

Zonal Informatics Olympiad, 2017

Solutions

1. Number of ways of expressing T as the sum of four elements of S .

- (a) 60
- (b) 14
- (c) 30

2. Minimum distance travelled by hikers.

- (a) 104
- (b) 199
- (c) 593

3. Minimum number of rounds of hide and seek.

- (a) 15
- (b) 10
- (c) 145

4. Number of ways to get a Good substring.

- (a) 21
- (b) 144
- (c) 154

Marking

The question paper carries 80 marks, broken up into four questions of 20 marks each. Each question has three parts. *If you solve all three parts correctly, you get 20 marks for that question.* Otherwise, you get 5 marks for each part that you solve correctly.

Qualifying cutoff

- Std 12: 55
- Std 11: 50
- Std 10: 45
- Std 9: 40
- Std 8 or below: 35