

Formula of Unity

Final Round

Problem 1

$A = \{1, 2, 3, \dots, 12\}$ $B \subset A$ so that $\forall x, y, z; xyz \neq a^3$
 $a \in \mathbb{Z}_+$
 max card(B)

It is clear that we can include the numbers 5, 7, 10, 11 in our set B because they won't form a perfect cube when multiplied with other numbers.

So we remain with the numbers 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 8, 9, 12 we will prove that we may include a maximum of 5 numbers. From these numbers we may compute 3 perfect cubes

$$8 = 2^3 = 2 \cdot 4 \cdot 1$$

$$27 = 3^3 = 3 \cdot 3 \cdot 1$$

$$8 \cdot 27 = 2^3 \cdot 3^3 = 6^3 = 12 \cdot 3 \cdot 6 = 12 \cdot 2 \cdot 9 = 9 \cdot 6 \cdot 4 = 9 \cdot 8 \cdot 3$$

so from the groups

$(2, 4, 1); (3, 3, 1); (12, 3, 6); (12, 2, 9); (9, 6, 4); (9, 8, 3)$ we should exclude at least an element. And because we can not find

2 sets of 3 groups that have an common element each. We should exclude at least 3 numbers.

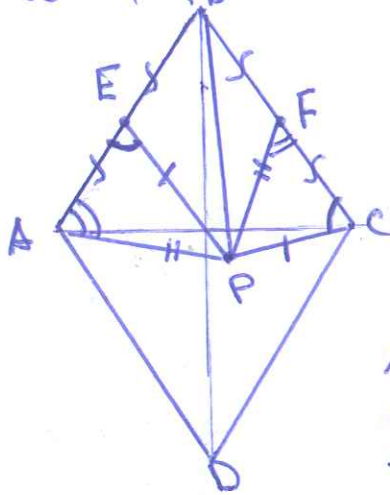
So for example if we exclude 9, 3 and 1 we will have the set

$$B = \{2, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 10, 11, 12\}$$

So max card(B) = 9

Maximum number of elements that B may have is 9

Problem 2B



ABCD rhombus

$$AB = BC = CD = AD$$

E, F centers of the sides AB and BC \Rightarrow

$$AE = BE = BF = CF$$

$$AP = PF$$

$$PE = PC$$

Prove that $PE \perp BD$

since

$$\left. \begin{aligned} PA &= PF \\ PE &= PC \\ AE &= CF \end{aligned} \right\} \Rightarrow$$

It means that the triangles $\triangle APE$ and $\triangle CPF$ are congruent

$$\text{so } \angle AEP \cong \angle PCF \text{ and } \angle EAP \cong \angle PFC$$

Law of sines in triangle $\triangle APB$

$$\frac{AP}{\sin(\angle ABP)} = \frac{BP}{\sin(\angle EAP)} \quad (1)$$

Law of sines in triangle $\triangle BPF$

$$\frac{PF}{\sin(\angle PBF)} = \frac{BP}{\sin(\angle BFP)} \quad (2)$$

$$\text{since } \sin(x) = \sin(180 - x)$$

$$\text{and } \left. \begin{aligned} \angle EAP &= \angle PFC \cong 180 - \angle BFP \\ \angle ABP &= \angle PBF \end{aligned} \right\} \Rightarrow \sin(\angle EAP) = \sin(\angle BFP)$$

$$\frac{(1)}{(2)} \quad \frac{AP}{\sin(\angle ABP)} = \frac{PF}{\sin(\angle PBF)} \quad \text{and } AP = PF \Rightarrow$$

$$\sin(\angle ABP) = \sin(\angle PBF)$$

and we know that if $\sin x = \sin y \Rightarrow \left[\begin{aligned} x &= y \text{ or } \\ x + y &= 180^\circ \end{aligned} \right.$

Because $\angle ABP + \angle PBF < 180^\circ$ it means that

$\angle ABP \cong \angle PBF$ so P is on the bisector of the angle $\angle ABC$. But because ABCD is a rhombus it means that BD is the bisector of $\angle ABC$.

So $PE \perp BD$

Problem 3

$$x, y, z \in \mathbb{R}$$

$$E = \left(\frac{xy}{z} + \frac{zx}{y} + \frac{yz}{x} \right) \left(\frac{x}{yz} + \frac{y}{xz} + \frac{z}{xy} \right)$$

Find the minimum value of E

If we open the parantheses we get that

$$E = \frac{x^2}{z^2} + \frac{y^2}{z^2} + \frac{x^2}{y^2} + \frac{z^2}{y^2} + \frac{y^2}{x^2} + \frac{z^2}{x^2} + 3$$

and we know that:

$$\frac{x^2}{z^2} + \frac{z^2}{x^2} \geq 2 \quad \text{which is true because}$$

if we multiply with $x^2 z^2$ both sides

$$x^4 + z^4 \geq 2x^2 z^2 \Leftrightarrow (x^2 - z^2)^2 \geq 0$$

which is always true

Analogous we get that $\frac{x^2}{y^2} + \frac{y^2}{x^2} \geq 2$ and $\frac{y^2}{z^2} + \frac{z^2}{y^2} \geq 2$

$$\text{So } E \geq 2 + 2 + 2 + 3 = 9$$

So minimum value of E is 9

The equality holds when $x^2 = y^2 = z^2$ or

$$|x| = |y| = |z|$$

Problem 5

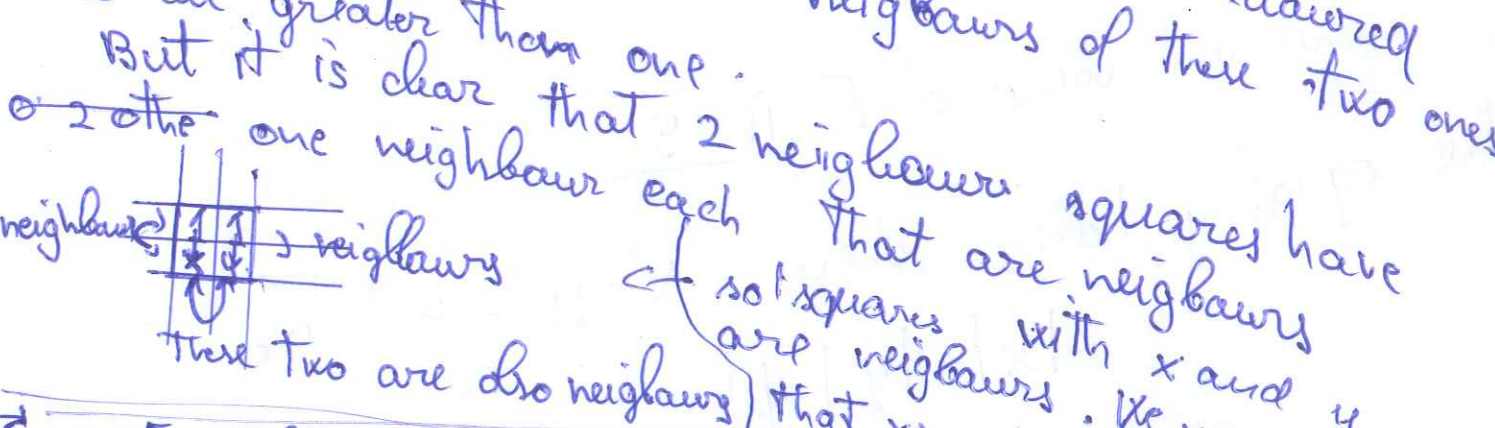
We will prove that the smallest possible sum is 4.
 If we want to get the smallest sum we should complete the table with the smallest possible numbers.

1	2	1	2	1	2	1	2	1	2
2	1	2	1	2	1	2	1	2	1
1	2	1	2	1	2	1	2	1	2
2	1	2	1	2	1	2	1	2	1
1	2	1	2	1	2	1	2	1	2
2	1	2	1	2	1	2	1	2	1
1	2	1	2	1	2	1	2	1	2
2	1	2	1	2	1	2	1	2	1
1	2	1	2	1	2	1	2	1	2
2	1	2	1	2	1	2	1	2	1

Also we know that the numbers that are not colored are not on the corners, and we will show that they can be on the sides to satisfy the condition.

We completed the table with the smallest numbers possible. Now we will show that an 1 should always be colored.

If we suppose that an one is not colored then it should have another neighbour that is also 1, but it means that all other neighbours of these two ones are all greater than one.



Example

2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2
2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2
2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2
2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2
2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2
2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2
2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2
2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2
2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2
2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2

These 2 are not colored

But that will mean that y is not colored because $x > y > 1$ squares. So the minimum value of the sum is 4. And we will show an example for that.