

Hong Kong Mathematics Olympiad (1998-99)

Final Event 1 (Individual)

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除非特別聲明，答案須用數字表達，並化至最簡。

- (i) 若一個 P -邊的多邊形的內角形成一算術級數，且最小和最大的角分別為 20° 及 160° ，求 P 之值。

$P =$

If the interior angles of a P -sided polygon form an Arithmetic Progression and the smallest and the largest angles are 20° and 160° respectively. Find the value of P .

- (ii) 在 $\triangle ABC$ 中， $AB = 5$, $AC = 6$ 及 $BC = P$ ，若 $\frac{1}{Q} = \cos 2A$ ，求 Q 之值。

(提示: $\cos 2A = 2 \cos^2 A - 1$)

In $\triangle ABC$, $AB = 5$, $AC = 6$ and $BC = P$. If $\frac{1}{Q} = \cos 2A$, find the value of Q .

(Hint: $\cos 2A = 2 \cos^2 A - 1$)

$Q =$

- (iii) 若 $\log_2 Q + \log_4 Q + \log_8 Q = \frac{R}{2}$ ，求 R 之值。

If $\log_2 Q + \log_4 Q + \log_8 Q = \frac{R}{2}$, find the value of R .

$R =$

- (iv) 若兩數 R 和 $\frac{11}{S}$ 的積等於它們的和，求 S 之值。

If the product of the numbers R and $\frac{11}{S}$ is the same as their sum, find the value of S .

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Final Event 2 (Individual)

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- (i) 若 x 、 y 及 z 為正實數使得 $\frac{x+y-z}{z} = \frac{x-y+z}{y} = \frac{-x+y+z}{x}$ ，

且 $a = \frac{(x+y) \cdot (y+z) \cdot (z+x)}{xyz}$ ，求 a 之值。

$a =$

If x, y and z are positive real numbers such that $\frac{x+y-z}{z} = \frac{x-y+z}{y} = \frac{-x+y+z}{x}$ and $a = \frac{(x+y) \cdot (y+z) \cdot (z+x)}{xyz}$, find the value of a .

- (ii) 設 u 和 t 為正整數使得 $u+t+ut=4a+2$ ，若 $b=u+t$ ，求 b 之值。

Let u and t be positive integers such that $u+t+ut=4a+2$.

If $b=u+t$, find the value of b .

$b =$

- (iii) 在圖一， OAB 為四分之一圓，且以 OA 、 OB 為直徑繪出兩個半圓，若 p 、 q 代表陰影部分之面積，其中 $p=(b-9)\text{ cm}^2$ 及 $q=c\text{ cm}^2$ ，求 c 之值。

In Figure 1, OAB is a quadrant of a circle and semi-circles are drawn on OA and OB . If p, q denotes the areas of the shaded regions, where $p=(b-9)\text{ cm}^2$ and $q=c\text{ cm}^2$, find the value of c .

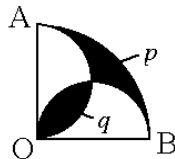


Figure 1 圖一

- (iv) 設 $f_0(x) = \frac{1}{c-x}$ ，且 $f_n(x) = f_0(f_{n-1}(x))$ ， $n=1, 2, 3, \dots$

若 $f_{2000}(2000) = d$ ，求 d 之值。

Let $f_0(x) = \frac{1}{c-x}$ and $f_n(x) = f_0(f_{n-1}(x))$, $n=1, 2, 3, \dots$

If $f_{2000}(2000) = d$, find the value of d .

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- (i) 對任意整數 m 及 n ， $m \otimes n$ 之定義如下： $m \otimes n = m^n + n^m$ 。

若 $2 \otimes a = 100$ ，求 a 之值。

For all integers m and n , $m \otimes n$ is defined as: $m \otimes n = m^n + n^m$.

If $2 \otimes a = 100$, find the value of a .

$a =$

- (ii) 若 $\sqrt[3]{13b+6a+1} - \sqrt[3]{13b-6a-1} = \sqrt[3]{2}$ ，其中 $b > 0$ ，求 b 之值。

If $\sqrt[3]{13b+6a+1} - \sqrt[3]{13b-6a-1} = \sqrt[3]{2}$, where $b > 0$, find the value of b .

$b =$

- (iii) 在圖二， $AB = AC$ 和 $KL = LM$ 。若 $LC = b - 6$ cm 及 $KB = c$ cm，求 c 之值。

In figure 2, $AB = AC$ and $KL = LM$. If $LC = b - 6$ cm and $KB = c$ cm, find the value of c .

$c =$

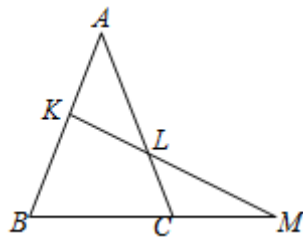


Figure 2 圖二

- (iv) 數列 $\{a_n\}$ 的定義如下： $a_1 = c$ ， $a_{n+1} = a_n + 2n$ ($n \geq 1$)。若 $a_{100} = d$ ，求 d 之值。

The sequence $\{a_n\}$ is defined as $a_1 = c$, $a_{n+1} = a_n + 2n$ ($n \geq 1$).

If $a_{100} = d$, find the value of d .

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- (i) 李先生今年 a 歲， $a < 100$ 。若把李先生的出生月份與 a 相乘，其結果是 253。
 求 a 的值。

Mr. Lee is a years old, $a < 100$.

If the product of a and his month of birth is 253, find the value of a .

$a =$

- (ii) 李先生有糖 $a + b$ 粒，若平均分給 10 人，則餘下 5 粒。
 若平均分給 7 人，則欠 3 粒。求 b 之最小值。

Mr. Lee has $a + b$ sweets. If he divides them equally among 10 persons, 5 sweets will be remained. If he divides them equally among 7 persons, 3 more sweets are needed.
 Find the minimum value of b .

$b =$

- (iii) 設 c 為一正實數，若 $x^2 + 2\sqrt{c}x + b = 0$ 僅有一實數解，求 c 之值。

Let c be a positive real number.

If $x^2 + 2\sqrt{c}x + b = 0$ has one real root only, find the value of c .

$c =$

- (iv) 在圖三，正方形 $ABCD$ 之面積為 d 。若 E, F, G, H 分別是 AB, BC, CD, DA 之中心點，及 $EF = c$ ，求 d 之值。

In figure 3, the area of the square $ABCD$ is equal to d . If E, F, G, H are the mid-points of AB, BC, CD and DA respectively and $EF = c$, find the value of d .

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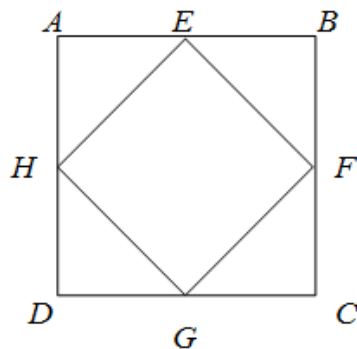


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- (i) 若 $144^p = 10$ ， $1728^q = 5$ 及 $a = 12^{2p-3q}$ ，求 a 之值。

If $144^p = 10$ ， $1728^q = 5$ and $a = 12^{2p-3q}$ ，find the value of a .

$a =$

- (ii) 若 $1 - \frac{4}{x} + \frac{4}{x^2} = 0$ ，及 $b = \frac{a}{x}$ ，求 b 之值。

If $1 - \frac{4}{x} + \frac{4}{x^2} = 0$ ， $b = \frac{a}{x}$ ，find the value of b .

$b =$

- (iii) 若方程 $x^2 - bx + 1 = 0$ 有 c 個實數解，求 c 之值。

If the number of real roots of the equation $x^2 - bx + 1 = 0$ is c ，find the value of c .

$c =$

- (iv) 設 $f(1) = c + 1$ 及 $f(n) = (n-1)f(n-1)$ ，其中 $n > 1$ 。若 $d = f(4)$ ，求 d 之值。

Let $f(1) = c + 1$ and $f(n) = (n-1)f(n-1)$ ，where $n > 1$.

If $d = f(4)$ ，find the value of d .

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- (i) 若 a 為能整除 $3^{11} + 5^{13}$ 的最小質數，求 a 之值。

If a is the smallest prime number which can divide the sum $3^{11} + 5^{13}$,
 find the value of a .

- (ii) 對任意實數 x 及 y , $x \oplus y$ 之定義如下： $x \oplus y = \frac{1}{xy}$ 。

若 $b = 4 \oplus (a \oplus 1540)$ ，求 b 之值。

For all real number x and y , $x \oplus y$ is defined as: $x \oplus y = \frac{1}{xy}$.

If $b = 4 \oplus (a \oplus 1540)$, find the value of b .

- (iii) W 和 F 為兩大於 20 的整數。

若 W 與 F 之積為 b ， W 與 F 之和為 c ，求 c 之值。

W and F are two integers which are greater than 20.

If the product of W and F is b and the sum of W and F is c , find the value of c .

- (iv) 若 $\frac{d}{114} = \left(1 - \frac{1}{2^2}\right) \left(1 - \frac{1}{3^2}\right) \cdots \left(1 - \frac{1}{c^2}\right)$ ，求 d 之值。

If $\frac{d}{114} = \left(1 - \frac{1}{2^2}\right) \left(1 - \frac{1}{3^2}\right) \cdots \left(1 - \frac{1}{c^2}\right)$, find the value of d .

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Final Event 1 (Group)

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- (i) 設 $x * y = x + y - xy$ ，其中 x, y 為實數，若 $a = 1 * (0 * 1)$ ，求 a 之值。

Let $x * y = x + y - xy$, where x, y are real numbers.

If $a = 1 * (0 * 1)$, find the value of a .

$a =$

- (ii) 在圖一， AB 平行於 DC ， $\angle ACB$ 為一直角， $AC = CB$ 及 $AB = BD$ ，

若 $\angle CBD = b^\circ$ ，求 b 之值。

In figure 1, AB is parallel to DC , $\angle ACB$ is a right angle, $AC = CB$ and $AB = BD$.

If $\angle CBD = b^\circ$, find the value of b .

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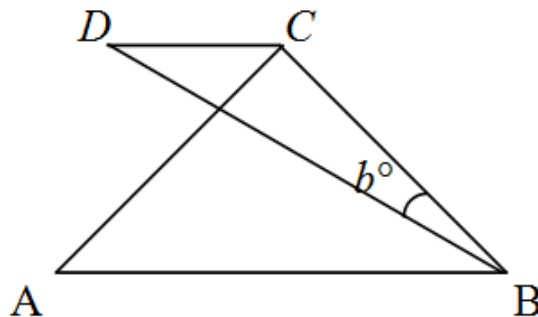


Figure 1 圖一

- (iii) 設 x, y 為非零實數，若 x 是 y 的 250%，而 $2y$ 是 x 的 $c\%$ ，求 c 之值。

Let x, y be non-zero real numbers.

If x is 250% of y and $2y$ is $c\%$ of x , find the value of c .

$c =$

- (iv) 若 $\log_p x = 2$ ， $\log_q x = 3$ ， $\log_r x = 6$ 及 $\log_{pqr} x = d$ ，求 d 之值。

If $\log_p x = 2$, $\log_q x = 3$, $\log_r x = 6$ and $\log_{pqr} x = d$, find the value of d .

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Final Event 2 (Group)

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(i) 若 $a = x^4 + x^{-4}$ 及 $x^2 + x + 1 = 0$ ，求 a 之值。

If $a = x^4 + x^{-4}$ and $x^2 + x + 1 = 0$, find the value of a .

$a =$

(ii) 若 $6^b + 6^{b+1} = 2^b + 2^{b+1} + 2^{b+2}$ ，求 b 之值。

If $6^b + 6^{b+1} = 2^b + 2^{b+1} + 2^{b+2}$, find the value of b .

$b =$

(iii) 設 c 為質數，若 $11c + 1$ 是一正整數之平方，求 c 之值。

Let c be a prime number.

If $11c + 1$ is the square of a positive integer, find the value of c .

$c =$

(iv) 設 d 為奇質數，若 $89 - (d + 3)^2$ 是一整數之平方，求 d 之值。

Let d be an odd prime number.

If $89 - (d + 3)^2$ is the square of an integer, find the value of d .

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Final Event 3 (Group)

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 除非特別聲明，答案須用數字表達，並化至最簡。

- (i) 設小於 100 的正整數，同時又是完全平方及完全立方的數目共有 a 個，
 求 a 之值。

$a =$

Let a be the number of positive integers less than 100 such that they are both square and cubic numbers, find the value of a .

- (ii) 數列 $\{a_k\}$ 定義如下： $a_1 = 1$ 、 $a_2 = 1$ 及 $a_k = a_{k-1} + a_{k-2}$ ($k > 2$)。
 若 $a_1 + a_2 + \cdots + a_{10} = 11 a_b$ ，求 b 之值。
 The sequence $\{a_k\}$ is defined as:
 $a_1 = 1, a_2 = 1$ and $a_k = a_{k-1} + a_{k-2}$ ($k > 2$).
 If $a_1 + a_2 + \cdots + a_{10} = 11 a_b$, find the value of b .

$b =$

- (iii) 若 c 是 $\log(\sin x)$ 的最大值，其中 $0 < x < \pi$ ，求 c 之值。
 If c is the maximum value of $\log(\sin x)$, where $0 < x < \pi$, find the value of c .

$c =$

- (iv) 設 $x \geq 0$ and $y \geq 0$ 。已知 $x + y = 18$ 。若 $\sqrt{x} + \sqrt{y}$ 之最大值是 d ，求 d 之值。
 Let $x \geq 0$ and $y \geq 0$. Given that $x + y = 18$.
 If the maximum value of $\sqrt{x} + \sqrt{y}$ is d , find the value of d .

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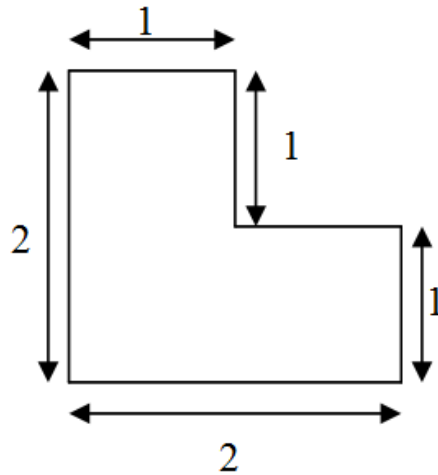
Final Event 4 (Group)

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- (i) 若以 a 塊 L 形的瓷磚 (圖二)，不重疊地拼出一幅與之相似，但面積較大的圖形，求 a 的最小可能值。

If a tiles of L-shape are used to form a larger similar figure (figure 2) without overlapping, find the least possible value of a .



圖二 Figure 2

$a =$

- (ii) 設 α, β 是 $x^2 + bx - 2 = 0$ 的根。若 $\alpha > 1$ 及 $\beta < -1$ ，且 b 為一整數，求 b 之值。

Let α, β be the roots of $x^2 + bx - 2 = 0$.

If $\alpha > 1$ and $\beta < -1$, and b is an integer, find the value of b .

$b =$

- (iii) 已知 m, c 是小於 10 的正整數。若 $m = 2c$ ，且 $0.\dot{m}\dot{c} = \frac{c+4}{m+5}$ ，求 c 之值。

Given that m, c are positive integers less than 10. If $m = 2c$ and $0.\dot{m}\dot{c} = \frac{c+4}{m+5}$,

find the value of c .

$c =$

- (iv) 一個袋子裏有 d 個球，其中 x 個是黑球， $x+1$ 個是紅球， $x+2$ 個是白球。

若從袋裏隨機抽出一個黑球之概率小於 $\frac{1}{6}$ ，求 d 之值。

A bag contains d balls of which x are black, $x+1$ are red and $x+2$ are white.

If the probability of drawing a black ball randomly from the bag is less than $\frac{1}{6}$,

find the value of d .

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Final Event 5 (Group)

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- (i) 若 $x^2 - 2x - P = 0$ 的根相差 12，求 P 之值。

If the roots of $x^2 - 2x - P = 0$ differ by 12, find the value of P .

$P =$

- (ii) 已知方程式 $x^2 + ax + 2b = 0$ 及 $x^2 + 2bx + a = 0$ 的根為實數，且 $a, b > 0$ 。

若 $a + b$ 的最小值為 Q ，求 Q 之值。

Given that the roots of $x^2 + ax + 2b = 0$ and $x^2 + 2bx + a = 0$ are both real and $a, b > 0$. If the minimum value of $a + b$ is Q , find the value of Q .

$Q =$

- (iii) If $R^{2000} < 5^{3000}$, where R is a positive integer, find the largest value of R .

若 $R^{2000} < 5^{3000}$ ，其中 R 為正整數，求 R 之最大值。

$R =$

- (iv) 在圖三，直角三角形 ABC 中， $BH \perp AC$ 。

若 $AB = 15$ ， $HC = 16$ 及 $\triangle ABC$ 的面積是 S ，求 S 之值。

In figure 3, $\triangle ABC$ is a right-angled triangle and $BH \perp AC$.

If $AB = 15$, $HC = 16$ and the area of $\triangle ABC$ is S , find the value of S .

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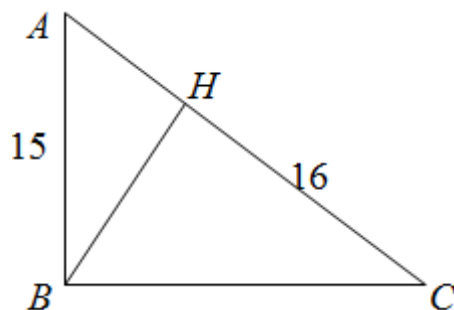


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- (i) 若從正整數集中任意抽取一數 N ， N^4 的個位數字為 1 的概率是 $\frac{P}{10}$ ，求 P 之值。
If a number N is chosen randomly from the set of positive integers, the probability of the unit digit of N^4 being unity is $\frac{P}{10}$, find the value of P .

$P =$

- (ii) 設 $x \geq 0$ and $y \geq 0$ 。已知 $x + y = 18$ 。若 $\sqrt{x} + \sqrt{y}$ 的最大值為 Q ，求 Q 之值。
Let $x \geq 0$ and $y \geq 0$. Given that $x + y = 18$.
If the maximum value of $\sqrt{x} + \sqrt{y}$ is Q , find the value of Q .

$Q =$

- (iii) 若 $x^2 - 2x - R = 0$ 的兩根之差為 12，求 R 之值。
If the roots of $x^2 - 2x - R = 0$ differs by 12, find the value of R .

$R =$

- (iv) 若一四位數 $abSd$ 與 9 的積恰為四位數 $dSba$ ，求 S 之值。
If the product of a 4-digit number $abSd$ and 9 is equal to another 4-digit number $dSba$, find the value of S .

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