.

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**104.** In a trapezoid  $ABCD$  with bases  $AD$  and  $BC$ , the angle bisector of  $\sphericalangle DAB$  intersects the angle bisectors of  $\sphericalangle ABC$  and  $\sphericalangle CDA$  at points  $P$  and  $S$ , respectively and the angle bisector of  $\sphericalangle BCD$  intersects the angle bisectors of  $\sphericalangle ABC$  and  $\sphericalangle CDA$  at points  $Q$  and  $R$ , respectively. Prove that if  $PS \parallel RQ$ , then  $AB = CD$ .

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**105.** We consider the right triangle  $ABC$  with the right angle in  $A$ . Let  $D$  be the contact point of altitude from  $A$  on  $BC$  and  $E$  the bisector's intersection of the angle  $\sphericalangle ADC$  with  $AC$ . If  $M \in (AE)$ ,  $N \in (DC)$  and  $\{F\} = MN \cap AD$  such that  $\frac{AE}{DC} = \frac{ME}{NC} = k > 1$ , find in function of  $k$  the rapport  $\frac{BD}{AF}$ .

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**106.** Let  $A, B, C, D$  be the measures in grades of the angles of a convex quadrilateral. Prove that:

$$\frac{A^2 + B^2 + C^2}{360^\circ - D} + \frac{B^2 + C^2 + D^2}{360^\circ - A} + \frac{C^2 + D^2 + A^2}{360^\circ - B} + \frac{D^2 + A^2 + B^2}{360^\circ - C} \geq 360^\circ.$$

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**107.** Let  $AA'$  be median in triangle  $ABC$ ,  $A' \in (BC)$ . Let be  $M \in (BA')$ ,  $N \in (A'C)$ . The parallel through  $M$  to  $AA'$  intersects  $AB$  and  $AC$  in  $S$ , respectively  $T$ . The parallel through  $N$  to  $AA'$  intersects  $AC$  and  $AB$  in  $S'$ , respectively  $T'$ . Prove that:

$$MS + MT = NS' + NT'.$$

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**108.** a) Find  $a, b, c, d, e, f \in \mathbb{N}^*$  such that  $2014 = a^2 + b^2 - c^2$ ;  $2015 = d^2 + e^2 - f^2$ .

b) Prove that if  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ ,  $n \geq 7$ , it exists  $a, b, c \in \mathbb{N}^*$  such that  $n = a^2 + b^2 - c^2$ .

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**109.** Find  $a, b, c, d, e \in \mathbb{Z}$ , such that:

$$|a - b| = |b - c| = |d - e| = |e - a|; abcde = 1.$$

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**110.** Solve the equation:

$$x^3 + 2013^3 + 2014^3 = 4054182x.$$

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**111.** Prove that the number  $N = \overbrace{111\dots1}^{\text{for 2010 times}}$  is composed.

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**112.** Prove that the number  $N = \overbrace{999\dots9}^{\text{for 2011 times}} + 1 \overbrace{999\dots9}^{\text{for 2011 times}} \overbrace{000\dots0}^{\text{for 1005 times}}$  is composed.

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**113.** We consider an  $ABC$  triangle with the lengths sides  $AB = 16$ ,  $BC = 34$ ,  $CA = 30$  and the points  $M$ , respectively  $N$  on the side  $BC$  such that  $BM = 4$ ,  $MN = 12$ . Compute the measure of the angle  $\sphericalangle MAN$ .

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**114.** We denote “*Super-Heron*” triangle (do not confuse with “*Super-Hero*”) a triangle that has the lengths sides consecutive natural numbers and the area also a natural number.

Recently<sup>1</sup> (2007), was proved the existence of an infinite number of such triangles.

Confirm or infirm the existence of “*Super-Heron*” inscriptible quadrilaterals.

(*Indication.* Use the area formula of the inscriptible quadrilateral given by the Indian mathematician *Brahmagupta* in VII<sup>th</sup> century – A.H.:  $A = \sqrt{(s-a)(s-b)(s-c)(s-d)}$ , where  $a, b, c, d$  are the quadrilateral lengths sides and  $s$  is its semiperimeter).

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**115.** In triangle  $ABC$ ,  $m(\sphericalangle A) = 90^\circ$ ,  $m(\sphericalangle B) = 15^\circ$ ,  $AD \perp BC$ ,  $D \in (BC)$ ,  $DE \perp AB$ ,  $E \in (AB)$ ,  $EF \perp AD$ ,  $F \in (AD)$ ,  $EF = 4$  cm. Solve triangle  $ABC$ .

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**116.** Prove that an inscriptible quadrilateral having the sides  $AB = 3$ ,  $BC = 4$ ,  $CD = 5$ ,  $AD = 2x$ ,  $x \in \mathbb{N}^*$  cannot have the area equal to  $\sqrt{2013}$  for no natural value of  $x$ .

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<sup>1</sup> <http://www.math.twsu.edu/~richardson/heronian/heronian.html>

**117.** Find the biggest  $n \in \mathbb{N}^*$  such that:

$$\frac{1}{\sqrt{2+\sqrt{3}}} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{4+\sqrt{15}}} + \dots + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2n+\sqrt{4n^2-1}}} < 2013\sqrt{2}.$$

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**118.** We consider a right-angled triangle with the perimeter  $P$  and the area  $A$  natural numbers. Prove that the hypotenuse is a natural number if and only if  $P$  is natural even number and  $\frac{P}{2}$  divides  $A \Leftrightarrow P|2A$ .

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**119.** Which conditions must meet the triangle's angle so this can be divided in two isosceles triangles?

Find the angles of an isosceles triangle which can be divided in two isosceles triangles.

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**120.** Find the biggest triangle with the dimensions natural numbers, whose sum is even number for which the area is also a natural number and it is equal with its perimeter.

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**121.** Prove that if  $a, b, c$  are the lengths of the sides of a triangle and:

$$(a-b)^{2015}(a-c)^{2015} + (b-a)^{2015}(c-a)^{2015} + (c-a)^{2015}(c-b)^{2015} = 0,$$

then the triangle is equilateral.

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**122.** Prove that if  $\frac{7^n - 7}{n} \in \mathbb{N}$ ,  $n \in \mathbb{N}^*$ , then:

$$\frac{7^{7^n} - 7^7}{7^n - 1} \in \mathbb{N}.$$

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**123.** We have a trapeze with the bases  $AB = 17$  cm,  $CD = 8$  cm and  $MN \parallel AB$ ,  $M \in (AD)$ ,  $N \in (BC)$ ,  $\frac{BN}{CN} = 3$ . Compute  $MN$ .

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**124.** Solve in prime natural numbers the equation  $p^r = p + 2q$ .

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**125.** Prove that for any even natural number, perfect square, written as a sum of two natural numbers, the maximum of the product of the two terms of the sum is also a natural even number, perfect square.

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**126.** Which of the numbers:  $2010^{2010}$ ,  $2010^{2011}$ ,  $2011^{2010}$  and  $2011^{2011}$  can be written as a sum of two perfect squares?

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**127.** A cross-country race was scheduled to start at 5:00 PM and  $x$  minutes. With how many minutes was the race won, if the finish line was passed in the same day, also at 5:00 PM, but at  $y$  minutes, knowing that both at the start and at the finish the angle between minute hand and the hour hand was  $66^\circ$ ?

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**128.** Find the maximum value of a product of some nonzero natural numbers whose sum is equal to 2013?

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**129.** Let be the numbers  $2^{2010} = \overline{x_1x_2\dots x_m}$  and  $5^{2010} = \overline{y_1y_2\dots y_n}$  written in base ten. How many digits has the number  $N = \overline{x_1x_2\dots x_my_1y_2\dots y_n}$  ?

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**130.** Find  $x, n \in \mathbb{N}^*$  such that:

$$\frac{x}{0,(x)} + \frac{x^2}{0,0(x)} + \frac{x^3}{0,00(x)} + \dots + \frac{x^n}{\underbrace{0,000\dots 00(x)}_{\text{for } n-1 \text{ times}}} = 3789.$$

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**131.** Let be  $a, b, c, d \in (0, \infty)$ ,  $a + b + c + d = 2$ . Prove that:

$$\sqrt{a(b+c+d)} + \sqrt{b(a+c+d)} + \sqrt{c(a+b+d)} + \sqrt{d(a+b+c)} \leq 4.$$

*Generalization:* Let be  $x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n \in (0, \infty)$ ,  $x_1 + x_2 + \dots + x_n = 2$ ,  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ .

In these conditions:

$$\sqrt{x_1(x_2+x_3+\dots+x_n)} + \sqrt{x_2(x_1+x_3+\dots+x_n)} + \dots + \sqrt{x_n(x_1+x_2+\dots+x_{n-1})} \leq n.$$

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**132.** Prove that the arithmetic means of the firsts  $n$  decimals of the number  $\sqrt{3}-1$  is contained between  $4\frac{2}{5}$  and  $4\frac{3}{5}$ , then the arithmetic means of the firsts  $n$  decimals of the number  $2-\sqrt{3}$  has the same property.

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**133.** Prove that if  $a, b, c \in \mathbb{R}$  and  $1 - 4a + 3b \geq 0$ ,  $a - 4b + 3c \geq 0$ ,  $b - 4c + 3a \geq 0$ ,  $c - 4a + 3b \geq 0$ , then  $a = b = c = 1$ .

DANIEL SITARU, RMM, ROMANIA

**134.** Solve the equation:

$$\frac{x-2014}{2} + \frac{x-2010}{3} + \frac{x-2004}{4} + \dots + \frac{x-1985}{11} = 55.$$

DAN NÄNUȚI, RMM, ROMANIA

**135.** Solve in  $\mathbb{R}$  the system:

$$\begin{cases} x = yzt \\ y = xzt \\ z = xyt \\ t = xyz \end{cases}.$$

CLAUDIA NÄNUȚI, RMM, ROMANIA

**136.** Let be  $C = 9 \underbrace{111\dots1}_{2015 \text{ times}} \underbrace{aaa\dots a}_{2015 \text{ times}} \underbrace{bbb\dots b}_{2015 \text{ times}} + 8$ . Find  $a, b \in \mathbb{N}$  such that  $C$  would be a perfect cube.

DANIEL SITARU, RMM, ROMANIA

**137.** Prove that in an  $ABC$  triangle we have  $a + \alpha h_a = b + \alpha h_b = c + \alpha h_c$ ,  $\alpha \in (0, \infty)$ , then the triangle is equilateral.

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**138.** Let be  $A = 1234567891011\dots20142015$ . Prove that  $\sqrt{A}$  is an irrational number.

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**139.** Prove that if  $a, b, c \in (0, \infty)$ , then:

$$(a^2 + a + 1)(b^2 + b + 1)(c^2 + c + 1) \geq 27abc.$$

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**140.** Prove that if  $a, b, c, d, x, y, z, t \in (0, \infty)$ ,

$$\sqrt{ax} + \sqrt{by} + \sqrt{cz} + \sqrt{dt} = \sqrt{(a+b+c+d)(x+y+z+t)},$$

then  $a, b, c, d$  are direct proportional with  $x, y, z, t$ .

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**141.** Let be  $a, b, c, d \in (0, \infty)$ . Prove that:

$$\frac{a}{a+2b} + \frac{b}{2a+b} + \frac{c}{c+2d} + \frac{d}{2c+d} \geq \frac{4}{3}.$$

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**142.** Let be  $A = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} + \dots + \frac{1}{\sqrt{100}}$ . Prove that  $18 - A$  is not a natural number.

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**143.** Let be  $a, b, c \in \mathbb{N}^* \setminus \{1\}$ . Prove that:

$$\left(1 - \frac{1}{a^2}\right) \left(1 - \frac{1}{b^2}\right) \left(1 - \frac{1}{c^2}\right) > \frac{1}{8}.$$

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**144.** Prove that if  $a, b, c, d, e \in \mathbb{R}$ ,  $a + 2b + 3c + 4d + 5e \geq 55$ , then:

$$a^2 + b^2 + c^2 + d^2 + e^2 \geq 55.$$

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**145.** Let be  $a, b, c \in \mathbb{R}$ ,  $a^2 + b^2 + c^2 = 2015$ . Prove that:

$$\sqrt{2015 - a^2} + \sqrt{2015 - b^2} + \sqrt{2015 - c^2} \geq \sqrt{2}(a + b + c).$$

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**146.** Let be  $a, b, c, d \in \mathbb{R}$ ,  $a^2 + b^2 + c^2 + d^2 = 2016$ . Prove that:

$$\sqrt{2016 - a^2} + \sqrt{2016 - b^2} + \sqrt{2016 - c^2} + \sqrt{2016 - d^2} \geq \sqrt{3}(a + b + c + d).$$

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**147.** Let  $x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n$  be positive real numbers,  $n \in \mathbb{N}^*$  and  $4^n \cdot x_1 x_2 \dots x_n = 1$ . Prove that:

$$4^n (x_1^2 + x_2)(x_2^2 + x_3) \dots (x_{n-1}^2 + x_n)(x_n^2 + x_1) \geq 1.$$

DANIEL SITARU, RMM, ROMANIA

**148.** Let be  $x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n$  positive numbers,  $x_1 + x_2 + \dots + x_n = 1$ ,  $n \in \mathbb{N}^*$ . Prove that for any  $p \in \mathbb{R}$  we have:

$$2 \left( \sqrt{p^2 x_1 + 1} + \sqrt{p^2 x_2 + 1} + \dots + \sqrt{p^2 x_n + 1} \right) \leq p^2 + 2n.$$

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**149.** Graphically represent the sets:

$$A = \{(x, y) | x, y \in [-1, 1]; x|x| = y|y|\};$$

$$B = \{(x, y) | x, y \in [-1, 1]; x|x| = -y|y|\}.$$

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**150.** Let be  $x_1, x_2, \dots, x_{2n+1} \in \mathbb{Z}$ ,  $n \in \mathbb{N}^*$ ,  $x_1 x_2 \cdot \dots \cdot x_{2n+1} = 1$ . Find  $x_1, x_2, \dots, x_{2n+1}$  such that:

$$|x_1 - x_2| = |x_2 - x_3| = \dots = |x_{2n} - x_{2n+1}| = |x_{2n+1} - x_1|.$$

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**151.** Prove that:

$$\left(1 + \frac{\pi}{e}\right)^9 + \left(1 + \frac{e}{\pi}\right)^9 > 1024.$$

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**152.** Let be  $x, y \in \mathbb{Z}$ ,  $|x| \leq 11$ ,  $|y| \leq 100$ . Prove that:

$$|x\sqrt{5} + y\sqrt{7}| > \frac{1}{333}.$$

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**153.** Let be  $x, y, z \in [0, \infty)$ . Prove that:

$$\frac{x}{(1+x)^2} + \frac{y}{(1+x+y)^2} + \frac{z}{(1+x+y+z)^2} \leq \frac{x+y+z}{1+x+y+z}.$$

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**154.** Prove that:  $(\forall) x, y, z \in (0, \infty)$ ,

$$x^3 + y^3 + z^3 + xyz(xy + yz + xz) \geq 8 \left( \frac{y^2 z^2 \sqrt{x}}{(z+y)^2} + \frac{x^2 y^2 \sqrt{z}}{(x+y)^2} + \frac{z^2 x^2 \sqrt{y}}{(z+x)^2} \right).$$

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**155.** Prove that if  $x, y$  and  $z$  are in  $[-5, 3]$ , then:

$$\sqrt{3x - 5y - xy + 15} + \sqrt{3y - 5z - yz + 15} + \sqrt{3z - 5x - xz + 15} \leq 12.$$

When does equality occur?

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**156.** Let  $a, b, c \geq -1$  be real numbers with  $a^3 + b^3 + c^3 = 1$ . Prove that:

$$a + b + c + a^2 + b^2 + c^2 \leq 4.$$

When does equality holds?

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**157.** If in  $\triangle ABC$ ,  $h_1, h_2, h_3$  are altitudes of  $\triangle C_A C_B C_C$ , where  $AC_A, BC_B, CC_C$  – Gergonne’s cevians, then:

$$\left(\frac{h_1}{h_a}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{h_2}{h_b}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{h_3}{h_c}\right)^2 = 1 - \frac{r}{2R}.$$

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**158.** Let  $O$  be the circumcenter of triangle  $ADC$ . A tangent  $t$  to the circumcircle of triangle  $DOC$  meets the sides  $AD$  and  $AC$  at points  $D$  and  $E$ , respectively ( $D, E \neq A$ ). Point  $A'$  is the reflection of  $A$  in line  $t$ . Prove that the circumcircles of triangles  $A'DE$  and  $ADC$  are tangent to each other.

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**159.** In a triangle  $ADC$  ( $AD \neq AC$ ), the incircle with center  $I$  is tangent to side  $BC$  at point  $D$ . Let  $M$  be the midpoint of side  $BC$ . Prove that the perpendiculars from points  $M$  and  $D$  to lines  $AI$  and  $MI$ , respectively, meet on the altitude in  $\triangle ABC$  from  $A$  or its extension.

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**160.** Let  $h_1, h_2, h_3, m_1, m_2, m_3$  be the altitudes, respectively the medians of intouch triangle in  $\triangle ABC$ . Prove that:

$$\frac{\frac{1}{h_1^2} + \frac{1}{h_2^2} + \frac{1}{h_3^2}}{\frac{1}{h_a^2} + \frac{1}{h_b^2} + \frac{1}{h_c^2}} = \frac{4R^2}{r^2} \cdot \frac{m_1^2 + m_2^2 + m_3^2}{m_a^2 + m_b^2 + m_c^2}.$$

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**161.** If  $x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n, y_1, y_2, \dots, y_n \in (0, \infty)$ ,  $n \in \mathbb{N}^*$ , then:

$$\left( \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{x_i^2 + y_i^2}{x_i y_i} \right) \left( \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{x_i y_i}{x_i^2 + y_i^2} \right) \leq \left( \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{x_i}{y_i} \right) \left( \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{y_i}{x_i} \right).$$

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**162.** If  $a, b, c \in (0, \infty)$ , then:

$$(a^4 + b^4 + c^4) \left( \frac{1}{a^4} + \frac{1}{b^4} + \frac{1}{c^4} \right) \geq 2 \left( \frac{a}{c} + \frac{c}{b} + \frac{b}{a} \right).$$

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**163.** If  $a_k \in (0, \infty)$ , where  $k = 1, 2, 3, \dots, n$  and  $a_1 + a_2 + \dots + a_n = 1$ , then:

$$\sum_{k=1}^n \frac{1}{a_k} \geq (n+1) \left( \sum_{k=1}^n \frac{1}{a_k + 1} \right).$$

MARIN CHIRCIU, RMM, ROMANIA

**164.** If  $a_i, b_i \in (0, \infty)$ ,  $i \in \overline{1, n}$ ,  $n \in \mathbb{N}^*$ , then:

$$\frac{(2n)^n}{\prod_{i=1}^n (a_i + b_i)} \leq \frac{1}{2} \left[ \left( \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{1}{a_i} \right)^n + \left( \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{1}{b_i} \right)^n \right].$$

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**165.** If  $a_i > 0$ ,  $i \in \overline{1, n}$ ,  $a_1 + a_2 + \dots + a_n = 1$ , then:

$$\frac{\frac{1}{a_1} + \frac{1}{a_2} + \dots + \frac{1}{a_n}}{\frac{1}{1+a_1} + \frac{1}{1+a_2} + \dots + \frac{1}{1+a_n}} \geq n+1.$$

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**166.** Let  $ABC$  be an acute, non-isosceles triangle with  $(O)$  its circumcircle. Denote  $H$  at the orthocenter and  $BE$ ,  $CF$  as the altitudes of triangle  $ABC$ . Suppose that  $AH$  intersects  $(O)$  at  $D$  differs from  $A$ .

1. Let  $I$  be the midpoint of  $AH$ ,  $EI$  meets  $BD$  at  $M$  and  $FI$  meets  $CD$  at  $N$ . Prove that  $MN$  is perpendicular to  $OH$ .

2. The lines  $DE$ ,  $DF$  intersect  $(O)$  at  $P$ ,  $Q$ , respectively ( $P$  and  $Q$  differ from  $D$ ). The circle  $(AEF)$  intersects  $(O)$  and  $AO$  at  $R$ ,  $S$ , respectively ( $R$  and  $S$  differ from  $A$ ). Prove that  $BP$ ,  $CQ$ ,  $RS$  are concurrent.

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**167.** If  $a_1 = 1$ ,  $a_2 = 2$  and for any natural number  $n \geq 2$ , we have:

$$b_{n+1} = a_n, \quad a_{n+1} = b_n + c_n, \quad c_{n+1} = 2a_n, \quad d_n = 2a_n + 2b_n + c_n,$$

then find  $d_{2015}$  and  $d_{2016}$ .

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**168.** Let  $ABCD$  be a rectangular trapeze  $AB \parallel CD$ ,  $AB < CD$ ,  $AB = a$ ,  $AD = b$ ,  $CD = c$  and  $P$  a variable point on  $[AD]$ . Find the minimum sum  $BP + PC$ .

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**169.** Find the lengths of the sides of a right-angled triangle, knowing that there are natural numbers and the lengths of the hypotenuse is equal with the difference between the lengths of the product of the cathetus and their sum.

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**170.** Prove that if the area of a square can be written as a sum of  $n$  consecutive terms (natural numbers), then  $n$  is less than the lengths of the square's diagonal.

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**171.** The inradii of  $ABC$  triangle is  $r = a$  cm, where  $a > 0$ . The points of tangents of the circle with the triangle's sides are  $M \in AB$ ,  $N \in BC$  and  $P \in CA$ . Knowing that  $AP = a$  cm and  $PC = 3a$  cm, find the area of  $ABC$  triangle.

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