





SECOND NATIONAL STUDENT OLYMPIAD

IN COMPUTER MATHEMATICS "ACADEMICIAN STEFAN DODUNEKOV" THE UNIVERSITY OF RUSE"ANGEL KUNCHEV", 17-19 OCTOBER 2013 PROBLEMS FOR GROUP B

- 1. Calculate $\sqrt{\frac{x+y}{x-y}} + \sqrt{\frac{x-y}{x+y}}$, for x = 2 and y = -1, 5.
- 2. Find the value of $x_1^8 + x_2^8 3x_1x_2$, if x_1 and x_2 are the roots of the equation $x^2 5x + 11 = 0$.
- 3. Simplify the expression $\frac{2-x}{x+1} \cdot \frac{3x^4 24x^3 3x^2 + 204x 252}{220x 70x^2 168 15x^3 + 10x^4 x^5}.$
- **4.** Factor the polynomial $f(x) = x^4 4x^3 + x^2 8x 2$. into irreducible multiples with real coefficients.
- 5. Find for which integers n the value of the expression $\frac{n^4 + 2n^3 3n^2 + n 94}{n 3}$ is an integer.
- **6.** Given the matrix $A = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -3 & -2 \\ 1 & -2 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$, calculate A^{2013} .
- 7. Solve the equation $\begin{pmatrix} 1 & -2 & 2 \\ 3 & -4 & 1 \\ 2 & 2 & -1 \end{pmatrix} . X . \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -2 & 2 \\ 3 & -4 & 1 \\ 2 & 2 & -1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 4 & -1 \\ 2 & -2 & 1 \end{pmatrix} .$
- **8.** Find the rank of the matrix $A = \begin{pmatrix} a & 4 & 10 & 1 \\ 3 & 1 & 1 & 4 \\ 1 & 7 & 17 & 3 \\ 2 & 2 & 4 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$ according to the values of the parameter a.
- **9.** Given the points A(2,-1) and B(1,0), find the geometric set of points in the plane, that could be point C of a triangle ABC so that its area equals 10.
- **10.** In a Cartesian coordinate system the plane $\alpha: x-2y+z+3=0$ and the points A(0,-1,1) and B(1,2,3). are given. Find the point in which the straight line AB intersects the plane α .
- 11. The sequence $\{a_n\}$ is set by the equalities $a_1 = 1$, $a_2 = 0$, $2a_{n+1} = 2a_n + a_{n+2}$ for $n \ge 1$. Calculate a_{2013} .
- 12. Find three different integers a, b and c, such that the roots of the equation $x^3 + ax^2 + bx + c = 0$ are a, b and c.
- **13.** Let $f(x) = x^{x^x}$, find f'(2) with accuracy of four decimal points.
- **14.** Prove that the equation $\frac{2x}{1+x^4} + \cos x = \frac{\pi}{4} + \sin 1$ has a solution in the interval (0,1).
- **15.** Prove that if k is a natural number, then $\arctan \frac{1}{2^k} + \arctan \frac{2^k 1}{2^k + 1} = \frac{\pi}{4}$.
- **16.** Sketch the graph of the function $f(x) = x^4 + 4x^3 17118x^2 + 23996x + 64015517$ with the local extremes of the function and its zeros.
- 17. Find the local extremes of the function $f(x) = \arctan \frac{1}{\sqrt{1+x^2}} x$.
- **18.** Find real numbers a, b and c such that the angles between the tangents to the graph of the function $f(x) = ax^2 + bx + c$ at the points with abscises -2 and 2 with the x-axis of respectively 45° and 60° , and

the greatest value of f(x) over the interval [-2,2] is twice as big as its smallest value over the same interval.

- **19.** Find the length of the curve defined by the graph of the function $f(x) = \sqrt{x x^2} + \arcsin \sqrt{x}$.
- **20.** Calculate the area of the tetragon, determined by the curves of the ellipses $\frac{x^2}{9} + \frac{y^2}{4} = 1$ and $\frac{x^2}{4} + \frac{y^2}{9} = 1$.
- **21.** Calculate $\int_{-1}^{1} \frac{dx}{(4^x+1)(x^2+4)}$. The result must be exact or with accuracy of at least six decimal points.
- **22.** Check if the equality $\int_{0}^{\pi} xf(\sin x) dx = \frac{\pi}{2} \int_{0}^{\pi} f(\sin x) dx$, holds, if $f(x) = \frac{x^2}{x^2 + 6}$.
- **23.** Let a < b < c < d. Prove that the inequality holds $\begin{vmatrix} \int_{a}^{b} 1 dx & \int_{a}^{b} x dx & \int_{a}^{b} x^{2} dx \\ \int_{a}^{c} 1 dx & \int_{a}^{c} x dx & \int_{a}^{c} x^{2} dx \\ \int_{a}^{d} 1 dx & \int_{a}^{d} x dx & \int_{a}^{d} x^{2} dx \end{vmatrix} > 0.$
- **24.** Calculate $\int_{0}^{4} xf(x) dx$, if the real function y = f(x) satisfies the equation $y^3 + 3y = x$.
- **25.** Find the global extremes of the function $f(x) = \int_{0}^{x} (1-t^2)^5 dt$ over the interval [0,2].
- **26.** From all straight lines passing though the point M(1,4), find the one that cuts the figure with the smallest area from the hyperbola xy = 3.
- **27.** Calculate the sum $\frac{1}{1} + \frac{1}{1+2} + \dots + \frac{1}{1+2+\dots+n}$.
- **28.** Calculate the limit $\lim_{x\to\infty}\frac{1}{n}\left(\sin\frac{\pi}{n}+\sin\frac{2\pi}{n}+\cdots+\sin\frac{(n-1)\pi}{n}\right)$.
- **29.** The vectors $a_i = \left(\frac{1}{i}, \frac{1}{i+1}, \dots, \frac{1}{i+n-1}\right)$ are been constructed for $i = 1, 2, \dots, n$. If $a_i \cdot a_{i+1}$ is the dot product of a_i and a_{i+1} , calculate $\lim_{n \to \infty} \left[\frac{1}{n^2} \sum_{i=1}^{n-1} \left(a_i \cdot a_{i+1}\right)^{-1}\right]$.
- **30.** $\lim_{n\to\infty} \left[\frac{1}{n^2} \sum_{i=1}^{n-1} (a_i \cdot a_{i+1})^{-1} \right].$
- **31.** Sketch the graph of the function y(x), which is the solution of the differential equation y''(x) = 2y(x) + 1 with initial conditions y(0) = 1 and y'(0) = 0.

Each problem is worth 2 points.

All numerical calculations must be performed with the expected computing mathematical accuracy for the corresponding computer algebra system.