

2018 Stuyvesant Team Contest Problems

1. [5] Compute:

$$\left(\frac{1}{6}\right)^3 + \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^3 + \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^3$$

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2. [5] How many non-congruent, non-degenerate triangles have integer side lengths and perimeter less than 8?

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3. [5] Compute the number of nonnegative integers n such that $3^n \geq n!$.

Note: $n!$ is defined as the product of all the positive integers less than or equal to n . An empty product is equal to 1.

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4. [6] Let a, b, c be reals such that $\frac{a+b}{c} = 1$ and $\frac{b+c}{a} = 2$. Compute $\frac{c+a}{b}$.

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5. [6] If a and b are positive integers such that $2a^2 = 3b^3$, compute the minimum possible value of $a + b$.

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6. [6] Three distinct lines are drawn in the plane. One pair forms an angle of 83° . Another pair forms an angle of 97° . The third pair forms an angle of n° . Compute smallest possible value of n .

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7. [7] How many subsets of the set $\{1, 2, 4, 8, 16, -1, -2, -4, -8, -16\}$ have a sum of 0?

Note: The empty set has a sum of 0.

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8. [7] How many distinct values does $\lfloor x \rfloor + \lceil x \rceil$ take for x in the interval $(-2018, 2018)$?

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9. [7] Stan takes a rectangular 24 by 32 sheet of paper and folds one of its corners onto the opposite corner. Compute the area of the pentagon formed by the folded paper.

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10. [8] Let $d(n)$ denote the number of positive divisors of n . Compute the largest integer $n < 100$ such that

$$d(d(d(n))) = d(n).$$

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11. [8] Compute the number of triples of positive integers (a, b, c) for which $18! \mid a \mid b \mid c \mid 20!$.

Note: We write $m \mid n$ if m is a factor of n .

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12. [8] In $\triangle ABC$, $AB = 13$, $BC = 14$, and $AC = 15$. Points X , Y , and Z are the trisection points of sides BC , AC , and AB , respectively with X closer to B , Y closer to C , and Z closer to A . Let A' , B' , and C' be the reflections of A , B , and C over X , Y , and Z , respectively. Compute $[A'BC'A'B'C]$.

Note: $[\dots]$ denotes the area of the polygon in the brackets.

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13. [9] Matthew flips 2018 fair coins. Milan flips 2017 fair coins. Compute the probability that Matthew gets more heads than Milan.

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14. [9] A sequence $\{a_n\}$ is defined for positive integers n so that $a_1 = a_2 = 1$ and for all $n > 2$,

$$a_n = \frac{a_{n-1} \cdot a_{n-2}}{a_{n-1} + a_{n-2}}$$

Compute a_{12} .

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15. [9] In right $\triangle ABC$, $AB = 1$, $BC = 4\sqrt{3}$, $AC = 7$. A circle is drawn through A and B intersecting segment AC at point P such that minor arc AB has measure 60° . Compute CP .

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16. [10] Solve for all real x that satisfy:

$$\sqrt{x} - \sqrt[3]{x} + \sqrt[4]{x} = x^2 - x^3 + x^4$$

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17. [10] Compute the prime factorization of $82^3 + 1$.

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18. [10] In $\triangle ABC$, M and N are the midpoints of AB and AC . $AB = 8$ and $AC = 9$. The circumcircle of $\triangle AMN$ is tangent to BC at D . Compute AD .

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19. [11] Compute the total sum of the digits of all three digit numbers with at least one digit that is a 7.

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20. [11] How many proper divisors of $10!$ are a product of a perfect square and a perfect cube (not necessarily distinct).

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21. [11] A non-degenerate triangle has sides of length $\frac{1}{x}$, 1, and x . Compute the set of possible values for its area.

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22. [12] Hanna placed 2018 candies in a circle and labeled them 1, 2, 3, ..., 2018 in order. Kimi eats candy 1, skips candy 2, eats candy 3, and continues going around the circle eating every other candy until he has eaten all of them. Compute the label of the last candy Kimi eats.

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23. [12] In convex quadrilateral $ABCD$, the diagonals intersect at point P . If $\tan \angle BAC = 1$, $\tan \angle DAC = 2$, $\tan \angle DCA = 3$, and $\tan \angle BCA = 4$, compute $\tan \angle BPC$.

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24. [12] $\sqrt{1} + \sqrt{2} + \sqrt{3} + \dots + \sqrt{30}$ is a root of a polynomial with integer coefficients and degree n . Compute the minimum possible value of n .

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