

# 2023 AIME I

## Problems and Answer Key \*

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1. (2023 AIME I Problem 1)

Five men and nine women stand equally spaced around a circle in random order. The probability that every man stands diametrically opposite a woman is  $\frac{m}{n}$ , where  $m$  and  $n$  are relatively prime positive integers. Find  $m + n$ .

**Solution:** (191)

2. (2023 AIME I Problem 2)

Positive real numbers  $b \neq 1$  and  $n$  satisfy the equations

$$\sqrt{\log_b n} = \log_b \sqrt{n} \quad \text{and} \quad b \cdot \log_b n = \log_b (bn)$$

The value of  $n$  is  $\frac{j}{k}$ , where  $j$  and  $k$  are relatively prime positive integers. Find  $j + k$ .

**Solution:** (881)

3. (2023 AIME I Problem 3)

A plane contains 40 lines, no 2 of which are parallel. Suppose that there are 3 points where exactly 3 lines intersect, 4 points where exactly 4 lines intersect, 5 points where exactly 5 lines intersect, 6 points where exactly 6 lines intersect, and no points where more than 6 lines intersect. Find the number of points where exactly 2 lines intersect.

**Solution:** (607)

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## 4. (2023 AIME I Problem 4)

The sum of all positive integers  $m$  such that  $\frac{13!}{m}$  is a perfect square can be written as  $2^a 3^b 5^c 7^d 11^e 13^f$ , where  $a, b, c, d, e,$  and  $f$  are positive integers. Find  $a + b + c + d + e + f$ .

**Solution:** (012)

## 5. (2023 AIME I Problem 5)

Let  $P$  be a point on the circle circumscribing square  $ABCD$  that satisfies  $PA \cdot PC = 56$  and  $PB \cdot PD = 90$ . Find the area of  $ABCD$ .

**Solution:** (106)

## 6. (2023 AIME I Problem 6)

Alice knows that 3 red cards and 3 black cards will be revealed to her one at a time in random order. Before each card is revealed, Alice must guess its color. If Alice plays optimally, the expected number of cards she will guess correctly is  $\frac{m}{n}$ , where  $m$  and  $n$  are relatively prime positive integers. Find  $m + n$ .

**Solution:** (051)

## 7. (2023 AIME I Problem 7)

Call a positive integer  $n$  *extra-distinct* if the remainders when  $n$  is divided by 2, 3, 4, 5, and 6 are distinct. Find the number of extra-distinct positive integers less than 1000.

**Solution:** (049)

## 8. (2023 AIME I Problem 8)

Rhombus  $ABCD$  has  $\angle BAD < 90^\circ$ . There is a point  $P$  on the incircle of the rhombus such that the distances from  $P$  to the lines  $DA$ ,  $AB$ , and  $BC$  are 9, 5, and 16, respectively. Find the perimeter of  $ABCD$ .

**Solution:** (125)

9. (2023 AIME I Problem 9)

Find the number of cubic polynomials  $p(x) = x^3 + ax^2 + bx + c$ , where  $a$ ,  $b$ , and  $c$  are integers in  $\{-20, -19, -18, \dots, 18, 19, 20\}$ , such that there is a unique integer  $m \neq 2$  with  $p(m) = p(2)$ .

**Solution:** (738)

10. (2023 AIME I Problem 10)

There exists a unique positive integer  $a$  such that the sum

$$U = \sum_{n=1}^{2023} \left\lfloor \frac{n^2 - na}{5} \right\rfloor$$

is an integer strictly between -1000 and 1000. For that unique  $a$ , find  $a + U$ . Here  $\lfloor x \rfloor$  is the greatest integer less than or equal to  $x$ .

**Solution:** (944)

11. (2023 AIME I Problem 11)

Find the number of subsets of  $\{1, 2, 3, \dots, 10\}$  that contain exactly one pair of consecutive integers. Examples of such subsets are  $\{1, 2, 5\}$  and  $\{1, 3, 6, 7, 10\}$ .

**Solution:** (235)

12. (2023 AIME I Problem 12)

Let  $\triangle ABC$  be an equilateral triangle with side length 55. Points  $D$ ,  $E$ , and  $F$  lie on  $\overline{BC}$ ,  $\overline{CA}$ , and  $\overline{AB}$ , respectively, with  $BD = 7$ ,  $CE = 30$ , and  $AF = 40$ . Point  $P$  inside  $\triangle ABC$  has the property that

$$\angle AEP = \angle BFP = \angle CDP.$$

Find  $\tan^2(\angle AEP)$ .

**Solution:** (075)

13. (2023 AIME I Problem 13)

Each face of two noncongruent parallelepipeds is a rhombus whose diagonals have lengths  $\sqrt{21}$  and  $\sqrt{31}$ . The ratio of the volume of the larger of the two polyhedra to the volume of the smaller is  $\frac{m}{n}$ , where  $m$  and  $n$  are relatively prime positive integers. Find  $m + n$ . A parallelepiped is a solid with six parallelogram faces such as the one shown below.

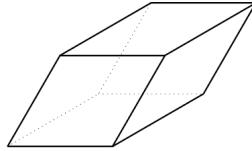


Figure 1: 2023 AIME I Problem 13

Solution: (125)

14. (2023 AIME I Problem 14)

The following analog clock has two hands that can move independently of each other.

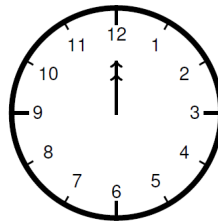


Figure 2: 2023 AIME I Problem 14

Initially, both hands point to the number 12. The clock performs a sequence of hand movements so that on each movement, one of the two hands moves clockwise to the next number on the clock face while the other hand does not move.

Let  $N$  be the number of sequences of 144 hand movements such that during the sequence, every possible positioning of the hands appears exactly once, and at the end of the 144 movements, the hands have returned to their initial position. Find the remainder when  $N$  is divided by 1000.

Solution: (608)

15. (2023 AIME I Problem 15)

Find the greatest prime number  $p < 1000$  such that there exists a complex number  $z$  satisfying

- the real part of  $z$  and the imaginary part of  $z$  are both integers,
- $|z| = \sqrt{p}$ , and
- there exists a triangle whose three side lengths are  $p$ , the real part of  $z^3$ , and the imaginary part of  $z^3$ .

**Solution:**

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