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Two series of winning papers of Hang Lung Mathematics Awards (HLMA) had been published in the past years. The collections have been welcomed by schools and the society because people can see how dedicated high school students can commit when they are motivated. Moreover, the advanced research work and careful writing also surprised the community. With the generous donation from Hang Lung Properties, we continue to compile the winning papers of 2018 HLMA. It is hoped that future issues may reach the society and bring forth the positive impact on education sooner.

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