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ARITHMETIC

2002A

1. The ratio $\frac{10^{2000} + 10^{2002}}{10^{2001} + 10^{2001}}$ is closest to which of the following numbers?
(A) 0.1 (B) 0.2 (C) 1 (D) 5 (E) 10

2002B

1. The ratio $\frac{2^{2001} \cdot 3^{2003}}{6^{2002}}$ is
(A) $\frac{1}{6}$ (B) $\frac{1}{3}$ (C) $\frac{1}{2}$ (D) $\frac{2}{3}$ (E) $\frac{3}{2}$

- 2003B 1. Which of the following is the same as

$$\frac{2 - 4 + 6 - 8 + 10 - 12 + 14}{3 - 6 + 9 - 12 + 15 - 18 + 21} ?$$

- (A) -1 (B) $-\frac{2}{3}$ (C) $\frac{2}{3}$ (D) 1 (E) $\frac{14}{3}$

- 2006B 1. What is $(-1)^1 + (-1)^2 + \dots + (-1)^{2006}$?
(A) -2006 (B) -1 (C) 0 (D) 1 (E) 2006
- 2010B 1. What is $100(100 - 3) - (100 \cdot 100 - 3)$?
(A) $-20,000$ (B) $-10,000$ (C) -297 (D) -6 (E) 0
- 2015A 1. What is the value of $(2^0 - 1 + 5^2 + 0)^{-1} \times 5$?
(A) -125 (B) -120 (C) $\frac{1}{5}$ (D) $\frac{5}{24}$ (E) 25
- 2015B 1. What is the value of $2 - (-2)^{-2}$?
(A) -2 (B) $\frac{1}{16}$ (C) $\frac{7}{4}$ (D) $\frac{9}{4}$ (E) 6
- 2017A 1. What is the value of $(2(2(2(2(2(2 + 1) + 1) + 1) + 1) + 1) + 1) + 1$?
(A) 70 (B) 97 (C) 127 (D) 159 (E) 729

2016A

1. What is the value of $\frac{11! - 10!}{9!}$?

- (A) 99 (B) 100 (C) 110 (D) 121 (E) 132

2018A

1. What is the value of

$$\left(\left((2+1)^{-1} + 1 \right)^{-1} + 1 \right)^{-1} + 1 ?$$

- (A) $\frac{5}{8}$ (B) $\frac{11}{7}$ (C) $\frac{8}{5}$ (D) $\frac{18}{11}$ (E) $\frac{15}{8}$

2002B

2. For the nonzero numbers a , b , and c , define

$$(a, b, c) = \frac{abc}{a + b + c}.$$

Find $(2, 4, 6)$.

- (A) 1 (B) 2 (C) 4 (D) 6 (E) 24

2000

2. $2000(2000^{2000}) =$

- (A) 2000^{2001} (B) 4000^{2000} (C) 2000^{4000}
(D) $4,000,000^{2000}$ (E) $2000^{4,000,000}$

2008B

3. Assume that x is a positive real number. Which is equivalent to $\sqrt[3]{x\sqrt{x}}$?

- (A) $x^{1/6}$ (B) $x^{1/4}$ (C) $x^{3/8}$ (D) $x^{1/2}$ (E) x

- 2016B 3. Let $x = -2016$. What is the value of $\left| \left| |x| - x \right| - |x| \right| - x$?
- (A) -2016 (B) 0 (C) 2016 (D) 4032 (E) 6048

- 2002B 4. What is the value of
- $$(3x - 2)(4x + 1) - (3x - 2)4x + 1$$
- when $x = 4$?
- (A) 0 (B) 1 (C) 10 (D) 11 (E) 12

- 2011A 4. Let X and Y be the following sums of arithmetic sequences:

$$X = 10 + 12 + 14 + \cdots + 100,$$

$$Y = 12 + 14 + 16 + \cdots + 102.$$

What is the value of $Y - X$?

- (A) 92 (B) 98 (C) 100 (D) 102 (E) 112

- 2009A 5. What is the sum of the digits of the square of $111,111,111$?
- (A) 18 (B) 27 (C) 45 (D) 63 (E) 81