

**Spain Mathematical Olympiad 2018**

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– Day 1

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**1** Find all positive integers  $x$  such that  $2x + 1$  is a perfect square but none of the integers  $2x + 2, 2x + 3, \dots, 3x + 2$  are perfect squares.

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**2** Let  $n$  be a positive integer.  $2n + 1$  tokens are in a row, each being black or white. A token is said to be *balanced* if the number of white tokens on its left plus the number of black tokens on its right is  $n$ . Determine whether the number of *balanced* tokens is even or odd.

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**3** Let  $ABC$  be an acute-angled triangle with circumcenter  $O$  and let  $M$  be a point on  $AB$ . The circumcircle of  $AMO$  intersects  $AC$  a second time on  $K$  and the circumcircle of  $BOM$  intersects  $BC$  a second time on  $N$ .

Prove that  $[MNK] \geq \frac{[ABC]}{4}$  and determine the equality case.

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– Day 2

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**4** Points on a spherical surface with radius 4 are colored in 4 different colors. Prove that there exist two points with the same color such that the distance between them is either  $4\sqrt{3}$  or  $2\sqrt{6}$ .

(Distance is Euclidean, that is, the length of the straight segment between the points)

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**5** Let  $a, b$  be coprime positive integers. A positive integer  $n$  is said to be *weak* if there do not exist any nonnegative integers  $x, y$  such that  $ax + by = n$ . Prove that if  $n$  is a *weak* integer and  $n < \frac{ab}{6}$ , then there exists an integer  $k \geq 2$  such that  $kn$  is *weak*.

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**6** Find all functions such that  $f : \mathbb{R}^+ \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^+$  and  $f(x + f(y)) = yf(xy + 1)$  for every  $x, y \in \mathbb{R}^+$ .

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