Regional Mathematical Olympiad-2014

Time: 3 hours December 07, 2014

Instructions:

• Calculators (in any form) and protractors are not allowed.

• Rulers and compasses are allowed.

• Answer all the questions.

• All questions carry equal marks. Maximum marks: 102.

• Answer to each question should start on a new page. Clearly indicate the question number.

1. Let ABCD be an isosceles trapezium having an incircle; let AB and CD be the parallel sides and let CE be the perpendicular from C on to AB. Prove that CE is equal to the geometric mean of AB and CD.

2. If x and y are positive real numbers, prove that

$$4x^4 + 4y^3 + 5x^2 + y + 1 \ge 12xy.$$

3. Determine all pairs m > n of positive integers such that

$$1 = \gcd(n+1, m+1) = \gcd(n+2, m+2) = \dots = \gcd(m, 2m-n).$$

4. What is the minimal area of a right-angled triangle whose inradius is 1 unit?

5. Let ABC be an acute-angled triangle and let I be its incentre. Let the incircle of triangle ABC touch BC in D. The incircle of the triangle ABD touches AB in E; the incircle of the triangle ACD touches BC in F. Prove that B, E, I, F are concyclic.

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6. In the adjacent figure, can the numbers 1, 2, 3, 4, ..., 18 be placed, one on each line segment, such that the sum of the numbers on the three line segments meeting at each point is divisible by 3?

