

MEMORIZE

• TIMES TABLES THROUGH 12 x 12

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14
2	4	6	8	10	12	14	16	18	20	22	24	26	
3	6	9	12	15	18	21	24	27	30	33	36	39	
4	8	12	16	20	24	28	32	36	40	44	48	51	
5	10	15	20	25	30	35	40	45	50	55	60	65	
6	12	18	24	30	36	42	48	54	60	66	72	78	
7	14	21	28	35	42	49	56	63	70	77	84	91	
8	16	24	32	40	48	56	64	72	80	88	96	104	
9	18	27	36	45	54	63	72	81	90	99	108	117	
10	20	30	40	50	60	70	80	90	100	110	120	130	
11	22	33	44	55	66	77	88	99	110	121	132	143	
12	24	36	48	60	72	84	96	108	120	132	144	156	168

$$16^2 = 256$$

$$17^2 = 289$$

$$18^2 = 324$$

$$19^2 = 361$$

• FRACTION TO DECIMAL

$$\frac{1}{2} = 0.5$$

$$\frac{1}{3} = 0.33$$

$$\frac{1}{4} = 0.25$$

$$\frac{1}{5} = 0.2$$

$$\frac{1}{6} = 0.17$$

$$\frac{1}{8} = 0.125$$

$$\frac{1}{12} = 0.083$$

• $\sqrt{2} \approx 1.4$ (VALENTINE'S DAY)

$\sqrt{3} \approx 1.7$ (PATRICK'S DAY)

• EXPONENT RULES

$$a^x = a^y \iff x = y$$

$$\frac{a^x}{a^y} = a^{x-y}$$

$$(a^x)^y = a^{xy}$$

$$a^x a^y = a^{x+y}$$

$$a^{-x} = \frac{1}{a^x}$$

$$a^x b^x = (ab)^x$$

$$a^{xy} = \sqrt[y]{a^x} = (\sqrt[y]{a})^x \text{ such as } x, y > 1$$

$$a^0 = 1$$

$$a^1 = a$$

$$1^x = 1$$

• POWERS OF 2

2^0	1
2^1	2
2^2	4
2^3	8
2^4	16
2^5	32
2^6	64
2^7	128
2^8	256
2^9	512
2^{10}	1024

16^2	256
17^2	289
18^2	324
19^2	361
20^2	400
21^2	441
22^2	484
23^2	529
24^2	576
25^2	625

• PRIME NUMBERS < 100

2	3	5	7
11	13	17	19
	23		29
31			37
41	43		47
	53		59
61			67
71	73		79
	83		89
			97
101	103		107
			109

• PERFECT SQUARES (PYTHAGOREAN)

3	4	5	13	84	85
5	12	13	15	112	113
7	24	25	17	144	145
9	40	41	19	180	181
11	60	61	21	220	221

• DIVISIBILITY RULES

2 last digit 0, 2, 4, 6, 8

3 sum of digits / 3

4 last 2 digits / 4

5 last digit 0 or 5

6 Divisible by 2 & 3

7 last digit is doubled & subtracted from the rest, ans = 0 or div by 7

8 last 3 digits are / by 8

9 sum of digits / 9

10 last digit is 0

11 +- sum of digits = 0 or / by 11 ex $245 = 2-7+5=0$

$5715 = 5-7+1-5=0$ ✓

12 Divisible by 3 & 4

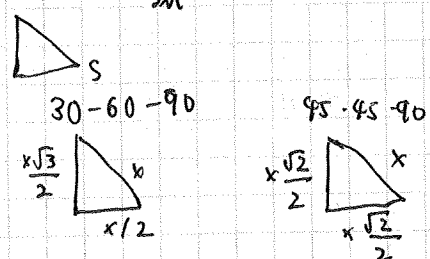
• PROBABILITY

NOT A PRIME No.
 TRIANGLES ARE NOT NECESSARILY
 REMAINING

• -350 to 350 : 99%	1%	or 0.5% per side
• -250 to 250 : 95%	5%	2.5
• -150 to 150 : 68%	32%	16%

POLYGON ANGLE : $(n-2)180^\circ$
 AREA OF QUADRILATERAL : $\frac{1}{2}(b_1+b_2)h$
 ARITHMETIC SEQUENCE
 $a_n = a_1 + (n-1)d$
 $a_i = a_n - (n-i)d$
 $S_n = \frac{n(a_1+a_n)}{2}$
 $S_n =$

CENTRAL ANGLE = $2(\text{INSCRIBED ANGLE})$
 AREA OF RHOMBUS : $D_1 \cdot D_2$
 AREA OF PARALLELOGRAM : $2bh$
 VOL CYL : $\pi r^2 h$
 VOL CONE : $\frac{1}{3}\pi r^2 h$
 VOL PYRAMID : $\frac{1}{3}L \cdot W \cdot H$
 VOL SPHERE : $(\frac{4}{3})(\pi r^3)$



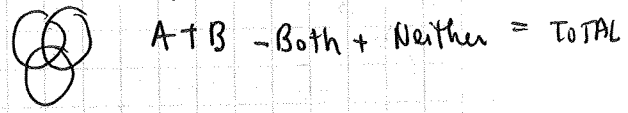
less than sum
 greater than diff

$$S_1 < S_2 + S_3$$

$$S_3 > S_2 - S_1$$

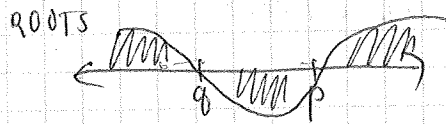
TRIPLE VENN DIAGRAM

TOTAL = SUM OF 3c - SUM OF 2c - 2(SUM OF 3c)
 SUM(1c) + 2(SUM OF 2c) + 3(3c) = No. of occurrences



QUADRATIC EQUATION

$$\frac{-b \pm \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a}$$



PERPENDICULAR LINES
 SLOPE IS \ominus RECIPROCAL

< 0
 $q < x < p$

> 0
 $x < q$ $x > p$

DISCOUNT:

20% discount $\frac{1}{5}$
 Remain after 3 years : $(\frac{4}{5})^3$

★ REREAD QUESTIONS esp. PROPORTIONS

★ FACTOR

$6 = 3 \cdot 2$ $2 \cdot 2 = 4$
 $(1+1)(1+1) = 4$

★ PERFECT SQUARES ARE THE ONLY ONES
 WHICH HAVE
 ODD # FACTORS

• PERCENT
 $\% \text{ change} = \frac{N-O}{(1+G)O}$

DATA SUFFICIENCY DOs & DONTs

DO

1. DO use a grid to track progress. AD/BCE
2. DO start with the easy statement. BD/ACE
3. DO try to rephrase the question and the statements.

DONT

1. DONT suffer from statement carryover.
2. DONT confuse "no" with "insufficient"
3. DONT confuse Y/N with value

PROBABILITY

PERMUTATION

$${}^n P_r = \frac{n!}{(n-r)!}$$

COMBINATION (order no matter)

$${}^n C_r = \frac{n!}{r!(n-r)!}$$

CIRCULAR

$$(n-1)!$$

PROB of A & B = $P_A \cdot P_B$

PROB of A or B = $P_A + P_B - P(A \cap B)$

EXPONENTS

$$x^{-n} = \frac{1}{x^n}$$
$$x^m \cdot x^n = x^{m+n}$$
$$\frac{x^m}{x^n} = x^{m-n}$$
$$\frac{(x^m)^n}{(x^n)^m} = x^{m-n}$$
$$\left(\frac{x}{y}\right)^n = \frac{x^n}{y^n}$$

WORK

$$T = \frac{AB}{A+B}$$

COMBINED RATE = $\frac{XYZ}{XY+XZ+YZ}$

QUADRATIC INEQUALITY

SQUARING OF INEQUALITY

$$a < b$$

$$a^2 > b^2$$

$$\hookrightarrow \text{If } a < b \begin{cases} + & a^2 < b^2 \\ - & a^2 > b^2 \end{cases}$$

$$a \geq b$$

$$a^2 > b^2 \hookrightarrow \text{If } a > b \begin{cases} + & a^2 > b^2 \\ - & a^2 < b^2 \end{cases}$$

ABSOLUTE VALUE REVERSE LOGIC

$$|x-a| = b$$

midpoint

NEGATIVE ABSOLUTE VALUE

$$|-x-a| = b \Leftrightarrow |x+a| = b$$

EVEN - ODD

$$\begin{aligned} E + E &= E \\ 0 + 0 &= E \\ E + 0 &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} E \times E &= E \\ 0 \times 0 &= 0 \\ E \times 0 &= E \end{aligned}$$

PRIME # or NOT?

- Where to put solid line?
 - > Mid-way in the list of factors
 - > SQUARE-ROOT OF THE GIVEN #
- e.g. $24 \Rightarrow 4 \sqrt{24} < 5$

> TO KNOW WHETHER A # IS PRIME OR NOT,
YOU ONLY NEED TO CHECK FOR DIVISIBILITY WITH PRIME #s
UNTIL THE SQUARE ROOT OF THE #.

CYClicity OF UNITS DIGIT

Cu	u
Cyclicity of	
C1	1
C2	4
C3	4
C4	2
C5	1
C6	1
C7	4
C8	4
C9	2

④	1, 5, 6
④	2, 3, 7, 8
2	4, 9

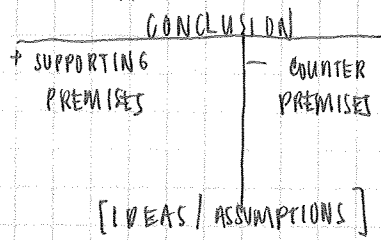
GCD / LCD

$$\cancel{GCD} \times \cancel{LCB}$$

$$GCD(a, b) \times LCM(a, b) = (a \times b)$$

CRITICAL REASONING

1. DIAGRAM



2. SHORT HAND CAUSE → EFFECT

BOLD FACE

COMMONLY USED TERMS

- CONCLUSION (SUPPORT / NOT SUPPORT)
- EVIDENCE (UNDISPUTED FACT)
- BELIEF (CAN BE DISPUTED) (AUTHOR BELIEVES TRUE)
- CONTRADICTION (INCOMPATIBILITY BET. 2 STATEMENTS)
- PREDICTION (AUTHOR BELIEVES WILL HAPPEN) (CONDITIONS TO BE SATISFIED)
- AN EXPLANATION (ANOTHER REASONING FOR EVENT)

SYNONYMS

- CLAIM, SYNOPSIS, CONTENT OF CONC.
- FACT, DATA POINT, PREMISE
- IMPRESSION, OPINION, THESIS, HYPOTHESIS
- NOTION, UNDERSTANDING, POSITION
- CONC CAN BE DRAWN IN
- CONFLICT, DISCREPANCY, DISAGREEMENT
- (MAIN & ACT REASONING)

① PROVE
 □
 ↓
 □

- a) MUST BE TRUE
- b) MAIN POINT
- c) METHOD OF RES.
- d) FLAW IN RES
- e) PAR. RES.

② HELP
 □
 ↓
 □

- f) ASSUMPTION
- g) STRENGTHEN
- h) RESOLVE PAR

③ HURT
 □
 ↓
 □

④ WEAKEN

EVALUATE

⑤ MBT CORRECT

- Paraphrase
- Combination of Stimulus
- ★ FACT TEST

⑥ MP

- or
- Conclusion
- METHOD OF RES / FLAW
- ★ FACT TEST
- Use only stimulus

⑦ PAR RES

- Not imp.
- TOPIC
- ORDER OF ARG

⑧ WEAKEN

- Focus on conc.
- New info ok
- Attack arg by:
 - Incomplete info
 - Improper Comparison
 - Qualified Conc

INCORRECT

- Could be true
- Exagg
- New Info
- Shell game
- Opp. Answer
- Revers

INCORRECT

- true but not complete
- Repeat Premise
- Info not in stimulus
- new element
- half right, half wrong
- Exagg.

PAR:

- Opposite / Reverse
- Method of Res
- Validity of arg
- Conc
- Premises

INC:

- Opposite
- Shell game
- out of scope

⑨ Assumption / Fill in the blank

- Negate answers for contenders
- supporter
- link elements
- possible event of attack does not exist.

CORRECT:

- No other cause
- C → E
- NC → NE
- EX → C
- Good data

⑩ STRENGTHEN

- Focus on conc.
- personalize Arg.
- Hole in Arg.

⑪ PARADOX

- NO conc.
- Contradiction
- FIND POSSIBLE CAUSE

★ NUMBERS

- ① ↑% ≠ ↑#
- ② ↓% ≠ ↓#
- ③ ↑# ≠ ↑%
- ④ ↓# ≠ ↓%
- ⑤ High # ≠ High %
- ⑥ Large % ≠ High #
- Small # ≠ Small %
- Small % ≠ Small #

- % info, no # in answers
- # info, no % answers
- both % and #, check

If ... will Future
 If ... present Habitual
 If ... please verb Command

UNREAL
 were

past tense (could, would, might, P-P.)

whether : 2 choices

conditional if : choices + not at all

because ...
 rather ... than
 prefer ... to

Rather ... than

Prefer ... to

Would rather ... than ... verb simple past

HOPE / WISH → Contrary to fact (unreal)

OPTIONAL THAT : say, ~~tell~~, think, believe

OBIGATORY THAT : mention, declare, repeat, state

AS MUCH AS : non-countable
 AS MANY AS : countable
 * WHOSE : more than number
 four times more than
 should be as much (as many)
 this book weighs twice as much as
 four times as much money as
 half as many letters as

CAUSATIVE VERBS

- have + simple verb
- have him feed
- get + infinitive
- got him to feed
- make + simple verb
- make as in force
- forced me to give

AFFIRMATIVE (SO/TWO)

and she will too
 and so will she

INFERENCE

= from POV of author
 or FACT from passage

DO SO : entire action including
 verb, objects, mod

Quinn did not eat dinner quickly
 but her brother did so

DO IT : noun antecedent
 Quinn failed to do her HW,
 but her brother did it.

* WHILE ~~simple~~ must be a
 complete clause
 while others NOT X
 while others do not

Absolute phrase - modifies clause, or
 no verb allowed → noun + that OK
 NUMBERS greater not more

INCREASE : change of one thing
 over time

GREATER : comparison of 2 things
 price of gold is greater
 than that of copper

SOME ⊕ sentence
 ANY ⊖ sentence

want some coffee
 don't want any coffee
 COMPARED WITH - differences
 COMPARED TO - similarities

PARALLELISM

- start with subordinators
 where ... where
 who ... whose
- LINKING VERBS should be PAPP
 The bouquet was a gift of love.
 EQUAL

Either, neither - follows closest noun
 When used alone (either, neither) SINGULAR

Collective nouns : S

- Indefinite Pronouns : S
 anybody, anyone, anything, each, every
 everyone, everything, either, neither
- SANAM depends on context (closest noun)
 Some all none any More/ Most
- FRACTIONS closest noun
- FLIP IT & Subj way come after.

PRONOUNS!

This/These will not replace nouns, THEM
 Her pronouns are weird, many consider these
 That/Those must agree in # with nouns we see.
 Her company is better than those of competitors
 the companies

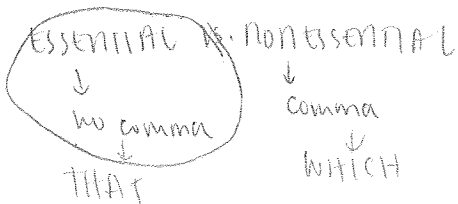
ONE PRONOUN, ONE ANTECEDENT

it/its → one sing. noun
 they/them/their → same
 plural noun

ONE - can take SING / PLURAL ANTECEDENT

TENSE

- Do NOT USE Progressive tense for FUTURE tense



WHICH - only to a noun immediately preceding it.
NEVER an entire clause

* appositive between relative clause & modified noun is ALLOWED

CLAUSES LED BY THE PRONOUN THAT CANNOT MODIFY PEOPLE

> X The scientists that made the discovery were rewarded

✓ The scientists who made the discovery were rewarded

WHOSE: people or things

WHO VS WITH WHOM
relative clause object of verb or preposition

WHERE - should only be places.
to use IN WHICH for conditions, etc.

CONDITIONAL

✓ Present + Future
Past + Conditional

X Present + Cond
Past + Future

✓ they believe that - WILL BE
believed WOULD BE

X believe WOULD BE
believed WILL BE

If X would => not allowed

high, low
higher, lower] ADJ only

✓ my bills are lower than they were last year

X I spend lower than I did.

✓ I spend less than ...

PAR COMP

- You are more interesting than he
- My are less interesting than she
- Adrian runs quickly.
He runs more quickly than you.

ONLY USE MORE THAN when there is comparison

PAST PARTICIPLE

Do not use when order is obvious
Antony drove to the store & bought some ice cream.

do not use when before/after is clearly stated.

only use when necessary / it has an effect on the sentence meaning
> continued effect

WHETHER

I like ice cream, whether it ~~is~~ is chocolate or any flavor

PARALLELISM

Omitted words
- can omit units, verbs, clauses

I walk faster than Brian

whereas I drink 2 cups, she drinks 3

I walk as fast now as when I was younger.

AGE: times as, as

> five times as old as ✓
five times older X

* TIMES who as or than
six times the cost last year.

✓ ten years older.

X ten years as old

* EXPRESS a condition by using IF not, inverted S & V ≠ should

> ~~should he pass~~

If he passes ✓

> JUST AS ✓
JUST AS, SO TOO

SC MODIFIERS

VERB-ING → NOUN - no comma after
 ACTION ← describe how action is done
 RESULT
 → comma after

▷ HOW, DESCRIBE, RESULT

Joe played the puppy wearing a black collar.
 ↳ No comma.

ACTION - doer of both actions is the same
 - separated with comma if it modifies the preceding action.
 ↳ RESULT OF THE ACTION: cause → effect
 Mary made a bouquet, winning accolades from everyone.
 → same doer.

CONSTRUCTIONS

Verb-ing Modifier, Modified entity
 NOUN ACTION (depends on context)

* VERB-ING MOD - can mod to-verb
 - not always modify subject
 PROCESS: find modified action

MOD. ACTION
 MODIFIER ACTION] SAME DOER

Joe became the CEO of the company, increasing his pay significantly.
 ↳ not JOE

: a move that increased his pay significantly

ERROR NOTES:

• not because it's in subjunctive tense mean that verb should be in infinitive form!

Ex.. ensure that patients would be ... before it was conducted

• not only... but (valid idiom)

• where is only for places. In other situations, use "in which"

• attributed to

• correlate with

• CTS - CWD compare to similarities, compare with differences

• put ONLY before modified noun

• PRICE - can only be higher/lower

• GOODS & SERVICES - can be more/less expensive

• AMOUNT OF time, NUMBER of resources

• costs (money) ⇒ Non-countable

costs (fixed costs, variable, tax deductible) ⇒ COUNTABLE much many

• POPULATION : non-countable

• FINES - countable

• SINGULAR QUANTITY (portion of interest) ⇒ GREATER THAN

• INCENTIVES : countable

• FEWEST is a word

QUANT: GMAT CLUB

PRIME #s

- ▷ all prime numbers above 3 are of the form $6n-1$ or $6n+1$
- ▷ check if prime: divide the number with integers smaller than \sqrt{n}

FACTORS

- ▷ If a is a factor of b , and a is a factor of c , then a is a factor of $(b+tc)$ even $(mb+tc)$
- ▷ a is factor of b , b is factor of c , then a is factor of c
- ▷ a is factor of b , b is factor of a , then $a=b$ or $a=-b$

ABSOLUTE VALUES:

$$|a+b| = |a| + |b|$$

$$|a+b| < |a| + |b|$$

$$|a-b| = |a| - |b|$$

$$|a-b| > |a| - |b|$$

a, b same sign

diff

same

diff

SUM OF THE FACTORS OF AN INTEGER

$$N = a^p \cdot b^q \cdot c^r$$

$$\text{SUM} = \frac{(a^{p+1} - 1)(b^{q+1} - 1)(c^{r+1} - 1)}{(a-1)(b-1)(c-1)}$$

$$ab = \text{GCD}(a, b) \cdot \text{LCM}(a, b)$$

NUMBER OF TRAILING ZEROS IN FACTORIALS

$$\frac{n}{5} + \frac{n}{5^2} + \frac{n}{5^3} \dots \quad \text{Ex: } 32! \\ \frac{32}{5} + \frac{32}{5^2} = 6 + 1 = 7$$

CONSECUTIVE INTEGERS

$$\text{mean} = \frac{a_1 + a_n}{2}$$

if n is odd, $\sum a_n$ is div by n

if n is even, $\sum a_n$ is NOT div by n

the product of n cons. int. is div by n!

EVENLY SPACED SET

$$a_n = a_1 + d(n-1)$$

sum of n first odd = n^2
sum of " " even = $n^2 n$

mean = median

$$\text{SUM} = \frac{n(a_1 + a_n)}{2} = \frac{2a_1 + d(n-1)}{2} \cdot n$$

$$\text{sum of n first positive int.} = \frac{n^2 + n}{2}$$

DECIMAL

> only terminating if denominator is $2^n \cdot 5^m$

EXPONENT

$a^n - b^n$: div by $a-b$

$a^n - b^n$: div by $a+b$ if n is even

$a^n + b^n$: div by $a+b$ if n is odd, not div by $a-b$ if n is even

CYClicity

D: 0, 1, 5, 6

2: 4, 9

4: 2, 3, 7, 8

ROOTS:

$$\sqrt{x} = |a|$$

$$\sqrt{25} = 5$$

$$x^2 = 25, x = \pm 5$$

$$\sqrt{7} \approx 2.65$$

$$\sqrt{2} \approx 1.41$$

$$\sqrt{3} \approx 1.73$$

$$\sqrt{5} \approx 2.24$$

$$\sqrt{6} \approx 2.45$$

$$\sqrt{8} \approx 2.83$$

$$\sqrt{10} \approx 3.16$$

QUADRATIC EQ:

$$ax^2 + bx + c = 0$$

No solution if $b^2 < 4ac$

one solution if $b^2 = 4ac$

sum of roots: $-\frac{b}{a}$

product of roots: $\frac{c}{a}$

$$\frac{-b \pm \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a}$$

max value: $-\frac{b}{2a}$

$$x^2 - y^2 = (x-y)(x^2 + y^2 + xy)$$

$$x^2 - y^2 = (x-y)(x^2 + y^2 + xy)$$

QUAD. determinants: if \odot is 0,

1 root is \oplus , 1 root is \ominus

REMAINDERS

find remainder when divided by x

$$n = mx + r$$

x = LCM

r = first common integer

WORK

$$T_{\text{TOTAL}} = \frac{xy}{x+y} \quad \text{OR} \quad \frac{xyz}{xy+yz+xz}$$

SETS

$$\text{TOTAL} = A+B+C - (\text{overlap of 2}) + (\text{all 3}) + (\text{Neither})$$

$$= A+B - \text{Both} + \text{Neither}$$

$$\text{TOTAL} = A+B+C - (\text{sum of exact 2}) - 2(\text{all 3}) + \text{Neither}$$

CONGRUENCE

midsegment = $\frac{1}{2}$ (3rd side - parallel)

angle bisector: $\frac{BD}{DC} = \frac{AB}{AC}$

$$\text{similar } \Delta s: \frac{\text{side}}{y} \rightarrow \frac{\text{area}}{y^2} \rightarrow s = \frac{a+b+c}{2}$$

CONGRUENCE

SAS

SSS

ASA

EQUILATERAL

$$A = \frac{a^2 \sqrt{3}}{4}$$

$$h = \frac{a\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

ISOSCELES

$$\beta = 2\sqrt{l^2 - h^2}$$

base, leg, height

$$h = \sqrt{l^2 - \left(\frac{\beta}{2}\right)^2}$$

RIGHT

20, 60, 80

ratio: $1:\sqrt{3}:2$

RIGHT: 45, 45, 90

1:1: $\sqrt{2}$

$$A = \frac{s^2}{2}$$

PYTHAGOREAN TRIPLE

(3,4,5) (5,12,13) (7,24,25) (8,15,17) (9,40,41) (11,60,61)

(12,35,37) (13,84,85) (16,63,65) (20,21,29) (28,45,53)

(33,56,65) (36,77,85) (39,80,89) (48,55,73) (65,72,77)

COORDINATE GEOMETRY

$$m = \frac{y_2 - y_1}{x_2 - x_1}$$

ONE POINT & SLOPE

$$y - y_1 = m(x - x_1)$$

PARALLEL TO LINE, point

$$a(x - x_1) + b(y - y_1) = 0$$

DISTANCE BET LINES

$$D = \frac{|b-c|}{\sqrt{m^2+1}} \quad y = mx + c$$

$$y = mx + c$$

PERPENDICULAR LINES

slope = $-\frac{1}{m}$

PRODUCT $m_1 \cdot m_2 = -1$

if $a_1 a_2 + b_1 b_2 = 0$

$a_1 x + b_1 y + c_1 = 0$

$a_2 x + b_2 y + c_2 = 0$

POINT, PERP. TO LINE: $b(x - x_1) - a(y - y_1) = 0$

DISTANCE OF POINT TO LINE

$$D = \frac{|ax_0 + by_0 + c|}{\sqrt{a^2 + b^2}} \quad (x_0, y_0)$$

$$ax_0 + by_0 + c = 0$$

$$D = \frac{|c|}{\sqrt{a^2 + b^2}}$$

STANDARD DEV

$$\text{Variance} = \frac{\sum (x - \text{mean})^2}{N}$$

$$SD = \sqrt{\text{Variance}}$$

change by %: change SD by same %

increase/decrease #: no change in SD

PROBABILITY

P of independent events

$$P = C_k^n \cdot p^k \cdot (1-p)^{n-k}$$

ex. 3 heads in 8 toss

$$P = C_3^8 \cdot (0.5)^3 \cdot (0.5)^5$$

of arrangement = $n!$

COMBINATION

$$C_k^n = \frac{n!}{k!(n-k)!}$$

PERMUTATION: ORDER DOESN'T MATTER

$$P_k^n = \frac{n!}{(n-k)!}$$

CIRCULAR: $(n-1)!$

SEQUENCE

$$a_n = a_1 + (n-1)d$$

$$\sum = \frac{n}{2} (a_1 + a_n) = \frac{n}{2} [2a_1 + (n-1)d]$$

GEOM. PROG.: ratio of terms is constant

$$b_n = b_{n-1} \cdot r = a_1 \cdot r^{n-1}$$

$$\text{mean AP} = \frac{a+b}{2}$$

$$\text{geom. mean} = \sqrt[n]{a_1 a_2 \dots a_n}$$

$$\text{harm.} = \frac{2ab}{a+b}$$

INFINITE

$$\sum = b_1 \cdot \frac{r^{n-1}}{1-r} = \frac{b_1}{1-r}$$

PARALLELOGRAM
 $A = bh$
 diagonal = $\sqrt{w^2 + h^2}$

RHOMBUS
 $A = d_1 \cdot d_2 / 2$

SQUARES
 $A = \frac{d^2}{2}$
 $d = s\sqrt{2}$

TRAPEZOID
 $A = h \cdot \frac{a+b}{2}$
 $A = h \cdot \text{median}$

CIRCLE
 $C = 2\pi r = \pi D = \sqrt{4\pi A}$
 $A = \pi r^2 = \frac{\pi D^2}{4} = \frac{C^2}{4\pi}$

CHORD
 length = $2\sqrt{r^2 - d^2}$
 \downarrow altitude

POWER POINT
 $(PA)(PB) = (PC)(PD)$
 $\neq 0$
 can also be for tangent point inside \circ tangent 90°

3D GEOM.

CUBE
 $V = a^3$
 $SA = 6a^2$
 $d = \sqrt{3}a$

CUBOID
 $V = abc$
 $SA = 2(ab+bc+ac)$
 $d = \sqrt{a^2+b^2+c^2}$

CYLINDER
 $V = \pi r^2 h$
 $SA_{side} = 2\pi r h$
 $SA_{total} = 2\pi r(r+h)$

CONE
 $V = \frac{1}{3}\pi r^2 h$
 $l = \sqrt{r^2+h^2}$

SPHERE
 $V = \frac{4}{3}\pi r^3$
 $SA = 4\pi r^2$

CUBE INSIDE SPHERE
 side of cube = $\frac{2r}{\sqrt{3}}$

CYL INSIDE SPHERE
 $h_{cyl} = 2\sqrt{r^2 - r_{cyl}^2}$

EQUILATERAL Δ
 $A = \frac{s^2\sqrt{3}}{4}$

PRODUCT OF n consecutive integers is always divisible by $n!$

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FOCUS ON INTEGER PROP, STATISTICS, PROB, INEQ., ABSOLUTE VAL

- Notes:
- For DS, try #s. be wary of obvious Cs
 - & Logic can solve some ds
 - Check equations if they are not same
 - For integers questions, check divisibility if only 1 possible pattern/answer is present
 - For averages (mode/median, check $\log_{10}(\text{min}/\text{max})$)

- BE CAREFUL OF "MORE THAN", "LESS THAN"
- READ QUESTION PROMPT CAREFULLY
- INEQUALITY: REMEMBER THAT \ominus MULTIPLIER WILL REVERSE $< >$ SIGNS
CHECK EVEN IF VARIABLES
- DO NOT MULTIPLY VARIABLE WHOSE SIGN YOU DO NOT KNOW
- LEAST COMMON DENOMINATOR: LCM OF DENOMINATORS YOU NEED TO MAKE THE FRACTIONS ADDIBLE/SUBTRACTABLE
- READ QUESTION PROMPT ESP. FOR SHORT QUESTIONS.
- CHECK NEEDED INFO. CLEARLY
- DON'T FORGET # OF COMBINATIONS WOULD BE MULTIPLIED TO PROBABILITY. FOR REPEATS

ERROR

① PERCENT
 simple interest
 $I = P t (\frac{r}{100})$ $t = \text{time}$
 compound int
 $P' = P (1 + \frac{r}{100})^t$
 or
 $P' = P (1 + \frac{r}{100n})^{tn}$ $\Rightarrow n = \text{times per year}$

② Δ sides
 $S_2 - S_1 < S_2 < S_3 + S_1$

③ $h(n) =$ product of even #s from 2 to n
 p is smallest prime factor of $h(100) + 1$
 $p = ?$
 $h(100)$ and $h(100) + 1$
 \downarrow
 $(2)(4)(6)(8) \dots (100)$
 $2^{50} (1 \cdot 2 \cdot 3 \cdot 4 \cdot 50)$
 $(2^{50})(50!)$ $\quad (2^{50})(50!) + 1$
 CO-PRIMES
 ONLY SHARE 1 as PRIME FACTOR
 Thus, $p > 50$

④ INEQUALITIES

x	-5	$-\frac{1}{3}$	0	$\frac{3}{4}$	10
x^2	25	$\frac{1}{9}$		$\frac{9}{16}$	100
x^3	-125	$-\frac{1}{27}$		$\frac{27}{64}$	1000
x^4	625	$\frac{1}{81}$		$\frac{1}{256}$	10000

* FOR DIV OR MULT, USE BOTH LOWER & HIGHER VALUES OF DECIMALS

⑤ BETWEEN \neq SAME DISTANCE

⑥ PERCENT: 200% more than $x = 300\% x = 3x$

⑦ SQUARES. DIFFERENCE BET SQUARES IS UNIQUE AND INCREASES WITH THE INCREASE IN VALUE

⑧ # OF 0s IN DECIMAL $\frac{x}{10^{12}} \rightarrow 12 - \text{\# of digit of } x$
 if x is $< 10 \dots$ # of 0s is 11

⑨ PRIME #s, check example til ~ 8

⑩ COMBINATIONS
 DIGIT $\frac{5!}{2!}$ (repeat 1)

GOOGLE = $\frac{6!}{2! \cdot 2!}$ (repeat 2)

⑪ PERCENT:
 IF THERE'S CHANGE IN TOTAL,
 DON'T FORGET TO ADD THAT CHANGE
 "MRS. LEE'S EARNINGS" Norma

ERROR NOTES VP 5

SC

- Parallelism must win & remove garbage
has reported & emigrated
- NOT EVERY... WANTS... SHE
- NOT ALL... WANT... THEY
- order that the garage (be) built
- PARALLELISM MUST WIN → no need to input if present in phrase (Crane bird... it)
- When you're in doubt, check STEM
- When in doubt, choose the PAR one

CR

- when in doubt, choose the next best answer (although you think it's fairly)
- when lost, check STEM to look for missed info
- ~~when~~

RC

- reread question, clarify your doubts ⇒ author's tone : unique & resp
- reread to check %

PS

- Arithmetic (mean) → check possibilities: greatest possible value
- When stressed, stop to breathe
- STOP THINKING THAT IT'S A HARD QUESTION
- ALWAYS STOP & LOOK FOR SHORTCUTS WHEN MULTIPLYING BIG #s
- REREAD STEM : reduce SD
- COMBINATION
 - 5 people, y doesn't wanna be beside x
 - $5! - 2(4!)$
 - ↳ bec. xy arrangement

DS

- VENN DIAG. given info.
- STOP TO...

ERROR NOTES VP6 / EG 3

SC

- When in doubt about meaning, pick the grammatically correct / best one
- — and — should be parallel even if no an appositive
- amount: only for uncountable nouns. fewer than one quarter as many (CORRECT)

CR

RC

- inference - recheck, reread
- ambivalent - no opinion (TDNE)

0 - 0 -

DS

Ratio in probability

5:6

e:W

} does not identify exact probability if you're gonna choose 2 C's

$$\frac{x^2}{y} = \frac{4}{9}$$

does not mean $x = \pm 2$ } they are multiples of 2 & 3

$$y = \pm 3$$

• area of parallelogram $\neq bh$. knowing all sides does not imply area.

PS

• Sets: same # of both & neither : PATIO + SWIM = TOTAL SUFFICIENT