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A1. ABC is acute-angled. O is its circumcenter. X is the foot of the perpendicular from A to BC . $\angle C \geq \angle B + 30^\circ$. Prove that $\angle A + \angle COX < 90^\circ$.

A2. a, b, c are positive reals. Prove that $\frac{a}{\sqrt{a^2+8bc}} + \frac{b}{\sqrt{b^2+8ca}} + \frac{c}{\sqrt{c^2+8ab}} \geq 1$.

A3. Integers are placed in each of the 441 cells of a 21×21 array. Each row and each column has at most 6 different integers in it. Prove that some integer is in at least 3 rows and at least 3 columns.

B1. Let n_1, n_2, \dots, n_m be integers where m is odd. Let $x = (x_1, \dots, x_m)$ denote a permutation of the integers $1, 2, \dots, m$. Let $f(x) = x_1n_1 + x_2n_2 + \dots + x_mn_m$. Show that for some distinct permutations a, b the difference $f(a) - f(b)$ is a multiple of $m!$.

B2. ABC is a triangle. X lies on BC and AX bisects $\angle A$. Y lies on CA and BY bisects $\angle B$. $\angle A = 60^\circ$. $AB + BX = AY + YB$. Find all possible values for $\angle B$.

B3. $K > L > M > N$ are positive integers such that $KM + LN = (K + L - M + N)(-K + L + M + N)$. Prove that $KL + MN$ is composite.

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