



AMC 8 (Fall, 2024) Issue 1

2(a + b + c) = 210

14. C

A:4 - π = 0.86 B:4 - π = 0.86 C: π - 2 = 1.14 C has the largest shaded region.

15. Method I)

 $40 \times 17 = 680$ $20 \times 15 = 300$ $15 \times 16 = 240$ 680 - (300 + 240) = 140 $140 \div 5 = 28$

Method II) (advanced) Let *x* be the average age of the adults. $40 \times 17 = (20 + 15 + 5) \times 17 =$ $20 \times 17 + 15 \times 17 + 5 \times 17 =$ $20 \times 15 + 15 \times 16 + 5x$ $20 \times 2 + 15 \times 1 = 5(x - 17)$ 8 + 3 + 17 = xx = 28

- 16. The total area of 6 cubes:
 6×6 = 36
 There are five (5) connected faces.
 So, the exposed area is
 36 2×5 = 26
- 17. $201\underline{125} \times 201\underline{224} \times 201317$ Focus on the following: $125\times224 = 125\times8\times28 = 28\underline{000}$ There are 3 zeros at the end.
- 18. 6:HHTT ($C_2^4 = 6$) 4:HHHT 1:HHHH So, the probability is $\frac{11}{2^4} = \frac{11}{16} = 11/16$
- 19. 3Q = 75 1D = 10 3N = 15 2P = 2And = 1 D & 3 N

20. 13, 26, or 39, ...
7, 14, 21, 28, 35, ...
26 and 28 are closest to be good candidates. Let consider:26, 27, 28
26 = 2×13
27 = 3³
28 = 2²×7
26×27×28 = 2³·3³·7·13
26 + 27 + 28 = 81

21. There must be 3 different numbers only. (Why?) Let them be *a*, *b*, and *c*, in ascending order. *a* + *b* = 57 ... ① *a* + *c* = 70 ... ② *b* + *c* = 83 ... ③
Sum them up.

- $a + b + c = 105 \dots ④$ Consider ④ – ① c = 48b = 35 (3 occurrence) a = 2222. 1, 6, 12, 18 (6 + 18) - (1 + 12) = 1123. $21 + 3 = 24 \mod 6 = 0$ Ans = 3 more cars24. All primes are odd except 2, the only even prime. Since there are two evens and one odd as visible, 59 must pair up with 2. Now that 59 + 2 = 61 = 44 + 17 = 38 + 23 $\frac{1}{3}(2+17+23) = 14$ 25. Let each side = 4 inches The perimeter of a smaller rectangle: 2(4+1) = 10The perimeter of the larger rectangle: 2(4+2) = 1210:12 = 5:626. $7 \times 2 = 14$ 19 - 14 = 5 (tricycles) 27. Case 3R: 4 cases:RRR, GRRR, RGRR, RRGR, Case 2G 6 cases:GG, RGG, GRG, RRGG, GRRG, RGRG $\frac{4}{10} = \frac{2}{5} = \frac{2}{5}$ 28. $12 \times 1.5 = 18$ 10 girls have one or two cupcakes. 18 - 10 = 88 girls have two cupcakes. 29. D 30. $\frac{1}{2} \times \frac{1}{4} = \frac{1}{8} = 1/8$ 31. To be a 5-multiple, it must be $\Box \times 5$ or $5 \times \Box$. There are 6 + 6 - 1 = 11 different pairs. So, the probability is $\frac{11}{36} = 11/36$ 32. D To be a multiple of another (with these four digits only), the ones digit can be 5, 2, or 4. The largest number is $7\Box\Box\Box$. The smallest number is $2\Box\Box\Box$. So, the multiple can be 2 or 3 times only.
 - $7425 = 3 \times 2475$



- 33. $1 \times 1 \times ... \times 1 \times 3 = 3$ 1 + 1 + ... + 3 = 2018
- 34. ∠AEC = 360-90-2×108=54 ∠EAB = 180 - 54 = 126 ∠BAH = 360 - 126 - 108 = 126 ∠ABD = 180 - 126 = 54



35. $12 \div 2 = 6$ $6 \times \frac{3}{4} = 4.5$

36. Method I)

4 - 1 = 3 (gaps) $60 \div 3 = 20$ 6 - 1 = 5 (gaps) $5 \times 20 = 100$

Method II) (Refinement) $\frac{60}{4-1} \times (6-1) = 100$ 37. A trapezoid consists of a rectangle and a triangle.

 $6 \times 2 = 12$ (rectangle) $\frac{1}{2}(6 \times 2) = 6$ (triangle) 12 + 6 = 18

38. D

Let *x* be the original number of candies. Let *a* be the number of candies received by each child. Left over by the 1st child: $\frac{1}{2}x - a$ Left over by the 2nd child: $\frac{1}{2}(\frac{1}{2}x - a) - a$ Received by the 3rd child: $\frac{1}{2}(\frac{1}{2}(\frac{1}{2}x - a) - a) = a$ $\frac{1}{2}(\frac{1}{2}x - a) - a = 2a$ $\frac{1}{2}(\frac{1}{2}x - a) = 3a$ $\frac{1}{2}x - a = 6a$ $\frac{1}{2}x = 7a$ x = 14aIt must be a 7-multiple, but not necessarily a 21-multiple.

- 39. $-14 + 2 \times 26 = 38$
- 40. A
 - 247 mod 8 = 7 2 more moves from 5.