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EUROPEAN KANGAROO MATHEMATICS CONTEST

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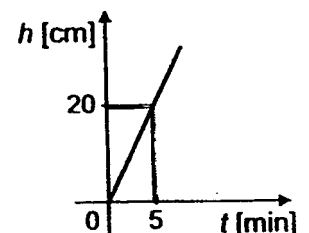
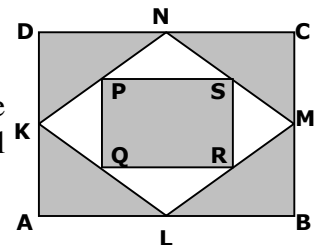
Welcome to the Kangaroo Contest !

- You have 75 minutes to do the test. Don't be disappointed if you cannot answer all the questions; just do what you can and have fun!
- The use of a pocket calculator is not allowed.
- Fill in the answer sheet very carefully, *using a pencil*.
- About scoring points:
 - * You get 30 points to start with.
 - * For each correct answer 3, 4 or 5 points are added to your total.
 - * For each incorrect answer $\frac{3}{4}$, 1 or $1\frac{1}{4}$ points are deducted from your total.
 - * If you don't answer a question, you neither gain nor lose points.
- De correct answers are shown from Wednesday March 27th on the website: www.sci.kun.nl/math/kangoeroe

We wish you lots of success and fun!

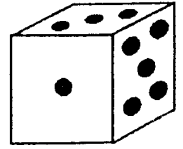
Questions 1 to 10: for every correct answer +3 points, for every incorrect answer - $\frac{3}{4}$ point.

1. Andrew, Bianca en Claire are eating 17 toffees together. Andrew eats more toffees than each of the other two kids. What is the smallest number of toffees that Andrew could have eaten?
A. 5 B. 6 C. 7 D. 8 E. 9
2. A box of apples costs 2 Euros, a box of pears costs 3 Euros and a box of prunes costs 4 Euros. Jeremy buys 8 boxes altogether and he has to pay 23 Euros. What is the biggest number of boxes of prunes he could have bought?
A. 1 B. 2 C. 3 D. 4 E. 5
3. At Fiona's birthday party a game is being played. Fiona counts aloud from 1 till 100. Every time she says a number that is either divisible by three or ending in a 3 the other kids have to say 'boom'. How often do they have to say 'boom'?
A. 30 B. 33 C. 36 D. 39 E. 43
4. In London on the first of July the sun comes up at 04:53 and goes down at 21:25. Exactly halfway this period of time the sun reaches its highest point. What time is it then?
A. 8:16 B. 11:08 C. 12:00 D. 12:39 E. 13:09
5. K, L, M and N are the midpoints of the sides of a rectangle ABCD. In the same way P, Q, R and S are the midpoints of the sides of quadrilateral KLMN. What part of rectangle ABCD is coloured gray?
A. $\frac{3}{5}$ B. $\frac{2}{3}$ C. $\frac{5}{7}$ D. $\frac{3}{4}$ E. $\frac{5}{6}$
6. An empty swimming pool is being filled with water. The water flows at a constant rate. In the graph you can see the waterheight plotted against the time. How many minutes does it take the water to reach a height of 120 cm?
A. 15 B. 20 C. 25 D. 28 E. 30



7. Sean, Monica, John and Peter each have a pet. Altogether they have a dog, a cat, a goldfish and a canary. Monica's pet is hairy, Peter's pet has four legs and John has a bird. Sean and Monica don't have cats. Which of the following statements is false?
- A. Peter has a dog.
 B. John has a canary.
 C. Sean has a goldfish.
 D. Peter has a cat.
 E. Monica has a dog.

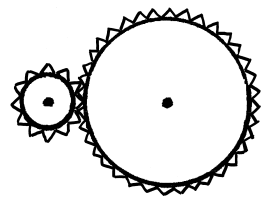
8. A special six-sided dice has six spots on its bottom, four on its left hand side and two on its back. The dice is tossed and you count the number of visible spots. What is the biggest possible outcome?



- A. 9 B. 12 C. 13 D. 14 E. 15

9. A machine has two tandrads. The radius of the big rad is three times the radius of the small rad. What happens to the small rad when the big rad is rotated 360° clockwise?

- A. The small rad rotates 360° clockwise.
 B. The small rad rotates 360° three times clockwise.
 C. The small rad rotates 360° three times anticlockwise.
 D. The small rad rotates 360° nine times clockwise.
 E. The small rad rotates 360° nine times anticlockwise.



10. Sean reads exactly 23 pages every day. Today he started a book having 2002 pages. How many days does he need to read the whole book? And how many pages will he read on the final day in a new book?

- A. 87 days en 0 pages of the new book.
 B. 87 days en 1 page of the new book.
 C. 88 days en 20 pages of the new book.
 D. 88 days en 21 pages of the new book.
 E. 88 days en 22 pages of the new book.

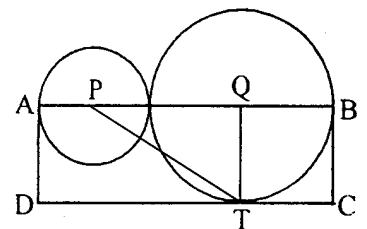
Questions 11 to 20: for every correct answer +4 points, for every incorrect answer -1 point.

11. In a certain month three Sundays are on even days in that month. (the 2nd, or the 4th, or the 6th, etc.) On what day is the 20th of that month?

- A. Monday B. Tuesday C. Wednesday D. Thursday E. Saturday

12. P and Q are the centres of the circles and ABCD is a rectangle having area 15. What is the area of triangle PTQ?

- A. $3\frac{1}{2}$ B. $3\frac{3}{4}$ C. 4 D. $4\frac{1}{4}$ E. $4\frac{1}{2}$



13. Chris has drawn two circles and three straight lines and he coloured all points of intersection. What is the biggest number of points of intersection he could have coloured?

- A. 14 B. 15 C. 16 D. 17 E. 18

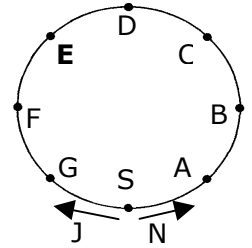
14. Which of the following fractions is the biggest?

- A. $\frac{7}{8}$ B. $\frac{66}{77}$ C. $\frac{555}{666}$ D. $\frac{4444}{5555}$ E. $\frac{33333}{44444}$

15. In Canada some people speak only English, some speak only French and the rest speaks French as well as English. 85% speak English, 75% speak French. How many percent speak both French and English?

- A. 25% B. 40% C. 50% D. 57% E. 60%

16. John runs three times as fast as his little sister Nicole. The track is divided into 8 equal parts. They start at the same moment at S. John starts running to the left and Nicole to the right. At what point do they meet for the first time?

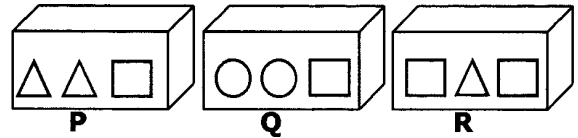


- A. A B. B C. C D. D E. E

17. Ernst makes three-different-digit numbers. What is the difference between the biggest and the smallest number Ernst can make?

- A. 800 B. 864 C. 885 D. 899 E. 975

18. Three boxes P, Q and R containing weights are arranged in ascending order of weight with the lightest one first. So P is the lightest box and R is the heaviest one. There is a fourth box standing aside that has to fit in the row without disturbing the ascending order of weight. Which of the following statements, with respect to this fourth box, is true?



- A. The box should be the first one in the row.
 B. The box should be in between P and Q.
 C. The box should be in between Q and R.
 D. The box should be the last one in the row.
 E. The box has the same weight as R.



19. A kangaroo wants to go from the Dom in Utrecht to the Dam in Amsterdam (37 km). Its first jump is one meter; every next jump is twice as big as the previous one. How many jumps take the kangaroo closest to the Dam? (That's when it stops jumping.)

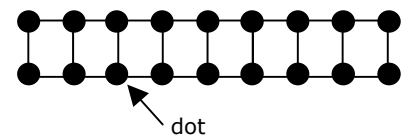
- A. 4 B. 5 C. 14 D. 15 E. 16

20. Six waterpolo teams play a tournament. Each team plays every other team exactly once. The winner of a game gets 3 points, the loser gets 0 points. If a game ends in a draw each team gets 1 point. Altogether the teams got 40 points. How many games did end in a draw?

- A. 1 B. 2 C. 3 D. 4 E. 5

Questions 21 to 30: for every correct answer +5 points, for every incorrect answer -1¼ point.

21. You have to put some coins on the black dots in the shape shown. If you don't put a coin on a certain dot, you'll have to put a coin on at least one of its adjacent dots. What is the smallest number of coins you need?

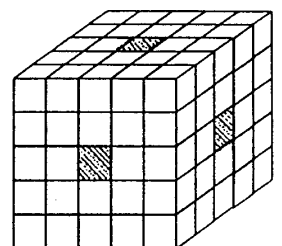


- A. 5 B. 6 C. 7 D. 8 E. 9

22. Achilles and the tortoise are competing in a walking contest. That might not seem fair, because Achilles walks at a speed of 10 metres per second and the tortoise only walks at a speed of 1 metre per 10 seconds. That is why the tortoise is given a headstart of 990 metres. How many seconds does Achilles need to pass the tortoise?

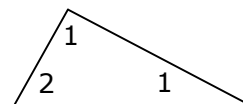
- A. 99 B. 100 C. 110 D. 990 E. meer dan 1000

23. A cube of side 5 consists of little cubes of side 1. Three rows are removed from the cube. So now you are able to look through the cube into three directions. Then you dip the object in a tin of paint. How many of the little cubes have exactly one painted face?



- A. 24 B. 26 C. 30 D. 40 E. 48

24. When an amount of water gets frozen its volume increases by $\frac{1}{11}$ of the original volume. By what part does the volume decrease then when the ice melts again?
 A. $\frac{1}{14}$ B. $\frac{1}{13}$ C. $\frac{1}{12}$ D. $\frac{1}{11}$ E. $\frac{1}{10}$
25. What is the maximal number of intersection points that six circles can have?
 A. 15 B. 24 C. 28 D. 30 E. 36
26. On Wendy's birthday party there are six glasses of soft drinks for every child. Unexpectedly three cousins of Wendy's arrive. Because of that there are five glasses of soft drinks for every child now. How many children were at the party before the three cousins arrived?
 A. 4 B. 11 C. 14 D. 15 E. 18
27. A virus is 'eating' a computer disk. On the first day half of the disk is eaten. On the second day $\frac{1}{3}$ of the remaining part is eaten, the day after it eats $\frac{1}{3}$ of the remainder of the second day, finally it eats $\frac{1}{5}$ of the remainder of the third day. Which part of the disk is still not eaten?
 A. $\frac{1}{24}$ B. $\frac{1}{12}$ C. $\frac{1}{10}$ D. $\frac{1}{6}$ E. $\frac{1}{5}$
28. In some reservation live a lot of female kangaroos. 25% of these female kangaroos are light brown and 75% are dark brown. 50% of the light brown (female) kangaroos have a baby and 20% of the dark brown ones have a baby. All female kangaroos together have 99 babies. How many female kangaroos live in that reservation?
 A. 99 B. 240 C. 300 D. 340 E. 360
29. If Mr. Bean stands still on an escalator he is up in 60 seconds. If the escalator stands still and Mr. Bean walks it, he is up in 90 seconds. How many seconds does it take Mr. Bean to be up if he walks the moving escalator?
 A. 30 B. 36 C. 45 D. 50 E. 75
30. Mary-Ann writes a 1, 2, 3, 4 or 5 in every angle of the triangle shown. None of the numbers written in the bottom angles is smaller than the number written in the top angle. How many different possibilities are there?
 A. 10 B. 20 C. 30 D. 55 E. 125



Pupils from 26 countries participate in the European Kangaroo 2002. In The Netherlands, the Kangaroo-contest is organised by the "Stichting Wiskunde Kangoeroe", under the auspices of the "Nederlandse Onderwijs Commissie voor Wiskunde" of the Wiskundig Genootschap.



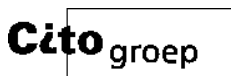
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