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- 1. A bag is filled with quarters and nickels. The average value when pulling out a coin is 10 cents. What is the least number of nickels in the bag possible?
- 2. How many integers from 1 to 2016 are divisible by 3 or 7, but not 21?
- 3. How many five-card hands from a standard deck of 52 cards are full houses? A full house consists of 3 cards of one rank and 2 cards of another rank.
- 4. Three 3-legged (distinguishable) Stanfurdians take off their socks and trade them with each other. How many ways is this possible if everyone ends up with exactly 3 socks and nobody gets any of their own socks? All socks originating from the Stanfurdians are distinguishable from each other. All Stanfurdian feet are indistinguishable from other feet of the same Stanfurdian.
- 5. What are the last two digits of 9^{8} ?
- 6. Bob plays a game on the whiteboard. Initially, the numbers $\{1, 2, ..., n\}$ are shown. On each turn, Bob takes two numbers from the board x, y, erases them both, and writes down 2x + y onto the board. In terms of n, what is the maximum possible value that Bob can end up with?
- 7. Consider the graph on 1000 vertices $v_1, v_2, ..., v_{1000}$ such that for all $1 \le i < j \le 1000$, v_i is connected to v_j if and only if *i* divides *j*. Determine the minimum number of colors that must be used to color the vertices of this graph such that no two vertices sharing an edge are the same color.
- 8. Let (v_1, \dots, v_{2^n}) be the vertices of an *n*-dimensional hypercube. Label each vertex v_i with a real number x_i . Label each edge of the hypercube with the product of labels of the two vertices it connects. Let S be the sum of the labels of all the edges. Over all possible labelings, find the minimum possible value of $\frac{S}{x_1^2 + x_2^2 + \dots + x_{2^n}^2}$ in terms of n.

Note: an n dimensional hypercube is a graph on 2^n vertices labeled labeled with the binary strings of length n, where two vertices have an edge between them if and only if their labels differ in exactly one place. For instance, the vertices 100 and 101 on the 3 dimensional hypercube are connected, but the vertices 100 and 111 are not.

- 9. $(\sqrt{6} + \sqrt{7})^{1000}$ in base ten has a tens digit of a and a ones digit of b. Determine 10a + b.
- 10. An $m \times n$ rectangle is tiled with $\frac{mn}{2}$ 1 × 2 dominoes. The tiling is such that whenever the rectangle is partitioned into two smaller rectangles, there exists a domino that is part of the interior of both rectangles. Given mn > 2, what is the minimum possible value of mn? For instance, the following tiling of a 4 × 3 rectangle doesn't work because we can partition

For instance, the following tiling of a 4×3 rectangle doesn't work because we can partition along the line shown, but that doesn't necessarily mean other 4×3 tilings don't work.

