The New Year Challenge – Dr. Hari Kishan

Your goal is to form expressions for all the positive integers from 1 to 100 using in order the four digits of the New Year and the operations addition, subtraction, multiplication, division, square root, exponentiation, factorial, and the greatest integer function. Parentheses may also be used.

$$1 = (2 + 0!) \times 2 - 5$$

$$24 = -2 + 0! + 25$$

$$2 = -(2 + 0!) + 5$$
 $25 = (2 + 0! + 2) \times 5$

$$3 = 2 \times 0 - 2 + 5$$
 $26 = 2 - 0! + 25$

$$4 = (2+0!)^2 - 5$$
 27 = 20+2+5

$$5 = 2 \times 0 \times 2 + 5$$
 $28 = 2 + 0! + 25$

$$6 = 2 + 0! - 2 + 5$$
 $29 = (2 + 0 + 2)! + 5$

$$7 = 2 \times 0 + 2 + 5$$
 $30 = (2 + 0!) \times 2 \times 5$

$$8 = 2^0 + 2 + 5$$

$$31 = -2^0 + 2^5$$

$$9 = 2^{0!} + 2 + 5 32 = 2 \times 0 + 2^5$$

10 =
$$2 \times 0 + 2 \times 5$$
, $2 + 0! + 2 + 5$ 33 = $2^0 + 2^5$

$$11 = 2^{0} + 2 \times 5$$

$$34 = 2^{0!} + 2^{5}$$

$$13 = 2^{(0!+2)} + 5$$

$$36 = \left[\sqrt{20}\right] + 2^{5}$$

$$14 = (2+0!)^2 + 5$$
 37 = $[20 \times 2 - \sqrt{5}]$

$$15 = (2^{0} + 2) \times 5$$

$$38 = (2 + 0!)! + 2^{5}$$

16 =
$$(2 + 0!)! + 2 \times 5$$
 39 = $20 \times 2 - \left[\sqrt{\sqrt{5}}\right]$

$$17 = 2 + (2 + 0!) \times 5$$

$$40 = 2^{(0!+2)} \times 5$$

$$18 = 20 - \left[\sqrt{2+5}\right] \qquad \qquad 41 = \left((2+0!)!\right)^2 + 5$$

$$19 = (2+0+2)! - 5$$

$$42 = 20 \times 2 + \sqrt{5}$$

$$20 = (2+0+2) \times 5$$

$$43 = \left[\sqrt{20}\right]! \times 2 - 5$$

$$21 = 20 - \sqrt{2} + \sqrt{5}$$

$$44 = -\left[\sqrt{((2+0!)!)!}\right] + \left[\sqrt{(2+5)!}\right]$$

$$22 = -2 - 0! + 25$$

$$45 = 20 \times 2 + 5$$

$$23 = 20-2+5$$

$$46 = [\sqrt{20}]! \times 2 - [\sqrt{5}]$$

$$47 = \left[\sqrt{20}\right]! \times 2 - \left[\sqrt{\sqrt{5}}\right]$$

$$48 = 2 \times (0! - 2 + 5)!$$

$$49 = \left[\sqrt{20}\right]! + 25$$

$$50 = (2+0) \times 25.$$