

**Cono Sur Olympiad 2015**

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– **Day 1**

1 Show that, for any integer  $n$ , the number  $n^3 - 9n + 27$  is not divisible by 81.

2  $3n$  lines are drawn on the plane ( $n > 1$ ), such that no two of them are parallel and no three of them are concurrent. Prove that, if  $2n$  of the lines are coloured red and the other  $n$  lines blue, there are at least two regions of the plane such that all of their borders are red.

Note: for each region, all of its borders are contained in the original set of lines, and no line passes through the region.

3 Given a acute triangle  $PA_1B_1$  is inscribed in the circle  $\Gamma$  with radius 1. for all integers  $n \geq 1$  are defined:  $C_n$  the foot of the perpendicular from  $P$  to  $A_nB_n$   $O_n$  is the center of  $\odot(PA_nB_n)$   $A_{n+1}$  is the foot of the perpendicular from  $C_n$  to  $PA_n B_{n+1} \equiv PB_n \cap O_nA_{n+1}$

If  $PC_1 = \sqrt{2}$ , find the length of  $PO_{2015}$

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– **Day 2**

4 Let  $ABCD$  be a convex quadrilateral such that  $\angle BAD = 90^\circ$  and its diagonals  $AC$  and  $BD$  are perpendicular. Let  $M$  be the midpoint of side  $CD$ , and  $E$  be the intersection of  $BM$  and  $AC$ . Let  $F$  be a point on side  $AD$  such that  $BM$  and  $EF$  are perpendicular. If  $CE = AF\sqrt{2}$  and  $FD = CE\sqrt{2}$ , show that  $ABCD$  is a square.

5 Determine if there exists an infinite sequence of not necessarily distinct positive integers  $a_1, a_2, a_3, \dots$  such that for any positive integers  $m$  and  $n$  where  $1 \leq m < n$ , the number  $a_{m+1} + a_{m+2} + \dots + a_n$  is not divisible by  $a_1 + a_2 + \dots + a_m$ .

6 Let  $S = \{1, 2, 3, \dots, 2046, 2047, 2048\}$ . Two subsets  $A$  and  $B$  of  $S$  are said to be *friends* if the following conditions are true:

- They do not share any elements.
- They both have the same number of elements.
- The product of all elements from  $A$  equals the product of all elements from  $B$ .

Prove that there are two subsets of  $S$  that are *friends* such that each one of them contains at least 738 elements.

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