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- Let P, Q, R be the points such that BP : PC = CQ : QA = AR : RB = t : 1 t (0 < t < 1) for a triangle ABC.
 Denote K by the area of the triangle with segments AP, BQ, CR as side lengths and L by triangle ABC, find K in terms of t.
- **2** Let *N* be the set of the whole of positive integers. The mapping from *N* to *N* is defined as follows: p(1) = 2, p(2) = 3, p(3) = 4, p(4) = 1, p(n) = n $(n \ge 5)$, q(1) = 3, q(2) = 4, q(3) = 2, q(4) = 1, p(n) = n $(n \ge 5)$. Answer the following questions.

(1) If you make a mapping $f : N \to N$ successfully, we have f such that f(f(n)) = p(n) + 2. Give an example.

(2) Prove that it is impossible that f(f(n)) = q(n) + 2 holds in regardless of any definition for $f : N \to N$.

- **3** Let *A* be a positive 16 digit integer. If you take out some consecutive digits integers among *A*, prove that we can make the product of the numbers be square number. For example if some digit of *A* is 4, you may take out only the digit.
- A rectangular of a 10 * 14 is divided into small 140 unit squares and painted in red and white like chess board as below.
 We put 0 or 1 in the square such that each row and column has an odd numbers of 1.
 Prove that the number of 1 contained in red-painted square is even.

The pattern arranged by a red and a white square alternatively.

5 Let *A* be a set of $n \ge 2$ points on a plane. Prove that there exists a circle which contains at least $\left[\frac{n}{3}\right]$ points of *A* among circles (involving perimeter) with some end points taken from *A* as the diameter, where [x] is the greatest integer which is less than or equal to *x*.

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