

Time limit: 50 minutes.

Instructions: For this test, you work in teams to solve 15 short answer questions. All answers must be expressed in simplest form unless specified otherwise.

No calculators.

1. We call a time on a 12 hour digital clock *nice* if the sum of the minutes digits is equal to the hour. For example, 10:55, 3:12 and 5:05 are nice times. How many nice times occur during the course of one day? (We do not consider times of the form 00:XX.)
2. Along Stanford's University Avenue are 2023 palm trees which are either red, green, or blue. Let the positive integers R , G , B be the number of red, green, and blue palm trees respectively. Given that

$$R^3 + 2B + G = 12345,$$

compute R .

3. 5 integers are each selected uniformly at random from the range 1 to 5 inclusive and put into a set S . Each integer is selected independently of the others. What is the expected value of the minimum element of S ?
4. Cornelius chooses three complex numbers a, b, c uniformly at random from the complex unit circle. Given that real parts of $a \cdot \bar{c}$ and $b \cdot \bar{c}$ are $\frac{1}{10}$, compute the expected value of the real part of $a \cdot \bar{b}$.
5. A computer virus starts off infecting a single device. Every second an infected computer has a $\frac{7}{30}$ chance to stay infected and not do anything else, a $\frac{7}{15}$ chance to infect a new computer, and a $\frac{1}{6}$ chance to infect two new computers. Otherwise (a $\frac{2}{15}$ chance), the virus gets exterminated, but other copies of it on other computers are unaffected. Compute the probability that a single infected computer produces an infinite chain of infections.
6. In the language of *Blah*, there is a unique word for every integer between 0 and 98 inclusive. A team of students has an unordered list of these 99 words, but do not know what integer each word corresponds to. However, the team is given access to a machine that, given two, not necessarily distinct, words in *Blah*, outputs the word in *Blah* corresponding to the sum modulo 99 of their corresponding integers. What is the minimum N such that the team can narrow down the possible translations of "1" to a list of N *Blah* words, using the machine as many times as they want?

7. Compute

$$\sqrt{6 \sum_{t=1}^{\infty} \left(1 + \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \left(\sum_{j=1}^{\infty} (1+k)^{-j} \right)^2 \right)^{-t}}.$$

8. What is the area that is swept out by a regular hexagon of side length 1 as it rotates 30° about its center?
9. Let A be the the area enclosed by the relation

$$x^2 + y^2 \leq 2023.$$

Let B be the area enclosed by the relation

$$x^{2n} + y^{2n} \leq \left(A \cdot \frac{7}{16\pi} \right)^{n/2}$$

Compute the limit of B as $n \rightarrow \infty$ for $n \in \mathbb{N}$.

10. Let $\mathcal{S} = \{1, 6, 10, \dots\}$ be the set of positive integers which are the product of an even number of distinct primes, including 1. Let $\mathcal{T} = \{2, 3, \dots\}$ be the set of positive integers which are the product of an odd number of distinct primes.

Compute

$$\sum_{n \in \mathcal{S}} \left\lfloor \frac{2023}{n} \right\rfloor - \sum_{n \in \mathcal{T}} \left\lfloor \frac{2023}{n} \right\rfloor.$$

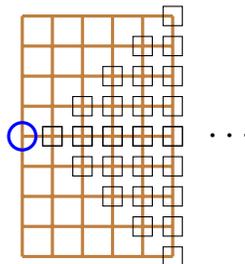
11. Define the Fibonacci sequence by $F_0 = 0$, $F_1 = 1$, and $F_i = F_{i-1} + F_{i-2}$ for $i \geq 2$. Compute

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{F_{F_{n+1}+1}}{F_{F_n} \cdot F_{F_{n-1}-1}}.$$

12. Let A, B, C , and D be points in the plane with integer coordinates such that no three of them are collinear, and where the distances AB, AC, AD, BC, BD , and CD are all integers. Compute the smallest possible length of a side of a convex quadrilateral formed by such points.
13. Suppose the real roots of $p(x) = x^9 + 16x^8 + 60x^7 + 1920x^2 + 2048x + 512$ are r_1, r_2, \dots, r_k (roots may be repeated). Compute

$$\sum_{i=1}^k \frac{1}{2 - r_i}.$$

14. A teacher stands at $(0, 10)$ and has some students, where there is exactly one student at each integer position in the following triangle:



Here, the circle denotes the teacher at $(0, 10)$ and the triangle extends until and includes the column $(21, y)$.

A teacher can see a student (i, j) if there is no student in the direct line of sight between the teacher and the position (i, j) . Compute the number of students the teacher can see (assume that each student has no width—that is, each student is a point).

15. Suppose we have a right triangle $\triangle ABC$ where A is the right angle and lengths $AB = AC = 2$. Suppose we have points D, E , and F on AB, AC , and BC respectively with $DE \perp EF$. What is the minimum possible length of DF ?