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35. Of my books, 85% are new and the rest are used.

A) 7:17

Some are biographies, 70% of which are new. What is

to the fraction of used books that are biographies?

B) 14:17 C) 17:14 D) 17:7

the ratio of the fraction of new books that are biographies

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#### SEVENTH GRADE MATHEMATICS CONTEST

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## **Sample 7th Grade Contest**

Tuesday, February 26 (alternate date: February 19), 2013

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#### Instructions

- **Time** Do *not* open this booklet until told by your teacher to begin. You might be *unable* to finish all 35 questions in the 30 minutes allowed.
- **Scores** Remember that *this is a contest, not a test*—there is no "passing" or "failing" score. Few students score 28 points (80% correct). Students with 14 points, *should be commended!* High-scoring students may be invited to our "Math Camp," held last August at Stanford University.
- **Results Posted Online** Scores of high-scoring schools, both regional and overall, will be posted at *www.mathleague.com* no later than April 15.
- **Format, Point Value, & Eligibility** Every answer is an A, B, C, or D. Write answers in the *Answers* column. A correct answer is worth 1 point. Unanswered questions get no credit. You **may** use a calculator. You're eligible for this contest only if you are in grade 7 or below and only if you don't also take this year's Annual 6th or Annual 8th Grade Contest.

Last Name		First Name	
School	_Teacher _		_ Grade Level
Time at Start of Contest _		Today's Date	

### Do Not Write In The Space Below

#### To the Teacher:

Please enter the score at the right before you return this paper to the student. *Papers with scores of 30 or higher must be held until June 1.* 

. Student's Score: \_\_\_\_\_

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2012-2013 7TH GRADE CONTEST		Answers	2012-2013 7TH GRADE CONTEST A	
1. Of the following numbers, which is closest to 10.98?		1. 14.	14. Del loves sandwiches so much that 130 of his	14.
	A) 10.00 B) 10.90 C) 10.95 D) 11.00		last 250 meals were sandwiches. What percent of those last 250 meals were <i>not</i> sandwiches?	
2.	$\sqrt{4\times9\times16} =$	2.		
	A) 9 B) 24 C) 29 D) 36		A) 40% B) 44% C) 48% D) 52%  15. The sum of the two least odd divisors of 120 is	4.5
3. Mr. Barry is angry. He has 4 grubs left after he tried to divide 256 grubs equally among his cubs. There could be ? cubs.		3.		15.
			A) 4 B) 5 C) 8 D) 15	
A) 5 B) 6 C) 8 D) 11			16. I collect 20 seashells every 30 minutes, but I drop 3 shells every 2 hours. If I collect shells	16.
4. The tenths digit of ? is larger than its		4.	for 8 hours, I will end up with _?_ shells.	
	hundredths digit.	1,	A) 68 B) 136 C) 296 D) 308	
	A) 543.21 B) 231.23 C) 654.56 D) 642.46			17.
5.	$3^2 + 3^2 + 3^2 =$	5.	half the number of quarters in	
	A) 3 <sup>3</sup> B) 3 <sup>6</sup> C) 9 <sup>3</sup> D) 9 <sup>6</sup>		A) \$12.00 B) \$15.00 C) \$30.00 D) \$60.00	
6. $3 \div \frac{1}{6} = 9 \div \underline{?}$		6.	18. 0.05% of 10 000 equals	18.
0.			A) 5 B) 50 C) 500 D) 5000	
	A) $\frac{1}{18}$ B) $\frac{1}{12}$ C) $\frac{1}{2}$ D) $\frac{9}{2}$		19. The sum of 13 consecutive integers is 13. The greatest of the integers is	19.
7. The greatest common factor of 2013 and _? is 11.		7.	A) 6 B) 7 C) 9 D) 13	
	A) 231 B) 365 C) 418 D) 542		20. Apples cost 65¢ each and oranges cost 85¢ each. If I spend \$8.80 on apples and oranges, how many pieces of fruit did I buy all together?	20.
8. Three times a certain number is 36. One-third of that certain number is		8.	A) 11 B) 12 C) 13 D) 14	
	A) 4 B) 12 C) 36 D) 108 21. Dragon Doug reads a prime number of books each month. If each p			21.
9. If a case of eggs contains 12 dozen eggs, how many eggs are in two crates of 12 cases each?		9.	different, which of the following cannot be the total number of books he reads in 3 months?	
	A) 48 B) 144 C) 288 D) 3456		A) 10 B) 12 C) 13 D) 15	
10.	One hundred million divided by ten thousand equals	10.	22. The number halfway between 45 674 567	22.
	A) 10 B) 100 C) 1000 D) 10000		and 67 896 789 is	
11. Ashley the chimney sweep puts his hat down on a square the same size as the opening of a chimney. The circular brim touches each side of the square at a single point. The perimeter of the square is 4 m. What is the radius of the circular brim of Ashley's hat?  A) 0.5 m B) 1 m C) 2 m D) 4 m		11.	A) 55 443 322 B) 55 556 666 C) 56 565 656 D) 56 785 678	
			23. $\sqrt{49} - \sqrt{16} =$	23.
			A) $\sqrt{33}$ B) $\sqrt{25}$ C) $\sqrt{9}$ D) $\sqrt{3}$	
12. $\frac{1}{3} \times \frac{2}{4} \times \frac{3}{5} \times \frac{4}{6} \times \frac{5}{7} \times \frac{6}{8} \times \frac{7}{9} \times \frac{8}{10} = \frac{1}{10} \times \frac{?}{}$		12.	24. The greatest power of 3 that divides 2016 <sup>2013</sup> is	24.
( William )			A) 3 <sup>2013</sup> B) 3 <sup>2015</sup> C) 3 <sup>4026</sup> D) 3 <sup>6039</sup>	
A) $\frac{3}{19}$ B) $\frac{2}{9}$ C) $\frac{1}{9}$ D) $\frac{2}{90}$				25.
13. 20 + 30 + 40 – (the average of 20, 30, and 40) =		13.	only on Monday through Friday each week, its 21st day open will be	20.
	A) 0 B) 45 C) 60 D) 90		A) March 22 B) March 23 C) March 30 D) March 31	
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Answers 14.