Ask Math Anything

Daily Challenge with Po-Shen Loh

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Abstract

Professor Po-Shen Loh solves problems on his YouTube channel. A selection for practice. Reference: Ask Math Anything - Daily Challenge with Po-Shen Loh

1 A Sum Problem

Find a and b for

$$(3^{2006} + 2006)^2 - (3^{2006} - 2006)^2 = a^b$$

2 A Sum Problem

$$\frac{2020^2 - 2012^2}{2017^2 - 2015^2}$$

3 A Sum Problem

Milly adds up all integers from 1 to n inclusive. Billy adds up all integers from n+1 to 20 inclusive. They obtain the same sum. What is the value of n?

4 A Percentage Problem

10% of the students score 70pts each.

35% of the students score 80pts each.

30% of the students score 90pts each.

25% of the students score 100pts each.

What is the difference between the median and the mean?