1999-2000

Contest # 5

Answers must be exact or must have 4 (or more) significant digits, correctly rounded, unless otherwise noted

Problems19-20. Time limit 10 minutes.

- 19. Find a two-digit number whose value is twice the product of its digits.
- 20. Al, Bob, Carl, and Dave were accused of a crime. They each made a statement. Exactly three of the statements are true. Who is guilty? The statements are as follows. Al: If I'm guilty, then Carl lied. Bob: Dave lied when he said I did it. Carl: If Al isn't guilty, then Bob is guilty. Dave: Bob did it,

Problems 21-22, 10 minutes.

- 21. Factor completely over the integers: $x^2(x-1) 3x^2 7x + 10$
- 22. Points A(-6,0) and B(0,6) are marked All points P on the plane with AP + PB =20 are graphed to form an ellipse. Find the length of the minor axis of the ellipse.

Problems 23-24. 11 minutes.

- 23. A standard, fair six-sided die is rolled repeatedly until a "5" occurs. Find the probability that this will take four or fewer rolls.
- 24. [a classic] In the circle with center O, AB and CD are perpendicular diameters. PO AB and OR CD. PR = 10 and PD = 2.

Find the diameter of the circle.

