



Do NOT open until you are told to do so.

- 1. A drawer contains 16 socks, 6 of which are orange. When three socks are drawn (without replacement) at random, what is the probability that at least one sock is orange?
 - a. $\frac{3}{8}$ b. $\frac{5}{8}$ c. $\frac{3}{14}$ d. $\frac{11}{14}$ e. $\frac{17}{56}$

2. In triangle ABC, AB = 2, BC = 1. Suppose side AC and the median from vertex B to side AC have the same length. What is the value of (AC)²?
a. ³/₂ b. 2 c. ⁹/₄ d. 3 e. none of these

3. Aziza runs a dragon fruit delivery service. She charges \$4 for each dragon fruit and a \$1 delivery fee. Aziza creates data set A from how many dragon fruit were ordered in each delivery, and data set B from how much she charged for each delivery. What is the ratio of the standard deviation of data set B to the standard deviation of data set A?

- a. 1 b. 2 c. 4 d. 5 e. none of these
- 4. Suppose that for all real $x \notin \{-5, 1\}$, $f\left(\frac{2x-3}{x+5}\right) = \frac{3x+2}{x-1}$. Determine $f(x^2)$. a. $\frac{9x^2+12x+4}{x^2-2x+1}$ b. $\frac{13x^2+13}{6x^2+1}$ c. $\frac{4x^2-12x+9}{x^2+10x+25}$ d. $\frac{3x^2+2}{x^2-1}$ e. $\frac{6x^2-5x-6}{x^2+4x-5}$

5. Siobhan and Nguyen have identical bags of marbles. They each contain five marbles – one pink, one purple, one brown, one gray, and one tan. Siobhan randomly selects a marble from Nguyen's bag and puts it her bag. Then, Nguyen randomly selects a marble from Siobhan's bag and puts it in his bag. What is the probability that, after this process, the contents of the bags are still identical?
a. 1/10 b. 1/6 c. 1/5 d. 1/3 e. 1/2

6. The ratio of the interior angles of two regular polygons with sides of length 1 unit is 5:2. What is the sum of the perimeters of the polygons?
a. 7 b. 12 c. 14 d. 15 e. 20

7. Right triangle ABC is such that angle B is a right angle and BC = 60. Let point D be on segment AB such that AD = 1. Segment BD is the diameter of a semicircle that is tangent to segment AC at point E. Determine the area of the semicircle.
a. 30π b. 36π c. 60π d. 72π e. 144π

8. Which of the following is a simplification of $(\log_4 9)(\log_3 7)(\log_7 8)$?

a. 3 b. 6 c. 12 d. $\log_{14} 24$ e. $\log_{84} 504$

9. Suppose the arithmetic mean of x^2 and y^2 equals 3x + y + 45. What is the largest possible value of 3x + 4y?

a. 53 b. 63 c. 70 d. 73 e. 81

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10. Twenty-two points are equally spaced on a circle. From these points a certain amount will be chosen				
at random. What is the minimum number of points that must be selected to guarantee that four				
vertices of at least o	one rectangle are chose	sen?		
a. 5	b. 11	c. 13	d. 15	e. 17
11. Let a, b and x be read	al numbers such that:		.h.a.) .) .	
log	$a-b(a+b)=3^{a-b}$	$\log_{a+b}(a-b) = 8 \cdot$	6^{b-a} , $a^2 - b^2 = 3$	x
Determine the value	e of x.			
a. 16	b. 18	c. 24	d. 27	e. 28
12. Suppose $T(t) = 12$ the pot's lid is on, k required for the pot	$5e^{-kt} + 75^{\circ}$ F is the to = 0.02, and if the point to cool to 150°F with	emperature of a pot o ot's lid is off $k = 0.1$. I h the lid on and off, re	f coffee t minutes af Let t_{on} and t_{off} be the spectively. What is $\frac{t_{off}}{t}$	ter it is brewed. If e different times ^{on} ?
1	. 1	5		off _
a. $\frac{1}{20}$	b. - 5	c. – 3	d. 2	e. 5
13. The sides of a triang the triangle acute?	gle have lengths 12, 16	6, and x , where x is an	n integer. For how m	any values of <i>x</i> is
a. 9	b. 10	c. 15	d. 16	e. 23
14. Suppose a three-dig example, the numb a. 2.439	it number is chosen a er 522 has 2 distinct c b. 2.475	at random and the nun ligits). What is the exp c. 2.5	nber of distinct digits bected number for di d. 2.71	s is counted (for stinct digits? e. 2.75
15. Calculate	$\sum^{59} \ln(t)$	$an(k^{\circ})) + \sum^{89} ln(tan)$	(k°))	
a. $-\frac{1}{2}\ln(3)$	b. $-\frac{1}{2}\ln(2)$	c. 0 $k=61$	d. $\frac{1}{2}$ ln(2)	e. $\frac{1}{2}\ln(3)$
16. Let $r_1 > r_2$ be the resolutions of the equivalue of $ a + b $. a. 3	eal solutions of the ecation $x^2 - ax - b =$ b. 4	quation $x^2 + ax + b =$ 0. Suppose $r_1 - r_2 =$ c. 9	= 0 and let $q_1 > q_2$ b 7 and $q_1 - q_2 = 1$. d. 11	e the real Determine the e. none of these
17. Let SPD(n) be the su number. What is th	im of all positive divis e value of the ratio SI	fors of n, where n is a property $\frac{PD(2p)}{PD(2p)}$?	oositive integer. Let	p be any prime
a. 1	b. 2	C. $\frac{7}{3}$	d. 3	e. none of these
18. If $\frac{\sec^4 x}{a} - \frac{\tan^4 x}{b} =$ a. $\frac{1}{a^2 - b^2}$	$= \frac{1}{a-b}, \text{ then } \frac{\sec^8 x}{a^3} - \frac{1}{(a-b)^2}$	$-\frac{\tan^8 x}{b^3} = ?$ c. $\frac{1}{a^3 - b^3}$	d. $\frac{1}{(a-b)^3}$	e. $\frac{1}{(a-b)^4}$

- 19. Determine the number of positive integers $x \le 2024$ for which $x^2 x$ is an integer multiple of 2024a. 1b. 2c. 8d. 16e. 32
- 20. In a magical swamp there are two species of talking amphibians: toads, whose statements are always true, and frogs, whose statements are always false. Four amphibians Alpha, Beta, Delta, and Epsilon live together in the swamp. They make the following statements:

Alpha: "There is at least one frog."

Beta: "Delta is a frog."

Delta: "If you ask Beta, Beta would say that Epsilon is a frog."

Epsilon: "Alpha is a toad or Delta is a toad."

How many of the amphibians are frogs?

a. U b. 1 c. 2 d. 3

SHORT ANSWER

Place the answer in the appropriate space.

66. Determine the sum of the reciprocals of the solutions of $x^4 + 8 = 24x^3 + 40x^2 + 16x$.

- 67. What is the least number of n consecutive positive integers, n > 1, that have a sum of 2024?
- 68. What is the sum of the last three digits of 9^{2024} ?

69. A square pyramid is formed from *n* balls such that 1 ball is at the top layer, 4 balls form a square on the second layer, 9 balls form a square on the third layer, and so on, so that each layer is a square array of balls supporting all previous layers. No such pyramid can be made of exactly 2024 balls. What is the next year for which that number of balls can be used in such a pyramid?

70. Define $f(n) = \begin{cases} \log_4(n), \text{ if } \log_4(n) \text{ is rational} \\ 0, \text{ otherwise} \end{cases}$, where *n* is any integer.

The summation below can be written in the form $\frac{p}{q}$, where p and q are integers such that gcd(p,q) = 1.

$$\sum_{n=1}^{2024} f(n)$$

Calculate p + q.

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- 1. D
- 2. B
- 3. C
- 4. B
- 5. D
- 6. D
- 7. D 8. A
- 9. B
- 10. C
- 11. E
- 12. E
- 13. A
- 14. D
- 15. A
- 16. D
- 17. E
- 18. D 19. C
- 20. B
- 66. 2
- 67. 11
- 68. 10
- 69. 2109
- 70.57