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**Day 1**

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- 1** We consider two sequences of real numbers  $x_1 \geq x_2 \geq \dots \geq x_n$  and  $y_1 \geq y_2 \geq \dots \geq y_n$ . Let  $z_1, z_2, \dots, z_n$  be a permutation of the numbers  $y_1, y_2, \dots, y_n$ . Prove that  $\sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - y_i)^2 \leq \sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - z_i)^2$ .
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- 2** Let  $a_1, \dots, a_n$  be an infinite sequence of strictly positive integers, so that  $a_k < a_{k+1}$  for any  $k$ . Prove that there exists an infinity of terms  $a_m$ , which can be written like  $a_m = x \cdot a_p + y \cdot a_q$  with  $x, y$  strictly positive integers and  $p \neq q$ .
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- 3** In the plane of a triangle  $ABC$ , in its exterior, we draw the triangles  $ABR, BCP, CAQ$  so that  $\angle PBC = \angle CAQ = 45^\circ, \angle BCP = \angle QCA = 30^\circ, \angle ABR = \angle RAB = 15^\circ$ .  
Prove that  
**a.)**  $\angle QRP = 90^\circ$ , and  
**b.)**  $QR = RP$ .
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**Day 2**

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- 4** When  $4444^{4444}$  is written in decimal notation, the sum of its digits is  $A$ . Let  $B$  be the sum of the digits of  $A$ . Find the sum of the digits of  $B$ . ( $A$  and  $B$  are written in decimal notation.)
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- 5** Can there be drawn on a circle of radius 1 a number of 1975 distinct points, so that the distance (measured on the chord) between any two points (from the considered points) is a rational number?
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- 6** Determine the polynomials  $P$  of two variables so that:  
**a.)** for any real numbers  $t, x, y$  we have  $P(tx, ty) = t^n P(x, y)$  where  $n$  is a positive integer, the same for all  $t, x, y$ ;  
**b.)** for any real numbers  $a, b, c$  we have  $P(a + b, c) + P(b + c, a) + P(c + a, b) = 0$ ;  
**c.)**  $P(1, 0) = 1$ .
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