## IM1 Problem Set 2 - Daily Tasks

| Task 1 | Task 2 | DC |
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| Put solutions to problems from the <br> previous Problem Set on the board | Discuss all problems and come to a consensus. Record solutions in <br> your notebooks and present solutions. | DC |

## Problem Set 2

| 2.1 | Emerson buys a pair of jeans that cost $\$ 35$. Sales tax is $7 \%$. Any of the following methods could be used to calculate the total cost of the jeans: <br> - multiply $\$ 35$ by 0.07 , and add $\$ 35$ to the result <br> - multiply $\$ 35$ by 1.07 <br> - use the formula total $=$ original $(1+$ tax rate $)$ <br> Explain why all of these methods yield the same result. Note: just making the calculations is not enough of an explanation. |
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| 2.2 | Order the following from least to greatest. You should not need a calculator for this exercise. $\left(\frac{2}{3}\right)\left(-\frac{5}{4}\right), \frac{2}{3}+\frac{-5}{4}, \frac{2}{3}-\frac{-5}{4}, \frac{2}{3} \div \frac{-5}{4}$ |
| 2.3 | Here is the list of ingredients for a recipe to make chocolate chip cookies: <br> $1 / 2$ cup butter <br> $3 / 4$ cup packed dark brown sugar <br> $3 / 4$ cup sugar <br> 2 large eggs <br> 1 teaspoon pure vanilla extract <br> 1, 12-oz bag semi-sweet chocolate chips <br> $21 / 4$ cups all-purpose flour <br> $3 / 4$ teaspoon baking soda <br> 1 teaspoon fine salt <br> This recipe makes 30 cookies. Adjust the recipe so it makes 100 cookies. Then adjust the recipe so it makes 20 cookies. |
| 2.4 | Solve each of the following for $x$. Describe each step as if you were explaining to another student how to solve the equation. <br> a. $4 x+3=28$ <br> b. $4(x+3)=28$ |
| 2.5 | You have $\$ 420$, which is $3 / 4$ as much as Hayden has. <br> a. Determine how much money Hayden has. <br> b. Explain why the equation $\frac{3}{4} x=420$ could be used to solve part (a). <br> c. Relate these to the graph of $y=\frac{3 x}{4}-420$. |


| 2.6 | Using this data set from PS 01, make a box-and-whisker plot of the data. Be sure to clearly label <br> minimum, first quartile, median, third quartile, and maximum. <br> $25,23,27,27,30,31,30,24,26,24,29,28,58,24,27,30,27,28,25,27$ |
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| $\mathbf{2 . 7}$ | Given the following expressions, determine which of the following is (i) the greatest if $x=-4$ and (ii) <br> which is the least if $x=\frac{5}{2}$. |
| $\mathbf{2 . 8}$ | $\frac{4}{x}, 2-x, x+5,-2(x+5)$ |
| $\mathbf{2 . 9}$ | Yisney World opened on October 1, 1971. How many days before your birthday this year was that? <br> the details of the arrangement you used. Determine the volume of the 3D solid you made by these 36 <br> cubes as well as the surface area of the arrangement you created. |
| Challenge | How long would it take you to count to one billion, reciting the numbers one after another? First, write a <br> guess into your notebook, then come up with a thoughtful answer. One approach is to actually do it and <br> have someone time you, but there are more manageable alternatives. What assumptions did you make in <br> your calculations? |

