

South East Mathematical Olympiad 2019

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– Grade 10

Day 1 July 30th

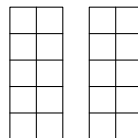
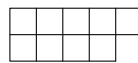
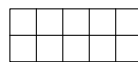
1 Find the largest real number k , such that for any positive real numbers a, b ,

$$(a + b)(ab + 1)(b + 1) \geq kab^2$$

2 Two circles Γ_1 and Γ_2 intersect at A, B . Points C, D lie on Γ_1 , points E, F lie on Γ_2 such that A, B lies on segments CE, DF respectively and segments CE, DF do not intersect. Let CF meet Γ_1, Γ_2 again at K, L respectively, and DE meet Γ_1, Γ_2 at M, N respectively. If the circumcircles of $\triangle ALM$ and $\triangle BKN$ are tangent, prove that the radii of these two circles are equal.

3 Let $f : \mathbb{N} \rightarrow \mathbb{N}$ be a function such that $f(ab)$ divides $\max\{f(a), b\}$ for any positive integers a, b . Must there exist infinitely many positive integers k such that $f(k) = 1$?

4 As the figure is shown, place a 2×5 grid table in horizontal or vertical direction, and then remove arbitrary one 1×1 square on its four corners. The eight different shapes consisting of the remaining nine small squares are called *banners*.



Here is a fixed 9×18 grid table. Find the number of ways to cover the grid table completely with 18 *banners*.

Day 2 July 31st

5 Let $S = \{1928, 1929, 1930, \dots, 1949\}$. We call one of S 's subset M is a *red* subset, if the sum of any two different elements of M isn't divided by 4. Let x, y be the number of the *red* subsets of S with 4 and 5 elements, respectively. Determine which of x, y is greater and prove that.

6 Let a, b, c be the lengths of the sides of a given triangle. If positive reals x, y, z satisfy $x + y + z = 1$, find the maximum of $axy + byz + czx$.

7 Let $ABCD$ be a given convex quadrilateral in a plane. Prove that there exist a line with four different points P, Q, R, S on it and a square $ABCD$ such that P lies on both line AB and AB , Q lies on both line BC and BC , R lies on both line CD and CD , S lies on both line DA and DA .

8 For positive integer $x > 1$, define set S_x as

$$S_x = \{p^\alpha \mid p \text{ is one of the prime divisor of } x, \alpha \in \mathbb{N}, p^\alpha \mid x, \alpha \equiv v_p(x) \pmod{2}\},$$

where $v_p(n)$ is the power of prime divisor p in positive integer n . Let $f(x)$ be the sum of all the elements of S_x when $x > 1$, and $f(1) = 1$.

Let m be a given positive integer, and the sequence $a_1, a_2, \dots, a_n, \dots$ satisfy that for any positive integer $n > m$, $a_{n+1} = \max\{f(a_n), f(a_{n-1} + 1), \dots, f(a_{n-m} + m)\}$. Prove that

(1) there exists constant $A, B (0 < A < 1)$, such that when positive integer x has at least two different prime divisors, $f(x) < Ax + B$ holds;

(2) there exists positive integer Q , such that for any positive integer n , $a_n < Q$.

– Grade 11

Day 1 July 30th

1 Let $[a]$ represent the largest integer less than or equal to a , for any real number a . Let $\{a\} = a - [a]$.

Are there positive integers m, n and $n + 1$ real numbers x_0, x_1, \dots, x_n such that $x_0 = 428$, $x_n = 1928$, $\frac{x_{k+1}}{10} = \left[\frac{x_k}{10}\right] + m + \left\{\frac{x_k}{5}\right\}$ holds?

Justify your answer.

2 $ABCD$ is a parallelogram with $\angle BAD \neq 90$. Circle centered at A radius BA denoted as ω_1 intersects the extended side of AB, CB at points E, F respectively. Suppose the circle centered at D with radius DA , denoted as ω_2 , intersects AD, CD at points M, N respectively. Suppose EN, FM intersects at G , AG intersects ME at point T . MF intersects ω_1 at $Q \neq F$, and EN intersects ω_2 at $P \neq N$. Prove that G, P, T, Q concyclic.

- 3** n symbols line up in a row, numbered as $1, 2, \dots, n$ from left to right. Delete every symbol with squared numbers. Renumber the rest from left to right. Repeat the process until all n symbols are deleted. Let $f(n)$ be the initial number of the last symbol deleted. Find $f(n)$ in terms of n and find $f(2019)$.

- 4** Let X be a 5×5 matrix with each entry be 0 or 1. Let $x_{i,j}$ be the (i, j) -th entry of X ($i, j = 1, 2, \dots, 5$). Consider all the 24 ordered sequence in the rows, columns and diagonals of X in the following:

$$\begin{aligned} &(x_{i,1}, x_{i,2}, \dots, x_{i,5}), (x_{i,5}, x_{i,4}, \dots, x_{i,1}), (i = 1, 2, \dots, 5) \\ &(x_{1,j}, x_{2,j}, \dots, x_{5,j}), (x_{5,j}, x_{4,j}, \dots, x_{1,j}), (j = 1, 2, \dots, 5) \\ &(x_{1,1}, x_{2,2}, \dots, x_{5,5}), (x_{5,5}, x_{4,4}, \dots, x_{1,1}) \\ &(x_{1,5}, x_{2,4}, \dots, x_{5,1}), (x_{5,1}, x_{4,2}, \dots, x_{1,5}) \end{aligned}$$

Suppose that all of the sequences are different. Find all the possible values of the sum of all entries in X .

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- 5** For positive integer n , define a_n as the number of the triangles with integer length of every side and the length of the longest side being $2n$.
 (1) Find a_n in terms of n ;
 (2) If the sequence $\{b_n\}$ satisfying for any positive integer n , $\sum_{k=1}^n (-1)^{n-k} \binom{n}{k} b_k = a_n$. Find the number of positive integer n satisfying that $b_n \leq 2019a_n$.

- 6** In $\triangle ABC$, $AB > AC$, the bisectors of $\angle ABC, \angle ACB$ meet sides AC, AB at D, E respectively. The tangent at A to the circumcircle of $\triangle ABC$ intersects ED extended at P . Suppose that $AP = BC$. Prove that $BD \parallel CP$.

- 7** Amy and Bob choose numbers from $0, 1, 2, \dots, 81$ in turn and Amy choose the number first. Every time the one who choose number chooses one number from the remaining numbers. When all 82 numbers are chosen, let A be the sum of all the numbers Amy chooses, and let B be the sum of all the numbers Bob chooses. During the process, Amy tries to make $\gcd(A, B)$ as great as possible, and Bob tries to make $\gcd(A, B)$ as little as possible. Suppose Amy and Bob take the best strategy of each one, respectively, determine $\gcd(A, B)$ when all 82 numbers are chosen.

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(2) there exists positive integer N, l , such that for any positive integer $n \geq N$, $a_{n+l} = a_n$ holds.
