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First Day

1. Find all real numbers $x \in [0, 2\pi]$ such that

$$2\cos x \le |\sqrt{1+\sin 2x} - \sqrt{1-\sin 2x}| \le \sqrt{2}.$$
 (Yugoslavia)

2. Consider the system of equations

$$\begin{cases} a_{11}x_1 + a_{12}x_2 + a_{13}x_3 &= 0, \\ a_{21}x_1 + a_{22}x_2 + a_{23}x_3 &= 0, \\ a_{31}x_1 + a_{32}x_2 + a_{33}x_3 &= 0, \end{cases}$$

whose coefficients satisfy the following conditions:

- (a) a_{11}, a_{22}, a_{33} are positive real numbers;
- (b) all other coefficients are negative;
- (c) in each of the equations the sum of the coefficients is positive.

Prove that $x_1 = x_2 = x_3 = 0$ is the only solution to the system. (*Poland*)

3. A tetrahedron *ABCD* is given. The lengths of the edges *AB* and *CD* are *a* and *b*, respectively, the distance between the lines *AB* and *CD* is *d*, and the angle between them is equal to ω . The tetrahedron is divided into two parts by the plane π parallel to the lines *AB* and *CD*. Calculate the ratio of the volumes of the parts if the ratio between the distances of the plane π from *AB* and *CD* is equal to *k*. (*Czechoslovakia*)

Second Day

- 4. Find four real numbers x_1, x_2, x_3, x_4 such that the sum of any of the numbers and the product of other three is equal to 2. (Soviet Union)
- 5. Given a triangle *OAB* such that $\angle AOB = \alpha < 90^\circ$, let *M* be an arbitrary point of the triangle different from *O*. Denote by *P* and *Q* the feet of the perpendiculars from *M* to *OA* and *OB*, respectively. Let *H* be the orthocenter of the triangle *OPQ*. Find the locus of points *H* when:
 - (a) M belongs to the segment AB;
 - (b) *M* belongs to the interior of $\triangle OAB$. (*Romania*)
- 6. We are given $n \ge 3$ points in the plane. Let *d* be the maximal distance between two of the given points. Prove that the number of pairs of points whose distance is equal to *d* is less than or equal to *n*. (*Poland*)



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