

**Final Round - Korea 2006**

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**Day 1**

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- 1 In a triangle  $ABC$  with  $AB \neq AC$ , the incircle touches the sides  $BC, CA, AB$  at  $D, E, F$ , respectively. Line  $AD$  meets the incircle again at  $P$ . The line  $EF$  and the line through  $P$  perpendicular to  $AD$  meet at  $Q$ . Line  $AQ$  intersects  $DE$  at  $X$  and  $DF$  at  $Y$ . Prove that  $A$  is the midpoint of  $XY$ .
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- 2 For a positive integer  $a$ , let  $S_a$  be the set of primes  $p$  for which there exists an odd integer  $b$  such that  $p$  divides  $(2^{2^a})^b - 1$ . Prove that for every  $a$  there exist infinitely many primes that are not contained in  $S_a$ .
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- 3 Three schools  $A, B$  and  $C$ , each with  $v_i$  players denoted  $a_i, b_i, c_i$  respectively, take part in a chess tournament. The tournament is held following the rules:
- (i) Players from each school have matches in order with respect to indices, and defeated players are eliminated; the first match is between  $a_1$  and  $b_1$ .
  - (ii) If  $y_j \in Y$  defeats  $x_i \in X$ , his next opponent should be from the remaining school if not all of its players are eliminated; otherwise his next opponent is  $x_{i+1}$ . The tournament is over when two schools are completely eliminated.
  - (iii) When  $x_i$  wins a match, its school wins  $10^{i-1}$  points.
- At the end of the tournament, schools  $A, B, C$  scored  $P_A, P_B, P_C$  respectively. Find the remainder of the number of possible triples  $(P_A, P_B, P_C)$  upon division by 8.
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**Day 2**

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- 1 Given three distinct real numbers  $a_1, a_2, a_3$ , define  $b_j = (1 + \frac{a_j a_i}{a_j - a_i})(1 + \frac{a_j a_k}{a_j - a_k})$ , where  $\{i, j, k\} = \{1, 2, 3\}$ .  
Prove that  $1 + |a_1 b_1 + a_2 b_2 + a_3 b_3| \leq (1 + |a_1|)(1 + |a_2|)(1 + |a_3|)$  and find the cases of equality.
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- 2 In a convex hexagon  $ABCDEF$  triangles  $ABC, CDE, EFA$  are similar. Find conditions on these triangles under which triangle  $ACE$  is equilateral if and only if so is  $BDF$ .
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- 3 A positive integer  $N$  is said to be  $n$ -good if
- (i)  $N$  has at least  $n$  distinct prime divisors, and
  - (ii) there exist distinct positive divisors  $1, x_2, \dots, x_n$  whose sum is  $N$ .
- Show that there exists an  $n$ -good number for each  $n \geq 6$ .
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