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1. Lisa has four wooden digits. She can use them to form the number 2025.

2 0 2 5

Which of the following numbers is the largest she can form with these digits?

(**A**) 2502   (**B**) 5202   (**C**) 5220   (**D**) 5502   (**E**) 5520

2. Isabelle rotates the hexagonal sheet of paper, as shown. Each rotation turns the hexagon through the same angle in the same direction. The figure shows the result of one rotation.

start → result of one rotation
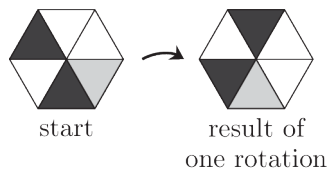
Which of these numbers of rotations would leave the sheet looking the same as it did at the start?

(**A**) 7   (**B**) 8   (**C**) 9   (**D**) 10   (**E**) 12

3. Sandra rolls three dice and gets a total of 8. All three dice show a different number of dots. Which number of dots could Sandra not have rolled on any of her dice?

(**A**)   (**B**)   (**C**)   (**D**)   (**E**)
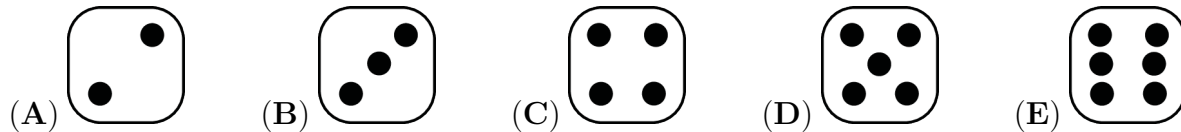
4. The regular hexagon shown is divided into many triangles of equal area.
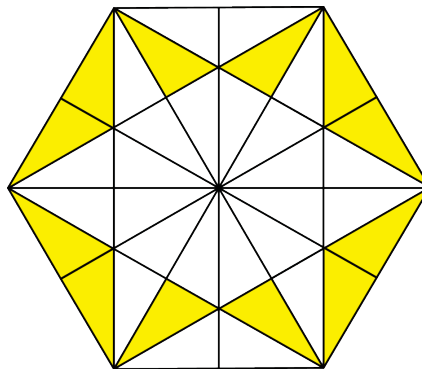
Which fraction of the hexagon is shaded?

(**A**) $\frac{1}{2}$ (**B**) $\frac{1}{3}$ (**C**) $\frac{1}{4}$ (**D**) $\frac{1}{5}$ (**E**) $\frac{1}{6}$

5. How many lots of 12 minutes are there in 12 hours?

(**A**) 60   (**B**) 24   (**C**) 12   (**D**) 10   (**E**) 6

6. Daniel is 5 years old. His brother Dominic is 6 years older. What will the sum of their ages be in 7 years' time?

(**A**) 26   (**B**) 27   (**C**) 28   (**D**) 29   (**E**) 30

7. Omar wants to write the four digits 2, 0, 2 and 5 in the four boxes of the calculation shown.

$$\square - \square + \square - \square$$

What is the smallest result that Omar could get?

(**A**) -7 (**B**) -6 (**C**) -5 (**D**) -4 (**E**) -3

8. There are ten more truth-tellers than liars in a room. Everyone in the room was asked, "Are you a truth-teller?" and everyone gave an answer. A total of 20 people answered, "Yes.". How many liars are in the room?

(**A**) 0   (**B**) 5   (**C**) 15   (**D**) 20   (**E**) 25

9. Five circles, each with an area of 8 cm^2, overlap to form the figure shown. The area of each section where two circles overlap is 1 cm^2.

What is the total area covered by the figure?

(**A**) 32 cm^2 (**B**) 36 cm^2 (**C**) 38 cm^2 (**D**) 39 cm^2 (**E**) 42 cm^2

10. The real combination for the bicycle lock shown in the picture is 0000. However, when someone looks at it from the side, they see 8888. When Paul looks at the combination of his friend's lock from the side, he sees 2815.

What is the real combination of his friend's lock?

(**A**) 4037   (**B**) 4693   (**C**) 0639   (**D**) 0693   (**E**) 9603

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11. Matias the mouse wants to get to a piece of cheese. He can only move horizontally or vertically between any two cells in the directions shown by the arrows.
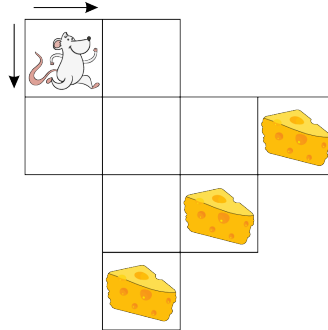

How many different routes can Matias take to reach a piece of cheese?

(**A**) 3   (**B**) 5   (**C**) 8   (**D**) 10   (**E**) 11

12. There are five hurdles in a 60 m hurdles race. The first hurdle is after 12 m. The gap between any two consecutive hurdles is 8 m. How far is the last hurdle from the finish?

(**A**) 16 m   (**B**) 14 m   (**C**) 12 m   (**D**) 10 m   (**E**) 8 m

13. Edgar wants to write a number in each circle in the diagram. He wants each number to be equal to the sum of the numbers in the two adjacent circles. He has already written two numbers, as shown.
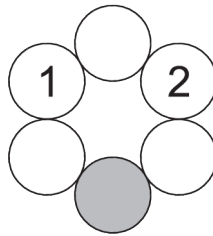
What number should he write in the grey circle?

(**A**) 2   (**B**) −1   (**C**) −2   (**D**) −3   (**E**) −5

14. Louise places three rectangular pictures in the way shown.
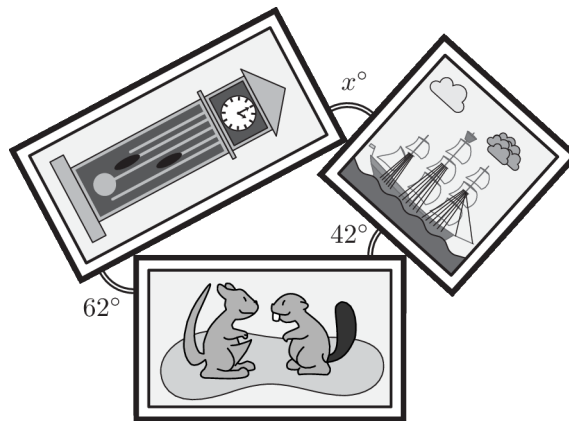
What is the value of x?

(**A**) 64   (**B**) 70   (**C**) 72   (**D**) 76   (**E**) 80

15. Werner is on a treadmill in the gym. He keeps looking at two stopwatches. The first shows the time elapsed since he started his session and the second the time remaining until the end of his session. At some point the two stopwatches show the same reading.

$$\boxed{\text{14:58} \mid \text{21:32}}$$

What do they show at that point?

(**A**) 17:50   (**B**) 18:00   (**C**) 18:12   (**D**) 18:15   (**E**) 18:20

16. Julia wants to fill each $\square$ with a different prime number less than 20 so that the value of A is an integer.

$$A = \frac{\square + \square + \square + \square + \square + \square + \square}{\square}$$

What is the maximum value of A?

(**A**) 20   (**B**) 14   (**C**) 10   (**D**) 8   (**E**) 6

17. Morten wants to fill in the cells on the diagram shown so that each cell contains either a cross or a circle. He also wants to ensure there is no line of four consecutive identical symbols in any column, row or diagonal.
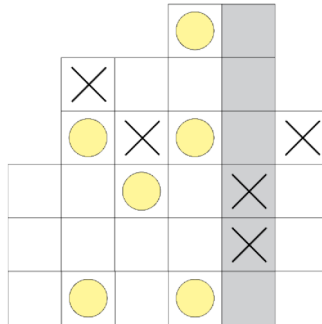
When has completed the diagram, what will the column coloured grey contain?

(**A**) 3 circles and 3 crosses   (**B**) 2 circles and 4 crosses

(**C**) 4 circles and 2 crosses   (**D**) 5 circles and a cross

(**E**) a circle and 5 crosses

18. In the rectangle $ABCD$, the points E and F are marked on side DC, as shown, so that $\angle EBA = \angle DFA = 45°$ and $AB + EF = 20$ cm.
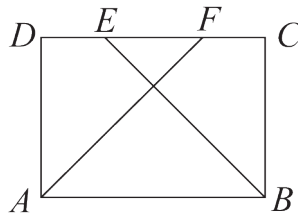
What is the length of BC?

(**A**) 4 cm   (**B**) 6 cm   (**C**) 8 cm   (**D**) 10 cm   (**E**) 12 cm

19. Sonia has two bowls of numbered balls.

- Bowl X contains seven balls numbered 1, 2, 6, 7, 10, 11 and 12.

- Bowl Y contains five balls numbered 3, 4, 5, 8, and 9.

Which ball should Sonia transfer from Bowl X to Bowl Y to increase the average number on the balls in each bowl?

(**A**) 6   (**B**) 7   (**C**) 10   (**D**) 11   (**E**) 12

20. Peter has drawn a quarter circle with centre at each corner of a flag with dimensions 12 cm by 9 cm and coloured the region formed, as shown.
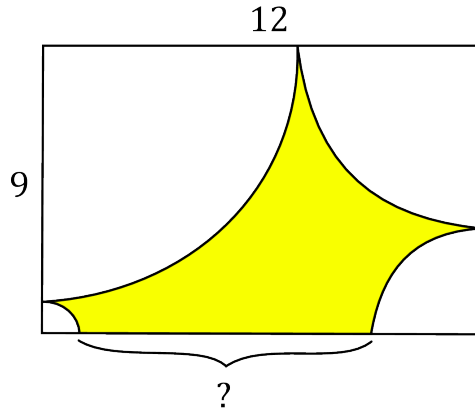
What is the length indicated by the question mark?

(**A**) 5 cm   (**B**) 6 cm   (**C**) 7 cm   (**D**) 8 cm   (**E**) 9 cm

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21. In the six-digit integer $PAPAYA$, different letters stand for different digits and the same letter always represents the same digit. Also $Y = P + P = A + A + A$.
What is the value of $P \times A \times P \times A \times Y \times A$?

(**A**) 432   (**B**) 342   (**C**) 324   (**D**) 243   (**E**) 234

22. During two sessions of football training, Paul shoots a total of 17 times at a target. He hits with 60% of the shots he shoots in the first session. He hits with 75% of the shots he shoots in the second session.
How many times did he hit the target in the second session?

(**A**) 6   (**B**) 7   (**C**) 8   (**D**) 9   (**E**) 10

23. Santiago always leaves for school at 8:00 a.m. His school is 1 km away. When he walks, his speed is 4 km/h. When he cycles, his speed is 15 km/h. He is 5 minutes early when he walks. How many minutes early is he when he cycles?

(**A**) 12   (**B**) 13   (**C**) 14   (**D**) 15   (**E**) 16

24. Ria draws four squares side by side, as shown.

What is the area of the shaded quadrilateral?

(**A**) 54 (**B**) 60 (**C**) 66 (**D**) 72 (**E**) 80

25. The letters p, q, r, s and t represent five consecutive positive integers, though not necessarily in that order. The sum of p and q is 69 and the sum of s and t is 72. What is the value of r?

(**A**) 29 (**B**) 31 (**C**) 34 (**D**) 37 (**E**) 39

26. When the height of a cuboid is reduced by 3 cm, its surface area is reduced by 60 cm^2. The resulting shape is a cube.

What is the volume of the original cuboid, in cm^3?

(**A**) 75 (**B**) 125 (**C**) 150 (**D**) 200 (**E**) 225

27. In the quadrilateral $ABCD$, the points N and K are marked on sides BC and AD respectively so that $BN = 2NC$ and $AK = KD$. The area of triangle CKD is 2, and the area of triangle ABN is 6.
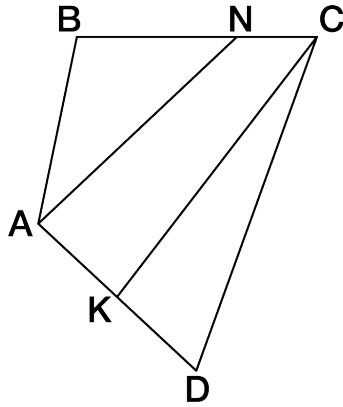
What is the area of quadrilateral $ABCD$?

    (**A**) 13   (**B**) 14   (**C**) 15   (**D**) 16   (**E**) 17

28. Some birds, including Ha, Long, Nha and Trang, are perching on four parallel wires.

- There are 10 birds perched above Ha.
- There are 25 birds perched above Long.
- There are five birds perched below Nha.
- There are two birds perched below Trang.

The number of birds perched above Trang is a multiple of the number of birds perched below her.

How many birds in total are perched on the four wires?

    (**A**) 27   (**B**) 30   (**C**) 32   (**D**) 37   (**E**) 40

29. The right-hand figure below shows the adapted net of an octahedron. Each face of the octahedron is divided into three parts.

The octahedron is coloured with the three colours black, dark grey and light grey in such a way so that the parts that come out of the same vertex or out of an opposite vertex are the same colour.
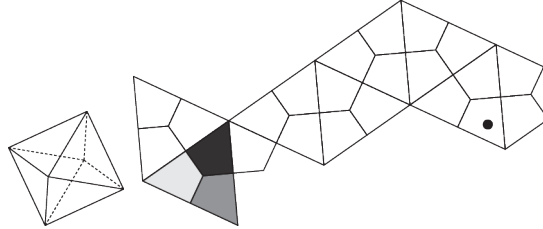

Which colour could the part marked with a dot be coloured?

(**A**) Only black
(**B**) Only dark grey
(**C**) Only light grey
(**D**) Both black and dark grey are possible.
(**E**) Both black and light grey are possible.

30. Adira keeps golden, red, black, pink and white pearls in five small boxes. Each box contains pearls of only one colour. The boxes are labeled as shown, and all the labels are true. Adira's friend Lilly wants to know which box contains the golden pearls. She may open exactly one of the five boxes to look inside.

Which box should Lilly open to be certain which of the boxes contains the golden pearls?

(**A**) golden or red   (**B**) pink or black   (**C**) black or golden   (**D**) not black   (**E**) pink or white
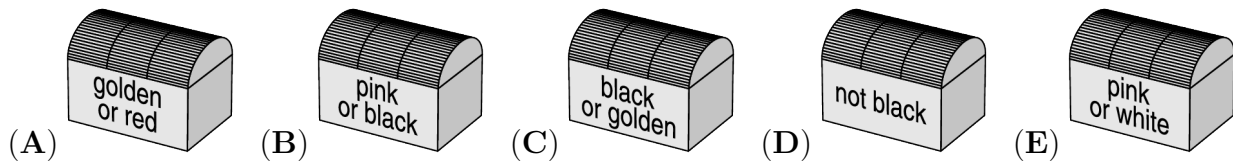
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