

China Team Selection Test 2007

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– TST

Day 1

- 1** Points A and B lie on the circle with center O . Let point C lies outside the circle; let CS and CT be tangents to the circle. M be the midpoint of minor arc AB of (O) . MS , MT intersect AB at points E , F respectively. The lines passing through E , F perpendicular to AB cut OS , OT at X and Y respectively. A line passed through C intersect the circle (O) at P , Q (P lies on segment CQ). Let R be the intersection of MP and AB , and let Z be the circumcentre of triangle PQR . Prove that: X , Y , Z are collinear.

- 2** A rational number x is called *good* if it satisfies: $x = \frac{p}{q} > 1$ with p, q being positive integers, $\gcd(p, q) = 1$ and there exists constant numbers α, N such that for any integer $n \geq N$,

$$|\{x^n\} - \alpha| \leq \frac{1}{2(p+q)}$$

Find all the good numbers.

- 3** There are 63 points arbitrarily on the circle C with its diameter being 20. Let S denote the number of triangles whose vertices are three of the 63 points and the length of its sides is no less than 9. Find the maximum of S .

Day 2

- 1** Find all functions $f : \mathbb{Q}^+ \mapsto \mathbb{Q}^+$ such that:

$$f(x) + f(y) + 2xyf(xy) = \frac{f(xy)}{f(x+y)}.$$

- 2** Let x_1, \dots, x_n be $n > 1$ real numbers satisfying $A = |\sum_{i=1}^n x_i| \neq 0$ and $B = \max_{1 \leq i < j \leq n} |x_j - x_i| \neq 0$. Prove that for any n vectors $\vec{\alpha}_i$ in the plane, there exists a permutation (k_1, \dots, k_n) of the numbers $(1, \dots, n)$ such that

$$\left| \sum_{i=1}^n x_{k_i} \vec{\alpha}_i \right| \geq \frac{AB}{2A+B} \max_{1 \leq i \leq n} |\alpha_i|.$$

- 3** Let n be a positive integer, let A be a subset of $\{1, 2, \dots, n\}$, satisfying for any two numbers $x, y \in A$, the least common multiple of x, y not more than n . Show that $|A| \leq 1.9\sqrt{n} + 5$.

– Quiz 1

- 1** When all vertex angles of a convex polygon are equal, call it equiangular. Prove that $p > 2$ is a prime number, if and only if the lengths of all sides of equiangular p polygon are rational numbers, it is a regular p polygon.

- 2** Let I be the incenter of triangle ABC . Let M, N be the midpoints of AB, AC , respectively. Points D, E lie on AB, AC respectively such that $BD = CE = BC$. The line perpendicular to IM through D intersects the line perpendicular to IN through E at P . Prove that $AP \perp BC$.

- 3** Prove that for any positive integer n , there exists only n degree polynomial $f(x)$, satisfying $f(0) = 1$ and $(x+1)[f(x)]^2 - 1$ is an odd function.

– Quiz 2

- 1** $u, v, w > 0$, such that $u + v + w + \sqrt{uvw} = 4$
prove that $\sqrt{\frac{uv}{w}} + \sqrt{\frac{vw}{u}} + \sqrt{\frac{wu}{v}} \geq u + v + w$

- 2** Find all positive integers n such that there exists sequence consisting of 1 and $-1 : a_1, a_2, \dots, a_n$ satisfying $a_1 \cdot 1^2 + a_2 \cdot 2^2 + \dots + a_n \cdot n^2 = 0$.

- 3** Assume there are $n \geq 3$ points in the plane, Prove that there exist three points A, B, C satisfying $1 \leq \frac{AB}{AC} \leq \frac{n+1}{n-1}$.

– Quiz 3

- 1** Let ABC be a triangle. Circle ω passes through points B and C . Circle ω_1 is tangent internally to ω and also to sides AB and AC at T, P , and Q , respectively. Let M be midpoint of arc BC (containing T) of ω . Prove that lines PQ, BC , and MT are concurrent.

- 2** Given an integer $k > 1$. We call a k -digits decimal integer $a_1a_2 \dots a_k$ is p -monotonic, if for each of integers i satisfying $1 \leq i \leq k-1$, when a_i is an odd number, $a_i > a_{i+1}$; when a_i is an even number, $a_i < a_{i+1}$. Find the number of p -monotonic k -digits integers.

- 3** Show that there exists a positive integer k such that $k \cdot 2^n + 1$ is composite for all $n \in \mathbb{N}_0$.

– Quiz 4

- 1 Let a_1, a_2, \dots, a_n be positive real numbers satisfying $a_1 + a_2 + \dots + a_n = 1$. Prove that

$$(a_1a_2 + a_2a_3 + \dots + a_na_1) \left(\frac{a_1}{a_2^2 + a_2} + \frac{a_2}{a_3^2 + a_3} + \dots + \frac{a_n}{a_1^2 + a_1} \right) \geq \frac{n}{n+1}$$

- 2 After multiplying out and simplifying polynomial $(x-1)(x^2-1)(x^3-1)\dots(x^{2007}-1)$, getting rid of all terms whose powers are greater than 2007, we acquire a new polynomial $f(x)$. Find its degree and the coefficient of the term having the highest power. Find the degree of $f(x) = (1-x)(1-x^2)\dots(1-x^{2007}) \pmod{x^{2008}}$.

- 3 Let n be positive integer, $A, B \subseteq [0, n]$ are sets of integers satisfying $|A| + |B| \geq n+2$. Prove that there exist $a \in A, b \in B$ such that $a+b$ is a power of 2.

– Quiz 5

- 1 Let convex quadrilateral $ABCD$ be inscribed in a circle centers at O . The opposite sides BA, CD meet at H , the diagonals AC, BD meet at G . Let O_1, O_2 be the circumcenters of triangles AGD, BGC . O_1O_2 intersects OG at N . The line HG cuts the circumcircles of triangles AGD, BGC at P, Q , respectively. Denote by M the midpoint of PQ . Prove that $NO = NM$.

- 2 Given n points arbitrarily in the plane P_1, P_2, \dots, P_n , among them no three points are collinear. Each of P_i ($1 \leq i \leq n$) is colored red or blue arbitrarily. Let S be the set of triangles having $\{P_1, P_2, \dots, P_n\}$ as vertices, and having the following property: for any two segments P_iP_j and P_uP_v , the number of triangles having P_iP_j as side and the number of triangles having P_uP_v as side are the same in S . Find the least n such that in S there exist two triangles, the vertices of each triangle having the same color.

- 3 Find the smallest constant k such that

$$\frac{x}{\sqrt{x+y}} + \frac{y}{\sqrt{y+z}} + \frac{z}{\sqrt{z+x}} \leq k\sqrt{x+y+z}$$

for all positive x, y, z .

– Quiz 6

- 1 Find all the pairs of positive integers (a, b) such that $a^2 + b - 1$ is a power of prime number ; $a^2 + b + 1$ can divide $b^2 - a^3 - 1$, but it can't divide $(a+b-1)^2$.

- 2 Let $ABCD$ be the inscribed quadrilateral with the circumcircle ω . Let ζ be another circle that internally tangent to ω and to the lines BC and AD at points M, N respectively. Let I_1, I_2 be the incenters of the $\triangle ABC$ and $\triangle ABD$. Prove that M, I_1, I_2, N are collinear.

- 3 Consider a 7×7 numbers table $a_{ij} = (i^2 + j)(i + j^2)$, $1 \leq i, j \leq 7$. When we add arbitrarily each term of an arithmetical progression consisting of 7 integers to corresponding term of certain row (or column) in turn, call it an operation. Determine whether such that each row of numbers table is an arithmetical progression, after a finite number of operations.
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