- 1. Alice is planning a trip from the Bay Area to one of 5 possible destinations (each of which is serviced by only 1 airport) and wants to book two flights, one to her destination and one returning. There are 3 airports within the Bay Area from which she may leave and to which she may return. In how many ways may she plan her flight itinerary?
- 2. Determine the largest integer n such that 2^n divides the decimal representation given by some permutation of the digits 2, 0, 1, and 5. (For example, 2^1 divides 2150. It may start with 0.)
- 3. How many rational solutions are there to $5x^2 + 2y^2 = 1$?
- 4. Determine the greatest integer N such that N is a divisor of $n^{13} n$ for all integers n.
- 5. Three balloon vendors each offer two types of balloons one offers red & blue, one offers blue & yellow, and one offers yellow & red. I like each vendor the same, so I must buy 7 balloons from each. How many different possible triples (x, y, z) are there such that I could buy x blue, y yellow, and z red balloons?
- 6. There are 30 cities in the empire of Euleria. Every week, Martingale City runs a very wellknown lottery. 900 visitors decide to take a trip around the empire, visiting a different city each week in some random order. 3 of these cities are inhabited by mathematicians, who will talk to all visitors about the laws of statistics. A visitor with this knowledge has probability 0 of buying a lottery ticket, else they have probability 0.5 of buying one. What is the expected number of visitors who will play the Martingale Lottery?
- 7. At Durant University, an A grade corresponds to raw scores between 90 and 100, and a B grade corresponds to raw scores between 80 and 90. Travis has 3 equally weighted exams in his math class. Given that Travis earned an A on his first exam and a B on his second (but doesnt know his raw score for either), what is the minimum score he needs to have a 90% chance of getting an A in the class? Note that scores on exams do not necessarily have to be integers.
- 8. Two players play a game with a pile with N coins is on a table. On a player's turn, if there are n coins, the player can take at most n/2 + 1 coins, and must take at least one coin. The player who grabs the last coin wins. For how many values of N between 1 and 100 (inclusive) does the first player have a winning strategy?
- 9. There exists a unique pair of positive integers k, n such that k is divisible by 6, and $\sum_{i=1}^{k} i^2 = n^2$. Find (k, n)
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- 10. A partition of a positive integer n is a summing $n_1 + ... + n_k = n$, where $n_1 \ge n_2 \ge ... \ge n_k$. Call a partition *perfect* if every $m \le n$ can be represented uniquely as a sum of some subset of the n_i 's. How many perfect partitions are there of n = 307?
- **P1.** Find two disjoint sets N_1 and N_2 with $N_1 \cup N_2 = \mathbb{N}$, so that neither set contains an infinite arithmetic progression.
- **P2.** Suppose k > 3 is a divisor of $2^p + 1$, where p is prime. Prove that $k \ge 2p + 1$.