- 1. С
- 2. D
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- 10. D
- 11. B
- 12. D
- 13. C
- 14. A
- 15. A
- 16. D 17. B
- 18. C
- 19. B
- 20. B
- 21. D
- 22. E
- 23. D
- 24. C
- 25. B
- 26. B
- 27. C
- 28. A
- 29. D
- 30. A

- 1. C The polynomial factors to (2x 1)(x + 2)(x 2), so $x = \frac{1}{2}$, -2, 2, but 2 is the only positive solution.
- 2. D Over \mathbb{Z}_7 , the polynomial can be factored to $(2x 1)(x^2 4)$. So $2x \equiv 1$ or $x^2 \equiv 4$ modulo 7. The solutions are x = 4, 2, 5.
- 3. C The question is equivalently asking $19x \equiv 13 \mod 29$, which can be rewritten as 19x = 29a + 13. Taking both sides modulo 19 to get $0 \equiv 10a + 13 \mod 19$, or 19b = 10a + 13. Taking both sides modulo 10 to get $9b \equiv 3 \mod 10$. At this point, b = 7, substituting back to get a = 12 and x = 19.
- 4. D Subtracting 5 from both sides of the original equation, $6x \equiv 18 \mod 10$, but since gcd(6, 10) = 2, that yields $x \equiv 3 \mod 5$. 23 + 28 + 33 + 38 + 43 + 48 = 213.
- 5. C Given that $3x + 5y \equiv 0 \mod 37$, we have $3x \equiv -5y \mod 37$, so $40x \equiv -5y \mod 37$, or $y \equiv -8x \mod 37$. Then $ax + 7y \equiv ax 56y \mod 37$. For that to always be divisible by 37, we have $a \equiv 19 \mod 37$.
- 6. D x must divide into the pair-wise difference of the numbers given. 87937 59117 = 28820, and 131167 87937 = 43230. Therefore, the largest value of x is gcd(28820, 43230) = 14410. The sum of the digits is 10.
- 7. B Getting common denominator on the left, $\frac{a+b}{ab} = \frac{1}{12}$. Cross multiply and rearrange to get ab 12a 12b = 0, adding 144 to both sides and factor to get (a 12)(b 12) = 144. $144 = 2^4 \cdot 3^2$, so it has 15 factors. a 12 can be equal to each of the 15 factors, with a corresponding value for b 12.
- 8. B Taking the entire equation modulo 13 to get $5y \equiv 4 \mod 13$. By inspection, $y \equiv 6$. This yields two solutions, (55, 6) and (24, 19). 55 + 6 + 24 + 19 = 104.
- 9. C Based on the information given, x = 16A + 4B + C and y = 36A + 6B + C, so 32A + 8B + 2C = 36A + 6B + C, or 4A 2B C = 0. Since 4A and 2B are both even, C must also be even. If C = 0, then B = 2, A = 1, and x = 24. If C = 2, there are two possibilities as B can be either 1 or 3. A is equal to 1 or 2, respectively. So the two values for x are 22 and 46. Therefore, z = 92, and sum of the digits is 11.
- 10. D Note that the norm of a Gaussian integer is the square of the more familiar complex norm. The norm of a product is simply the product of the norms. So the norm is $5 \cdot 8 \cdot 50 \cdot 10 = 20000$

B A real number is a Gaussian prime if and only if it is a prime that is 3 modulo 4. Otherwise, it is a sum of squares, and can be expressed as a product of two conjugates. For example, 2 = (1 + i)(1 - i), 5 = (2 + i)(2 - i). (Similarly for purely imaginary numbers.
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A Gaussian integer with both real and imaginary parts is prime if its norm is a prime number (call it p). Then if it is expressed as a product of two Gaussian integers, their norms must be 1 and p. The norm of 3 + 5i is 34, so it can be expressed as the product of two Gaussian integers with norms 2 and 17. One such expression is (1 + i)(4 + i). 2 + 3i, 2 + 5i, and 3 are the Gaussian primes in the set.

- 12. D All but the sets of real numbers and the set of irrational numbers are countably infinite.
- 13. C $720 = 2^4 \cdot 3^2 \cdot 5$, so *a* and *b* must only have 2, 3, and 5 in its prime factorization. Consider powers of 2 for *a* and *b*. One of them must have 2^4 in its prime factorization, or their lcm cannot have 2^4 . The other can have any power of 2 from 0 to 4. So the number of ways for *a* and *b* to have powers of 2 is $2 \cdot 5 - 1 = 9$. The case where both have 2^4 is double counted, so it must be subtracted out. Similarly, there are $2 \cdot 3 - 1 = 5$ ways for powers of 3, and $2 \cdot 2 - 1 = 3$ ways for powers of 5. All 3 are independent of each other, making a total of $9 \cdot 5 \cdot 3$ ordered pairs.
- 14. A Based on the information given,

 $\frac{b^2 + 3}{b^2 + 3b + 6} = \frac{b + 4}{b + 8}$ Cross multiply to get $b^3 + 8b^2 + 3b + 24 = b^3 + 7b^2 + 18b + 24$, or $b^2 - 15b = 0$. Therefore, $149_{15} = 225 + 60 + 9 = 294$ and $338_{15} = 675 + 45 + 8 = 728$. $\frac{294}{728} = \frac{21}{52} = \left(\frac{16}{37}\right)_{15}$.

- 15. A It's fastest to consider this problem in chunks of 30. For every 30 consecutive integers, there are 15 multiples of 2, 10 multiples of 3, 5 multiples of 6, 3 multiples of 10, 2 multiples of 15, and 1 multiple of 30. So the number of integers satisfying the conditions given is 15 + 10 − 5 − (3 + 2 − 1) = 16. From 7 to 2016, there are 67 · 16 = 1072 such numbers, then tack on 2, 3, 4, and 6 for 1076 such numbers.
- 16. D Euler's totient theorem does not apply directly, since $gcd(8,800) \neq 1$. So we must consider 8^{321} modulo 32 and 25, since $800 = 2^5 \cdot 5^2$. Clearly, $8^{321} \equiv 0 \mod 32$. $\phi(25) = 20$, so $8^{20} \equiv 1 \mod 25$, or $8^{321} \equiv (8^{20})^{16} \cdot 8 \equiv 8 \mod 25$. Now we are seeking a number less than 800 that is 0 mod 32 and 8 mod 25, and that number is 608.

17. B Let $x = p^a q^b$, where p, q are distinct primes. Then N = (a + 1)(b + 1). $x^2 = p^{2a}q^{2b}$, so 3N = (2a + 1)(2b + 1). Therefore, 3ab + 3a + 3b + 3 = 4ab + 2a + 2b + 1, Or ab - a - b = 2. Adding 1 to both sides, (a - 1)(b - 1) = 3. Since both a and b are positive integers (or x wouldn't have two prime factors), one of them is 2, the other is 4, and N = 15. $x^7 = p^{14}q^{28}$, which has (14 + 1)(28 + 1) = 29N factors.

- 18. C For $x^k \equiv k \mod 363$ to be true in general, $x^2 \equiv x \mod 363$. So $x^2 x = x(x 1)$ must be divisible by 363. Since $363 = 3 \cdot 11^2$, either one of x and x 1 is divisible by 363, or one of them is divisible by 121 and the other is divisible by 3. This leaves 4 possibilities modulo 363, which are $x \equiv 0, 1, 121, 243 \mod 363$. There are 3 of each of the 4 possibilities, since $243 + 363 \cdot 2 < 1000$. Their sum is $3(0 + 1 + 121 + 243) + 4(363 + 2 \cdot 363) = 5451$. $5^2 + 4^2 + 5^2 + 1^2 = 67$.
- 19. B By Wilson's theorem, (p − 1)! = −1 mod p. So r(f(n), n) is n − 1 if n is prime. If n is not prime, r(f(n), n) = 0, since n is part of (n + 1)!. So ∑_{n=1}²⁵ r(f(n), n) = 91. You may remember that sum of primes under 25 is 100, and there are 9 of them. Alternatively, just add them up. 91 leaves a remainder of 1 when divided by 5.

20. B
$$\frac{9}{34} = \frac{1}{\frac{34}{9}} = \frac{1}{3 + \frac{7}{9}} = \frac{1}{3 + \frac{1}{\frac{9}{7}}} = \frac{1}{3 + \frac{1}{\frac{9}{7}}} = \frac{1}{3 + \frac{1}{1 + \frac{2}{7}}} = \frac{1}{3 + \frac{1}{1 + \frac{1}{\frac{7}{2}}}} = \frac{1}{3 + \frac{1}{1 + \frac{1}{\frac{1}{3} + \frac{1}{2}}}}$$

So $\frac{9}{34} = [0; 3, 1, 3, 2]$. $3^2 + 1^2 + 3^2 + 2^2 = 23$.

21. D Let $x = [2; \overline{1, 2}]$. Then

$$x = 2 + \frac{1}{1 + \frac{1}{2 + \frac{1}{1 + \frac{1}{2 + \dots}}}}$$

Substituting x for the bolded part, we have

$$x = 2 + \frac{1}{1 + \frac{1}{x}} = 2 + \frac{x}{x+1} = \frac{3x+2}{x+1}$$

So $x^2 + x = 3x + 2$, or $x^2 - 2x = 2$. Completing the square to get $(x - 1)^2 = 3$, and since 2 < x < 3, $x = 1 + \sqrt{3}$.

- 22. E Convergents are the truncated continued fractions. Note that 3 = 3, $\frac{22}{7} = 3 + \frac{1}{7}$, and $\frac{355}{113} = 3 + \frac{1}{7 + \frac{1}{15 + \frac{1}{1}}}$. So the third convergent is $3 + \frac{1}{7 + \frac{1}{15}} = \frac{333}{106}$.
- 23. D When the convergents are written as $\frac{x}{y}$, the solutions to $x^2 2y^2 = \pm 1$, alternating between 1 and -1, starting with $1^2 2 \cdot 1^2 = -1$ The first six convergents of $\sqrt{2}$ are $\frac{1}{1}, \frac{3}{2}, \frac{7}{5}, \frac{17}{12}, \frac{41}{29}$, and $\frac{99}{70}$. (99, 70) is the third smallest solution to $x^2 2y^2 = 1$.
- 24. C Each element *r* of the list is in the form of $\frac{p}{q}$, where *p* is a factor of $5400 = 2^3 3^3 5^2$, and *q* is a factor of $2880 = 2^6 3^2 5$. So $r = \pm 2^a 3^b 5^c$, where $-6 \le a \le 3, -2 \le b \le 3$, and $-1 \le c \le 2$, so the total number of possibilities is $2 \cdot 10 \cdot 6 \cdot 4$, and with 6 roots, the probability of picking a root is 1/80.

- 25. B Dropping height from *A* to *CD*, and call the foot *F*, possibly coinciding with *D*. Since $m \angle C < m \angle D$, DF < CE. Call, DF = x, AD = a, BC = b, and height *h*, not necessarily rational. Then CE = 6 x, and *x* can only be 0, 1, or 2. Applying Pythagorean Theorem to $\triangle AFD$ and $\triangle BEC$, $x^2 + h^2 = a^2$, $(6 x)^2 + h^2 = b^2$. Subtracting the first from the second to arrive at 36 12x = (b a)(b + a). Now consider the cases:
 - 1. x = 0, then (b a)(b + a) = 36, for both a and b to be positive integers, b a = 2 and b + a = 18, or b = 10, a = 8.
 - 2. x = 1, then (b a)(b + a) = 24, there are 2 subcases:
 - a. b a = 2, b + a = 12, then b = 7, a = 5
 - b. b a = 4, b + a = 6, then b = 5, a = 1, but this makes the trapezoid degenerate, and thus is not a solution.
 - 3. x = 2, then (b a)(b + a) = 12, then b a = 2, b + a = 6, or b = 4, a = 2. This is also degenerate.

This leaves a total of 2 possible trapezoids.

- 26. B Let $x^3 = 31,217,193,218,303$. Clearly, the unit digit of *x* must be 7. Eliminate E. Consider x^3 modulo 8. It is 7 mod 8, so *x* must be 7 mod 8. Eliminate A. x^3 is 8 mod 9, so *x* must be 2 mod 3. Eliminate C. Finally, $32087^3 > 32000^3 = 1024 \cdot 32 \cdot 10^9 > 32 \cdot 10^{12}$. Eliminate D.
- 27. C $30 = 2 \cdot 3 \cdot 5$, and $54 = 2 \cdot 3^3$. For 30|54N, *N* must have a factor of 5. For 54|30N, *N* must have factors of 3^2 . Therefore, *N* must be a multiple of 45. Further, *N* divides $54 \cdot 30 = 1620$, so *N* must also be a factor of 1620. $1620 = 2^2 \cdot 3^4 \cdot 5$, reserving $3^2 \cdot 5$ to ensure a multiple of 45 leaves $2^2 \cdot 3^2$, so there are (2 + 1)(2 + 1) = 9 possibilities for *N*.
- 28. A When substituting a ⋅ bⁿ + c ⋅ dⁿ into the recurrence, the powers of b and d stay separate, and a and c factor out, so simply substituting in bⁿ is sufficient for solving for b and d. G_n = 3G_{n-1} + 4G_{n-2} becomes bⁿ = 3bⁿ⁻¹ + 4bⁿ⁻², or bⁿ⁻²(b² 3b 4) = 0. This yields two real solutions, which are the values of b and d, and they add to 3. Taking the recurrence back one step (using n = 2), we have 13 = 3 ⋅ 7 + 4G₀, or G₀ = -2. Substituting in 0 for n in the explicit formula to get a + c = -2. So a + b + c + d = 1.
- 29. D $0.1_{10} = (0.00011)_2$, so m = 1, n = 4, and $\sum_{k=1}^n A_{m+k} 2^k = 8 + 16 = 24$.
- 30. A A = 4, B = 4, C = 2, D = 0, the sum is 10.