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Day 1

1 Find all triplets of natural numbers (a, b, c) that satisfy the equation $abc = a + b + c + 1$.

2 In each cell of an $n \times n$ board is a lightbulb. Initially, all of the lights are off. Each move consists of changing the state of all of the lights in a row or of all of the lights in a column (off lights are turned on and on lights are turned off).

Show that if after a certain number of moves, at least one light is on, then at this moment at least n lights are on.

3 Let C_1 and C_2 be externally tangent at a point A . A line tangent to C_1 at B intersects C_2 at C and D ; then the segment AB is extended to intersect C_2 at a point E . Let F be the midpoint of CD that does not contain E , and let H be the intersection of BF with C_2 . Show that CD , AF , and EH are concurrent.

Day 2

1 Let n be a positive integer. In an $n \times 4$ table, each row is equal to

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
|---|---|---|---|

A *change* is taking three consecutive boxes in the same row with different digits in them and changing the digits in these boxes as follows:

$$0 \rightarrow 1, 1 \rightarrow 2, 2 \rightarrow 0.$$

For example, a row

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
|---|---|---|---|

 can be changed to the row

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 |
|---|---|---|---|

 but not to

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| 2 | 1 | 2 | 1 |
|---|---|---|---|

 because 0, 1, and 0 are not distinct.

Changes can be applied as often as wanted, even to items already changed. Show that for $n < 12$, it is not possible to perform a finite number of changes so that the sum of the elements in each column is equal.

- 2 Let ABC be an acute triangle with $AB \neq AC$, M be the median of BC , and H be the orthocenter of $\triangle ABC$. The circumcircle of $B, H,$ and C intersects the median AM at N . Show that $\angle ANH = 90^\circ$.
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- 3 Let $p, q,$ and r be distinct positive prime numbers. Show that if

$$pqr \mid (pq)^r + (qr)^p + (rp)^q - 1,$$

then

$$(pqr)^3 \mid 3((pq)^r + (qr)^p + (rp)^q - 1).$$
