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## **QUADRATICS**

- 2006A 11. Which of the following describes the graph of the equation  $(x + y)^2 = x^2 + y^2$ ?
  - (A) the empty set
- (B) one point
- (C) two lines
- (D) a circle

(E) the entire plane

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- 11. Real numbers x and y satisfy the equation  $x^2 + y^2 = 10x 6y 34$ . What is x + y?
  - (A) 1
- **(B)** 2
- **(C)** 3
- **(D)** 6
- **(E)** 8

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- 12. For which of the following values of k does the equation  $\frac{x-1}{x-2} = \frac{x-k}{x-6}$  have no solution for x?
  - (A) 1
- **(B)** 2
- (C) 3
- (D) 4
- $(\mathbf{E})$  5

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- 12. Points  $(\sqrt{\pi}, a)$  and  $(\sqrt{\pi}, b)$  are distinct points on the graph of  $y^2 + x^4 = 2x^2y + 1$ . What is |a-b|?

- (A) 1 (B)  $\frac{\pi}{2}$  (C) 2 (D)  $\sqrt{1+\pi}$  (E)  $1+\sqrt{\pi}$

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- 14. Let a and b be the roots of the equation  $x^2 mx + 2 = 0$ . Suppose that a + (1/b)and b + (1/a) are the roots of the equation  $x^2 - px + q = 0$ . What is q?

- (A)  $\frac{5}{2}$  (B)  $\frac{7}{2}$  (C) 4 (D)  $\frac{9}{2}$  (E) 8

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- $x^2 63x + k = 0$  are prime numbers. 14. Both roots of the quadratic equation The number of possible values of k is
  - (A) 0
- **(B)** 1
- (C) 2
- (D) 4 (E) more than four

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- 14. Let a, b, and c be three distinct one-digit numbers. What is the maximum value of the sum of the roots of the equation (x-a)(x-b) + (x-b)(x-c) = 0?
  - (A) 15
- **(B)** 15.5
- (C) 16 (D) 16.5
- (E) 17