

WINTER CAMP 2004 GEOMETRY

EXERCISES.

1. Given a point P , a line L such that $P \notin L$ and an angle α such that $0 < \alpha < \pi$. Find a point O such that $P \in r(L)$ and $r(P) \in L$, where r is the rotation with centre O and angle α .
2. Let $ABCDEFG$ be a regular heptagon. Compute $\frac{\frac{1}{AB}}{\frac{1}{AC} + \frac{1}{AD} + \frac{1}{AE} + \frac{1}{AF} + \frac{1}{AG}}$.
3. Let ABC be an equilateral triangle. Consider three parallel lines each of them passing through one the vertices of the triangle. Let p and q denote the distances from the inside parallel to the outside parallels. Express the area of the triangle ABC in terms of p and q .
4. Let M denote the midpoint of the segment AB . Describe the set consisting of all points P for which $AP \times BP = AB \times MP$.
5. Let 3 , $2-x$ and $\sqrt{x^2 + 8x + 7}$ be the lengths of the sides of a triangle.
 - a) Find all the possible values of A , the area of this triangle..
 - b) Find all the possible values of P , the perimeter of this triangle.
6. Let ABC be a triangle inscribed in a circumference of centre O . Let BB' and CC' be two of its altitudes. Let l denote any straight line parallel to OB . Let M be the intersection of the lines l and AB and let K be the intersection of l and the circumference $MB'C'$. Show that $B'K$ is perpendicular to AB .
7. Let ABC be a triangle in which the length of the side BC is the average of the lengths of the sides AB and AC . Show that the line that bisects the angle A is perpendicular to the line that joins the incenter and the circumcenter of this triangle.
8. Let $ABCD$ be a tetrahedron such that $AB \times CD = AC \times BD = AD \times BC$. Show that the lines that join each of the vertices of the tetrahedron with the incenter of the opposite face are concurrent.
9. Let r denote the radius of the incircle of a triangle and let s , t and u the radii of the circles which are tangent, respectively, to two of the sides of the triangle and to its incircle. Express r in terms of s , t and u .
10. Let $ABCD$ be a rhombus for which there exist points M and N on the sides BC and CD , respectively, such that $CM + CN + MN = 2$ and $\angle BAD = 2\angle MAN$. Find the area of the rhombus.