

## **Art of Problem Solving** 1987 Balkan MO

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1	Let $a$ be a real number and let $f: \mathbb{R} \to \mathbb{R}$ be a function satisfying: $f(0) = \frac{1}{2}$ and $f(x+y) = f(x)f(a-y) + f(y)f(a-x), \forall x,y \in \mathbb{R}$ . Prove that $f$ is constant.	
2	Find all real numbers $x, y$ greater than 1, satisfying the condition that the numbers $\sqrt{x-1} + \sqrt{y-1}$ and $\sqrt{x+1} + \sqrt{y+1}$ are nonconsecutive integers.	
3	In the triangle $ABC$ the following equality holds: $\sin^{23}\frac{A}{2}\cos^{48}\frac{B}{2}=\sin^{23}\frac{B}{2}\cos^{48}\frac{A}{2}$	
	Determine the value of $\frac{AC}{BC}$ .	
4	Two circles $K_1$ and $K_2$ , centered at $O_1$ and $O_2$ with radii 1 and $\sqrt{2}$ respectively, intersect at $A$ and $B$ . Let $C$ be a point on $K_2$ such that the midpoint of $AC$ lies on $K_1$ . Find the length of the segment $AC$ if $O_1O_2 = 2$	