

**B1:** Short answer. Show no work.

Write **DNE** if the object does not exist or the operation cannot be performed. NB:  $\text{DNE} \neq \{\} \neq 0$ .

**10 10** **a** Using *only* symbols  $P, Q, \wedge, \vee, \neg, T, F, ], [,$  rewrite, in *simplest form*, expression  $[(P \Rightarrow Q) \Rightarrow P]$  as  $\underline{\hspace{10em}}$ . Ditto, rewrite  $[P \Rightarrow [Q \Rightarrow P]]$  as  $\underline{\hspace{10em}}$ .

**15 15** **b** LBolt gives  $G := \text{GCD}(413, 294) = \underline{\hspace{10em}}$ . And  $413S + 294T = G$ , where  $S = \underline{\hspace{10em}}$  &  $T = \underline{\hspace{10em}}$  are integers.

**15 15** **c** The number of permutations of "SETTEES", as a multinomial coefficient, is  $\underline{\hspace{10em}}$  as a numeral.

**20** **d** As a single numeral,  $\underline{\hspace{10em}}$  is the following alternating sum:

$$*: 1 - 3 \cdot \binom{9}{1} + 9 \cdot \binom{9}{2} - 27 \cdot \binom{9}{3} + 81 \cdot \binom{9}{4} - \dots - 3^9 \cdot \binom{9}{9}.$$

[Hint: First determine: Is the value positive, zero, or negative.]

OYOP: *In grammatical English **sentences**, write your essays on every 2<sup>nd</sup> line (usually), so I can easily write between the lines.* Please number the pages like "1 of 5", "2 of 5"... (or "1/5", "2/5"...)

**B2:** An integer-valued list  $\mathcal{L} := (n_1, n_2, n_3, \dots, n_9)$  is indexed by interval-of-integers  $J := [1..9]$ .

This  $J$  has  $\underline{\hspace{10em}}$  *non-void* subsets.

And  $J$  has  $\underline{\hspace{10em}}$  *non-void* subintervals. (Note:  $[4..6]$  is a length-3 subinterval, and  $[8..8]$  is a length-1 subinterval.)

Use PHP [Pigeon-hole Principle] to prove for each  $\mathcal{L}$  as above that: *There exists a non-void set  $\Omega \subset J$  of indices, st.*

$$\left[ \sum_{j \in \Omega} n_j \right] \bullet 9.$$

You may use  $\equiv$  for  $\equiv_9$  i.e, congruence mod-9.

End of Class-B

**B1:**                100pts

**B2:**           40pts

**Total:**                140pts

**HONOR CODE:** "I have neither requested nor received help on this exam other than from my professor."

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