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24 – Letter Sums

Please go through each slide stopping until you have understood the concept described

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The numbers you can use are 0,1,2,3,6,7 or 9.

You may not use 4,5 or 8



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The solution is:

Remember, if the units add up to more than 10 then 1 is carried forward to the ten's column.

$S + F = SW$ ∴ S must be 1

(Remember ∴ means Therefore)

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W must be 0 or 1 because, if there was 1 to carry forward to the hundreds column then W would be 1

But S is already 1 so W cannot be 1. $\therefore W=0$. And F=8 or 9 but 8 is not allowed.

$\therefore F=9$

Also there is no 10 to carry forward from the ten's column.

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$N+N = M$ so M is an even number.

If $N=2$ then $M=4$ which is not allowed because 4 is not to be used.

If $N=3$ then $M=6$.

If $N=4$ then $M=8$ which is not allowed because 4 and 8 are not to be used.

N cannot be 5.

If $N=6$ then $M=2$,

If $N=7$ then $M=4$ which is not allowed.

If $N=9$ then $M=8$ which is not allowed.

\therefore N can only be 3 or 6, and M can only be 6 or 2

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$U+U = I$ but there may be 10 to carry forward from the unit's column.

If $U=2$ then $I=4$ or 5 which is not allowed. So U cannot be 2

If $U=3$ then $I=6$ or 7 .

If $U>4$ there is ten to carry forward which is not allowed,

$\therefore U$ is 2 or 3 and I is 5 or 7 but 5 is not allowed.

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N can only be 3 or 6, and M can only be 6 or 2
U is 2 or 3 and I is 5 or 7

Try N=3.

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the I is the letter.

If U=2 then I=4 not allowed

But U cannot be 3 if N is 3

So N cannot be 3

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N can only be 3 or 6, and M can only be 6 or 2
U is 2 or 3 and I is 5 or 7

Try N=6.

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SWIM 10I2 the I is the letter.

U cannot also be 2 because M would be 2

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Numbers not yet used are 0,2,3,6,7

N can only be 3 or 6, and M can only be 6 or 2
U is 2 or 3 and I is 5 or 7

Try U=3

I = 7 because there is 10 carried forward
from the unit's column.

So S=1, F=9, U=3, I=7, N=6 and W=0

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The XXX Question

Here each X can be any number from 0 to 9

$$\text{XXXXXX} \div \text{XXX} = 7\text{XX}$$

It helps if you rewrite the equation as

$$\begin{array}{r} 7\text{XX} \\ \text{XXX} \overline{) \text{XXXXXX}} \\ \underline{\text{XXX}} \\ 7\text{XX} \\ \underline{\text{XXX}} \\ \text{No} \\ \text{Remainder} \end{array}$$

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The XXX Question

$$XXXXXX \div XXX = 7XX$$

The first digit of the divisor XXX must be 1

\therefore XXXXXX is 1XXXXX and $7 \times 1XX = 9XX$

$$\begin{array}{r} 7XX \\ 1XX \overline{) 1XXXXX} \\ \underline{1XXXXX} \\ 0 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 9XX \\ \underline{7XX} \\ XXX \\ \underline{XXX} \\ 0 \end{array}$$

No
Remainder

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The XXX Question

$$XXXXXX \div XXX = 7XX$$

Using $7 \times 1XX = 9XX - 7$ (the 7 left over)

9XX must be more than 990

So 1XX must be 142 and $7 \times 1XX = 994$

because $7 \times 143 = 1001$ which is too large

and $7 \times 141 = 987$ which is too small

$$\begin{array}{r} 7XX \\ 142 \overline{) 1XXXXX} \\ \underline{994} \\ 7XX \\ \underline{XXX} \\ \text{No} \\ \text{Remainder} \end{array}$$

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The XXX Question

$$XXXXXX \div XXX = 7XX$$

Now 4 from 11 = 7 and •• 1XXX is 1001

$$\begin{array}{r} 7XX \\ 142 \overline{) 1001XX} \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 994 \\ \hline 7XX \\ XXX \\ \hline \text{No} \\ \text{Remainder} \end{array}$$

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The XXX Question

$$XXXXXX \div XXX = 7XX$$

We now need a number X where $X \times 142$ is greater than 700

The only X that works is $5 \times 142 = 710$

$5 \times 142 = 700$ because $6 \times 142 = 852$

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$$\begin{array}{r} 705 \\ 142 \overline{) 1001710} \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 994 \\ \hline 710 \\ 710 \\ \hline \text{No} \\ \text{Remainder} \end{array}$$

What is
 $\sin Q \div \cos Q ?$

Tan Q

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