

# THE OLYMPIAD CORNER

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Each problem is given in English and French, the official languages of Canada. In issues 1, 3, 5, 7, and 9, English will precede French, and in issues 2, 4, 6, 8, and 10, French will precede English. In the solutions' section, the problem will be stated in the language of the primary featured solution.

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**OC131.** Find all  $f, g : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  such that

$$g(f(x) - y) = f(g(y)) + x,$$

for all  $x, y \in \mathbb{R}$ .

**OC132.** Find all primes  $p$  and  $q$  such that

$$(p + q)^p = (q - p)^{(2q-1)}.$$

**OC133.** Let  $f(x) = (x + a)(x + b)$  where  $a, b > 0$ . Find the maximum of

$$F = \sum_{1 \leq i < j \leq n} \min \{f(x_i), f(x_j)\},$$

where  $x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n \geq 0$  are real numbers satisfying  $x_1 + x_2 + \dots + x_n = 1$ .

**OC134.** Let  $ABC$  be an acute-angled triangle with  $AB \neq AC$ . Let  $\Gamma$  be the circumcircle of  $ABC$ ,  $H$  the orthocentre of  $ABC$  and  $O$  the centre of  $\Gamma$ . Let  $M$  be the midpoint of  $BC$ . The line  $AM$  meets  $\Gamma$  again at  $N$  and the circle with diameter  $AM$  crosses  $\Gamma$  again at  $P$ . Prove that the lines  $AP, BC$  and  $OH$  are concurrent if and only if  $AH = HN$ .

**OC135.** Prove that for each  $n \in \mathbb{N}$  there exist natural numbers  $a_1 < a_2 < \dots < a_n$  such that  $\phi(a_1) > \phi(a_2) > \dots > \phi(a_n)$  where  $\phi$  denotes the Euler  $\phi$  function.

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**OC131.** Déterminer toutes  $f, g : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  telles que

$$g(f(x) - y) = f(g(y)) + x$$

pour tous  $x, y \in \mathbb{R}$ .

**OC132.** Déterminer tous les nombres premiers  $p$  et  $q$  tels que

$$(p + q)^p = (q - p)^{(2q-1)}.$$

**OC133.** Soit  $f(x) = (x + a)(x + b)$  où  $a, b > 0$ . Déterminer le maximum de

$$F = \sum_{1 \leq i < j \leq n} \min \{f(x_i), f(x_j)\},$$

où  $x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n \geq 0$  sont des nombres réels satisfaisant  $x_1 + x_2 + \dots + x_n = 1$

**OC134.** Soit  $ABC$  un triangle à angles aigus tel que  $AB \neq AC$ . Soit  $\Gamma$  le cercle circonscrit de  $ABC$ ,  $H$  l'orthocentre de  $ABC$ ,  $O$  le centre de  $\Gamma$ , et  $M$  le mipoint de  $BC$ . La ligne  $AM$  rencontre  $\Gamma$  de nouveau à  $N$ . Le cercle avec diamètre  $AM$  croise  $\Gamma$  de nouveau à  $P$ . Démontrer que les lignes  $AP, BC$  et  $OH$  sont concourantes si et seulement si  $AH = HN$ .

**OC135.** Démontrer que pour tout  $n \in \mathbb{N}$  il existe des nombres naturels  $a_1 < a_2 < \dots < a_n$  an tels que  $\phi(a_1) > \phi(a_2) > \dots > \phi(a_n)$  où  $\phi$  dénote la fonction  $\phi$  d'Euler.

