HMMT November

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Team Round

- 1. [20] Two linear functions f(x) and g(x) satisfy the properties that for all x,
 - f(x) + g(x) = 2
 - f(f(x)) = g(g(x))

and f(0) = 2022. Compute f(1).

- 2. [25] What is the smallest r such that three disks of radius r can completely cover up a unit disk?
- 3. [30] Find the number of ordered pairs (A, B) such that the following conditions hold:
 - A and B are disjoint subsets of $\{1, 2, \dots, 50\}$.
 - |A| = |B| = 25
 - The median of B is 1 more than the median of A.
- 4. [35] You start with a single piece of chalk of length 1. Every second, you choose a piece of chalk that you have uniformly at random and break it in half. You continue this until you have 8 pieces of chalk. What is the probability that they all have length $\frac{1}{8}$?
- 5. [40] A triple of positive integers (a, b, c) is tasty if $lcm(a, b, c) \mid a + b + c 1$ and a < b < c. Find the sum of a + b + c across all tasty triples.
- 6. [45] A triangle XYZ and a circle ω of radius 2 are given in a plane, such that ω intersects segment \overline{XY} at the points A, B, segment \overline{YZ} at the points C, D, and segment \overline{ZX} at the points E, F. Suppose that XB > XA, YD > YC, and ZF > ZE. In addition, XA = 1, YC = 2, ZE = 3, and AB = CD = EF. Compute AB.
- 7. [45] Compute the number of ordered pairs of positive integers (a,b) satisfying the equation

$$\gcd(a, b) \cdot a + b^2 = 10000.$$

- 8. [50] Consider parallelogram ABCD with AB > BC. Point E on \overline{AB} and point F on \overline{CD} are marked such that there exists a circle ω_1 passing through A, D, E, F and a circle ω_2 passing through B, C, E, F. If ω_1, ω_2 partition \overline{BD} into segments $\overline{BX}, \overline{XY}, \overline{YD}$ in that order, with lengths 200, 9, 80, respectively, compute BC.
- 9. [50] Call an ordered pair (a, b) of positive integers fantastic if and only if $a, b < 10^4$ and

$$gcd(a \cdot n! - 1, a \cdot (n+1)! + b) > 1$$

for infinitely many positive integers n. Find the sum of a + b across all fantastic pairs (a, b).

10. [60] There is a unit circle that starts out painted white. Every second, you choose uniformly at random an arc of arclength 1 of the circle and paint it a new color. You use a new color each time, and new paint covers up old paint. Let c_n be the expected number of colors visible after n seconds. Compute $\lim_{n\to\infty} c_n$.