

**Danube Mathematical Competition 2008**

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1  $x, y, z, t \in \mathbb{R}_+^*$ :

$$(xy)^{1/2} + (yz)^{1/2} + (zt)^{1/2} + (tx)^{1/2} + (xz)^{1/2} + (yt)^{1/2} \geq 3(xyz + xyt + xzt + yzt)^{1/3}$$

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2 In a triangle  $ABC$  let  $A_1$  be the midpoint of side  $BC$ . Draw circles with centers  $A, A_1$  and radii  $AA_1, BC$  respectively and let  $A'A''$  be their common chord. Similarly denote the segments  $B'B''$  and  $C'C''$ . Show that lines  $A'A'', B'B''$  and  $C'C''$  are concurrent.

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3 On a semicircle centred at  $O$  and with radius 1 choose the respective points  $A_1, A_2, \dots, A_{2n}$ , for  $n \in \mathbb{N}^*$ . The length of the projection of the vector  $\vec{u} = \vec{OA}_1 + \vec{OA}_2 + \dots + \vec{OA}_{2n}$  on the diameter is an odd integer. Show that the projection of that vector on the diameter is at least 1.

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4 Let  $n \geq 2$  be a positive integer. Find the maximum number of segments with lengths greater than 1, determined by  $n$  points which lie on a closed disc with radius 1.

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