MASSACHUSETTS MATHEMATICS LEAGUE CONTEST 3 - DECEMBER 2016 ROUND 2 ARITHMETIC/NUMBER THEORY

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A) The value of n! gets large very quickly, but the sum of the digits of n! increases slowly. Let P = minimum value of n for which Q, the $\underline{\text{sum}}$ of the digits of n!, exceeds 10. Compute the ordered pair (P, Q).

Note: n! (read n factorial) is defined as the product $n \cdot (n-1) \cdot (n-2) \cdot ... \cdot 2 \cdot 1$.

- B) Find the <u>remainder</u> when 7^{355} is divided by 4.
- C) A two-digit positive integer *N* leaves a remainder of 1 when divided by 5. If the digits are reversed, this new integer leaves a remainder of 3 when divided by 5. What is the remainder when the sum of all integers *N* satisfying these conditions is divided by 9?