

## Part D.

1. Triangle  $A''B''C''$  is autopolar because its vertices are the common points of quadrilateral  $A_1B_1C_1F'$ . Since a polar  $A_1B_1$  of point  $C$  passes through  $C''$ , a polar  $A''B''$  of  $C''$  passes through  $C$ . Similarly for remaining vertices.
2. Let  $X$  be a common point of  $AA_1$  and  $A''C''$ . The cross-ratio of  $A, B, C_1$  and the common point of  $AB$  and  $A_1B_1$  is equal to  $-1$ . Projecting these points from  $C''$  to  $AA_1$  we obtain that  $A_1$  is the midpoint of  $AX$ .
3. The homothety with center  $A$  and coefficient 2 transforms line  $C_0A_1$  to line  $A''C''$ . Thus these lines are parallel. Using the homothety with center  $B$  transforming  $CC_1$  to  $A_1F'$  we obtain that the midpoint of  $A'A_1$  lies on  $AB$ . Thus  $BA_1C_0A''$  is a parallelogram.
4. By previous item  $C'$  lies on the medial line of  $ABC$  parallel to  $AB$ . Then  $C'' = C'$ . Similarly  $A'' = A'$ . Thus  $F' = F$ .
5. By problem 3  $C_0A_1$  is parallel to  $C_1A_0$ , i.e.  $BC_1 \cdot BA_1 = BC_0 \cdot BA_0$ . Expressing these lengths through  $a, b, c$  and multiplying to 4 we obtain the sought equality.
6. Given equality yields that  $C_0A_1$  is parallel to  $C_1A_0$ . Construct parallelograms  $BC_1A_0C''$  and  $BA_1C_0A''$ . Line  $A''C''$  passes through  $B$ . The homothety with center  $A$  and coefficient 2 transforms line  $C_0A_1$  to  $A''C''$ . Let it transform  $A_1$  to point  $X$ . Projecting from  $C''$  points  $A, X, A_1$  and infinity point of  $AA_1$  to line  $AB$  we obtain that the cross-ratio of  $A, B, C_1$  and the common point of  $AB$  and  $A_1C''$  is equal to  $-1$ . Thus  $A_1C''$  passes through  $B_1$ . Then  $C'' = C'$  i.e. triangles  $BC_1C'$  and  $BAX$  have a common median. Therefore they are homothetic with center  $B$ . So  $C_1C'$  is parallel to  $AA_1$  and  $GC_1FA_1$  is a parallelogram. Now our condition follows from an angles calculation.
7. By problem 3  $C'F$  passes through the midpoint of  $BA_0$ . Using the homothety with center  $C'$  we obtain that  $C'F$  passes through the midpoint of  $A'B_0$ , i.e.  $C'F$  is the median of triangle  $A'B_0C'$ . Similarly for  $A'F$ .
8. By previous item  $B_0F$  is the median of triangle  $A'B_0C'$ .
9. Since  $O_B$  is the circumcenter of triangle  $A_0B_0C_0$  we obtain that  $O_B C_0 A_1 C'$  is a parallelogram, and by problem 2  $BA_1 C_0 A'$  is a parallelogram. Thus  $A'B = C_0 A_1 = O_B C'$ .
10. Line  $SM$  as Gauss line of  $A_1 B_1 C_1 F$  passes through the midpoint of  $FB_1$ . Thus as medial line of triangle  $FGB_1$  it is parallel to  $BB_1$ .
11. By previous item  $SM$  is parallel to  $O_B F$ . Then  $F$  and  $O_B$  lie on the reflection of line  $O_B F$  in  $SM$ , because they are the reflection of  $G$  in  $M$  and the reflection of  $B$  in  $S$ .
12. Since  $S$  is the midpoint of  $BO_B$  and  $F$  divides  $B_0 S$  in ratio  $2 : 1$  we obtain that  $F$  is the centroid of triangle  $B_0 O_B B$ . Then the median of this triangle from  $O_B$  also is divided by  $F$  in ratio  $2 : 1$ . Thus the endpoint of this median coincide with the midpoint of  $BB_0$ , and so with the midpoint of  $C_0 A_0$ . This yields the assertion of the problem.
13. Consider the polar transformation. Since  $B'$  lies on  $C_0 A_0$  we obtain that  $L_B$  lies on  $A'C'$ . Now we have to prove that the polars of  $G$  and  $M$  meet on the medial line. Note that the polar of  $G$  is parallel to  $BB'$  and passes through the common point  $R$  of  $A_1 C_1$  and  $AC$ . The polar of  $M$  passes through  $B$  and is parallel to  $A_1 C_1$ . Points  $B, B', R$  and the common point of the polars form a parallelogram. Since the midpoint of  $BR$  lies on  $A_0 C_0$  and  $B'$  also lies on this line, then  $A_0 C_0$  passes through the common point of the polars of  $G$  and  $M$ .

14. Since  $C_B$  lies on  $A_0C_0$ ,  $L_B$  lies on its polar, i.e. line  $AC_A$ , thus  $AL_B \perp CI$ . Similarly  $AI \perp CL_B$  and we obtain the sought assertion.
15. By angles calculation we obtain that the reflections of vertices of Gergonne triangle in the corresponding bisectors form the triangle homothetic to the original triangle. Thus the lines joining the corresponding vertices of these triangles pass through the homothety center of the incircle and the circumcircle. But  $G'$  is the common point of these lines.
16. Clearly  $A, G, I, G'$  and  $C$  lie on the circle with center on the bisector of angle  $B$ , and  $G'$  lies inside the triangle. Also  $G'$  lies on the line symmetric to  $BG$  wrt the bisector of  $B$ . This yields the assertion of the problem.
17. Clearly follows from three homothety centers theorem for the incircle, the circumcircle and the Euler circle.
18. Since  $A_1$  and  $C_1$  are symmetric wrt the bisector of angle  $B$ , and  $A_1FC_1G$  is a parallelogram we obtain using two previous items that  $A_1FC_1G'$  is a delthoid with diagonal  $FM$ . Thus  $FM$  is perpendicular to  $A_1C_1$  and parallel to the bisector of angle  $B$ .
19. In next item we will prove that  $O_B$  is the midpoint of  $BL_B$ . Therefore  $O_BF$  is a medial line of triangle  $L_BBG$ . Thus  $F$  is the midpoint of  $L_BG$ . Then  $F$  divide  $L_BE$  in ratio  $2 : 1$ .
20.  $AL_B$  is parallel to  $C_0O_B$  as two perpendiculars to  $CI$ . Thus the homothety with center  $B$  and coefficient 2 transforms  $O_B$  to  $L_B$ .
21.  $L_BF$  is the median of triangle  $A_1L_BC_1$  and by previous item  $F$  is the midpoint of  $L_BG$ . Thus  $F$  divide  $L_BM$  in ratio  $2 : 1$ . Then  $F$  is the centroid of triangle  $A_1L_BC_1$ .
22. Let point  $X$  be isogonally conjugated to  $L_B$ . Since  $L_B$  lies on the Feuerbach hyperbola (see part X),  $X$  lies on line  $OI$ . Prove that  $X$  lies on line  $A_1C_1$ . Let  $X'$  be the reflection of  $X$  in the bisector of angle  $B$ . Since  $OI$  passes through  $G'$ , this reflection transforms  $OI$  to  $IG$ . Also it fixes line  $A_1C_1$  and transforms line  $BX$  to line  $BL_B$ , i.e. to line  $A'C'$ . Lines  $A'C'$  and  $A_1C_1$  meet on  $IG$  as corresponding sidelines of triangles  $A'B'C'$  and  $A_1B_1C_1$ . Thus  $X'$  lies on  $A_1C_1$ , and so  $X$  also lies on this line.

## Part X

1. Take two vertices and the images of three arbitrary points on the line. They define some conic. Take an arbitrary fourth point on the line. When we conjugate the corresponding lines in two angles the conjugated lines intersect the conic at the same point because the reflection in the bisector saves the cross-ratios of four lines.

2. Clearly  $I$  is a common point. Suppose that there exists another common point  $X$ . Then its isogonally conjugated point  $X'$  also lies on the line and the hyperbola. But a line and a conic can't have three common points.

3. **Lemma.** A circumconic of a triangle is an equilateral hyperbola iff it passes through the orthocenter.

**Proof.** The isogonal image of a circumconic is a line because five points define an unique conic. When the conic passes through the orthocenter the corresponding line passes through the circumcenter. This line meets the circumcircle at two opposite points. Thus the conic has two infinity points corresponding to two perpendicular directions.

The problem immediately follows from the lemma.

Let  $R$  the midpoint of arc  $BC$  of the circumcircle of  $ABC$ . Then  $OR$  is parallel to  $IB_1$ , and external angle  $\angle BOR$  is twice greater than angle  $BRO$ , which is equal to  $\angle B_1IR$ . Thus the reflection of  $IB_1$  in  $IR$  is the line parallel to  $OB$ . Therefore the tangent to the incircle in  $X$  is parallel to the tangent to the circumcircle in  $B$ , and this immediately yields the assertion of the problem.

4. Point  $I$  is isogonally conjugated to itself,  $A$ ,  $B$  and  $C$  are isogonally conjugated to the common points of  $OI$  with the sidelines,  $H$  is isogonally conjugated to  $O$ . Since  $G'$  is the homothety center of the incircle and the circumcircle,  $G'$  lies on  $OI$ . Thus  $G$  lies on the hyperbola. Similarly for  $N$ :  $N'$  is the second homothety center of the incircle and the circumcircle.

5. Let  $l$  meet the circumcircle in points  $X$  and  $Y$ . Then  $X$  and  $Y$  are isogonally conjugated to infinity points  $X'$  and  $Y'$  of the hyperbola,  $O$  is conjugated to  $H$ . Let  $Z$  be conjugated to the infinity point of  $l$ . Since  $(X, Y, O, Z) = -1$ , the cross-ratio of the conjugated points is the same. Project this cross-ratio from  $X'$  to line  $HZ'$ . This projection transforms  $Y'$  to the infinity point of this line. Since  $H$  and  $Z'$  are fixed, the projection of  $X'$  is the midpoint of  $HZ'$ . But the projection of  $X'$  lie on the tangent to hyperbola in  $X'$ , i.e on the asymptote of the hyperbola. This yields that the midpoint of  $Z'H$  is the center of hyperbola. Finally note that  $H$  is the homothety center of Euler circle and the circumcircle and  $Z'$  lies on the circumcircle as the image of infinity point  $Z'$ . Thus the center lies on the Euler circle.

6. See the solution in book "Geometrical properties of conics".

7. Follows from previous item.

8. Since  $L_B$  is the orthocenter of triangle  $ACI$ , the sought assertion follows from the lemma of problem 3.

9. Note that there exists exactly one point of line  $BI$  such that its polars wrt the hyperbola and the circle coincide. It is the common point of the diagonals of the quadrilateral formed by the common points of these two conics. Take now a common point of  $BI$  and  $FB_1$ . Its polars pass through the point which is the fourth harmonic for our point  $B$  and  $I$ . The polar wrt the circumcircle is perpendicular to  $BI$  because  $BI$  is a diameter. The polar wrt the hyperbola is also perpendicular to  $BI$ : the polar of  $F$  is the infinity line because  $F$  is the center of the hyperbola. The polar of  $B_1$  is the line  $A_1C_1$ , because the corresponding points on lines  $AC$  and  $BG$  are harmonic. Thus the pole of  $B_1F$  is the infinity point of  $A_1C_1$ , i.e. the point corresponding to the direction perpendicular to  $BI$ . Therefore the common point of  $BI$  and  $FB_1$  lies on the common chord of the hyperbola and the circle.

**Lemma.** Let  $A$  and  $B$  be two point on an equilateral hyperbola. A circle with diameter  $AB$  meets the hyperbola at points  $P$  and  $Q$ . Then  $PQ$  passes through the center of the hyperbola .

**Proof.** Let  $H$  be the orthocenter of  $APQ$ . Since the hyperbola is equilateral  $H$  lies on it. Note that  $HPBQ$  is a parallelogram. Since its vertices lie on the hyperbola its center is the pole of the infinity line, i.e. the center of the hyperbola.

Now we have that the common chord passes through the common point of  $BI$  and  $FB_1$ . Also it passes through the center  $F$  of the hyperbola. Therefore it coincide with  $FB_1$ .

10. Line  $GM$  is parallel to  $A'C'$ , and  $F$  is the midpoint of  $GL_B$ . Thus  $GM$  is the reflection of  $A'C'$  in  $F$ . Line  $L_B B_0$  is parallel to  $O_B F$  and  $BB_1$ . Thus  $L_B B_0$  is the reflection of  $BB_1$  in  $F$ . Since the Feuerbach hyperbola is symmetric wrt  $F$ , we obtain the assertion of the problem.
11. It is sufficient to prove that the poles of  $FB_0$  and  $A_1 C_1$  lie on  $AC$ . The pole of  $A_1 C_1$  is point  $B_1$  clearly lying on  $AC$ . The pole of  $FB_0$  is the common point of polars of points  $F$  and  $B_0$ . But these both polars pass through the infinity point of  $AC$ .
12. Denote the reflection of  $B_1$  in  $E$  as  $X$ . Then  $B_1 A_1 X C_1$  is a parallelogram. Prove that the polar of  $A'$  is the line passing through  $A_1$  and parallel to  $B_1 C_1$ .

**Lemma.** The polar of  $A_1$  wrt the Feuerbach hyperbola is line  $B_1 C_1$ .

**Proof.** Consider passing through  $A_1$  line  $BC$ . The fourth harmonic point for  $A_1$  and two common points of this line with the hyperbola ( $B$  and  $C$ ) is the common point of  $B_1 C_1$  and  $BC$ . Take line  $AA_1$ . It meets the hyperbola at points  $A$  and  $G$ . The fourth harmonic point for these three points is the common point of  $B_1 C_1$  and  $AA_1$ . Thus the polar of  $A_1$  is the line  $B_1 C_1$ .

Use the lemma. Since  $A'$  lies on  $B'C'$ , its polar passes through the pole  $A_1$  of this line. On the other hand  $A'$  lies on line  $FA_1$ . Thus its polar passes through the pole of this line. But this pole is the common point of the polars of  $F$  and  $A_1$ . The polar of  $F$  is the infinity line. By the lemma the polar of  $A_1$  is line  $B_1 C_1$ . Thus the pole of our line is the infinity point of line  $B_1 C_1$ . Using the similar fact for point  $C'$  we obtain the sought assertion.

## Part F.

1. Since triangle  $GC_1Q$  is isosceles and  $QC_1Q''A$  is a parallelogram, we obtain that  $AGQ_1Q''$  is an isosceles trapezoid. Similarly  $BGP_1P''$  an isosceles trapezoid. By angles calculation we obtain that  $Q''$ ,  $G$  and  $P''$  are collinear. Then  $P''Q'' = P''G + GQ'' = AC_1 + CA_1 = AB_1 + CB_1 = AC$ .
2. The tangent in  $F$  is parallel to  $QP$  and  $Q''P''$ , also it is antiparallel to  $C_1A_1$  wrt angle  $C_1FA_1$ . Thus quadrilateral is  $Q''C_1A_1P''$  is cyclic. Since  $FG$  is the median of triangle  $FA_1C_1$ , it is the symmedian of triangle  $P''FQ''$ . By angles calculation we obtain that  $FB$  and  $FG$  are isogonally conjugated wrt angle  $A_1FC_1$ . Thus  $FB$  is the median.  $FI$  and  $FG'$  are the radius of the circumcircle and the altitude of triangle  $FC_1A_1$ . Therefore they are the altitude and the line passing through the circumcenter of triangle  $FQ''P''$ .
3. Denote the common point of  $B_1T$  and  $BC$  as  $X$ . By Pascal theorem for points  $B_1, C_1, A_1, A_1, F, T$  line  $A'X$  is parallel to  $A_1C_1$ . Let  $Y, Z, Z'$  be the common points of  $B_1C_1$  and  $BC$ ,  $B_1K$  and  $BC$ ,  $A'E$  and  $BC$  respectively. We have  $(X, Z, A_1, Y) = (T, K, A_1, C_1) = -1 = (A'X, A'E, A'A_1, A'C_1) = (X, Z', A_1, Y)$ . Thus  $Z = Z'$ .
4. Let  $GG'$  and  $BB'$  secondary intersect the Feuerbach hyperbola in points  $X$  and  $Y$  respectively.  $(A, C, L_B, X) = (GA, GC, GL_B, GX) = (GC_1, GB_1, GBE, GG') = -1 = (AB, CB, A'C', BB') = (A, C, L_B, Y)$ . Thus  $X = Y$ .
5. Prove that the homothety with center  $M$  and coefficient  $-2$  transforms  $F$  to  $D$ . In fact this homothety transforms  $B_0$  to  $B$ ,  $FB_0$  to  $BB'$  and fixes  $FG'$ . Then it transforms  $F$  to  $D$ . Since  $F$  on the Euler circle,  $D$  lies on the circumcircle.
6. The homothety from previous item transforms the midpoint of  $C_0A_0$  to  $B_0$ , thus it transforms  $FO_B$  to  $L_BB_0$ . Then  $L_BB_0$  passes through  $D$ .
7. In part X we proved that there exists an ellipse passing through  $A_0, A_1, B_0, B_1, C_0, C_1$  and  $F$ . Prove that our three lines pass through its center. Line  $FO_B$  passes through  $A_0C_0$  and  $B_0C_1$ , thus it is a diameter conjugated to direction  $AC$ . This yields also that the tangents to ellipse in its common points  $F$  and  $S$  with  $FO_B$  are parallel to  $AC$ . By Pascal theorem for points  $B_0, C_0, C_1, A_1, A_0, B_0$  the tangent in  $B_0$  is parallel to  $C_1A_1$ . Thus  $B_0E$  is a diameter.

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