

43-rd Polish Mathematical Olympiad 1991/92

Third Round

First Day

1. Segments AC and BD intersect at P so that $PA = PD$ and $PB = PC$. If O is the circumcenter of triangle PAB , prove that OP is perpendicular to CD .

2. Find all functions $f : \mathbb{Q}^+ \rightarrow \mathbb{Q}^+$ such that for all $x \in \mathbb{Q}^+$,

$$f(x+1) = f(x) + 1 \quad \text{and} \quad f(x^3) = f(x)^3.$$

3. If a_1, a_2, \dots, a_r are arbitrary real numbers, prove the inequality

$$\sum_{n=1}^r \sum_{m=1}^r \frac{a_m a_n}{m+n} \geq 0.$$

Second Day

4. The sequence of functions $f_n : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ is defined by $f_0(x) = 8$ and

$$f_{n+1}(x) = \sqrt{x^2 + 6f_n(x)} \quad \text{for all } x.$$

For every integer $n \geq 0$, solve the equation $f_n(x) = 2x$.

5. The base of a regular pyramid is a regular $2n$ -gon $A_1A_2 \dots A_{2n}$. A sphere passing through the top vertex S intersects the lateral edge SA_i at B_i for $i = 1, 2, \dots, 2n$.

$$\text{Prove that } \sum_{i=1}^n SB_{2i-1} = \sum_{i=1}^n SB_{2i}.$$

6. Prove that for each positive integer k , $(k^3)!$ is divisible by $(k!)^{k^2+k+1}$.