

Thailand Mathematical Olympiad 2007 - then it was named as 4th POSN Mathematical Olympiad

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– Day 1

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- 1** In a circle $\odot O$, radius OA is perpendicular to radius OB . Chord AC intersects OB at E so that the length of arc AC is one-third the circumference of $\odot O$. Point D is chosen on OB so that $CD \perp AB$. Suppose that segment AC is 2 units longer than segment OD . What is the length of segment AC ?
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- 2** Let $ABCD$ be a cyclic quadrilateral so that arcs AB and BC are equal. Given that $AD = 6$, $BD = 4$ and $CD = 1$, compute AB .
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- 3** A triangle $\triangle ABC$ has $\angle B = 90^\circ$. A circle is tangent to AB at B and also tangent to AC . Another circle is tangent to the first circle as well as the two sides AB and AC . Suppose that $AB = \sqrt{3}$ and $BC = 3$. What is the radius of the second circle?
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- 4** A triangle $\triangle ABC$ has $AC = 16$ and $BC = 12$. E and F are points on AC and BC , respectively, so that $CE = 3CF$. Let M be the midpoint of AB , and let lines EF and CM intersect at G . Compute the ratio $EG : GF$.
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- 5** A triangle $\triangle ABC$ has $\angle A = 90^\circ$, and a point D is chosen on AC . Point F is the foot of altitude from A to BC . Suppose that $BD = DC = CF = 2$. Compute AC .
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- 6** Let M be the midpoint of a given segment BC . Point A is chosen to maximize $\angle ABC$ while subject to the condition that $\angle MAC = 20^\circ$. What is the ratio BC/BA ?
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- 7** Let a, b, c be complex numbers such that $a + b + c = 1$, $a^2 + b^2 + c^2 = 2$ and $a^3 + b^3 + c^3 = 3$. Find the value of $a^4 + b^4 + c^4$.
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- 8** Let x_1, x_2, \dots, x_{84} be the roots of the equation $x^{84} + 7x - 6 = 0$. Compute $\sum_{k=1}^{84} \frac{x_k}{x_k - 1}$.
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- 9** Let $f : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be a function satisfying the equation $f(x^2 + x + 3) + 2f(x^2 - 3x + 5) = 6x^2 - 10x + 17$ for all real numbers x . What is the value of $f(85)$?
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- 10** Find the smallest positive integer n such that the equation $\sqrt{3}z^{n+1} - z^n - 1 = 0$ has a root on the unit circle.
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- 11** Compute the number of functions $f : \{1, 2, \dots, 2550\} \rightarrow \{61, 80, 84\}$ such that $\sum_{k=1}^{2550} f(k)$ is divisible by 3.

12 An alien with four feet wants to wear four identical socks and four identical shoes, where on each foot a sock must be put on before a shoe. How many ways are there for the alien to wear socks and shoes?

13 Let $S = \{1, 2, \dots, 8\}$. How many ways are there to select two disjoint subsets of S ?

14 The sum

$$\sum_{k=84}^{8000} \binom{k}{84} \binom{8084-k}{84}$$

can be written as a binomial coefficient $\binom{a}{b}$ for integers a, b . Find a possible pair (a, b)

15 Compute the remainder when $222!^{111} + 111!^{222} + 111!^{222} + 222!^{111}$ is divided by 2007.

16 What is the smallest positive integer with 24 positive divisors?

17 Compute the product of positive integers n such that $n^2 + 59n + 881$ is a perfect square.

18 Let p_k be the k -th prime number. Find the remainder when $\sum_{k=2}^{2550} p_k^4 - 1$ is divided by 2550.

– Day 2 (proof based)

1 Find all functions $f : R \rightarrow R$ such that the inequality

$$\sum_{i=1}^{2549} f(x_i + x_{i+1}) + f\left(\sum_{i=1}^{2550} x_i\right) \leq \sum_{i=1}^{2550} f(2x_i)$$

for all reals $x_1, x_2, \dots, x_{2550}$.

2 In a dance party there are n girls and n boys, and some m songs are played. Each song is danced to by at least one pair of a boy and a girl, who both receive a *malai* each. Prove that for all positive integers $k \leq n$, it is possible to select k boys and $n - k$ girls so that the n selected people received at least m malai in total.

3 Two circles intersect at X and Y . The line through the centers of the circles intersect the first circle at A and C , and intersect the second circle at B and D so that A, B, C, D lie in this order. The common chord XY cuts BC at P , and a point O is arbitrarily chosen on segment XP . Lines CO and BO are extended to intersect the first and second circles at M and N , respectively. If lines AM and DN intersect at Z , prove that X, Y and Z lie on the same line.

4 Find all primes p such that $\frac{2^{p-1}-1}{p}$ is a perfect square.

- 5 The freshman class of a school consists of 229 boys and 271 girls, and is divided into 10 rooms of 50 students each, the students in each room are numbered from 1 to 50. The physical education teacher wants to select a relay running team consisting of 1 boy and 3 girls or 1 girl and 3 boys, so that the four students must be two pairs of students with the same number from two rooms. Show that the number of possible teams is odd.
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- 6 A triangle has perimeter $2s$, inradius r , and incenter I . If s_a , s_b and s_c are the distances from I to the three vertices, then show that

$$\frac{3}{4} + \frac{r}{s_a} + \frac{r}{s_b} + \frac{r}{s_c} \leq \frac{s^2}{12r^2}$$
