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**1** Take 10 points inside the circle with diameter 5. Prove that for any these 10 points there exist two points whose distance is less than 2.

2 Prove that  $\frac{(b+c-a)^2}{(b+c)^2+a^2} + \frac{(c+a-b)^2}{(c+a)^2+b^2} + \frac{(a+b-c)^2}{(a+b)^2+c^2} \ge \frac{3}{5}$ 

for any positive real numbers *a*, *b*, *c*.

**3** Call the Graph the set which composed of several vertices  $P_1, \dots P_2$  and several edges (segments) connecting two points among these vertices. Now let G be a graph with 9 vertices and satisfies the following condition.

Condition: Even if we select any five points from the vertices in G, there exist at least two edges whose endpoints are included in the set of 5 points.

What is the minimum possible numbers of edges satisfying the condition?

4 Let *A*, *B*, *C*, *D* be points in space which are not on a same plane and no any 3 points are not colinear.

Suppose that the sum of the segments AX + BX + CX + DX is minimized at  $X = X_0$  which is different from A, B, C, D. Prove that  $\angle AX_0B = \angle CX_0D$ .

**5** The letters *A* or *B* are assigned on the points divided equally into  $2^n$   $(n = 1, 2, \dots)$  parts of a circumference. If you choose *n* letters from any successively arranging points directed clockwise, prove that there exists the way of assignning for which the line of letters are mutually distinct.

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