

Junior Problems

J625. The rectangular box $ABCD A' B' C' D'$ has volume 2023 and total area 2550. Given that

$$\frac{1}{AB} + \frac{1}{AD} - \frac{1}{AA'} = \frac{4}{7},$$

find the dimensions of the box.

Proposed by Adrian Andreescu, Dallas, USA

J626. Let a, b, c, d be positive real numbers. Prove that

$$\frac{bcd}{a} + \frac{cda}{b} + \frac{dab}{c} + \frac{abc}{d} \geq 2\sqrt{a^2b^2 + b^2c^2 + c^2d^2 + d^2a^2}.$$

Proposed by An Zhenping, Xianyang Normal University, China

J627. Let a, b, c be positive real numbers such that $a + b + c = 6$. Prove that

$$\frac{ab}{\sqrt{a^2 + 3a + 6}} + \frac{bc}{\sqrt{b^2 + 3b + 6}} + \frac{ca}{\sqrt{c^2 + 3c + 6}} \leq 3.$$

Proposed by Mihaela Berindeanu, Bucharest, România

J628. Find all positive integers n for which $(n + 3)! - n! + 7n^3 + 2023$ is the cube of a prime.

Proposed by Adrian Andreescu, Dallas, USA

J629. Let a, b, c be positive real numbers such that $ab + bc + ca = 1$. Prove that

$$bc\sqrt{2a + b + c} + ca\sqrt{2b + c + a} + ab\sqrt{2c + a + b} \geq \frac{2}{\sqrt{a + b + c}}.$$

Proposed by Nguyen Viet Hung, Hanoi University of Science, Vietnam

J630. Let a, b, c be positive real numbers such that $abc = 1$. Prove that

$$\frac{7}{a} + \frac{7}{b} + \frac{7}{c} + \frac{16}{a+b} + \frac{16}{b+c} + \frac{16}{c+a} + \frac{27}{a+b+c} \geq 54.$$

Proposed by Marius Stănean, Zalău, România

Senior Problems

S625. Prove that there are infinitely many positive integers n such that $n^2 + 5$ has a proper divisor greater than $8n/5$.

Proposed by Titu Andreescu, University of Texas at Dallas, USA

S626. Let a, b, c, d, e be nonnegative real numbers such that $ab + bc + cd + de + ea = 1$. Prove that

$$3 < \frac{1}{a+1} + \frac{1}{b+1} + \frac{1}{c+1} + \frac{1}{d+1} + \frac{1}{e+1} \leq 4.$$

Proposed by Vasile Cîrtoaje, Oil-Gas University, Ploiești, România

S627. Let a, b, c be positive real numbers. Prove that

$$2a\sqrt{9b^2 + 16c^2} + 2b\sqrt{9c^2 + 16a^2} + 2c\sqrt{9a^2 + 16b^2} + 15abc \left(\frac{1}{2b+3c} + \frac{1}{2c+3a} + \frac{1}{2a+3b} \right) \geq 13(ab + bc + ca).$$

Proposed by Paolo Perfetti, Università degli studi di Tor Vergata Roma, Italy

S628. Prove that there are infinitely many positive integers n such that precisely two of the numbers $n - 2$, $n + 2$, $5(n - 2)$, $5(n + 2)$ are perfect squares.

Proposed by Titu Andreescu, University of Texas at Dallas, USA

S629. Let $ABCD$ be a rectangle with area $[ABCD]$ and O a point in its plane. Prove that

$$|OA \cdot OC - OB \cdot OD| \leq [ABCD] \leq OA \cdot OC + OB \cdot OD.$$

Proposed by Jozsef Tkadlec, Czech Republic

S630. Let $n \geq 2$ and x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n be real numbers, not all zero and adding up to zero. Moreover, for each positive real number t there are at most $1/t$ pairs (i, j) such that $|x_i - x_j| \geq t$. Prove that

$$x_1^2 + \dots + x_n^2 < \frac{1}{n} \left(\max_{1 \leq i \leq n} x_i - \min_{1 \leq i \leq n} x_i \right).$$

Proposed by Navid Safaei, Sharif University of Technology, Tehran, Iran

Undergraduate Problems

U625. Evaluate

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{k=1}^n \frac{\pi \sin \frac{\pi k}{2n}}{2n(\sin \frac{\pi k}{2n} + \cos \frac{\pi k}{2n})}.$$

Proposed by Ángel Plaza, University of Las Palmas de Gran Canaria, Spain

U626. Let $P(x) = 99x^6 + 3x^5 + x^4 + 2x^3 + 4x^2 - 1$. Prove that there is a prime q such that $P(q) = (q - 1)!$

Proposed by Titu Andreescu, University of Texas at Dallas, USA

U627. Find the best constant c such that for any polynomial with real coefficients $f(x)$ satisfying

$$\iint_{[0,1] \times [0,1]} (f(x) - f(y))^2 dx dy = 1,$$

the function $g(x) = x(1 - x)f'(x)$ is Lipschitz with constant bounded by $c(\deg f)^3$.

Proposed by Gabriel Dospinescu, E.N.S. Lyon, France

U628. Let S be the set of symmetric rational functions with real coefficients in two variables x, y . Find all positive integers a, b such that the set of rational functions with real coefficients in $x^a + y^a, x^b + y^b$ coincides with S .

Proposed by Navid Safaei, Sharif University of Technology, Tehran, Iran

U629. Let $D = \{z \in \mathbb{C} : |z| < 1\}$ and let $f : D \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$ be a holomorphic function such that $|f(z)| \leq 1$ and $f(0) = 0$. Prove that for $z \neq 0$ the following inequality holds

$$\frac{|f(z)|}{|z|(1 + |f'(0)|)} + \frac{|z||f'(0)|}{|z| + |f(z)|} \leq 1.$$

Proposed by Alessandro Ventullo, Milan, Italy

U630. Evaluate

$$\int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} \frac{(\tanh y)(\sinh y)^2}{2 + (\sinh(2y))^2} y^3 dy$$

Proposed by Paolo Perfetti, Università degli studi di Tor Vergata Roma, Italy

Olympiad Problems

O625. Find all primes p such that

$$\frac{(p-2)! - 1}{p^2} = \frac{2(p^4 + 3p^2 - 9)}{p-1}$$

Proposed by Titu Andreescu, University of Texas at Dallas, USA

O626. Prove that there are infinitely many triples (a, b, k) of positive integers such that

$$\frac{a+1}{b} + \frac{b+1}{a} = k$$

and find all possible values of k .

Proposed by Mircea Becheanu, Canada

O627. Prove that $k = 3$ is the largest value of the positive constant k such that

$$\frac{1}{ab+k} + \frac{1}{bc+k} + \frac{1}{cd+k} + \frac{1}{da+k} \geq \frac{4}{1+k}$$

holds for all nonnegative real numbers a, b, c, d satisfying the condition $ab + ac + ad + bc + bd + cd = 6$.

Proposed by Vasile Cîrtoaje, Oil-Gas University, Ploiești, România

O628. Let x, y, z be positive real numbers such that $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 + xyz = 4$. Prove that

$$(x+y+z-2) \left(\frac{1}{x} + \frac{1}{y} + \frac{1}{z} - \frac{1}{2} \right) \geq \frac{5}{2}.$$

Proposed by Marius Stănean, Zalău, România

O629. Let a, b, c, d be positive integers such that $4(a^2 + b^2) = 5(c^2 + d^2)$ and $ad - bc$ divides $c^2 + d^2$. Prove that

$$2(ac + bd) = L_{2n+1}|ad - bc|$$

for some nonnegative integer n , where L_k is the k^{th} Lucas number defined by $L_0 = 2$, $L_1 = 1$ and $L_{k+1} = L_k + L_{k-1}$, $k = 1, 2, 3, \dots$

Proposed by Titu Andreescu, University of Texas at Dallas, USA

O630. Prove that there are infinitely many positive integers m such that $m+1, 2m+1, 3m+1$ are all composite and divide $2^m - 1$.

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