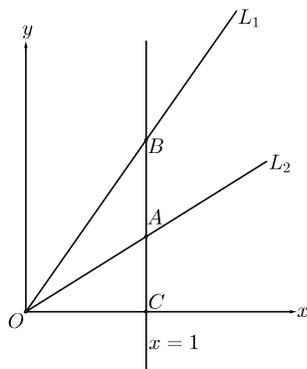


11. Answer: -110 . The formula for the sum S_n of n terms of an arithmetic progression, whose first term is a and whose common difference is d , is $2S_n = n(2a + (n-1)d)$. Therefore,

$$\begin{aligned} 200 &= 10(2a + 9d) \\ 20 &= 100(2a + 99d) \\ 2S_{110} &= 110(2a + 109d) \end{aligned}$$

Subtracting the first equation from the second and dividing by 90 yields $2a + 109d = -2$. Hence, $2S_{110} = 110(-2)$, so $S_{110} = -110$.

12. Answer (C):



In the adjoining figure, L_1 and L_2 intersect the line $x = 1$ at B and A , respectively; C is the intersection of the line $x = 1$ with the x -axis. Since $OC = 1$, AC is the slope of L_2 and BC is the slope of L_1 . Therefore, $AC = n$, $BC = m$, and $AB = 3n$. Since OA is an angle bisector

$$\frac{OC}{OB} = \frac{AC}{AB}.$$

This yields $\frac{1}{OB} = \frac{n}{3n}$ and $OB = 3$.

By the Pythagorean theorem $1 + (4n)^2 = 9$, so $n = \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}$. Since $m = 4n$, $mn = 4n^2 = 2$.

OR

Let θ_1 and θ_2 be the angles of inclination of lines L_1 and L_2 , respectively. Then $m = \tan \theta_1$ and $n = \tan \theta_2$. Since $\theta_1 = 2\theta_2$ and $m = 4n$, $4n = m = \tan \theta_1 = \tan 2\theta_2 = \frac{2 \tan \theta_2}{1 - \tan^2 \theta_2} = \frac{2n}{1 - n^2}$. Thus $4n(1 - n^2) = 2n$. Since $n \neq 0$, $2n^2 = 1$, and mn , which equals $4n^2$, is 2.

13. **Answer (B):** If the bug travels indefinitely, the algebraic sum of the horizontal components of its moves approaches $\frac{4}{5}$, the limit of the geometric series

$$1 - \frac{1}{4} + \frac{1}{16} - \cdots = \frac{1}{1 - (-\frac{1}{4})}.$$

Similarly, the algebraic sum of the vertical components of its moves approaches $\frac{2}{5} = \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{8} + \frac{1}{32} - \cdots$. Therefore, the bug will get arbitrarily close to $(\frac{4}{5}, \frac{2}{5})$.

OR

The line segments may be regarded as a complex geometric sequence with $a_1 = 1$ and $r = \frac{i}{2}$. Thus

$$\sum_{i=1}^{\infty} a_i = \frac{a_1}{1-r} = \frac{2}{2-i} = \frac{4+2i}{5}.$$

In coordinate language, the limit is the point $(\frac{4}{5}, \frac{2}{5})$.

14. Answer: -3 . For all $x \neq -\frac{3}{2}$,

$$x = f(f(x)) = \frac{c\left(\frac{cx}{2x+3}\right)}{2\left(\frac{cx}{2x+3}\right) + 3} = \frac{c^2x}{2cx + 6x + 9},$$

which implies $(2c+6)x + (9-c^2) = 0$. Therefore, $2c+6=0$ and $9-c^2=0$. Thus, $c = -3$.

15. **Answer (B):** Let m be the price of the item in cents. Then $(1.04)m = 100n$. Thus $(8)(13)m = (100)^2n$, so $m = (2)(5)^4 \frac{n}{13}$. Thus m is an integer if and only if 13 divides n .

16. **Answer (B):** The edges of the tetrahedron are face diagonals of the cube. Therefore, if s is the length of an edge of the cube, the area of each face of the tetrahedron is

$$\frac{(s\sqrt{2})^2\sqrt{3}}{4} = \frac{s^2\sqrt{3}}{2},$$

and the desired ratio is

$$\frac{6s^2}{4\left(\frac{s^2\sqrt{3}}{2}\right)} = \sqrt{3}.$$

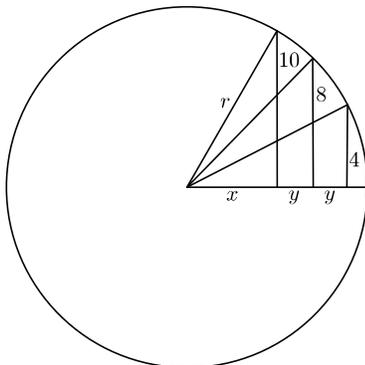
17. Answer: 3. Since $i^2 = -1$,

$$(n+i)^4 = n^4 - 6n^2 + 1 + i(4n^3 - 4n).$$

This is real if and only if $4n^3 - 4n = 0$. Since $4n(n^2 - 1) = 0$ if and only if $n = 0, 1, -1$, there are only three values of n for which $(n+i)^4$ is real; $(n+i)^4$ is an integer in all three cases.

18. **Answer (D):** $\log_b \sin x = a$; $\sin x = b^a$;
 $\sin^2 x = b^{2a}$; $\cos x = (1 - b^{2a})^{\frac{1}{2}}$;
 $\log_b \cos x = \frac{1}{2} \log_b(1 - b^{2a})$.

19. **Answer (D):**



The adjoining figure is constructed from the given data. We let r be the radius, x the distance from the center of the circle to the closest chord, and y the common distance between the chords. The Pythagorean theorem provides three equations in r , x , and y :

$$\begin{aligned} r^2 &= x^2 + 10^2 \\ r^2 &= (x + y)^2 + 8^2 \\ r^2 &= (x + 2y)^2 + 4^2. \end{aligned}$$

Subtracting the first equation from the second yields $0 = 2xy + y^2 - 36$, and subtracting the second equation from the third yields $0 = 2xy + 3y^2 - 48$. Equating the right sides of these last two equations and collecting like terms yields $2y^2 = 12$. Thus, $y = \sqrt{6}$; and by repeated substitutions into the equations above, $r = \frac{5\sqrt{22}}{2}$.

20. **Answer (C):** The number of ways of choosing 6 coins from 12 is $\binom{12}{6} = 924$. “Having at least 50 cents” will occur if one of the following cases occurs:

- (1) Six dimes are drawn.
- (2) Five dimes and any other coin are drawn.
- (3) Four dimes and two nickels are drawn.

The number of ways (1), (2), and (3) can occur are $\binom{6}{6}$, $\binom{6}{5}\binom{6}{1}$ and $\binom{6}{4}\binom{4}{2}$, respectively. The desired probability is, therefore,

$$\frac{\binom{6}{6} + \binom{6}{4}\binom{4}{2} + \binom{6}{5}\binom{6}{1}}{924} = \frac{127}{924}.$$