

**MASSACHUSETTS MATHEMATICS LEAGUE
CONTEST 1 - OCTOBER 2010
ROUND 7 TEAM QUESTIONS
ANSWERS**

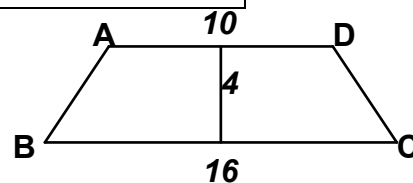
A) _____ D) (_____ , _____)

B) _____ E) _____

C) (_____ , _____) F) _____

***** NO CALCULATORS ON THIS ROUND *****

- A) The following diagram is the cross-section of the frustum of a right circular cone. Compute the total surface area.



- B) Right triangle ABC has legs 6 and 8. The altitude to the hypotenuse, the median to the hypotenuse and the hypotenuse bound a triangular region R . Express the ratio of the area of R to the area of ABC as the quotient of relatively prime integers.
- C) Rowing upstream it took 4 hours to paddle 12 miles. Downstream, the same distance took an hour and a half. Under the same conditions, it would take A minutes and B seconds to paddle one mile downstream. If $B < 60$, compute (A, B) .

- D) $\frac{n}{2}$ is subtracted from the numerator and denominator of $\frac{22}{7}$ producing a positive integer.

Let L and S denote the largest and smallest positive integer values of n for which this is possible. Determine the ordered pair (L, S) .

- E) Solve for x over the real numbers: $\sqrt{5x+9} + \sqrt{8x+17} = 2$

- F) The MML Contest Director lives in Fremont, NH, formerly called POPLIN. There are 359 different anagrams (rearrangements) of the letters in the word POPLIN.

$$\left[\frac{6!}{2!} - 1 = \frac{6 \cdot 5 \cdot 4 \cdot 3 \cdot 2 \cdot 1}{2 \cdot 1} - 1 = 360 - 1 = 359 \right]$$
 Obviously, POPLIN is not an anagram of itself and, therefore 1 was subtracted from the total.]

How many anagrams are there where the Ps are not consecutive and the vowels are not consecutive?