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– Day 1

**P1** A finite set  $M$  of real numbers has the following properties:  $M$  has at least 4 elements, and there exists a bijective function  $f : M \rightarrow M$ , different from the identity, such that  $ab \leq f(a)f(b)$  for all  $a \neq b \in M$ . Prove that the sum of the elements of  $M$  is 0.

**P2** At first, on a board, the number 1 is written 100 times. Every minute, we pick a number  $a$  from the board, erase it, and write  $a/3$  thrice instead. We say that a positive integer  $n$  is *persistent* if after any amount of time, regardless of the numbers we pick, we can find at least  $n$  equal numbers on the board. Find the greatest persistent number.

**P3** Let  $ABCD$  be a convex quadrilateral and let  $O$  be the intersection of its diagonals. Let  $P, Q, R,$  and  $S$  be the projections of  $O$  on  $AB, BC, CD,$  and  $DA$  respectively. Prove that

$$2(OP + OQ + OR + OS) \leq AB + BC + CD + DA.$$

**P4** For every positive integer  $N \geq 2$  with prime factorisation  $N = p_1^{a_1} p_2^{a_2} \cdots p_k^{a_k}$  we define

$$f(N) := 1 + p_1 a_1 + p_2 a_2 + \cdots + p_k a_k.$$

Let  $x_0 \geq 2$  be a positive integer. We define the sequence  $x_{n+1} = f(x_n)$  for all  $n \geq 0$ . Prove that this sequence is eventually periodic and determine its fundamental period.

– Day 2

**P1** Determine all functions  $f : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  such that all real numbers  $x$  and  $y$  satisfy

$$f(f(x) + y) = f(x^2 - y) + 4f(x)y.$$

**P2** On a board there is a regular polygon  $A_1 A_2 \dots A_{99}$ . Ana and Barbu alternatively occupy empty vertices of the polygon and write down triangles on a list: Ana only writes obtuse triangles, while Barbu only writes acute ones.

At the first turn, Ana chooses three vertices  $X, Y$  and  $Z$  and writes down  $\triangle XYZ$ . Then, Barbu chooses two of  $X, Y$  and  $Z$ , for example  $X$  and  $Y$ , and an unchosen vertex  $T$ , and writes down  $\triangle XYT$ . The game goes on and at each turn, the player must choose a new vertex  $R$  and write

down  $\triangle PQR$ , where  $P$  is the last vertex chosen by the other player, and  $Q$  is one of the other vertices of the last triangle written down by the other player.

If one player cannot perform a move, then the other one wins. If both people play optimally, determine who has a winning strategy.

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**P3** Let be given a parallelogram  $ABCD$  and two points  $A_1, C_1$  on its sides  $AB, BC$ , respectively. Lines  $AC_1$  and  $CA_1$  meet at  $P$ . Assume that the circumcircles of triangles  $AA_1P$  and  $CC_1P$  intersect at the second point  $Q$  inside triangle  $ACD$ . Prove that  $\angle PDA = \angle QBA$ .

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**P4** Let  $p \geq 3$  be an odd positive integer. Show that  $p$  is prime if and only if however we choose  $(p+1)/2$  pairwise distinct positive integers, we can find two of them,  $a$  and  $b$ , such that  $(a+b)/\gcd(a,b) \geq p$ .

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