

THE 2019 ~~2020~~ KENNESAW STATE UNIVERSITY
HIGH SCHOOL MATHEMATICS COMPETITION

PART I ~~±~~MULTIPLE CHOICE

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6. Suppose that a and b are positive integers, s is a real number, and i is the imaginary unit.
If $z := E$

13. If $t \{ y_0$ is a factor of $y \{ t_0$ (where $t \{ y_0$

20. The first term of an arithmetic sequence of distinct terms is k . The 1st, 5th, 15th and k th terms of the arithmetic sequence form a geometric sequence in the same order. Compute the value of k .

- (A) 25 (B) 35 (C) 36 (D) 39 (E) 40

21. For which of the following values of n will $\frac{5 \cdot 4 \cdot 7 \cdot 9}{n}$ be an integer, while $\frac{5 \cdot 4 \cdot 7 \cdot 9}{n}$ is not?

- (A) 2079 (B) 3575 (C) 5136 (D) 6237 (E) None of these

22. Let p , q , and r be the roots of the equation $x^3 - 7x^2 + 6x - 1 = 0$. Compute the value of the expression $\frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q} + \frac{1}{r}$.

- (A) $\frac{7}{2}$ (B) $\frac{1}{4}$ (C) $\frac{1}{2}$ (D) $\frac{1}{3}$ (E) $\frac{29}{2}$

23. In triangle ABC, $AB = 7$, $BC = 33$, and $AC = 37$. A circle centered at A with radius AB intersects ray CB at point D and side AC at point E, as shown. Compute the

Solutions

1. **A** Each of the three rows has four 1×2 rectangles. Each of the five columns has two 1×2 rectangles. There are a total of four 2×4 rectangles. The total is 26.
2. **E** Since 2 is the only even prime number, the smallest number in A is 2. All the rest of the numbers in A are the sum of two odd numbers and are, therefore, even. The smallest number in B is $(2)(2019) = 4038$, and all the rest of the numbers in B are odd. Thus $A \cap B$ is empty and the number of elements in the intersection is 0.
3. **D** $1 + 2 + 3 + D = 360$ and $4 + 5 + E = 180$.
Adding these two equations:
 $1 + 2 + 3 + 4 + 5 + D + E = 540$. Also $D + E = 180$.
Therefore, $1 + 2 + 3 + 4 + 5 + 180 = 540$ from which
 $1 + 2 + 3 + 4 + 5 = 360$.
4. **D** $6^{2+3y} = \frac{6^2}{6^{3y}} = \frac{36}{6^{3y}}$. From this, $6^{3y} = 18$. Therefore, $x^{6+7i} = x^6 \cdot x^{7i}$; $L = x^6$; $x^{7i} = L = u \cdot x^i \cdot s \cdot z$; $L = x \cdot v \cdot z$.
5. **B** Let $T = \#$ of families with twins, $R = \#$ of families with triplets, and $Q = \#$ of families with quadruplets. Then we are given $T + R + Q = 26$ and $T = 3R = 4Q$. From the second equation $T = \frac{3}{2}R$ and $Q = \frac{3}{4}R$. Therefore, $\frac{3}{2}R + R + \frac{3}{4}R = 26$ and $R = 8$.
6. **B** When $z = E > 1$ is expanded, the real part is $\sum_{k=0}^n \binom{n}{k} E^k u^{n-k}$. Therefore, $\sum_{k=0}^n \binom{n}{k} E^k u^{n-k} = (E + u)^n$. Since a and b are positive integers, and a a factor of 74, a little trial and error gives $a = 1$ and $b = 5$ as the only solution.

10. **B** Let the correct two-digit score be $10A + B$. Then the misentered score was $10B + A$.
Since the class average was 2.7 points less than it should have been, and there are 20
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24. B « $\frac{(48)(49)}{2} = (24)(49)$. Let n = the number of integers from A to B ,

inclusive. Thus $n < 48$ and the sum of the integers from A to B , inclusive is $\frac{n}{2}(A + B)$.

Therefore $6 \left[\frac{n}{2}(A + B) \right] = (24)(49) \Rightarrow 3n(A + B) = (24)(49)$

Since $n < 48$, the only possible values of n are 2, 4, 7, 8, 14, and 28.

Letting n equal each of these values leads to the following results

$$n = 2 \quad A$$