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P1)

$$\log_2 64 = \boxed{\frac{\log_{10} 64}{\log_{10} 2}}$$

P2)

$$\begin{aligned}\sum_{i=1}^k 2i + 1 &= 2 \sum_{i=1}^k i + \sum_{i=1}^k 1 = 2 \left( \frac{k(k+1)}{2} \right) + k \\ &= k(k+1) + k = \boxed{k^2 + 2k}\end{aligned}$$

P3) Take  $n = 4$ .  $2^4 \not\geq 4!$

P4) Assume there exists path  $P$  from  $A$  to  $B$  such that  $\text{len}(P) < \text{len}(A \rightarrow B \rightarrow C)$ . But then the shortest path from  $A$  to  $D$  must go through  $P$  instead of  $A \rightarrow B \rightarrow C$ . Since this is not a case, there is a contradiction, implying that such a path  $P$  cannot exist.

P5) Base case  $n = 1$ :

$$\sum_{i=1}^1 2i - 1 = 1^2$$

Inductive Step: assume the claim holds for some  $n$ . Then,

$$\sum_{i=1}^n 2i - 1 = n^2$$

$$\sum_{i=1}^n 2i - 1 + 2(n+1) - 1 = n^2 + 2(n+1) - 1$$

$$\sum_{i=1}^{n+1} 2i - 1 = n^2 + 2n + 1$$

$$\sum_{i=1}^{n+1} 2i - 1 = (n+1)^2$$

$$\text{P6) } T(10) = T(9) + 3 = T(8) + 6 = \dots = T(1) + 27 = 30 \quad \boxed{T(10) = 30}$$

$$\text{P7) } T(N) = 3N$$

P8) Base case:  $T(1) = 3$  Inductive step: assume the claim holds for some  $n$ . Then,  $T(n) = 3n$  so  $T(n+1) = T(n) + 3 = 3n + 3$  So  $T(n+1) = 3(n+1)$