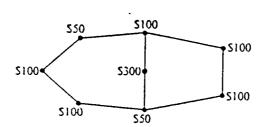
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  - (C) 10.4
  - (D) 10.5
  - (E) 10.8
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  - (**A**) 10 *p*
  - **(B)** 32 *p*
  - (C)  $5p^2$
  - **(D)**  $2p^5$
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  - **(B)** 5
  - (C)  $\frac{20}{3}$
  - **(D)** 8
  - **(E)**  $\frac{39}{4}$

- 20. A lunar month, the time between two successive new moon, is approximately 29 days, 12 hours, and 44 minutes long. What is the approximate length of two lunar months?
  - (A) 29 days 1 hour 28 min.
  - (B) 49 days 0 hour 18 min,.
  - (C) 58 days 1 hour 18 min.
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  - **(B) 6.0**
  - (C) 15.0
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  - **(E)** 36.0

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  - (A) 0.6
- (B) 1.4
- (C) 1.5
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- (E) 2.0
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  - (A) 50,000
  - (B) 2,500
  - (C) 2,000
  - (D) 1,200
  - **(E)** 120

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## <High Level Questions>

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  - (A) \$2.4 million
  - (B) \$2.9 million
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- 26. A hiker walked for two days. On the second day the hiker walked 2 hours longer and at an average speed 1 mile per hour faster than he walked on the first day. If during the two days he walked a total of 64 miles and spent a total of 18 hours walking, what was his average speed on the first day?
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  - **(B)** 13
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- 28. On a certain trip, a cyclist averaged 20 miles per hour for the first 10 miles and 16 miles per hour for the remaining 20 miles. If the cyclist returned immediately via the same route and took a total of 4 hours for the round trip, what was the average speed, in miles per hour, for the return trip?
  - (A) 24
  - (B) 18
  - (C)  $17\frac{1}{7}$
  - **(D)** 15
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- 29. The cost of chartering a plane was shared equally among 30 passengers. If there had been 35 passengers sharing that cost, the cost per passenger would have been \$30 less. What was the cost of chartering the plane?
  - (A) \$5,400
  - (B) \$6,125
  - (C) \$6,300
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  - (E) \$7,350
- 30. In traveling a certain distance, car R averaged x miles per gallon of gasoline. Car S traveled 300 miles and averaged 25 miles per gallon of gasoline. If car R used the same amount of gasoline as car S, how many miles, in terms of x, did car R travel?
  - (A) 12x
  - $(\mathbf{B})$   $\chi$
  - (C) x+12
  - **(D)**  $\frac{x}{12}$
  - **(E)**  $\frac{12}{x}$

- 31. Under a certain company's medical insurance plan, the amount an employee must pay for medical expenses consists of payment of the first \$450 of expenses plus 20 percent of additional expenses, up to a maximum total payment of \$1,350 per year. All remaining expenses are paid by the plan. Last year, if an employee paid the maximum amount for medical expenses, what is the least amount that the plan could have paid?
  - (A) \$720
  - **(B)** \$1,080
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  - **(D)** \$4,500
  - **(E)** \$4,950
- 32. A delivery truck starts on its route with a load of goods weighing T tons. At each of its first 4 stops,  $\frac{1}{2}$  of the weight of the goods still on the truck is unloaded. After the 4th stop, what is the weight, in tons, of the goods still on the truck?

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- 33. Analysts of the automobile industry say that the total number of domestic suppliers of automobile parts was reduced by  $\frac{1}{3}$  from 1980 to 1985 and that the number was again reduced by  $\frac{1}{3}$  from 1985 to 1988. According to these analysts, if there were 2,520 domestic suppliers in 1985, how many fewer were there in 1988 than there were in 1980?
  - **(A)** 1,260
  - **(B)** 1,400
  - **(C)** 1,680
  - **(D)** 2,100
  - **(E)** 2,940

- 34. A subway train made eleven stops on its route. If an average (arithmetic mean) of 30 passengers boarded at each of the first nine stops and at each stop, beginning with the second, 5 fewer passengers boarded than at the previous stop, how many passengers boarded the train at its first stop?
  - (A) 60
  - **(B)** 50
  - (C) 30
  - (D) 20
  - (E) 10
- 35. Fox jeans regularly sell for \$15 a pair and Pony jeans regularly, sell for \$18 a pair. During a sale these regular unit prices are discounted at different rates so that a total of \$9 is saved by purchasing 5 pairs of jeans: 3 pairs of Fox jeans and 2 pairs of Pony jeans. If the sum of the two discount rates is 22 percent, what is the discount rate on Pony jeans?
  - (A) 9%
  - (B) 10%
  - (C) 11%
  - (D) 12%
  - (E) 15%
- 36. A mixture of nuts is to contain 3 parts cashews to 6 parts almonds to 7 parts walnuts by weight. How many pounds of almonds will be needed to make 5 pounds of the mixture?
  - $(\mathbf{A}) \qquad \frac{3}{8}$
  - **(B)** $\qquad \frac{8}{15}$
  - (C)  $1\frac{1}{5}$
  - **(D)**  $1\frac{2}{3}$
  - **(E)**  $1\frac{7}{8}$

- 37. The time it took car A to travel 400 miles was 2 hours less than the time it took car B to travel the same distance. If car A's average speed was 10 miles per hour greater than that of car B, what was car B's average speed, in miles per hour?
  - (A) 20
  - **(B)** 30
  - (C) 40
  - (D) 50
  - (E) 80

- 38. Ms. Jiminez plans an automobile trip of 7,000 to 9,000 miles. The cost of gasoline will be 85 to 95 cents per gallon, and her automobile will average 20 to 30 miles per gallon. What is the maximum possible cost of the gasoline for the trip?
  - (A) \$485.00
- (B) \$427.50
- (C) \$382.50
- (D) \$297.50
- (E) \$256.00

- 39. A group of 12 people plan to rent a van and agree to share equally the total cost of the rental, which is E dollars. If n of the people decide not to participate at the last minute, by how many dollars will each remaining person's share of the total cost increase?
  - $(A) \quad \frac{E}{12-n}$
  - **(B)** $\quad \frac{12-n}{E}$
  - (C)  $\frac{E}{12(12-n)}$
  - **(D)**  $\frac{nE}{12(12-n)}$
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At a depth that is x feet below the top of the tank, the concentration is  $3 + \frac{4}{\sqrt{5-x}}$  parts

per million, where 0 < x < 4. To the nearest 0.1 foot, at what depth is the concentration equal to 6 parts per million?

- (A) 2.4 ft
- (B) 2.5 ft
- (C) 2.8 ft
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  - (A) 11.25
  - (B) 72
  - (C) 90
  - (D) 95
  - (E) 129.6
- 42. A 2-year certificate of deposit is purchased for k dollars. If the certificate earns interest at an annual rate of 6 percent compounded quarterly, which of the following represents the value, in dollars, of the certificate at the end of the 2 year?
  - (A)  $(1.06)^2 k$
  - **(B)**  $(1.06)^8 k$
  - (C)  $(1.015)^2 k$
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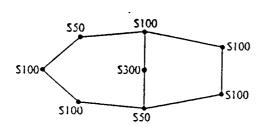
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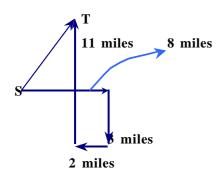
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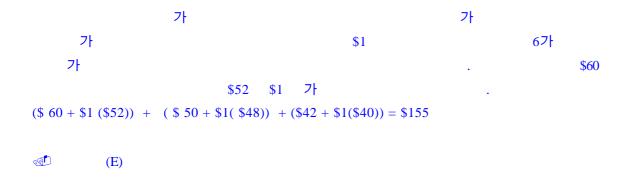
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$$\frac{D}{3} = 50 \times \frac{15}{60},$$

$$D \approx 38$$

**Distance**( ) = **Rate**( ) 'Time( )

**(B)** 

- 15. How many minutes does it take a car traveling at 80 kilometers per hour to travel 100 kilometers?
  - (A) 65
  - **(B)** 70
  - **(C)** 75
  - (D) 80
  - **(E)** 85

hours minutes . 60 !

 $(100 \text{ kilometers} \div 80) \times 60 = 75$ 

**(C)** 

- 16. Juan and Carla each drove their motorbike up a logging road. Juan reached the top 3 hours after starting but Carla took 1 additional hour. If the distance along the logging road to the top was 15 miles, how many more miles per hour did Juan average than Carla?
  - **(A)**

- (B)  $\frac{5}{4}$  (C) 2 (D)  $\frac{15}{4}$  (E) 5

15/3 - 15/4 = 5/4

- **I**
- (B)
- 17. If a hiker walks at a constant speed of  $2\frac{1}{2}$  miles per hour, how many miles can the hiker walk in 4 hours and 12 minutes?
  - **(A)** 10.0
  - **(B)** 10.3
  - **(C)** 10.4
  - **(T)**) 10.5
  - **(E)** 10.8
    - walk in 4 hours and 12 minutes  $4\frac{1}{5}$  hours .
- ) = Rate( ) × Time( ) =  $\frac{21}{5}$  ×  $\frac{5}{2}$  =  $\frac{105}{10}$  = 10.5 Distance(
- **I** (D)
- 18. The number of bacteria in a certain culture doubles once every minute. If there were pbacteria in the culture at 8:55 a.m., how many bacteria were there at 9:00 a.m. the same morning?
  - 10*p* **(A)**
- **(E)** 32p **(C)**  $5p^2$  **(D)**  $2p^5$  **(E)**  $32p^5$

- 가 8:55 가 P
- 9:00

- 1 2P, 2
- 4P, 3
- 8P, 5
- 32P가

- **I**
- (B)

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- 19. How many liters of pure alcohol must be added to a 100-liter solution that is 20 percent alcohol in order to produce a solution that is 25 percent alcohol?
  - $(\mathbf{A}) \qquad \frac{7}{2}$
  - **(B)** 5
  - $(c) \frac{20}{3}$
  - **(D)** 8
  - **(E)**  $\frac{39}{4}$

If N1 units of an item having a unit value of U1 are mixed with N2 units of an item having a unit value of U2, then

The Value of the Mixture (

) = N1'U1 + N2'U2

20% 100-liter

x pure alcohol

25%

 $\boldsymbol{x}$ 

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 $(100+x)0.25 = 100 \times 0.2 + x \Rightarrow x = \frac{20}{3}$ 

(C)

- 20. A lunar month, the time between two successive new moon, is approximately 29 days, 12 hours, and 44 minutes long. What is the approximate length of two lunar months?
  - (A) 29 days 1 hour 28 min.
  - (B) 49 days 0 hour 18 min,.
  - (C) 58 days 1 hour 18 min.
  - (D) 59 days 0 hour 28 min.
  - (E) 59 days 1 hour 28 min.

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		_		manufactı							•	
	(A)	0.6										
	<b>(B)</b>	6.0										
	<b>(C)</b>	15.0										
	( <b>D</b> )	16.7										
	<b>(E)</b>	36.0										
100	×(10/6	50) ≈ 16.	7									
<b>(</b>		(D)										
22.	burn	ing 1 lite	er of gasol	electric clo ine, then in ning appro 1.4	n 1 year	the cloc	k would	use an a	amount			
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23.	If a	certain	data entr	y operator	types cl	haracter	es at the	rate of	10,000	per ho	our, hov	w many
	char	acters w	ill the ope	erator type	e in 12 m	ninutes?						
	<b>(A)</b>	50,000	)									
	<b>(B)</b>	2,500										
	(C)	2,000										
	<b>(D)</b>	1,200										
	<b>(E)</b>	120										
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<b>(</b>		(C)										

<b>Annual Salaries of Acme Tool Corporation Officers</b>				
Salary	Number of Employees			
\$80,000	1			
70,000	2			
60,000	1			
50,000	3			
40,000	1			
30,000	1			
20,000	1			

- 24. According to the table above, what is the average (arithmetic mean) annual salary of the 10 officers of the Acme Tool Corporation?
  - (A) \$34,820
  - (B) \$35,000
  - (C) \$47,500
  - (D) \$52,000
  - (E) \$53,600

 $x_i$   $\uparrow \uparrow$  m

$$m = \frac{x_1 f_1 + x_2 f_2 + \dots + x_n f_n}{f_1 + f_2 + \dots + f_n} = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=1}^{n} x_i f_i$$

:  $\frac{80,000+140,000+60,000+150,000+40,000+30,000+20,000}{10} = 52,000$ 

**(D)** 

## <High Level Questions>

- 25. In 1985 a company sold a brand of shoes to retailers for a fixed price per pair. In 1986 the number of pairs of the shoes that the company sold to retailers decreased by 20 percent, while the price per pair increased by 20 percent. If the company's revenue from the sale of the shoes in 1986 was \$3.0 million, what was the approximate revenue from the sale of the shoes in 1985?
  - (A) \$2.4 million
- (B) \$2.9 million
- (C) \$3.0 million

- **(D)** \$3.1 million
- **(E)** \$3.6 million

**(D)** 

- 26. A hiker walked for two days. On the second day the hiker walked 2 hours longer and at an average speed 1 mile per hour faster than he walked on the first day. If during the two days he walked a total of 64 miles and spent a total of 18 hours walking, what was his average speed on the first day?
  - **(A)** 2 mph **(B)** 3 mph **(C)** 4 mph **(D)** 5 mph **(E)** 6 mph 18 64 miles 2 8 10  $8s + 10(s+1) = 64 \implies s = 3$

**(B)** 

- 27. An optometrist charges \$150 per pair for soft contact lenses and \$85 per pair for hard contact lenses. Last week she sold 5 more pairs of soft lenses than hard lenses. If her total sales for pairs of contact lenses last week were \$1,690, what was the total number of pairs of contact lenses that she sold?
  - (A) 11
  - (B) 13
  - (C) 15
  - **(D)** 17
  - (E) 19

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Hard contact lenses Q 7\\
$ 150(5+Q) + $85Q = $1,690 \Rightarrow Q = 4. soft contact lenses 9 7\\
13 .
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**(B)** 

- 28. On a certain trip, a cyclist averaged 20 miles per hour for the first 10 miles and 16 miles per hour for the remaining 20 miles. If the cyclist returned immediately via the same route and took a total of 4 hours for the round trip, what was the average speed, in miles per hour, for the return trip?
  - (A) 24
  - **(B)** 18
  - (C)  $17\frac{1}{7}$
  - (D) 15
  - **(F)**  $13\frac{1}{3}$

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10miles \div 20miles per hour = 1/2 hour,

20miles \div 16miles per hour = 1(1/4) hour

: 4 \text{ hours} ( ) - (1/2 + 1(1/4)) = 9/4
30miles \div (9/4) = 13\frac{1}{3}
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- 29. The cost of chartering a plane was shared equally among 30 passengers. If there had been 35 passengers sharing that cost, the cost per passenger would have been \$30 less. What was the cost of chartering the plane?
  - (A) \$5,400

(E)

- **(B)** \$6,125
- (C) \$6,300
- (D) \$6,800
- (E) \$7,350

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$$30 \times C = 35 \times (C - 30)$$
  
 $5 \times (C - 30) = $900, 5$  1 \$30

- 30. In traveling a certain distance, car R averaged x miles per gallon of gasoline. Car S traveled 300 miles and averaged 25 miles per gallon of gasoline. If car R used the same amount of gasoline as car S, how many miles, in terms of x, did car R travel?
  - (A) 12x
  - $(\mathbf{B})$   $\chi$
  - (C) x+12
  - **(D)**  $\frac{x}{12}$
  - (E)  $\frac{12}{x}$
- Car S7 $\dagger$  gasoline : 300miles  $\bullet$  25miles per gallon of gasoline = 12gallons

Car R 12 gallons :

- x miles per gallon of gasoline  $\times$  12 gallons of gasoline
- **1** (A)
- 31. Under a certain company's medical insurance plan, the amount an employee must pay for medical expenses consists of payment of the first \$450 of expenses plus 20 percent of additional expenses, up to a maximum total payment of \$1,350 per year. All remaining expenses are paid by the plan. Last year, if an employee paid the maximum amount for medical expenses, what is the least amount that the plan could have paid?
  - (A) \$720
  - (B) \$1,080
  - (C) \$3,600
  - (D) \$4,500
  - (E) \$4,950
- \$450

\$1,350 .

 $$450 + (x - $450) \times 0.2 = $1,350 \implies x = $4,950,$  \$450 \$0% \$4,500 \times 0.8 = \$3,600, the plan \$.

**(C)** 

32. A delivery truck starts on its route with a load of goods weighing T tons. At each of its first 4 stops,  $\frac{1}{2}$  of the weight of the goods still on the truck is unloaded. After the 4th stop, what is the weight, in tons, of the goods still on the truck?

- (A)  $\frac{15}{16}T$  (B)  $\frac{1}{4}T$  (C)  $\frac{1}{6}T$  (D)  $\frac{1}{8}T$  (E)  $\sqrt{\frac{1}{16}T}$

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T - (1/2T) = (1/2)T, (1/2)T - (1/4)T = (1/4)T, (1/4)T - (1/8)T = (1/8)T, (1/8)T - (1/16)T = (1/16)T - (1

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$$(1/2T+1/4+1/8T+1/16T) = \frac{1}{16}T$$

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(E)

33. Analysts of the automobile industry say that the total number of domestic suppliers of automobile parts was reduced by  $\frac{1}{3}$  from 1980 to 1985 and that the number was again reduced by  $\frac{1}{3}$  from 1985 to 1988. According to these analysts, if there were 2,520 domestic suppliers in 1985, how many fewer were there in 1988 than there were in 1980?

- **(A)** 1,260
- **(B)** 1,400
- **(C)** 1,680
- (**U**) 2,100
- **(E)** 2,940

The total number of domestic suppliers in  $1985(2,520) = \frac{2}{3}(1-\frac{1}{3})$  (the total number of domestic suppliers in 1980)  $\Rightarrow$  1980 domestic suppliers

The total number of domestic suppliers in  $1988 = \frac{2}{3}(1 - \frac{1}{3})$  (the total number of domestic suppliers in

1985)  $\Rightarrow 1988$ domestic suppliers 가 3,780 - 1,680 = 2,100

H (D) 34. A subway train made eleven stops on its route. If an average (arithmetic mean) of 30 passengers boarded at each of the first nine stops and at each stop, beginning with the second, 5 fewer passengers boarded than at the previous stop, how many passengers boarded the train at its first stop?

(A) 60

(B) 50

(C) 30

(D) 20

**(E)** 10

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) - 5, B - 10, ..., B - 40),

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 $9B - (5 + 10 + 15 + \dots + 40) = 270 \Rightarrow B = 50$ 

(B)

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Tips: 5 40

 $\mathbf{a}$ ,  $\mathbf{d}$ 

 $a_n = \mathbf{a} + (\mathbf{n-1})\mathbf{d}, \quad a_{n+1} - a_n = d$  ( )

 $: S_n = \frac{n(a+l)}{2}$ 

7\ :  $S_n = \frac{n(2a + (n-1)d)}{2}$ 

35. Fox jeans regularly sell for \$15 a pair and Pony jeans regularly, sell for \$18 a pair. During a sale these regular unit prices are discounted at different rates so that a total of \$9 is saved by purchasing 5 pairs of jeans: 3 pairs of Fox jeans and 2 pairs of Pony jeans. If the sum of the two discount rates is 22 percent, what is the discount rate on Pony jeans?

(A) 9%

(P) 10%

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(C) 11%

(D) 12%

(E) 15%

Fox jeans, Pony jeans

① f + p = 0.22 ②\$15 \times 3 \times f + \$18 \times 2 \times p = \$9,

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(B)

- 36. A mixture of nuts is to contain 3 parts cashews to 6 parts almonds to 7 parts walnuts by weight. How many pounds of almonds will be needed to make 5 pounds of the mixture?

- (A)  $\frac{3}{8}$  (B)  $\frac{8}{15}$  (C)  $1\frac{1}{5}$  (D)  $1\frac{2}{3}$  (E)  $1\frac{7}{8}$

cashews: almonds: walnuts = 3:6:7  $\Rightarrow$  5 pounds  $\times$  (6/16) =  $1\frac{7}{9}$ 

- (E)
- 37. The time it took car A to travel 400 miles was 2 hours less than the time it took car B to travel the same distance. If car A's average speed was 10 miles per hour greater than that of car B, what was car B's average speed, in miles per hour?
  - 20 (A)
- **30 (B)**
- C 40
- (D) 50
- 80 **(E)**

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H+2, A

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가 10 miles

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 $400 \div 10 = 40$ 

H (C)

 $400/ H+2 \Rightarrow H = 8$ ,

- 38. Ms. Jiminez plans an automobile trip of 7,000 to 9,000 miles. The cost of gasoline will be 85 to 95 cents per gallon, and her automobile will average 20 to 30 miles per gallon. What is the maximum possible cost of the gasoline for the trip?
  - \$485.00 **(A)**
  - **(B)** \$427.50
  - **(C)** \$382.50
  - **(D)** \$297.50
  - **(E)** \$256.00

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average miles per gallon

 $(9,000 \text{miles} \div 20 \text{miles}) \times \$0.95 = \$427.5$ 

- H
- (B)

- 39. A group of 12 people plan to rent a van and agree to share equally the total cost of the rental, which is E dollars. If n of the people decide not to participate at the last minute, by how many dollars will each remaining person's share of the total cost increase?
  - $(A) \qquad \frac{E}{12-n}$
  - **(B)** $\qquad \frac{12-n}{E}$
  - $(C) \qquad \frac{E}{12(12-n)}$
  - $\frac{nE}{12(12-n)}$
  - $\mathbf{(E)} \qquad \frac{(12-n)E}{12n}$
- \$E/12 , n 7! (12 -n):  $\frac{E}{12-n} \frac{E}{12}$

**1** (D)

- 40. The concentration of a certain chemical in a full water tank depends on the depth of the water. At a depth that is x feet below the top of the tank, the concentration is  $3 + \frac{4}{\sqrt{5-x}}$  parts per million, where 0 < x < 4. To the nearest 0.1 foot, at what depth is the concentration equal to 6 parts per million?
  - (A) 2.4 ft
  - (B) 2.5 ft
  - (C) 2.8 ft
  - (D) 3.0 ft
  - $(\mathbf{E})$  3.2 ft

 $x \text{ feet} \qquad ( ) \qquad 7 \text{ f 6 parts}$  per million  $: 3 + \frac{4}{\sqrt{5-x}} = 6$ 

**(E)** 

- 41. A breakfast that consists of 1 ounce of corn puffs and 8 ounces of fruit X provides 257 calories. When 8 ounces of fruit Y is substituted for the 8 ounces of fruit X, the total number of calories is reduced to 185. If fruit X provides 1.8 times as many calories as fruit Y, how many calories does 8 ounces of fruit Y alone provide?
  - (A) 11.25
  - **(B)** 72
  - (C) <u>90</u>
  - (D) 95
  - (E) 129.6

1 ounce of corn + 8 ounces of fruit X = 257 calories

1 ounce of corn + 8 ounces of fruit Y = 185 calories

- ① : 8X 8Y = 72
- ② fruit X = 1.8Y
- ② ① Y 11.25 8 90 .
- **(C)**
- 42. A 2-year certificate of deposit is purchased for k dollars. If the certificate earns interest at an annual rate of 6 percent compounded quarterly, which of the following represents the value, in dollars, of the certificate at the end of the 2 year?
  - **(A)**  $(1.06)^2 k$
  - **(B)**  $(1.06)^8 k$
  - (C)  $(1.015)^2 k$
  - (D)  $(1.015)^8 k$
  - **(E)**  $(1.04)^4 k$

**Compounded Annual Interest (** 

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time = 8

 $k(1+0.015)^8$ 

**(D)** 

- 43. On a Saturday night, each of the rooms at a certain motel was rented for either \$40 or \$60. If 10 of the rooms that were rented for \$60 had instead been rented for \$40, then the total rent the motel charged for that night would have been reduced by 25 percent. What was the total rent to motel actually charged for that night?
  - (A) \$600
  - (B) \$800
  - (C) \$1,000
  - (D) \$1,600
  - (E) \$2,400

\$60 \$40 7\ \$10 25%7\ \$60 \$40 \$20 10 rooms 4(25% )

 $(\$20 \times 10) \times 4 = \$800$ 

**(B)** 

- 44. On level farmland, two runners leave at the same time from the intersection of two country roads. One runner jogs due north at a constant rate of 8 miles per hour while the second runner jogs due east at a constant rate that is 4 miles per hour faster than the first runner's rate. How far apart, to the nearest mile, will they be after  $\frac{1}{2}$  hour?
  - (A) 6
  - (B) 7
  - (C) 8
  - (D) 12
  - (E) 14

 $4^2 + 6^2 = (2\sqrt{13})^2 \mathbf{p} \quad 2\sqrt{13} \approx 7$ 

**(B)** 

- 45. The rear wheels of a car crossed a certain line 0.5 second after the front wheels crossed the same line. If the centers of the front and rear wheels are 20 feet apart and the car traveled in a straight line at a constant speed, which of the following gives the speed of the car in miles per hour? (5,280 feet = 1 mile)
  - (A)  $\left(\frac{20}{5,280}\right)\left(\frac{60^2}{0.5}\right)$
  - **(B)**  $\left(\frac{20}{5,280}\right)\left(\frac{60}{0.5}\right)$
  - (C)  $\left(\frac{20}{5,280}\right)\left(\frac{0.5}{60^2}\right)$
  - **(D)**  $\frac{(20)(5,280)}{(60^2)(0.5)}$
  - **(E)**  $\frac{(20)(5,280)}{(60)(0.5)}$

(A)

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가 가 0.5 가 0.5 seconds 20feet . 20 feet 가 feet second Speed =  $\frac{20 feet}{0.5 \sec onds}$ mile feet feet second hour 5,280 0.5 seconds 60×60

- 46. A cashier mentally reversed the digits of one customer's correct amount of change and thus gave the customer an incorrect amount of change. If the cash register contained 45 cents more than it should have as a result of this error, which of the following could have been the correct amount of change in cents?
  - (A) 14 (B) 45 (C) 54 (D) 65

45cent  $10a + b - (10b + a) = 45, \Rightarrow 9(a - b) = 9 \times 5 \Rightarrow a - b = 5, \qquad a - b = 5$   $(a, b) : (6,1), (7,2), (8,3), (9,4) \qquad ab - ba = 45 \qquad (8, 3)$  (E)

- 47. A shipment of 1,500 heads of cabbage, each of which was approximately the same size, was purchased for \$600. The day the shipment arrived,  $\frac{2}{3}$  of the heads were sold, each at 25 percent above the cost per head. The following day the rest were sold at a price per head equal to 10 percent less than the price each head sold for on the day before. What was the gross profit on this shipment?
  - (A) \$100

(C)

- (B) \$115
- (c) \$125
- (D) \$130
- (E) \$135
- $(1,500 \times \frac{2}{3} \times 1.25 \times \frac{600}{1,500}) + (1,500 \times \frac{1}{3} \times 1.25 \times \frac{600}{1,500} \times 0.9) = $725$ \$725 - \$600 = \$125
- 48. If Sam were twice as old as he is, he would be 40 years older than Jim. If Jim is 10 years younger than Sam, how old is Sam?
  - (A) 20

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- (B) 30
- (C) 40
- **D**) 50

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**(E)** 60

<Tips> If Sam were twice as old as he is: "Sam ①2Sam = 40 + Jim, ②Jim + 10 = Sam

Sam 30 .

**(B)** 

- 49. A store currently charges the same price for each towel that it sells. If the current price of each towel were to be increased by \$1, 10 fewer of the towels could be bought for \$120, excluding sales tax. What is the current price of each towel?
  - (A) \$1
- **(B)** \$2
- (C) \$3

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- (D) \$4
- (E) \$12

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- $7 \nmid $1$  \$120  $7 \nmid $1$  .  $0 \leq NP = $120, @(N-10)(P+1) = $120$
- 120 = 2×3×4×5 . 120

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- 50. A ruby and a diamond have insured values of \$1,800 and \$1,200, respectively, and the annual premium rate for each gem is \$1.50 per \$100 of insured value. If the rate and insured values of the two gems remain constant over the years, after how many years will the total of the insurance premiums on both gems for those years first exceed the insured value of the diamond?
  - (A) 8
  - **(B)** 12
  - (C) 20
  - (D) 27
  - **(E)** 40
- $\$3,000 \times \frac{1.5}{100} \times x \text{ years} = \$1,200 \Rightarrow x \text{ years} \approx 26.6$ diamond  $7 \nmid 7 \nmid$
- **1** (D)
- 51. A furnace service contract costs \$48 per year and covers payment of 80 percent of all repair costs. The total amount paid by the owner, including the cost of the contract, will equal the payment covered by the contract when the total repair costs for the year are

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- (A) \$48
- (B) \$60
- (C) \$72
- (D) \$80
- (E) \$92

 $48 + 0.2 \times \text{all repair costs} = 0.8 \times \text{all repair costs} \Rightarrow \text{all repair costs} = 80$ 

**1** (D)