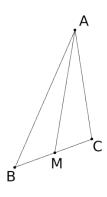


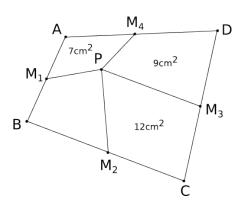
## MATHEMATICS ENRICHMENT CLUB. Problem Sheet 10, July 31, 2017

- 1. How many ways can we change \$1.00 into coins of 5, 10, 20 and/or 50 cents?
  - (a) 46

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- (b) 47
- (c) 48
- (d) 49
- (e) 50.
- 2. Ten darts are thrown onto a square dart board which is 3m by 3m. Prove that at least two of the darts land within  $\sqrt{2}$ m of each other.
- 3. (a) Let ABC be a triangle and M the middle point in the segment BC. We divide the triangle in two ABM and AMC, as represented in the picture of the left. If the area of ABM is  $4cm^2$ , what is the area of AMC?
  - (b) Consider a cuadrilateral ABCD and dived it into four pieces by uniting the middle point of each side with a common point P (as represented in the left picture). If three of the pieces have size  $7cm^2$ ,  $9cm^2$  and  $12cm^2$ , what is the size of the last piece?





- 4. (a) Show that both 29 and 37 can be written as the sum of two squares, but that 30 and 31 cannot.
  - (b) Show that  $(a^2 + b^2)(c^2 + d^2) = (ac bd)^2 + (ad + bc)^2$ .
  - (c) Use the previous formula to show how to write  $1073 = 29 \times 37$  as the sum of two squares. In how many ways can 1073 be written as the sum of two squares?
- 5. Consider the numbers  $1, 2, \ldots, 1000$ . Show that among any 501 of them, two numbers exist such that one divides the other one.

## **Senior Questions**

Imagine we have two regular dice (6-sided dice with numbers 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6 on its sides). If we roll them together and sum up the obtained values we will have a number between 2 and 12.

- 1. In how many ways can we obtain the number 4? What is the number that can be obtained in more different ways?
- 2. Is it possible to find two 6-sided dice B, C with the following property: for any integer k, the number of ways that rolling B and C together and summing them yields k is the same as the number of ways to obtain k when rolling two standard 6-sided dice together?

Note: only positive integers on the sides of B and C are allowed.

3. Is the previous construction unique?