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- 1 In convex quadrilateral $ABCD$, $\angle BAC = \angle CAD$. E lies on segment CD , and BE and AC intersect at F , DF and BC intersect at G . Prove that $\angle GAC = \angle EAC$.

- 2 Let a, b, c be real numbers.
Let z_1, z_2, z_3 be complex numbers such that $|z_k| = 1$ ($k = 1, 2, 3$) and $\frac{z_1}{z_2} + \frac{z_2}{z_3} + \frac{z_3}{z_1} = 1$
Find $|az_1 + bz_2 + cz_3|$.

- 3 n is a given positive integer, such that its possible to weigh out the mass of any product weighing $1, 2, 3, \dots, ng$ with a counter balance without sliding poise and k counterweights, which weigh $x_i g$ ($i = 1, 2, \dots, k$), respectively, where $x_i \in \mathbb{N}^*$ for any $i \in \{1, 2, \dots, k\}$ and $x_1 \leq x_2 \leq \dots \leq x_k$.
(1) Let $f(n)$ be the least possible number of k . Find $f(n)$ in terms of n . (2) Find all possible number of n , such that sequence $x_1, x_2, \dots, x_{f(n)}$ is uniquely determined.
