

## Problem №1

The maximum sum of the perimeters of rectangles cut from a  $9 \times 10$  square is 400 (if we cut it into  $1 \times 1$  squares). There is no way we can make this sum larger. ~~What's the~~ The only way to make this sum 398 ~~is~~ is by cutting the square into 98  $1 \times 1$  squares and 1  $2 \times 1$  rectangle. We can locate the  $2 \times 1$  rectangle in ~~different~~ <sup>one</sup> row or a single column. There are 9 ~~in a single~~ different ways to locate the rectangle in every row (it may take the first ~~and~~ and the second square, the second and the third one, the third and the fourth ~~and~~ etc.). We can put it in all 10 rows. This makes in total  $9 \times 10 = 90$  possibilities of the  $2 \times 1$  rectangle's location. If we rotate the square  $90^\circ$  we will also get 90 possibilities.  $90 + 90 = 180$  possibilities in total.

Answer: 180

## Problem №2

Ben is the one who has the winning strategy.

~~If Alex writes 1 or 0~~ If the first digit

Alex places ~~is~~ not on the last square, Ben should write 2, 3, 7 or 8 on it, because there is no perfect square that ends by these digits. If Alex places 4 or 0 on the last square, Ben should place 1, ~~3, 5, 7~~, 9 or 8 on the eighth square, because then the number would be able to be divided by 2 but not by 4, and ~~12~~ is not a perfect square  $\rightarrow$  the whole number will not be a perfect square. Analogically, if Alex places 6 on the last square, Ben must place 0, 2, 4, 6 or 8. If Alex places 5 on the last square, Ben should place any digit but 2 or 7 on the last but one square, because then the number will be able to be divided by 5, but not by 25. And if Alex places 1 or 9 on the last square, Ben should place 1, 3, 5, 7 or 9 on the last but one square, because the perfect squares ending by 1 or 9 have an even last but one digit.

### Problem №3

	The figure has an acute angle	some of the sides are equal	At least one of the angles is not $60^\circ$	the number of the figure's equal sides is not two
a square	0	1	1	1
a triangle with three equal sides	1	1	0	1
a triangle with two equal sides	1	1	1	0
an irregular quadrilateral	1	0	1	1

## Problem №4

In order to make the amount of candy in every bag different, first we will place the same amount in every bag and then we will ~~we~~ take candies from one bag and put them in another. When we equalise the amount in the bags, there will be 82 bags with 10 candies inside and 18 with 21. Let's consider it impossible to have a bag inside another bag. Then it will be impossible to have a bag with more than 41 candies, otherwise there will be at least one empty bag. But if 41 is the maximum amount of candy we can have only 41 ~~100~~ bags with different number of candies. Now let's consider it impossible to have a bag inside a bag that is inside another bag. It's impossible to have a ~~small~~ bag with more than 41 candies. If we put a bag inside another bag, the maximum amount of candies we can have in the bigger bag is 81 (it can not be more, because then we will have at least two bags with one piece of candy inside). However, it is still impossible to have 100 bags with different amount of candies if the maximum amount in a bag is 81  $\Rightarrow$  it is impossible not to have a bag inside ~~another~~ bag that is inside another bag.

## Problem №5

y	x	y	x	y	x	y	x	y	x	1000
x	y	x	y	x	y	x	y	x	y	
y	x	y	x	y	x	y	x	y	x	
x	y	x	y	x	y	x	y	x	y	
y	x	y	x	y	x	y	x	y	x	
x	y	x	y	x	y	x	y	x	y	
y	x	y	x	y	x	y	x	y	x	
x	y	x	y	x	y	x	y	x	y	
x	y	x	y	x	y	x	y	x	y	
y	x	y	x	y	x	y	x	y	x	
x	y	x	y	x	y	x	y	2	2	

The minimum sum is 4 and the numbers that are not coloured are 2 and 2. First of all, the uncoloured numbers are neighbours because otherwise, there would be at least one more ~~one~~ ~~one~~ uncoloured number. If the numbers are equal they will definitely not be coloured.

In the table, x represents a number less than the uncoloured ones and y represents a number larger than the uncoloured one. If x is ~~less~~ ~~more~~ larger than the uncoloured numbers, then if it is ~~less~~ less than y, the x and ~~and~~ the uncoloured numbers will also be ~~that~~ ~~neighbours~~ uncoloured. If x is larger than y then the y neighbouring the uncoloured numbers will also be uncoloured. The minimum value of x is  $\Rightarrow$  the minimum value of the uncoloured numbers is two.