

## 0.1 Diophantine Equations from 2021 Olympiads

**Problem 0.1.1.** Call a positive integer  $n$  "Fantastic" if none of its digits are zero and it is possible to remove one of its digits and reach to an integer which is a divisor of  $n$ . ( for example , 25 is fantastic , as if we remove digit 2 , resulting number would be 5 which is divisor of 25 ) Prove that the number of Fantastic numbers is finite.

**Problem 0.1.2.** Find all triples  $(a, b, c)$  of natural numbers  $a, b$  and  $c$ , for which  $a^{b+20}(c-1) = c^{b+21} - 1$  is satisfied.

**Problem 0.1.3.** Find all pairs of integers  $(a, b)$  so that each of the two cubic polynomials

$$x^3 + ax + b \text{ and } x^3 + bx + a$$

has all the roots to be integers.

**Problem 0.1.4.** Given are positive integers  $n > 20$  and  $k > 1$ , such that  $k^2$  divides  $n$ . Prove that there exist positive integers  $a, b, c$ , such that  $n = ab + bc + ca$ .

**Problem 0.1.5.** Find all triples  $(x, y, z)$  of positive integers such that

$$x^2 + 4^y = 5^z.$$

**Problem 0.1.6.** Given positive integers  $a, b, c$  which are pairwise coprime. Let  $f(n)$  denotes the number of the non-negative integer solution  $(x, y, z)$  to the equation

$$ax + by + cz = n.$$

Prove that there exists constants  $\alpha, \beta, \gamma \in \mathbb{R}$  such that for any non-negative integer  $n$ ,

$$|f(n) - (\alpha n^2 + \beta n + \gamma)| < \frac{1}{12} (a + b + c).$$

**Problem 0.1.7.** Let  $n$  be an integer greater than 1 such that  $n$  could be represented as a sum of the cubes of two rational numbers, prove that  $n$  is also the sum of the cubes of two non-negative rational numbers.

**Problem 0.1.8.** Determine whether there are infinitely many triples  $(u, v, w)$  of positive integers such that  $u, v, w$  form an arithmetic progression and the numbers  $uv + 1, vw + 1$  and  $wu + 1$  are all perfect squares.