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~~Settlers of Catan~~ A board game is played on a hexagonal grid of 19 tiles. A 'traveler' token starts on the center tile. Each turn a die is rolled to determine what neighboring tile the traveler moves to (all six directions equally likely). The turn that the traveler leaves the board, the game ends. What is the expected number of turns of the game?

A diagram showing a hexagonal grid of 19 cells, numbered 0 to 18, arranged in a honeycomb pattern. Each cell contains a red dot and a black number. The cells are surrounded by 21 green dots, numbered 19 to 39, arranged in a larger hexagonal pattern around the central cluster.

$$\mathbb{E}(N) = \sum N \mathbb{P}(N)$$

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$$N = \begin{array}{c} \begin{array}{c} P_{0,0} = 45 \\ P_{0,1} = 34506 \\ P_{0,2} = 10714 \\ P_{0,3} = 249999 \\ P_{0,4} = 599999 \\ P_{0,5} = 1399999 \\ P_{0,6} = 3199999 \\ P_{0,7} = 7199999 \\ P_{0,8} = 15999999 \\ P_{0,9} = 35999999 \\ P_{0,10} = 79999999 \\ P_{0,11} = 179999999 \\ P_{0,12} = 399999999 \\ P_{0,13} = 899999999 \\ P_{0,14} = 1999999999 \\ P_{0,15} = 4499999999 \\ P_{0,16} = 9999999999 \\ P_{0,17} = 21999999999 \\ P_{0,18} = 49999999999 \\ P_{0,19} = 109999999999 \\ P_{0,20} = 249999999999 \\ P_{0,21} = 549999999999 \\ P_{0,22} = 1199999999999 \\ P_{0,23} = 2699999999999 \\ P_{0,24} = 5999999999999 \\ P_{0,25} = 13499999999999 \\ P_{0,26} = 30499999999999 \\ P_{0,27} = 67999999999999 \\ P_{0,28} = 152499999999999 \\ P_{0,29} = 342499999999999 \\ P_{0,30} = 762499999999999 \\ P_{0,31} = 1692499999999999 \\ P_{0,32} = 3742499999999999 \\ P_{0,33} = 8342499999999999 \\ P_{0,34} = 18542499999999999 \\ P_{0,35} = 41242499999999999 \\ P_{0,36} = 91242499999999999 \\ P_{0,37} = 201242499999999999 \\ P_{0,38} = 446242499999999999 \\ P_{0,39} = 991242499999999999 \\ P_{0,40} = 2191242499999999999 \\ P_{0,41} = 4891242499999999999 \\ P_{0,42} = 10891242499999999999 \\ P_{0,43} = 24291242499999999999 \\ P_{0,44} = 53991242499999999999 \\ P_{0,45} = 119991242499999999999 \\ P_{0,46} = 264991242499999999999 \\ P_{0,47} = 589991242499999999999 \\ P_{0,48} = 1309991242499999999999 \\ P_{0,49} = 2929991242499999999999 \\ P_{0,50} = 6499991242499999999999 \\ P_{0,51} = 14499991242499999999999 \\ P_{0,52} = 32499991242499999999999 \\ P_{0,53} = 72499991242499999999999 \\ P_{0,54} = 160999991242499999999999 \\ P_{0,55} = 356999991242499999999999 \\ P_{0,56} = 792999991242499999999999 \\ P_{0,57} = 1762999991242499999999999 \\ P_{0,58} = 3922999991242499999999999 \\ P_{0,59} = 8722999991242499999999999 \\ P_{0,60} = 19222999991242499999999999 \\ P_{0,61} = 42822999991242499999999999 \\ P_{0,62} = 95222999991242499999999999 \\ P_{0,63} = 211229999991242499999999999 \\ P_{0,64} = 468229999991242499999999999 \\ P_{0,65} = 1038229999991242499999999999 \\ P_{0,66} = 2308229999991242499999999999 \\ P_{0,67} = 5108229999991242499999999999 \\ P_{0,68} = 11308229999991242499999999999 \\ P_{0,69} = 25008229999991242499999999999 \\ P_{0,70} = 55008229999991242499999999999 \\ P_{0,71} = 122008229999991242499999999999 \\ P_{0,72} = 272008229999991242499999999999 \\ P_{0,73} = 602008229999991242499999999999 \\ P_{0,74} = 1342008229999991242499999999999 \\ P_{0,75} = 2982008229999991242499999999999 \\ P_{0,76} = 6582008229999991242499999999999 \\ P_{0,77} = 14622008229999991242499999999999 \\ P_{0,78} = 32422008229999991242499999999999 \\ P_{0,79} = 71822008229999991242499999999999 \\ P_{0,80} = 159220082299999991242499999999999 \\ P_{0,81} = 353220082299999991242499999999999 \\ P_{0,82} = 783220082299999991242499999999999 \\ P_{0,83} = 1732200822999999991242499999999999 \\ P_{0,84} = 3862200822999999991242499999999999 \\ P_{0,85} = 8562200822999999991242499999999999 \\ P_{0,86} = 18922008229999999991242499999999999 \\ P_{0,87} = 41922008229999999991242499999999999 \\ P_{0,88} = 92922008229999999991242499999999999 \\ P_{0,89} = 206220082299999999991242499999999999 \\ P_{0,90} = 459220082299999999991242499999999999 \\ P_{0,91} = 1019220082299999999991242499999999999 \\ P_{0,92} = 2269220082299999999991242499999999999 \\ P_{0,93} = 5029220082299999999991242499999999999 \\ P_{0,94} = 11129220082299999999991242499999999999 \\ P_{0,95} = 24529220082299999999991242499999999999 \\ P_{0,96} = 54029220082299999999991242499999999999 \\ P_{0,97} = 119029220082299999999991242499999999999 \\ P_{0,98} = 264029220082299999999991242499999999999 \\ P_{0,99} = 589029220082299999999991242499999999999 \\ P_{0,100} = 1309029220082299999999991242499999999999 \\ P_{0,101} = 2929029220082299999999991242499999999999 \\ P_{0,102} = 6499029220082299999999991242499999999999 \\ P_{0,103} = 14499029220082299999999991242499999999999 \\ P_{0,104} = 32499029220082299999999991242499999999999 \\ P_{0,105} = 72499029220082299999999991242499999999999 \\ P_{0,106} = 160990292200822999999999991242499999999999 \\ P_{0,107} = 356990292200822999999999991242499999999999 \\ P_{0,108} = 792990292200822999999999991242499999999999 \\ P_{0,109} = 1762990292200822999999999991242499999999999 \\ P_{0,110} = 3922990292200822999999999991242499999999999 \\ P_{0,111} = 8722990292200822999999999991242499999999999 \\ P_{0,112} = 19222990292200822999999999991242499999999999 \\ P_{0,113} = 42822990292200822999999999991242499999999999 \\ P_{0,114} = 95222990292200822999999999991242499999999999 \\ P_{0,115} = 21122990292200822999999999999124249999999$$

$$t = N\mathbf{1}$$
$$t = \begin{pmatrix} 213 \\ \frac{29}{184} \\ \frac{29}{184} \\ \frac{29}{184} \\ \frac{29}{184} \\ \frac{29}{184} \\ \frac{29}{124} \\ \frac{29}{101} \\ \frac{29}{124} \\ \frac{29}{101} \\ \frac{29}{124} \\ \frac{29}{101} \\ \frac{29}{124} \\ \frac{29}{101} \\ \frac{29}{124} \\ \frac{29}{101} \end{pmatrix}$$

Finally, we see that $t_0 = \boxed{\frac{213}{29} \approx 7.345}$