



**Olympic Revenge 2009**

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**1** Given a scalene triangle  $ABC$  with circumcenter  $O$  and circumscribed circle  $\Gamma$ . Let  $D, E, F$  the midpoints of  $BC, AC, AB$ . Let  $M = OE \cap AD, N = OF \cap AD$  and  $P = CM \cap BN$ . Let  $X = AO \cap PE, Y = AP \cap OF$ . Let  $r$  the tangent of  $\Gamma$  through  $A$ . Prove that  $r, EF, XY$  are concurrent.

**2** Prove that  $\int_0^{\frac{\pi}{2}} \arctg(1 - \sin^2 x \cos^2 x) dx = \frac{\pi^2}{4} - \pi \arctg \sqrt{\frac{\sqrt{2}-1}{2}}$

**3** Let  $ABC$  to be a triangle with incenter  $I$ .  $\omega_A, \omega_B$  and  $\omega_C$  are the incircles of the triangles  $BIC, CIA$  and  $AIB$ , respectively. After all,  $T$  is the tangent point between  $\omega_A$  and  $BC$ . Prove that the other internal common tangent to  $\omega_B$  and  $\omega_C$  passes through the point  $T$ .

**4** Let  $d_i(k)$  the number of divisors of  $k$  greater than  $i$ .  
Let  $f(n) = \sum_{i=1}^{\lfloor \frac{n^2}{2} \rfloor} d_i(n^2 - i) - 2 \sum_{i=1}^{\lfloor \frac{n}{2} \rfloor} d_i(n - i)$ .  
Find all  $n \in \mathbb{N}$  such that  $f(n)$  is a perfect square.

**5** Thin and Fat eat a pizza of  $2n$  pieces. Each piece contains a distinct amount of olives between 1 and  $2n$ . Thin eats the first piece, and the two players alternately eat a piece neighbor of an eaten piece. However, neither Thin nor Fat like olives, so they will choose pieces that minimizes the total amount of olives they eat. For each arrangement  $\sigma$  of the olives, let  $s(\sigma)$  the minimal amount of olives that Thin can eat, considering that both play in the best way possible. Let  $S(n)$  the maximum of  $s(\sigma)$ , considering all arrangements. a) Prove that  $n^2 - 1 + \lfloor \frac{n}{2} \rfloor \leq S(n) \leq n^2 + \lfloor \frac{n}{2} \rfloor$  b) Prove that  $S(n) = n^2 - 1 + \frac{n}{2}$  for each even  $n$ .

**6** Let  $a, n \in \mathbb{Z}_+^*$ .  $a$  is defined inductively in the base  $n$ -recursive. We first write  $a$  in the base  $n$ , e.g., as a sum of terms of the form  $k_t n^t$ , with  $0 \leq k_t < n$ . For each exponent  $t$ , we write  $t$  in the base  $n$ -recursive, until all the numbers in the representation are less than  $n$ . For instance,

$$\begin{aligned} 1309 &= 3^6 + 2 \cdot 3^5 + 1 \cdot 3^4 + 1 \cdot 3^2 + 1 \cdot 3 + 1 \\ &= 3^{2 \cdot 3} + 2 \cdot 3^{3+2} + 1 \cdot 3^{3+1} + 1 \cdot 3^2 + 1 \end{aligned}$$

Let  $x_1 \in \mathbb{Z}$  arbitrary. We define  $x_n$  recursively, as following: if  $x_{n-1} > 0$ , we write  $x_{n-1}$  in the base  $n$ -recursive and we replace all the numbers  $n$  for  $n+1$  (even the exponents!), so we obtain the successor of  $x_n$ . If  $x_{n-1} = 0$ , then  $x_n = 0$ .

Example:

$$x_1 = 2^{2^2+2+1} + 2^{2+1} + 2 + 1$$

$$\Rightarrow x_2 = 3^{3^3+3+1} + 3^{3+1} + 3$$

$$\Rightarrow x_3 = 4^{4^4+4+1} + 4^{4+1} + 3$$

$$\Rightarrow x_4 = 5^{5^5+5+1} + 5^{5+1} + 2$$

$$\Rightarrow x_5 = 6^{6^6+6+1} + 6^{6+1} + 1$$

$$\Rightarrow x_6 = 7^{7^7+7+1} + 7^{7+1}$$

$$\Rightarrow x_7 = 8^{8^8+8+1} + 7.8^8 + 7.8^7 + 7.8^6 + \dots + 7$$

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Prove that  $\exists N : x_N = 0$ .

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