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# Mathematics A

**Level 1/2  
Paper 2HR**



**Higher Tier**

Thursday 7 June 2018 – Morning  
**Time: 2 hours**

Paper Reference

**4MA1/2HR**

**You must have:**

Ruler graduated in centimetres and millimetres, protractor, compasses, pen, HB pencil, eraser, calculator. Tracing paper may be used.

Total Marks

## Instructions

- Use **black** ink or ball-point pen.
- **Fill in the boxes** at the top of this page with your name, centre number and candidate number.
- Answer **all** questions.
- Without sufficient working, correct answers may be awarded no marks.
- Answer the questions in the spaces provided  
– *there may be more space than you need.*
- **Calculators may be used.**
- You must **NOT** write anything on the formulae page.  
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## Information

- The total mark for this paper is 100.
- The marks for **each** question are shown in brackets  
– *use this as a guide as to how much time to spend on each question.*

## Advice

- Read each question carefully before you start to answer it.
- Check your answers if you have time at the end.

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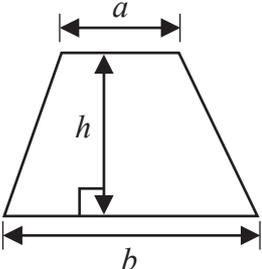
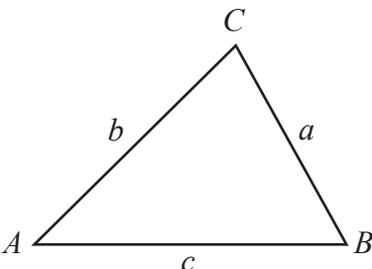
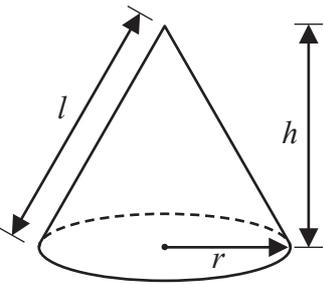
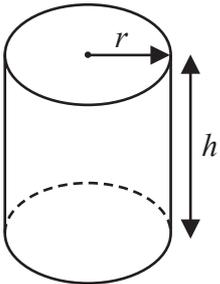
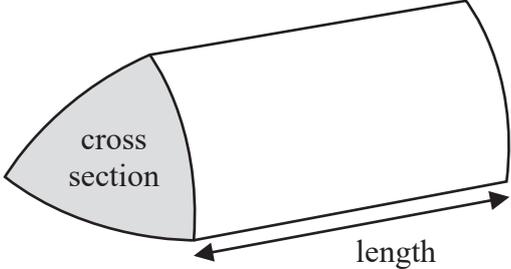
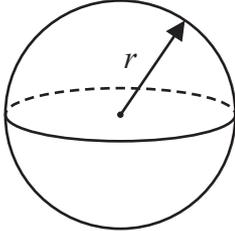
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# International GCSE Mathematics

## Formulae sheet – Higher Tier

<p><b>Arithmetic series</b></p> <p>Sum to <math>n</math> terms, <math>S_n = \frac{n}{2} [2a + (n - 1)d]</math></p>	<p><b>Area of trapezium</b> = <math>\frac{1}{2}(a + b)h</math></p> <div style="text-align: center;">  </div>
<p><b>The quadratic equation</b></p> <p>The solutions of <math>ax^2 + bx + c = 0</math> where <math>a \neq 0</math> are given by:</p> $x = \frac{-b \pm \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a}$	<p><b>In any triangle <math>ABC</math></b></p> <p><b>Sine Rule</b> <math>\frac{a}{\sin A} = \frac{b}{\sin B} = \frac{c}{\sin C}</math></p> <p><b>Cosine Rule</b> <math>a^2 = b^2 + c^2 - 2bc \cos A</math></p> <p><b>Area of triangle</b> = <math>\frac{1}{2} ab \sin C</math></p>
<p><b>Trigonometry</b></p> <div style="text-align: center;">  </div>	<p><b>Volume of cone</b> = <math>\frac{1}{3} \pi r^2 h</math></p> <p><b>Curved surface area of cone</b> = <math>\pi r l</math></p> <div style="text-align: center;">  </div>
<p><b>Volume of cylinder</b> = <math>\pi r^2 h</math></p> <p><b>Curved surface area of cylinder</b> = <math>2\pi r h</math></p> <div style="text-align: center;">  </div>	<p><b>Volume of prism</b> = area of cross section <math>\times</math> length</p> <div style="text-align: center;">  </div> <p><b>Volume of sphere</b> = <math>\frac{4}{3} \pi r^3</math></p> <p><b>Surface area of sphere</b> = <math>4\pi r^2</math></p> <div style="text-align: center;">  </div>

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Answer ALL TWENTY FOUR questions.

Write your answers in the spaces provided.

You must write down all the stages in your working.

- 1  $x$ , 10 and  $y$  are three integers written in order of size, starting with the smallest integer.

The mean of  $x$ , 10 and  $y$  is 11

The range of  $x$ , 10 and  $y$  is 7

Work out the value of  $x$  and the value of  $y$ .

$$y - x = 7 \rightarrow \textcircled{1}$$

$$\frac{x + 10 + y}{3} = 11$$

$$x + y = 23 \rightarrow \textcircled{2}$$

by adding  $\textcircled{1}$  &  $\textcircled{2}$

$$2y = 30$$

$$y = 15$$

$$x = 8$$

$$x = \dots\dots\dots 8$$
$$y = \dots\dots\dots 15$$

(Total for Question 1 is 2 marks)

$$\text{pressure} = \frac{\text{force}}{\text{area}}$$

- 2 A box is put on a table.

The face of the box in contact with the table is in the shape of a rectangle, 2 m by 1.25 m.

The pressure on the table due to the box is 42 newtons/m<sup>2</sup>

Work out the force exerted by the box on the table.

$$42 = \frac{\text{Force}}{2 \times 1.25}$$

$$\text{Force} = 42 \times 2 \times 1.25$$

$$\text{Force} = 105$$

$$\dots\dots\dots 105 \dots\dots\dots \text{ newtons}$$

(Total for Question 2 is 3 marks)



3 Behnaz makes candles.

She has 6.3 kilograms of wax and uses it all to make candles.  
Each candle Behnaz makes uses 210 grams of wax.

Behnaz sells  $\frac{2}{5}$  of the candles for \$13 each.

She then reduces this price by 20% and sells the rest of the candles.

Work out the total amount of money Behnaz gets by selling all the candles she made.

$$6.3 \text{ kg} = 6300 \text{ grams.}$$

$$\text{No. of candles} = \frac{6300}{210} = 30 \text{ Candles.}$$

$$\frac{2}{5} \times 30 = 12 \text{ candles.}$$

$$\text{cost of 12 candles} = 12 \times 13 = \$156$$

$$\text{reduced price} = 0.8 \times \$13 = \$10.4$$

$$\text{cost of 18 candles} = 18 \times 10.4 = \$187.2$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Total selling amount} &= \$156 + \$187.2 \\ &= \$343.2 \end{aligned}$$

\$ 343.2

(Total for Question 3 is 4 marks)



4 (a) Expand and simplify  $3(c - 7) + 2(3c + 4)$

$$3c - 21 + 6c + 8$$

$$9c - 13$$

(2)

(b) Expand and simplify  $(x + 7)(x - 2)$

$$x^2 - 2x + 7x - 14$$

$$x^2 + 5x - 14$$

(2)

(c) Factorise fully  $28y^2 - 21y$

$$7y(4y - 3)$$

(2)

(d) Solve  $\frac{7x - 2}{4} = 3x + 1$

Show clear algebraic working.

$$7x - 2 = 4(3x + 1)$$

$$7x - 2 = 12x + 4$$

$$12x - 7x = -2 - 4$$

$$5x = -6$$

$$x = -\frac{6}{5}$$

$$x = -\frac{6}{5}$$

(3)

(Total for Question 4 is 9 marks)



- 5 Abelle flew by plane from Dubai to Rome.

The flight time was 6 hours 42 minutes.

The average speed of the plane was 650 kilometres per hour.

Work out the distance the plane flew.

$$t = 6 \frac{42}{60} = 6.7 \text{ hours.}$$

$$s = \frac{d}{t}$$

$$d = s \times t$$

$$d = 650 \times 6.7$$

$$d = 4355$$

**4355** kilometres

(Total for Question 5 is 3 marks)

- 6 Hiran invests 20 000 rupees in an account for 3 years at 1.5% per year compound interest.

Work out the total amount of money in the account at the end of 3 years.

Give your answer to the nearest rupee.

$$\text{Total} = P \times \left(1 + \frac{r}{100}\right)^n$$

$$\text{Total} = 20000 \times \left(1 + \frac{1.5}{100}\right)^3$$

$$\text{Total} = 20913.5675$$

**20914** rupees

(Total for Question 6 is 3 marks)



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7 (a) Simplify fully  $\frac{20x^2y^6}{4x^2y^2}$

$$5y^4$$

(2)

(b) Make  $e$  the subject of the formula  $h = 3e + f$

$$3e = h - f$$

$$e = \frac{h - f}{3}$$

(2)

(Total for Question 7 is 4 marks)

8 From point  $A$ , Stanley walks 200 m due east to point  $B$ .  
From  $B$ , he then walks 160 m due south to point  $C$ .

Work out the length of  $AC$ .

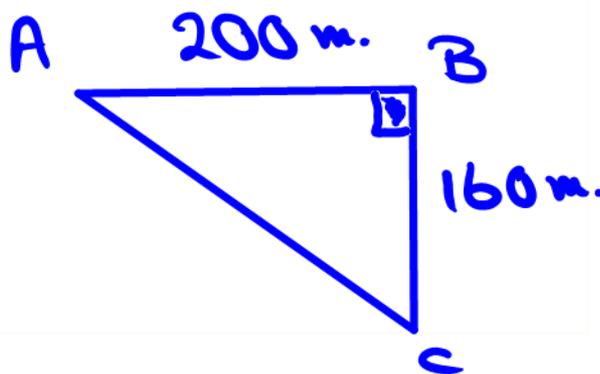
Give your answer correct to 3 significant figures.

$$Ac^2 = AB^2 + Bc^2$$

$$Ac = \sqrt{AB^2 + Bc^2}$$

$$Ac = \sqrt{200^2 + 160^2}$$

$$Ac = 256.12\dots$$



**256**

metres

(Total for Question 8 is 3 marks)



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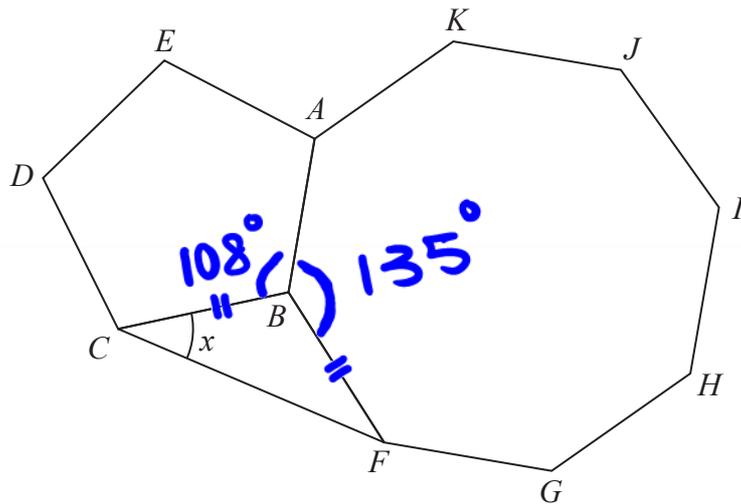


Diagram NOT accurately drawn

The diagram shows a regular pentagon,  $ABCDE$ , a regular octagon,  $ABFGHIJK$ , and an isosceles triangle,  $BCF$ .

Work out the size of angle  $x$ .

For pentagon :-

$$\text{each angle} = \frac{(n-2) \times 180^\circ}{n} = \frac{(5-2) \times 180^\circ}{5} = 108^\circ$$

For octagon :-

$$\text{each angle} = \frac{(8-2) \times 180^\circ}{8} = 135^\circ$$

In  $\triangle BCF$ :

$$\text{angle } \angle CBF = 360^\circ - (108^\circ + 135^\circ) = 117^\circ$$

$$\text{angle } x = \frac{180^\circ - 117^\circ}{2} = 31.5^\circ$$

.....  $31.5^\circ$

(Total for Question 9 is 4 marks)



10  $ABCD$  is a trapezium.

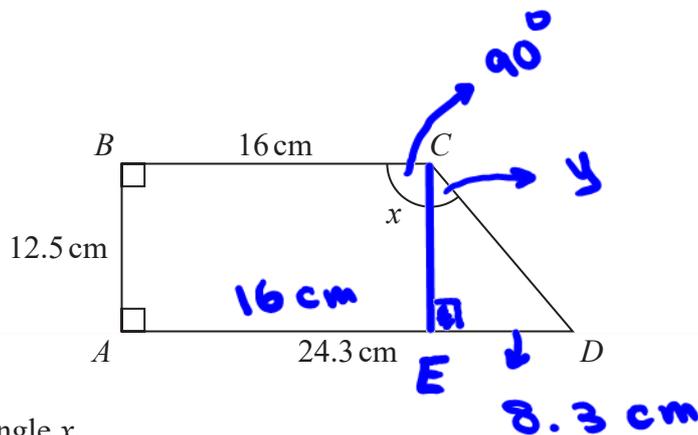


Diagram NOT accurately drawn

Work out the size of angle  $x$ .  
Give your answer correct to 1 decimal place.

Draw  $CE \perp AD$

$$ED = 24.3 - 16 = 8.3 \text{ cm.}$$

In  $\triangle CED$ ,  $\angle DCE = y$ ,  $CE = 12.5 \text{ cm}$ .

$$\tan y = \frac{\text{opp.}}{\text{Adj.}} = \frac{8.3}{12.5}$$

$$y = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{8.3}{12.5}\right) = 33.584 \dots$$

$$x = 90^\circ + 33.584 \dots = 123.584 \dots$$

**123.6**

(Total for Question 10 is 4 marks)



- 11 The table shows information about the amount of money spent on holiday by each of 120 families.

Money spent (£ $m$ )	Frequency
$0 < m \leq 100$	10
$100 < m \leq 200$	36
$200 < m \leq 300$	34
$300 < m \leq 400$	20
$400 < m \leq 500$	15
$500 < m \leq 600$	5

- (a) Write down the modal class.

$100 < m \leq 200$   
(1)

- (b) Complete the cumulative frequency table for the information in the table.

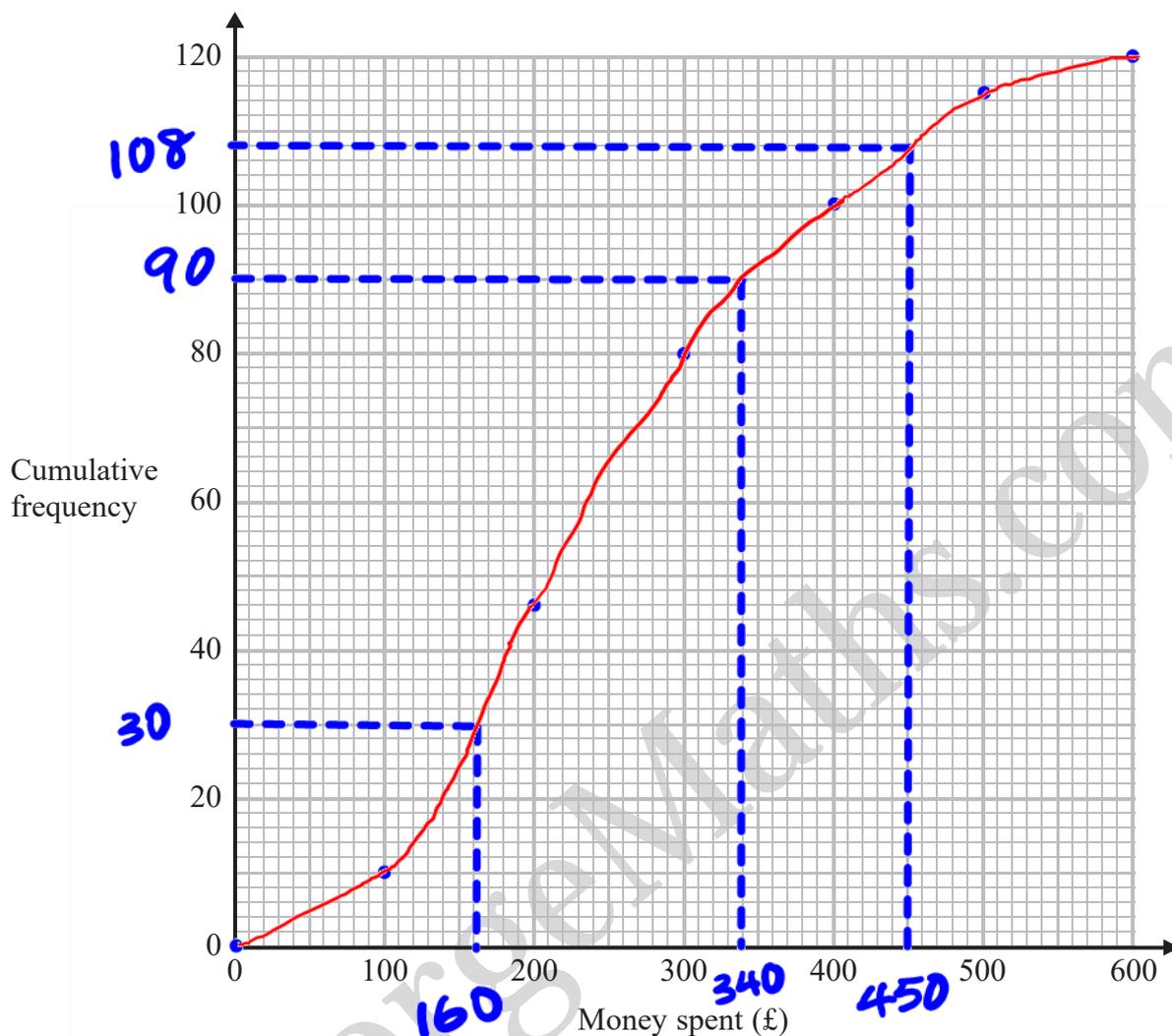
Money spent (£ $m$ )	Cumulative frequency
$0 < m \leq 100$	10
$0 < m \leq 200$	46
$0 < m \leq 300$	80
$0 < m \leq 400$	100
$0 < m \leq 500$	115
$0 < m \leq 600$	120

(1)



(c) On the grid, draw a cumulative frequency graph for your table.

(2)



(d) Use your graph to find an estimate for the interquartile range.

From graph:-

$$UQR = \frac{3}{4} \times 120 = 90 \quad \longrightarrow \quad UQR = 340$$

$$LQR = \frac{1}{4} \times 120 = 30 \quad \longrightarrow \quad LQR = 160$$

$$IQR = 340 - 160 = 180$$

£ 180

(2)

(e) Use your graph to find an estimate for the number of families that spent more than £450 on holiday.

From graph:-

$$120 - 108 = 12$$

12 Families

(2)

(Total for Question 11 is 8 marks)



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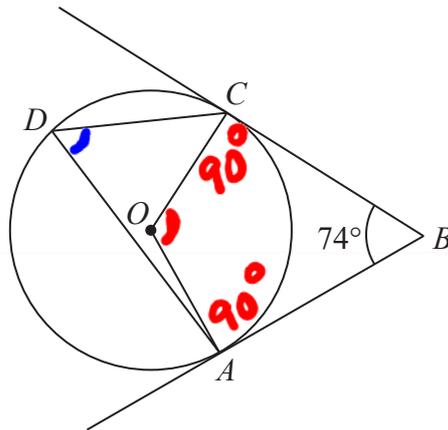


Diagram NOT  
accurately drawn

$A$ ,  $C$  and  $D$  are points on a circle, centre  $O$ .  
 $AB$  and  $CB$  are tangents to the circle.

Angle  $ABC = 74^\circ$

Work out the size of angle  $ADC$ .  
Show your working clearly.

$OCB = OAB = 90^\circ$  "angle between radius  
and tangent is  $90^\circ$ "

$\angle COA = 360^\circ - (90^\circ + 90^\circ + 74^\circ) = 106^\circ$   
"sum of angles in any quadrilateral is  $360^\circ$ "

Angle  $ADC = \frac{106^\circ}{2} = 53^\circ$

"Angle at the circumference is half the measure  
of the angle at the centre".

**53°**

(Total for Question 12 is 3 marks)



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13 The straight line  $L_1$  has equation  $y = 6 - 2x$   
 The straight line  $L_2$  is perpendicular to  $L_1$  and passes through the point  $(4, 7)$  on  $x$ -axis  
 $y = 0$   
 Find the coordinates of the point where the line  $L_2$  crosses the  $x$ -axis.

$L_1 \rightarrow y = -2x + 6 \rightarrow m_1 = -2.$

$L_2 \perp L_1 \rightarrow m_2 = \frac{1}{2}$

Line  $L_2$  has gradient  $\frac{1}{2}$  and passing through  $(4, 7)$ .

Eq. of  $L_2$  :  
 $y = mx + c$   
 $y = \frac{1}{2}x + c$   
 $7 = \frac{1}{2}(4) + c$

$7 = 2 + c$	$\frac{1}{2}x = -5$
$c = 5$	$x = -10$
$y = \frac{1}{2}x + 5$	
$0 = \frac{1}{2}x + 5$	

(-10, 0)

(Total for Question 13 is 4 marks)

14  $128 = 4^{2x} \times 2^x$

Work out the value of  $x$ .

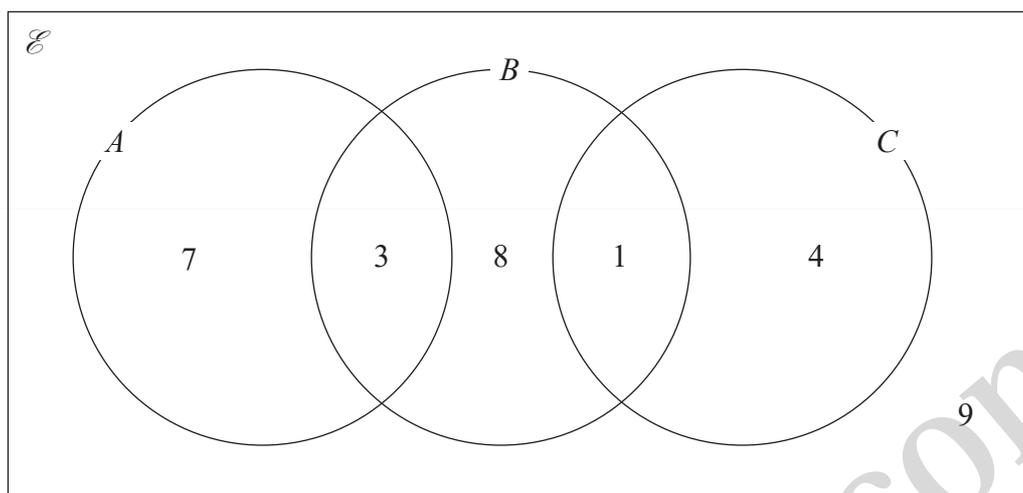
$128 = 2^7, \quad 4 = 2^2$   
 $2^7 = (2^2)^{2x} \times 2^x$   
 $2^7 = 2^{4x} \times 2^x$   
 $2^7 = 2^{5x}$   
 $5x = 7 \rightarrow x = \frac{7}{5}$

$x = \frac{7}{5}$

(Total for Question 14 is 3 marks)



15 The Venn diagram shows a universal set,  $\mathcal{E}$ , and sets  $A$ ,  $B$  and  $C$ .



7, 3, 8, 1, 4 and 9 represent the **numbers** of elements.

Find

(i)  $n(A \cup B)$

$$7 + 3 + 8 + 1 = 19$$

19

(ii)  $n(A' \cap C)$

5

(iii)  $n(A' \cup B') = (A \cap B)'$

$$7 + 8 + 1 + 4 + 9 = 29$$

29

(Total for Question 15 is 3 marks)

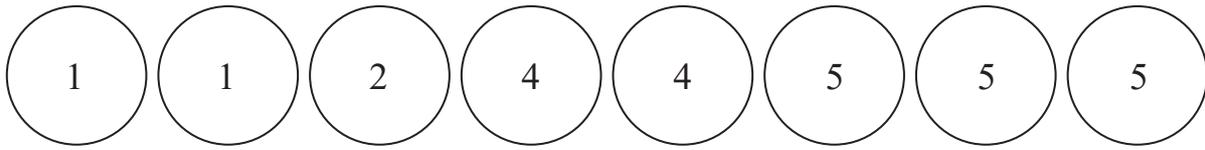
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- 16 There are 8 counters in a bag.  
There is a number on each counter.



Fiona takes at random **three** of the counters.  
She adds the numbers on the **three** counters to get her total.

even : E

Work out the probability that her total is an odd number.

odd : O

$$\text{even} + \text{even} + \text{odd} = \text{odd}$$

or:

$$\text{odd} + \text{odd} + \text{odd} = \text{odd}$$

$$P(E \& E \& O) \times 3 + P(O \& O \& O)$$

$$\left( \frac{3}{8} \times \frac{2}{7} \times \frac{5}{6} \times 3 \right) + \left( \frac{5}{8} \times \frac{4}{7} \times \frac{3}{6} \right)$$

$$= \frac{15}{56} + \frac{5}{28} = \frac{25}{56}$$

$$\frac{25}{56}$$

(Total for Question 16 is 4 marks)



17 (a) Use algebra to show that  $0.4\dot{3}\dot{6} = \frac{24}{55}$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{let } x &= 0.43636\dots \times 10 \\ 10x &= 4.3636\dots \times 10 \\ 100x &= 43.636\dots \times 10 \\ 1000x &= 436.3636\dots \\ 1000x - 10x &= 436.3636 - 4.3636 \\ 990x &= 432 \\ \hookrightarrow x &= \frac{432}{990} = \frac{24}{55} \end{aligned}$$

(2)

(b) Show that  $\frac{\sqrt{20} + \sqrt{80}}{\sqrt{3}}$  can be expressed in the form  $\sqrt{a}$  where  $a$  is an integer.

Show your working clearly.

$$\begin{aligned} \sqrt{20} &= \sqrt{4 \times 5} = 2\sqrt{5} \\ \sqrt{80} &= \sqrt{16 \times 5} = 4\sqrt{5} \\ \frac{2\sqrt{5} + 4\sqrt{5}}{\sqrt{3}} &= \frac{6\sqrt{5}}{\sqrt{3}} \times \frac{\sqrt{3}}{\sqrt{3}} \\ &= \frac{6\sqrt{15}}{3} \\ &= 2\sqrt{15} = \sqrt{2^2 \times 15} \\ &= \sqrt{60} \end{aligned}$$

Remember:

$$a\sqrt{b} = \sqrt{a^2 b}$$

(3)

(Total for Question 17 is 5 marks)



18 Solve the simultaneous equations

$$2x^2 + 3y^2 = 14$$

$$x = 2y - 3$$

Show clear algebraic working.

substitute  $x = 2y - 3$  in  $2x^2 + 3y^2 = 14$

$$2(2y - 3)^2 + 3y^2 = 14$$

$$2(4y^2 - 12y + 9) + 3y^2 = 14$$

$$8y^2 - 24y + 18 + 3y^2 = 14$$

$$11y^2 - 24y + 18 - 14 = 0$$

$$11y^2 - 24y + 4 = 0$$

$$(11y - 2)(y - 2) = 0$$

$$11y - 2 = 0 \quad | \quad y - 2 = 0$$

$$y = \frac{2}{11}$$

$$y = 2$$

substitute in  $x = 2y - 3$

$$x = 2\left(\frac{2}{11}\right) - 3 \quad | \quad x = 2(2) - 3$$

$$x = -\frac{29}{11}$$

$$x = 1$$

$$x = 1, y = 2 \quad \& \quad x = -\frac{29}{11}, y = \frac{2}{11}$$

(Total for Question 18 is 5 marks)



$$19 \quad a = \frac{p - q}{t}$$

$p = 8.4$  correct to 2 significant figures.

$q = 6.3$  correct to 2 significant figures.

$t = 0.27$  correct to 2 significant figures.

2 s.f. for  $p, q$  &  $t$  is 1 d.p.

$$0.1 \div 2 = 0.05$$

Work out the upper bound for the value of  $a$ .

Show your working clearly.

Give your answer correct to 1 decimal place.

$$P_{UB} = 8.4 + 0.05 = 8.45$$

$$q_{LB} = 6.3 - 0.05 = 6.25$$

$$t_{LB} = 0.27 - 0.05 = 0.265$$

$$a_{UB} = \frac{P_{UB} - q_{LB}}{t_{LB}}$$

$$a = \frac{8.45 - 6.25}{0.265}$$

$$a = 8.3018 \dots$$

8.3

(Total for Question 19 is 3 marks)

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20 Solve the inequality  $4x^2 - 5x - 6 > 0$

$$(4x + 3)(x - 2) > 0$$

$$x = -\frac{3}{4} \quad \& \quad x = 2$$

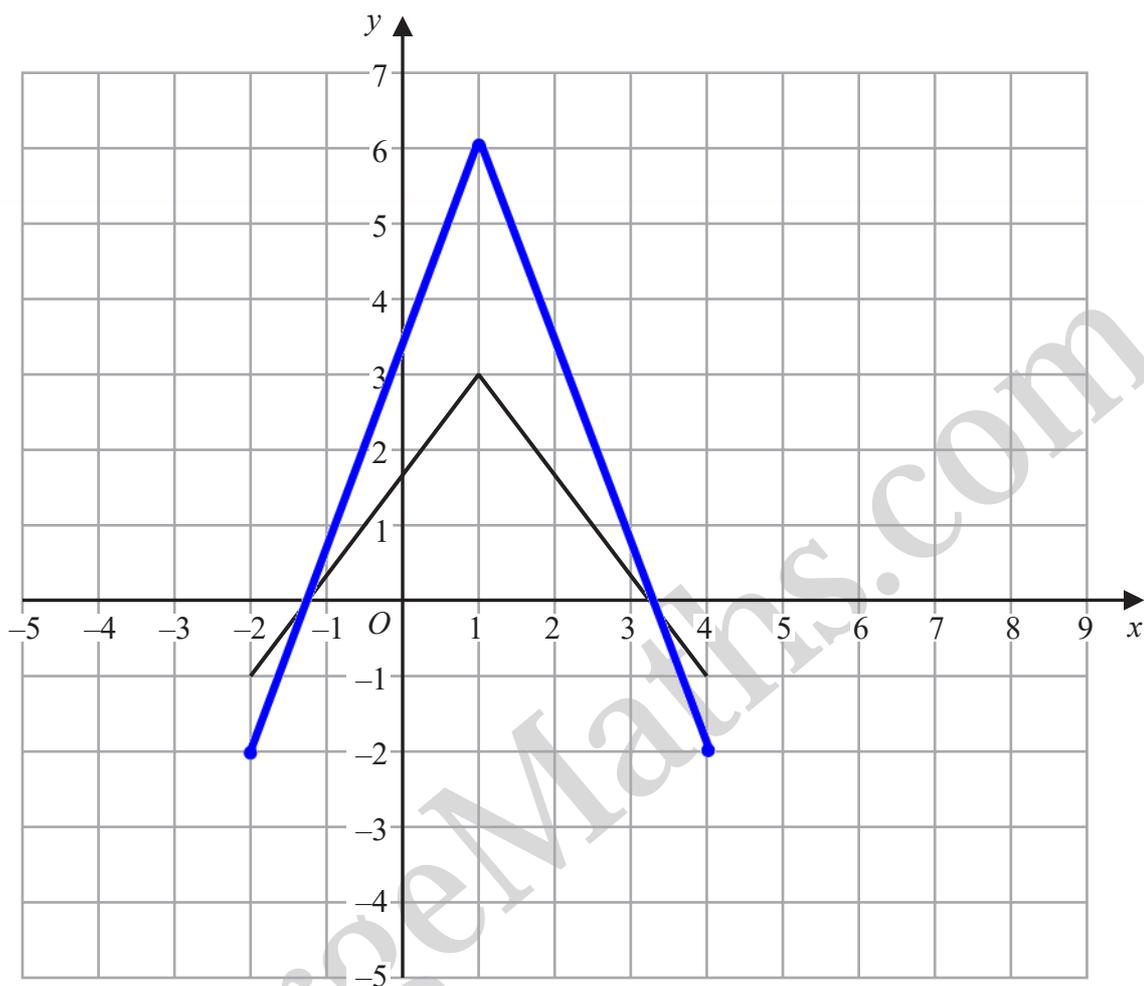
$$x > 2 \quad \& \quad x < -\frac{3}{4}$$

$$x > 2 \quad \& \quad x < -\frac{3}{4}$$

(Total for Question 20 is 4 marks)



21 Here is the graph of  $y = f(x)$



(a) On the grid above, draw the graph of  $y = 2f(x)$

(2)

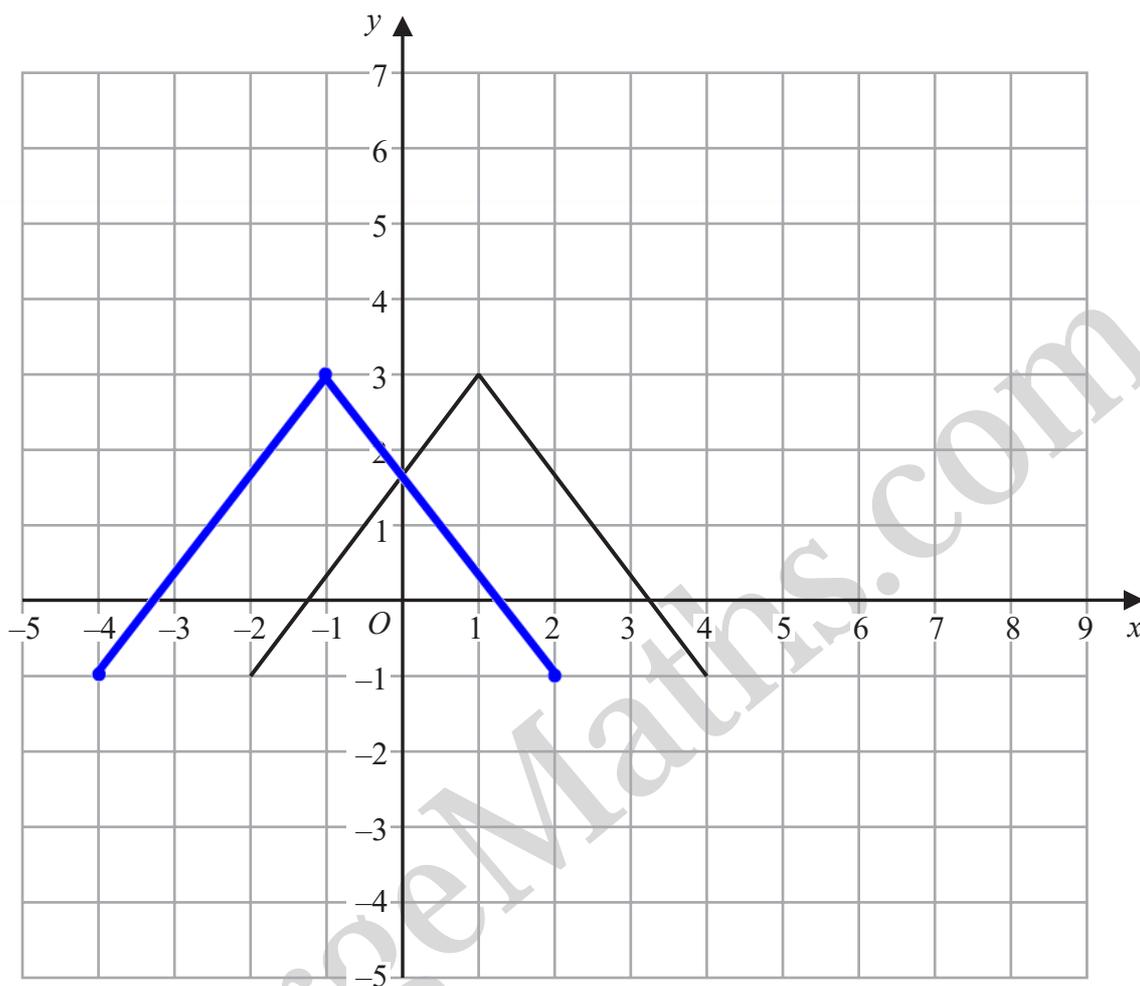
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Here is the graph of  $y = f(x)$



(b) On the grid above, draw the graph of  $y = f(-x)$

(2)

(Total for Question 21 is 4 marks)



22 Express  $\frac{4x^2 - 25}{5x^2 + 2x - 7} \times \left( \frac{2}{x-3} - \frac{3}{2x-5} \right)$  as a single fraction in its simplest form.

$$\frac{(2x-5)(2x+5)}{(5x+7)(x-1)} \times \left( \frac{2(2x-5) - 3(x-3)}{(x-3)(2x-5)} \right)$$

$$\frac{\cancel{(2x-5)}(2x+5)}{(5x+7)(x-1)} \times \frac{4x-10-3x+9}{(x-3)\cancel{(2x-5)}}$$

$$\frac{2x+5}{(5x+7)\cancel{(x-1)}} \times \frac{\cancel{(x-1)}}{(x-3)}$$

$$\frac{2x+5}{(5x+7)(x-3)}$$

$$\frac{2x+5}{(5x+7)(x-3)}$$

(Total for Question 22 is 4 marks)

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23  $OAB$  is a triangle.

$$\vec{OA} = \mathbf{a} \quad \vec{OB} = \mathbf{b}$$

$C$  is the midpoint of  $OA$ .

$D$  is the point on  $AB$  such that  $AD:DB = 3:1$

$E$  is the point such that  $\vec{OB} = 2\vec{BE}$

Using a vector method, prove that the points  $C, D$  and  $E$  lie on the same straight line.

$$\vec{AB} = \vec{AO} + \vec{OB}$$

$$\vec{AB} = -\mathbf{a} + \mathbf{b}$$

$$\text{So, } \vec{AD} = \frac{3}{4} \vec{AB}$$

$$\vec{AD} = \frac{3}{4} (-\mathbf{a} + \mathbf{b})$$

$$\vec{AD} = -\frac{3}{4} \mathbf{a} + \frac{3}{4} \mathbf{b}$$

$$\vec{CD} = \vec{CA} + \vec{AD}$$

$$\vec{CD} = \frac{1}{2} \mathbf{a} - \frac{3}{4} \mathbf{a} + \frac{3}{4} \mathbf{b}$$

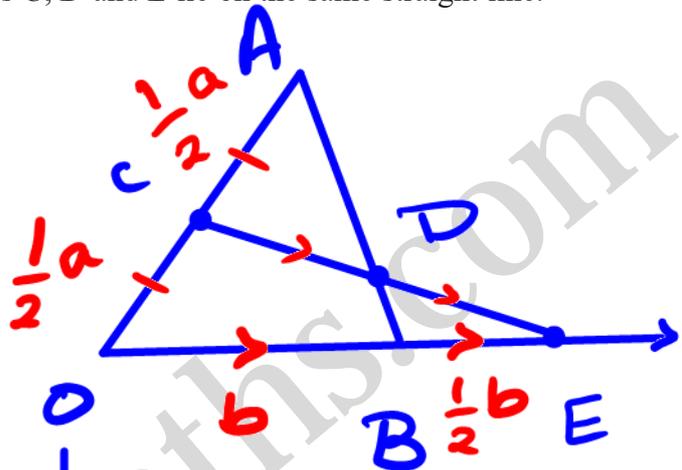
$$\vec{CD} = -\frac{1}{4} \mathbf{a} + \frac{3}{4} \mathbf{b}$$

$$\vec{DB} = \frac{1}{4} \vec{AB}$$

$$\vec{DB} = \frac{1}{4} (-\mathbf{a} + \mathbf{b})$$

$$\vec{DB} = -\frac{1}{4} \mathbf{a} + \frac{1}{4} \mathbf{b}$$

$$\vec{DE} = \vec{DB} + \vec{BE}$$



$$\vec{DE} = -\frac{1}{4} \mathbf{a} + \frac{1}{4} \mathbf{b} + \frac{1}{2} \mathbf{b}$$

$$\vec{DE} = -\frac{1}{4} \mathbf{a} + \frac{3}{4} \mathbf{b}$$

$$\vec{CD} + \vec{DE} =$$

$$-\frac{1}{4} \mathbf{a} + \frac{3}{4} \mathbf{b} - \frac{1}{4} \mathbf{a} + \frac{3}{4} \mathbf{b}$$

$$\vec{CD} + \vec{DE} = -\frac{1}{2} \mathbf{a} + \frac{3}{2} \mathbf{b}$$

$$\vec{CE} = \vec{CO} + \vec{OE}$$

$$\vec{CE} = -\frac{1}{2} \mathbf{a} + \frac{3}{2} \mathbf{b}$$

$$\text{As: } \vec{CD} + \vec{DE} = \vec{CE}$$

Therefore  $C, D$  &  $E$  lie on the same st. line.

(Total for Question 23 is 5 marks)



24 (a) Express  $7 - 4x - x^2$  in the form  $p - (x + q)^2$  where  $p$  and  $q$  are constants.

$$\begin{aligned}
 & -x^2 - 4x + 7 \\
 & - (x^2 + 4x) + 7 \\
 & - [(x+2)^2 - (2)^2] + 7 \\
 & - (x+2)^2 + 4 + 7 \\
 & = - (x+2)^2 + 11
 \end{aligned}$$

(2)

(b) Use your answer to part (a) to solve the equation  $7 - 4(y + 3) - (y + 3)^2 = 0$

Give your solutions in the form  $e \pm \sqrt{f}$  where  $e$  and  $f$  are integers.

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \text{let } y + 3 = x & y = x - 3 \\
 & 11 - (x+2)^2 = 0 & y = -2 \pm \sqrt{11} - 3 \\
 & (x+2)^2 = 11 & y = -5 \pm \sqrt{11} \\
 & x + 2 = \pm \sqrt{11} & \\
 & x = -2 \pm \sqrt{11} & y = -5 \pm \sqrt{11}
 \end{aligned}$$

(3)

The curve  $C$  has equation  $y = 3 - 5(x + 1)^2$   
The point  $A$  is the maximum point on  $C$ .

(c) Write down the coordinates of  $A$ .

$$(-1, 3)$$

(1)

(Total for Question 24 is 6 marks)

TOTAL FOR PAPER IS 100 MARKS

