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- [1] Let  $ABC$  be an acute angled triangle and  $CD$  be the altitude through  $C$ . If  $AB = 8$  and  $CD = 6$ , find the distance between the midpoints of  $AD$  and  $BC$ .
- [2] Prove that the ten's digit of any power of 3 is even.
- [3] Suppose  $A_1, A_2, A_3, \dots, A_{20}$  is a 20 sides regular polygon. How many non-isosceles (scalene) triangles can be formed whose vertices are among the vertices of the polygon but the sides are not the sides of the polygon?
- [4] Let  $ABCD$  be a rectangle with  $AB = a$  and  $BC = b$ . Suppose  $r_1$  is the radius of the circle passing through  $A$  and  $B$  touching  $CD$ ; and similarly  $r_2$  is the radius of the circle passing through  $B$  and  $C$  and touching  $AD$ . Show that

$$r_1 + r_2 \geq \frac{5}{8}(a + b).$$

- [5] Show that  $19^{93} - 13^{99}$  is a positive integer divisible by 162.
- [6] If  $a, b, c, d$  are four positive reals such that  $abcd = 1$ , prove that  $(1+a)(1+b)(1+c)(1+d) \geq 16$ .
- [7] In the group of ten persons, each person is asked to write the sum of the ages of all the other nine persons. Of all ten sums form the nine-element set  $\{82, 83, 84, 85, 87, 89, 90, 91, 92\}$ , find the individual ages of the persons, assuming them to be whole numbers.