

**Spain Mathematical Olympiad 2014**[www.artofproblemsolving.com/community/c3999](http://www.artofproblemsolving.com/community/c3999)

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**Day 1**

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- 1 Is it possible to place the numbers  $0, 1, 2, \dots, 9$  on a circle so that the sum of any three consecutive numbers is a) 13, b) 14, c) 15?
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- 2 Given the rational numbers  $r, q,$  and  $n,$  such that  $\frac{1}{r+qn} + \frac{1}{q+rn} = \frac{1}{r+q},$  prove that  $\sqrt{\frac{n-3}{n+1}}$  is a rational number.
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- 3 Let  $B$  and  $C$  be two fixed points on a circle centered at  $O$  that are not diametrically opposed. Let  $A$  be a variable point on the circle distinct from  $B$  and  $C$  and not belonging to the perpendicular bisector of  $BC.$  Let  $H$  be the orthocenter of  $\triangle ABC,$  and  $M$  and  $N$  be the midpoints of the segments  $BC$  and  $AH,$  respectively. The line  $AM$  intersects the circle again at  $D,$  and finally,  $NM$  and  $OD$  intersect at  $P.$  Determine the locus of points  $P$  as  $A$  moves around the circle.
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**Day 2**

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- 1 Let  $(x_n)$  be a sequence of positive integers defined by  $x_1 = 2$  and  $x_{n+1} = 2x_n^3 + x_n$  for all integers  $n \geq 1.$  Determine the largest power of 5 that divides  $x_{2014}^2 + 1.$
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- 2 Let  $M$  be the set of all integers in the form of  $a^2 + 13b^2,$  where  $a$  and  $b$  are distinct itegers.
- i) Prove that the product of any two elements of  $M$  is also an element of  $M.$
- ii) Determine, reasonably, if there exist infinite pairs of integers  $(x, y)$  so that  $x + y \notin M$  but  $x^{13} + y^{13} \in M.$
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- 3 60 points are on the interior of a unit circle (a circle with radius 1). Show that there exists a point  $V$  on the circumference of the circle such that the sum of the distances from  $V$  to the 60 points is less than or equal to 80.
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