

43-th Mongolian Mathematical Olympiad 2007

Final Round
Ulaanbaatar, May 5–11

Grade 11

First Day

1. Let M be the midpoint of the side BC of triangle ABC . The bisector of the exterior angle of point A intersects the side BC in D . Let the circumcircle of triangle ADM intersect the lines AB and AC in E and F respectively. If the midpoint of EF is N , prove that $MN \parallel AD$.
2. For all $n \geq 2$, let a_n be the product of all coprime natural numbers less than n . Prove that
 - (a) $n | a_n + 1 \Leftrightarrow n = 2, 4, p^\alpha, 2p^\alpha$.
 - (b) $n | a_n - 1 \Leftrightarrow n \neq 2, 4, p^\alpha, 2p^\alpha$.

Here p is an odd prime number and $\alpha \in \mathbb{N}$.

3. Let P be a point outside of the triangle ABC in the plane of ABC . Prove that by using reflections S_{AB} , S_{AC} , and S_{BC} across the lines AB , AC , and BC one can shift point P in the triangle ABC .

Second Day

4. If $a, b, c \in \mathbb{R}$ and $a, b, c > 0$ prove that

$$\frac{a}{b} + \frac{b}{c} + \frac{c}{a} \geq 3 \sqrt{\frac{a^2 + b^2 + c^2}{ab + bc + ca}}.$$

5. Given a $n \times n$ table with non-negative real entries such that the sums of entries in each column and row are equal, a player plays the following game: The step of the game consists of choosing n cells no two of which share a column or a row, and subtracting the same number from each of the entries of the n cells, provided that the resulting table has all non-negative entries. Prove that the player can change all entries to zeros.
6. Given a quadrilateral $ABCD$ simultaneously inscribed and circumscribed, assume that none of his diagonals or sides is a diameter of the circumscribed circle. Let P be the intersection point of the external bisectors of the angles near A and B . Similarly, let Q be the intersection point of the external bisectors of the angles C and D . If J and O respectively are incenter and circumcenter of $ABCD$ prove that $OJ \perp PQ$.

Teachers – secondary level

First Day

1. Find the number of subsets of the set $\{1, 2, 3, \dots, 5n\}$ such that the sum of the elements in each subset are divisible by 5.
2. Given 101 segments in a line, prove that there exist 11 segments meeting in 1 point or 11 segments such that every two of them are disjoint.
3. Let p be an odd prime number. Let g be primitive root modulo p . Find all the values of p such that the sets $A = \{k^2 + 1 : 1 \leq k \leq \frac{p-1}{2}\}$ and $B = \{g^m : 1 \leq m \leq \frac{p-1}{2}\}$ are equal modulo p .

Second Day

4. If $x, y, z \in \mathbb{N}$ and $xy = z^2 + 1$ prove that there exist integers a, b, c, d such that $x = a^2 + b^2, y = c^2 + d^2, z = ac + bd$.
5. Given a point P in the circumcircle ω of an equilateral triangle ABC , prove that the segments PA, PB , and PC form a triangle T . Let R be the radius of the circumcircle ω and let d be the distance between P and the circumcenter. Find the area of T .
6. Let $n = p_1^{\alpha_1} \dots p_s^{\alpha_s} \geq 2$. If for any $\alpha \in \mathbb{N}$, $p_i - 1 \nmid \alpha$, where $i = 1, 2, \dots, s$, prove that $n \mid \sum_{\alpha \in \mathbb{Z}_n^*} a^\alpha$ where $\mathbb{Z}_n^* = \{a \in \mathbb{Z}_n : (a, n) = 1\}$.