

Bulgarian Mathematical Olympiad 1991, III Round

First Day

1. Prove that if x_1, x_2, \dots, x_k are mutually different (there are no two equal) (it is not required to be sequential) members of the arithmetic progression $2, 5, 8, 11, \dots$ for which:

$$\frac{1}{x_1} + \frac{1}{x_2} + \dots + \frac{1}{x_k} = 1$$

then its number is greater than 8 ($k \geq 8$).

2. On the hypotenuse AB of a right-angled triangle ABC is fixed a point P . Let $\ell \rightarrow$ is a ray formed by the line BC with starting point C and not containing the point B . For each point $T \neq C$ from $\ell \rightarrow$ with S is denoted the intersection point of the lines PT and AC and M is the intersection point of the lines BS and AT . Find the locus of the point M when T is moving on the ray $\ell \rightarrow$.
3. Let Oxy is a right-angled plane coordinate system. A point $A(x, y)$ is called rational if its coordinates are rational numbers (for example the point $A_0(-1, 0)$ is a rational point). Let k is a circle with the beginning of the coordinate system and with radii 1.

- (a) Prove that $A(x, y) \neq A_0$ is a rational point from k if and only if

$$x = \frac{1-p^2}{1+p^2}, \quad y = \frac{2p}{1+p^2}$$

for some rational number p .

- (b) Find an infinite sequence $A_1(x_1, y_1), A_2(x_2, y_2), \dots, A_n(x_n, y_n), \dots$ that consists from mutually different points from k in such a way that $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} A_n = A_0$
(i. e. $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} x_n = -1$ and $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} y_n = 0$ and the length of the segment $A_n A_0$ is a rational number for: $n = 1, 2, \dots$
- (c) Prove that for each arc from k we may choose at least two rational points such that the length of the distance between them is a rational number.

Second day

4. (a) Prove that if a, b, c are positive real numbers for which the following inequality is satisfied

$$(a^2 + b^2 + c^2)^2 > 2(a^4 + b^4 + c^4)$$

then there exists a triangle with sides a, b and c .

- (b) Prove that if a, b, c, d are positive real numbers for which the following inequality is satisfied

$$(a^2 + b^2 + c^2 + d^2)^2 > 3(a^4 + b^4 + c^4 + d^4)$$

then can be formed a triangle with sides equal to any three from the numbers given.

5. Prove that if from the angle bisectors of a given triangle can be constructed a triangle similar to the triangle given. Then the triangle given is an equilateral triangle.
6. Let the natural number $n \geq 3$ is presented as a sum of $k \geq 2$ natural numbers

$$n = x_1 + x_2 + \cdots + x_k$$

in such a way that $x_i \leq \frac{n}{2}$ for each $i = 1, 2, \dots, k$. Prove that the vertices of an n -gon can be colored in k -colors in such a way that x_1 vertices are colored in the first color, x_2 vertices are colored in the second color, \dots, x_k vertices are colored in the k -th color and every two different vertices are colored in different colors.