

## 1989 30th IMO Day-1

1. Prove that the set  $\{1, 2, \dots, 1989\}$  can be expressed as the disjoint union of subsets  $A_i (i = 1, 2, \dots, 117)$  such that :
  - (i) Each  $A_i$  contains 17 elements ;
  - (ii) The sum of all the elements in each  $A_i$  is the same .
2. In an acute-angled triangle  $ABC$  the internal bisector of angle  $A$  meets the circumcircle of the triangle again at  $A_1$ . Points  $B_1$  and  $C_1$  are defined similarly. Let  $A_0$  be the point of intersection of the line  $AA_1$  with the external bisectors of angles  $B$  and  $C$ . Points  $B_0$  and  $C_0$  are defined similarly. Prove that:
  - (i) The area of the triangle  $A_0 B_0 C_0$  is twice the area of the hexagon  $AC_1 B A_1 C B_1$
  - (ii) The area of the triangle  $A_0 B_0 C_0$  is at least four times the area of the triangle  $ABC$ .
3. Let  $n$  and  $k$  be positive integers and let  $S$  be a set of  $n$  points in the plane such that
  - (i) No three points of  $S$  are collinear, and
  - (ii) For any point  $P$  of  $S$  there are at least  $k$  points of  $S$  equidistant from  $P$ .Prove that:

$$k < \frac{1}{2} + \sqrt{2n}.$$

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4. Let  $ABCD$  be a convex quadrilateral such that the sides  $AB, AD, BC$  satisfy  $AB = AD + BC$ . There exists a point  $P$  inside the quadrilateral at a distance  $h$  from the line  $CD$  such that  $AP = h + AD$  and  $BP = h + BC$ . Show that:
$$\frac{1}{\sqrt{h}} \geq \frac{1}{\sqrt{AD}} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{BC}}$$
.
5. Prove that for each positive integer  $n$  there exist  $n$  consecutive positive integers none of which is an integral power of a prime number.

6. A permutation  $(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_m)$  of the set  $\{1, 2, \dots, 2n\}$ , where  $a$  is a positive integer, is said to have property  $P$  if  $|x_i - x_{i+1}| = n$  for at least one  $i \in \{1, 2, \dots, 2n-1\}$ . Show that, for each  $n$ , there are more permutations with property  $P$  than without.

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7. Chords  $AB$  and  $CD$  of a circle intersect at a point  $E$  inside the circle. Let  $M$  be an interior point of the segment  $EB$ . The tangent line at  $E$  to the circle through  $D, E$ , and  $M$  intersects the lines  $BC$  and  $AC$  at  $F$  and  $G$ , respectively. If

$$\frac{AM}{AB} = t$$

find

$$\frac{EG}{EF}$$

in terms of  $t$ .

8. Let  $n_3$  and consider a set  $E$  of  $2_{n-1}$  distinct points on a circle. Suppose that exactly  $k$  of these points are to be colored black. Such a coloring is "good" if there is at least one pair of black points such that the interior of one of the arcs between them contains exactly in points from  $E$ . Find the smallest value of  $k$  so that every such coloring of  $k$  points of  $E$  is good
9. Determine all integers  $n > 1$  such that

$$\frac{2^n + 1}{n^2}$$

is integer.

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10. Let  $Q^+$  be the set of positive rational numbers. Construct a function  $f : Q^+ \rightarrow Q^+$  such that

$$f(xf(y)) = \frac{f(x)}{y}$$

for all  $x, y$  in  $Q^+$ .

11. Given an initial integer  $n_0 > 1$ , two players.  $A$  and  $B$ , choose integers  $n_1, n_2, n_3, \dots$  alternately according to the following rules:  
Knowing  $n_{2k}$ ,  $A$  chooses any integer  $n_{2k+2}$  such that

$$n_{2k} \leq n_{2k+1} \leq n_{2k}^2$$

Knowing  $n_{2k+1}$ ,  $B$  chooses any integer  $n_{2k+2}$  such that

$$\frac{n_{2k+1}}{n_{2k+2}}$$

is a prime raised to a positive integer power.

Player  $A$  wins the game by choosing the number 1990: player  $B$  wins by choosing the number 1. For which  $n_0$  does:

- (a)  $A$  have a winning strategy?
  - (b)  $B$  have a winning strategy?
  - (c) Neither player have a winning strategy?
12. Prove that there exists a convex 1990-gon with the following two properties
- (a) All angles are equal.
  - (b) The lengths of the 1990 sides are the numbers  $1^2, 2^2, 3^2, \dots, 1990^2$  in some order.

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13. Given a triangle  $ABC$ , let  $I$  be the center of its inscribed circle. The internal bisectors of the angles  $A, B, C$  meet the opposite sides in  $A', B', C'$  respectively. Prove that

$$\frac{1}{4} < \frac{AI \cdot BI \cdot CI}{AA' \cdot BB' \cdot CC'} \leq \frac{8}{27}$$

14. Let  $n > 6$  be an integer and  $a_1, a_2, \dots, a_k$  be all the natural numbers less than  $n$  and relatively prime to  $n$ . If

$$a_2 - a_1 = a_3 - a_2 = \dots = a_k - a_{k-1} > 0,$$

prove that  $n$  must be either a prime number or a power of 2.

15. Let  $S = \{1, 2, 3, \dots, 280\}$ . Find the smallest integer  $n$  such that each  $n$ -element subset of  $S$  contains five numbers which are pairwise relatively prime.

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16. Suppose  $G$  is a connected graph with  $k$  edges. Prove that it is possible to label the edges  $1, 2, \dots, k$  in such a way that at each vertex which belongs to two or more edges, the greatest common divisor of the integers labeling those edges is equal to 1.

[ A graph consists of a set of points, called vertices, together with a set of edges joining certain pairs of distinct vertices. Each pair of vertices  $u, v$  belongs to at most one edge. The graph  $G$  is connected if for each pair of distinct vertices  $x, y$  there is some sequence of vertices  $x = v_0, v_1, v_2, \dots, v_m = y$  such that each pair  $v_i, v_{i+1}$  ( $0 \leq i < m$ ) is joined by an edge of  $G$ .]

17. Let  $ABC$  be a triangle and  $P$  an interior point of  $ABC$ . Show that at least one of the angles  $\angle PAB, \angle PBC, \angle PCA$  is less than or equal to  $30^\circ$ .
18. An infinite sequence  $x_0, x_1, x_2, \dots$  of real numbers is said to be bounded if there is a constant  $C$  such that  $|x_i| \leq C$  for every  $i \geq 0$ . Given any real number  $a > 1$ , construct a bounded infinite sequence  $x_0, x_1, x_2, \dots$ . Such that

$$|x_i - x_j| |i - j|^a \geq 1$$

for every pair of distinct nonnegative integers  $i, j$ .