

Czech And Slovak Mathematical Olympiad, Round III, Category A 2018

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- 1 In a group of people, there are some mutually friendly pairs. For positive integer $k \geq 3$ we say the group is k -great, if every (unordered) k -tuple of people from the group can be seated around a round table in the way that all pairs of neighbors are mutually friendly. (Since this was the 67th year of CZE/SVK MO,) show that if the group is 6-great, then it is 7-great as well.

Bonus (not included in the competition): Determine all positive integers $k \geq 3$ for which, if the group is k -great, then it is $(k + 1)$ -great as well.

- 2 Let x, y, z be real numbers such that the numbers

$$\frac{1}{|x^2 + 2yz|}, \quad \frac{1}{|y^2 + 2zx|}, \quad \frac{1}{|z^2 + 2xy|}$$

are lengths of sides of a (non-degenerate) triangle. Determine all possible values of $xy + yz + zx$.

- 3 In triangle ABC let D be an intersection of BC and the A -angle bisector. Denote E, F the circumcenters of ABD and ACD respectively. Assuming that the circumcenter of AEF lies on the line BC what is the possible size of the angle BAC ?

- 4 Let a, b, c be integers which are lengths of sides of a triangle, $\gcd(a, b, c) = 1$ and all the values

$$\frac{a^2 + b^2 - c^2}{a + b - c}, \quad \frac{b^2 + c^2 - a^2}{b + c - a}, \quad \frac{c^2 + a^2 - b^2}{c + a - b}$$

are integers as well. Show that $(a + b - c)(b + c - a)(c + a - b)$ or $2(a + b - c)(b + c - a)(c + a - b)$ is a perfect square.

- 5 Let $ABCD$ be an isosceles trapezoid with the longer base AB . Denote I the incenter of $\triangle ABC$ and J the excenter relative to the vertex C of $\triangle ACD$. Show that the lines IJ and AB are parallel.

- 6 Determine the least positive integer n with the following property for every 3-coloring of numbers $1, 2, \dots, n$ there are two (different) numbers a, b of the same color such that $|a - b|$ is a perfect square.