

**Moldova Team Selection Test 2019**

[www.artofproblemsolving.com/community/c844305](http://www.artofproblemsolving.com/community/c844305)

by Snakes, XxProblemDestroyer1337xX, microsoft\_office\_word, augustin\_p

– Day 1

**1** Let  $S$  be the set of all natural numbers with the property: the sum of the biggest three divisors of number  $n$ , different from  $n$ , is bigger than  $n$ . Determine the largest natural number  $k$ , which divides any number from  $S$ .  
(A natural number is a positive integer)

**2** Prove that  $E_n = \frac{\arccos \frac{n-1}{n}}{\operatorname{arccot} \sqrt{2n-1}}$  is a natural number for any natural number  $n$ .  
(A natural number is a positive integer)

**3** On the table there are written numbers  $673, 674, \dots, 2018, 2019$ . Nibab chooses arbitrarily three numbers  $a, b$  and  $c$ , erases them and writes the number  $\frac{\min(a,b,c)}{3}$ , then he continues in an analogous way. After Nibab performed this operation 673 times, on the table remained a single number  $k$ . Prove that  $k \in (0, 1)$ .

**4** Quadrilateral  $ABCD$  is inscribed in circle  $\Gamma$  with center  $O$ . Point  $I$  is the incenter of triangle  $ABC$ , and point  $J$  is the incenter of the triangle  $ABD$ . Line  $IJ$  intersects segments  $AD, AC, BD, BC$  at points  $P, M, N$  and, respectively  $Q$ . The perpendicular from  $M$  to line  $AC$  intersects the perpendicular from  $N$  to line  $BD$  at point  $X$ . The perpendicular from  $P$  to line  $AD$  intersects the perpendicular from  $Q$  to line  $BC$  at point  $Y$ . Prove that  $X, O, Y$  are colinear.

– Day 2

**5** Point  $H$  is the orthocenter of the scalene triangle  $ABC$ . A line, which passes through point  $H$ , intersect the sides  $AB$  and  $AC$  at points  $D$  and  $E$ , respectively, such that  $AD = AE$ . Let  $M$  be the midpoint of side  $BC$ . Line  $MH$  intersects the circumscribed circle of triangle  $ABC$  at point  $K$ , which is on the smaller arc  $AB$ . Prove that Nibab can draw a circle through  $A, D, E$  and  $K$ .

**6** Let  $a, b, c \geq 0$  such that  $a + b + c = 1$  and  $s \geq 5$ .  
Prove that  $s(a^2 + b^2 + c^2) \leq 3(s - 3)(a^3 + b^3 + c^3) + 1$

**7** Let  $P(X) = a_{2n+1}X^{2n+1} + a_{2n}X^{2n} + \dots + a_1X + a_0$  be a polynomial with all positive coefficients. Prove that there exists a permutation  $(b_{2n+1}, b_{2n}, \dots, b_1, b_0)$  of numbers  $(a_{2n+1}, a_{2n}, \dots, a_1, a_0)$  such that the polynomial  $Q(X) = b_{2n+1}X^{2n+1} + b_{2n}X^{2n} + \dots + b_1X + b_0$  has exactly one real root.

- 8 For any positive integer  $k$  denote by  $S(k)$  the number of solutions  $(x, y) \in \mathbb{Z}_+ \times \mathbb{Z}_+$  of the system

$$\begin{cases} \left\lceil \frac{x \cdot d}{y} \right\rceil \cdot \frac{x}{d} = \lceil (\sqrt{y} + 1)^2 \rceil \\ |x - y| = k, \end{cases}$$

where  $d$  is the greatest common divisor of positive integers  $x$  and  $y$ . Determine  $S(k)$  as a function of  $k$ . (Here  $\lceil z \rceil$  denotes the smallest integer number which is bigger or equal than  $z$ .)

---

– Day 3

- 
- 9 Find all polynomials  $P(X)$  with real coefficients such that if real numbers  $x, y$  and  $z$  satisfy  $x + y + z = 0$ , then the points  $(x, P(x)), (y, P(y)), (z, P(z))$  are all collinear.
- 
- 10 The circle  $\Omega$  with center  $O$  is circumscribed to acute triangle  $ABC$ . Let  $P$  be a point on the circumscribed circle of  $OBC$ , such that  $P$  is inside  $ABC$  and is different from  $B$  and  $C$ . Bisectors of angles  $BPA$  and  $CPA$  intersect the sides  $AB$  and  $AC$  in points  $E$  and  $F$ . Prove that the incenters of triangles  $PEF, PCA$  and  $PBA$  are collinear.
- 
- 11 Let  $n \geq 2$ , be a positive integer. Numbers  $\{1, 2, 3, \dots, n\}$  are written in a row in an arbitrary order. Determine the smallest positive integer  $k$  with the property: everytime it is possible to delete  $k$  numbers from those written on the table, such that the remained numbers are either in an increasing or decreasing order.
- 
- 12 Let  $p \geq 5$  be a prime number. Prove that there exist positive integers  $m$  and  $n$  with  $m + n \leq \frac{p+1}{2}$  for which  $p$  divides  $2^n \cdot 3^m - 1$ .
-