

# Hong Kong Mathematics Olympiad 1999-2000

## Heat Event (Individual)

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時限：40 分鐘

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1. 設  $x = 0.\dot{1}\dot{7} + 0.0\dot{1}\dot{7} + 0.00\dot{1}\dot{7} + \dots$ ，求  $x$  的值。

Let  $x = 0.\dot{1}\dot{7} + 0.0\dot{1}\dot{7} + 0.00\dot{1}\dot{7} + \dots$ , find the value of  $x$ .

2. 解下列方程：

$$\frac{1}{x+12} + \frac{1}{(x+1)(x+2)} + \frac{1}{(x+2)(x+3)} + \frac{1}{(x+3)(x+4)} + \dots + \frac{1}{(x+10)(x+11)} + \frac{1}{(x+11)(x+12)} = \frac{1}{4}$$

Solve the following equation:

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3. 用數字 0、1、2、5 可以組成多少個能被 5 整除的三位數？（若數字不可以重複使用。）  
Using digits 0, 1, 2, and 5, how many 3-digit numbers can be formed, which are divisible by 5?  
(If no digit may be repeated.)

4. 在圖一，有一個  $4 \times 3$  的矩形蜘蛛網。若有一隻蜘蛛沿著網絲爬行。而其爬行方向祇可向東或向北。該蜘蛛由 A 點到 C 點共有多少種可能路徑？

Figure 1 represents a  $4 \times 3$  rectangular spiderweb. If a spider walks along the web from A to C and it always walks either due East or due North. Find the total number of possible paths.



Figure 1 圖一

5. 在圖二，設  $\angle A + \angle B + \angle C + \angle D + \angle E + \angle F + \angle G = x^\circ$ ，求  $x$  的值。

In Figure 2, let  $\angle A + \angle B + \angle C + \angle D + \angle E + \angle F + \angle G = x^\circ$ , find the value of  $x$ .

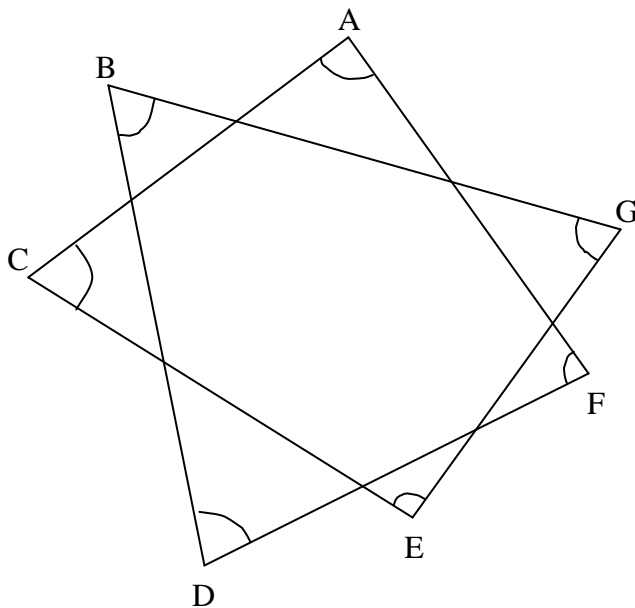


Figure 2 圖二

6. 於一白紙上，畫有 20 條直線。該 20 條直線，並沒有兩條或兩條以上是平行的，也沒有三條或三條以上的直線共點，問這 20 條直線最多可構成多少個交點？

Twenty straight lines were drawn on a white paper. Among them, no two or more straight lines are parallel; also no three or more than three straight lines are concurrent. What is the maximum number of intersections that these 20 lines can form?

7. 某一家庭有兩個孩子，已知其中一個孩子是女的，求該家庭的另一個孩子亦是女兒的概率是多少？(假設生男、生女的概率相等。)

In a family of 2 children, given that one of them is a girl, what is the probability of having another girl? (Assuming equal probabilities of boys and girls.)

8. 有一個六位數，其個位數字為「1」，若將該個位數字「1」移至十萬位，其原來的十萬位數字、萬位數字、千位數字、… 皆向右順移一個位。新的六位數的值為原來的六位數的值的  $\frac{1}{3}$ ，求原來的六位數。

A particular 6-digit number has a unit-digit “1”. Suppose this unit-digit “1” is moved to the place of hundred thousands, while the original ten thousand-digit, thousand-digit, hundred-digit, … are moved one digit place to the right. The value of the new 6-digit number is one-third of the value of the original 6-digit number. Find the original 6-digit number.

9. 求  $\frac{12\sin^2 48^\circ + 12\sin^2 42^\circ}{\sin 330^\circ \tan 135^\circ - \sin^2 48^\circ \sin^2 42^\circ \tan 180^\circ}$  的值。

Find the value of  $\frac{12\sin^2 48^\circ + 12\sin^2 42^\circ}{\sin 330^\circ \tan 135^\circ - \sin^2 48^\circ \sin^2 42^\circ \tan 180^\circ}$ .

10. 求直線  $3x - y - 4 = 0$  與點  $(2, 2)$  的最短距離。

Find the shortest distance between the line  $3x - y - 4 = 0$  and the point  $(2, 2)$ .

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1. 如果  $a$  是  $x^2 + 2x + 3 = 0$  的根，求  $\frac{a^5 + 3a^4 + 3a^3 - a^2}{a^2 + 3}$  的值。  
If  $a$  is a root of  $x^2 + 2x + 3 = 0$ , find the value of  $\frac{a^5 + 3a^4 + 3a^3 - a^2}{a^2 + 3}$ .
2. 方程  $(\cos^2 \theta - 1)(2\cos^2 \theta - 1) = 0$  恰有  $n$  個根，其中  $0^\circ < \theta < 360^\circ$ 。求  $n$  的值。  
There are exactly  $n$  roots in the equation  $(\cos^2 \theta - 1)(2\cos^2 \theta - 1) = 0$ , where  $0^\circ < \theta < 360^\circ$ . Find the value of  $n$ .
3. 求  $2004^{4006}$  的個位數。  
Find the units digit of  $2004^{2006}$ .
4. 設  $x = |y - m| + |y - 10| + |y - m - 10|$ ，其中  $0 < m < 10$  和  $m \leq y \leq 10$ 。求  $x$  的最小值。  
Let  $x = |y - m| + |y - 10| + |y - m - 10|$ , where  $0 < m < 10$  and  $m \leq y \leq 10$ . Find the minimum value of  $x$ .
5. 有 5 個分別標上 A、B、C、D、E 的球及 5 個分別標上 A、B、C、D、E 的袋，每個袋放一個球。求恰好有 3 個球的標號與袋的標號相同的投放方法總數。  
There are 5 balls with labels A, B, C, D, E respectively and there are 5 pockets with labels A, B, C, D, E respectively. A ball is put into each pocket. Find the number of ways in which exactly 3 balls have labels that match the labels on the pockets.
6. 如圖一， $\triangle PQR$  為一等邊三角形， $PT = RS$ ； $PS$ 、 $QT$  相交於  $M$ ； $QN$  垂直  $PS$  於  $N$ 。設  $\angle QMN = x^\circ$ ，求  $x$  的值。  
In Figure 1,  $\triangle PQR$  is an equilateral triangle,  $PT = RS$ ;  $PS$ ,  $QT$  meet at  $M$ ; and  $QN$  is perpendicular to  $PS$  at  $N$ . Let  $\angle QMN = x^\circ$ , find the value of  $x$ .

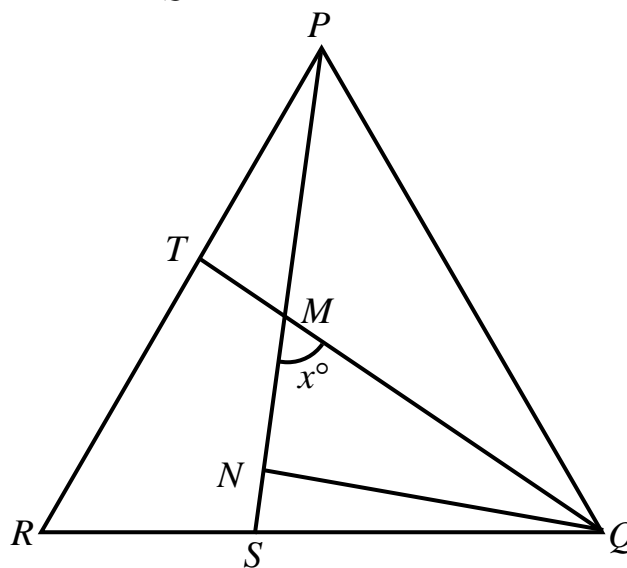


Figure 1 (圖一)

7. 如圖二，已知三等圓互相外切，且內切於矩形  $PQRS$ ，求  $\frac{QR}{SR}$  的值。

(取  $\sqrt{3} = 1.7$  及答案須準確至二個小數位)

In Figure 2, three equal circles are tangent to each other, and inscribed in rectangle  $PQRS$ , find the value of  $\frac{QR}{SR}$ . (Use  $\sqrt{3} = 1.7$  and give the answer correct to 2 decimal places)

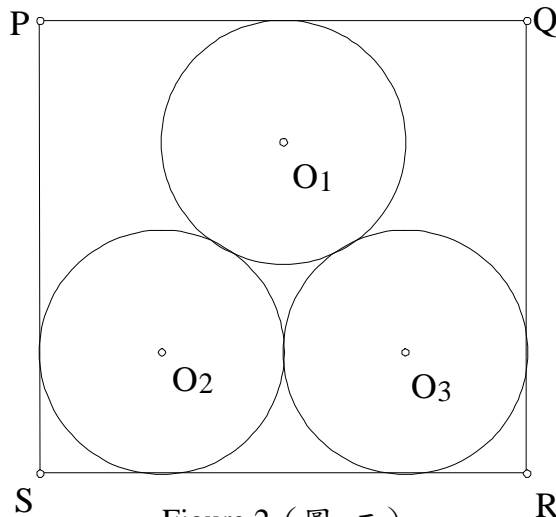


Figure 2 (圖二)

8. 兩個正整數之和為 29，求此兩數平方和的最小值。  
The sum of two positive integers is 29, find the minimum value of the sum of their squares.
9. 設  $x = \sqrt{3+\sqrt{3}}$  及  $y = \sqrt{3-\sqrt{3}}$ ，求  $x^2(1+y^2) + y^2$  的值。  
Let  $x = \sqrt{3+\sqrt{3}}$  and  $y = \sqrt{3-\sqrt{3}}$ , find the value of  $x^2(1+y^2) + y^2$ .
10. 袋內有球 9 個，分別標上整數 1 到 9。甲從袋中隨機地抽出一個球並把它放回，乙再從同一袋中隨機地抽出一個球。把兩球上的整數相加，設  $n$  為該和的個位數字， $P(n)$  為  $n$  出現的概率。求  $n$  的值使得  $P(n)$  為最大。  
There are nine balls in a pocket, each one having an integer label from 1 to 9. A draws a ball randomly from the pocket and puts it back, then B draws a ball randomly from the same pocket. Let  $n$  be the unit digit of the sum of numbers on the two balls drawn by A and B, and  $P(n)$  be the probability of the occurrence of  $n$ . Find the value of  $n$  such that  $P(n)$  is the maximum.