

List of Problems. 6-th NCUMC - 2019.  
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1. One makes three times extension of the plane  $XOY$  in  $OY$  direction ( $(x, y) \rightarrow (x, 3y)$ ). Find maximal variation of angle between directional vectors of lines on the plane under this transformation i.e.  $\max |\beta - \alpha|$  where  $\alpha$  is the angle before the transformation,  $\beta$  is the angle after the transformation.

2. Let

$$a_n = \sum_{j=1}^n \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{1}{i^2 + j^2}$$

for every  $n$ . Find

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{a_n}{\ln(n)}.$$

3. Let  $d > 1$  be a positive integer, denote  $A = \{(x, x^2, \dots, x^d) : 0 \leq x \leq 1\} \subset \mathbb{R}^d$ . Let  $B = \text{conv}(A)$  be a convex hull of the set  $A$ . Denote by  $v_d$  the ( $d$ -dimensional) volume of  $B$ . Prove that there exists constants  $c_1, c_2 \in (0, 1)$  not depending on  $d$  such that  $c_1^{d^2} < v_d < c_2^{d^2}$  for all  $d > 1$ .

4. Let  $\{v_0, \dots, v_{2099}\} \subset \mathbb{R}^{2100}$  be the family of vectors given by the formula

$$\begin{aligned} v_0 &= (\underbrace{0, \dots, 0}_{2019}, \underbrace{1, \dots, 1}_{81}), \\ v_k &= (\underbrace{1, \dots, 1}_k, \underbrace{0, \dots, 0}_{2019}, \underbrace{1, \dots, 1}_{81-k}) \quad \text{for every } 1 \leq k \leq 81, \\ v_{81+k} &= (\underbrace{0, \dots, 0}_k, \underbrace{1, \dots, 1}_{81}, \underbrace{0, \dots, 0}_{2019-k}) \quad \text{for every } 1 \leq k \leq 2018. \end{aligned}$$

Find the dimension of the linear hull of  $\{v_0, \dots, v_{2099}\}$ .

5. For given integer  $n \geq 1$  find the least  $c > 0$  such that that the  $n \times n$  matrix  $cR^{-1} - D^{-1}$  is non-negative definite for any symmetric positive definite matrix  $R$  with diagonal  $D$  (in other words,  $D$  is obtained from  $R$  by replacing all non-diagonal entries to 0).

6. Consider the equation  $y'' + f(x)y = 0$ , where  $f(x)$  is a monotonically increasing continuous function on  $\mathbb{R}$  with  $\inf_{x \in \mathbb{R}} f(x) > 0$ . It is known that any non-trivial solution  $y$  to the equation is oscillating, thus having an infinite sequence of zeroes  $\{x_i\}$ ,  $y(x_i) = 0$ , and an infinite sequence of local extrema  $\{x'_i\}$ ,  $y'(x'_i) = 0$ , such that  $x_i < x'_i < x_{i+1}$ . Prove that (i)  $|y(x'_i)|$  decreases, (ii)  $|y'(x_i)|$  increases.

7. Let  $f$  be an analytic function in  $D = \{z : |z| < 1\}$  such that  $|f(z)| \leq 1$ . Prove that for  $z \in D$  one has

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