

Sigma Tournament



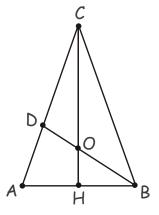
Day 5: Grand Unification



- 1) If you place a person in a hot pool with water temperature reaching 50°C 60°C, the body will overheat — potentially even burning the skin. However, at air temperatures of 50°C - 60°C in hot desert, people do not get burns. Why do you think this happens?
- 2) Over the course of one hour, how many times do the minute and second hands of an analog clock form a right angle?



- 3) A ball is dropped from certain height with 0 initial speed. It reached the ground in 5 seconds and bounces off. The ball continues bouncing, and after each bounce it reaches a maximum height, which is 64% of the previous maximum height. Find the time elapsed between the ball's first and fourth collisions with the ground, neglecting air resistance.
- 4) In isosceles triangle ABC (|AC|=|CB|), point D divides the side AC into segments such that |AD|:|CD|=1:2. If CH is the altitude of the triangle and point 0 is the intersection of CH and BD, find the ratio |OH| to |CH|.



5) Burning of propane (C₃H₈) results in formation of water and carbon dioxide. What is the minimal volume of air that should be mixed with 1 liter of gaseous propane (kept at room temperature and normal pressure) to maximize the energy released upon explosion of this air-propane mixture. Assume the fraction of oxygen in air to be 20% (by volume).