

# Romanian Team Selection Tests 2008

## First Test

1. Given an integer  $n \geq 2$ , find all sets  $A \subseteq \mathbb{Z}$  with  $n$  elements such that the sum of the elements of any nonempty subset of  $A$  is not divisible by  $n + 1$ .
2. Let  $a_i, b_i$  be positive real numbers,  $i \in \{1, 2, \dots, n\}$ ,  $n \geq 2$  such that  $a_i < b_i$  for all  $i$ . Assume that for all  $i$ :

$$b_1 + \dots + b_n < 1 + a_1 + \dots + a_n.$$

Prove that there exists  $c \in \mathbb{R}$  such that for all  $i \in \{1, 2, \dots, n\}$  and all  $k \in \mathbb{Z}$  the following inequality holds:

$$(a_i + c + k)(b_i + c + k) > 0.$$

3. Let  $ABCDEF$  be a convex hexagon with all the sides of length 1. Prove that at least one of the radii of the circumcircles of  $\triangle ACE$  and  $\triangle BDF$  is greater than or equal to 1.
4. Prove that there exists a set  $S$  of  $n - 2$  points inside a convex  $n$ -gon  $P$ , such that inside any triangle determined by three vertices of  $P$  there is exactly one point from  $S$  (inside or on the edges).
5. Find the greatest common divisor of the numbers:

$$2^{561} - 2, 3^{561} - 3, \dots, 561^{561} - 561.$$

## Second Test

1. Assume that  $n \geq 3$  is an odd integer. Determine the maximal value of

$$\sqrt{|x_1 - x_2|} + \sqrt{|x_2 - x_3|} + \dots + \sqrt{|x_{n-1} - x_n|} + \sqrt{|x_n - x_1|},$$

where  $x_i$  are positive real numbers from  $[0, 1]$ .

2. Do there exist a sequence of positive integers  $1 \leq a_1 < a_2 < a_3 < \dots$  such that for each  $n \in \mathbb{N}$  the set  $\{a_k + n : k = 1, 2, \dots\}$  contains finitely many prime numbers?
3. Show that each convex pentagon has a vertex  $V$  for which the length of the altitude to the opposite edge  $v$  is strictly less than the sum of the altitudes to  $v$  from the two vertices adjacent to  $V$ .
4. Let  $G$  be a connected graph with  $n$  vertices and  $m$  edges such that each edge is contained in at least one triangle. Find the minimum value of  $m$ .

### Third Test

1. Let  $ABC$  be a triangle with  $\angle BAC < \angle CAB$ . Denote by  $D$  and  $E$  points on the sides  $AC$  and  $AB$  such that  $\angle ACB = \angle BED$ . Let  $F$  be a point in the interior of the quadrilateral  $BCDE$  such that the circumcircle of  $\triangle BCF$  is tangent to the circumcircle of  $\triangle DEF$  and the circumcircle of  $\triangle BEF$  is tangent to the circumcircle of  $\triangle CDF$ . Prove that the points  $A, C, E, F$  lie on a circle.
2. Let  $ABC$  be an acute triangle with orthocenter  $H$  and let  $X$  be an arbitrary point in its plane. The circle with diameter  $HX$  intersects the lines  $AH$  and  $AX$  at  $A_1$  and  $A_2$  respectively. The points  $B_1, B_2, C_1, C_2$  are defined analogously. Prove that the lines  $A_1A_2, B_1B_2$ , and  $C_1C_2$  are concurrent.
3. Given positive integers  $m, n \geq 3$ , prove that  $2^m - 1 \nmid 3^n - 1$ .
4. Let  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ . A set of people is called  $n$ -balanced if in any subset of 3 persons there exist at least two who know each other, and in any subsets of  $n$  persons there are two who don't know each other. Prove that  $n$ -balanced set can have at most  $(n-1)(n+2)/2$  persons.

### Fourth Test

1. Let  $ABCD$  be a convex quadrilateral. Let  $O$  be the intersection of the diagonals  $AC$  and  $BD$ ,  $P$  the intersection of the lines  $AB$  and  $CD$ , and  $Q$  the intersection of the lines  $BC$  and  $DA$ . Denote by  $R$  the feet of perpendicular from  $O$  to the line  $PQ$ . Prove that the feet of perpendiculars from  $O$  to the lines determined by the sides of  $ABCD$  belong to a circle.
2. Let  $m, n \geq 1$  be two relatively prime integers. For each integer  $s$  determine the number of  $m$ -element sets  $A \subseteq \{1, 2, \dots, m+n-1\}$  such that

$$\sum_{x \in A} x \equiv s \pmod{n}.$$

3. Let  $n \geq 3$  be an integer and let  $m \geq 2^{n-1} + 1$ . Prove that for each family of nonzero distinct subsets  $(A_j)_{j=1}^m$  of  $\{1, 2, \dots, n\}$  there exist indices  $i, j, k$  such that  $A_i \cup A_j = A_k$ ?

### Fifth Test

1. Find all  $n \in \mathbb{N}$  for which there exists a permutation  $\sigma$  of the set  $\{1, 2, \dots, n\}$  such that the sets

$$\{|\sigma(k) - k| : k \in \{1, 2, \dots, n\}\}$$

has exactly  $n$  elements.

2. Denote by  $k_a, k_b, k_c$  the circles whose diameters are the medians  $m_a, m_b, m_c$  of  $\triangle ABC$ , respectively. If two of these circles are tangent to the incircle of  $\triangle ABC$ , prove that the third circle is tangent as well.
3. Let  $\mathcal{P}$  be a square. For each  $n \in \mathbb{N}$  denote by  $f(n)$  the maximal number of elements of a partition of  $\mathcal{P}$  into rectangles such that each line which is parallel to some side of  $\mathcal{P}$  intersects at most  $n$  interiors of rectangles. Prove that

$$3 \cdot 2^{n-1} - 2 \leq f(n) \leq 3^n - 2.$$