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# Mathematics Paper 1 (Non-calculator)

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## FORMULAE LIST

The roots of  $ax^2 + bx + c = 0$  are  $x = \frac{-b \pm \sqrt{(b^2 - 4ac)}}{2a}$

Sine rule  $\frac{a}{\sin A} = \frac{b}{\sin B} = \frac{c}{\sin C}$

Cosine rule  $a^2 = b^2 + c^2 - 2bc \cos A$  or  $\cos A = \frac{b^2 + c^2 - a^2}{2bc}$

Area of a triangle  $A = \frac{1}{2}ab \sin C$

Volume of a sphere  $V = \frac{4}{3}\pi r^3$

Volume of a cone  $V = \frac{1}{3}\pi r^2 h$

Volume of a pyramid  $V = \frac{1}{3}Ah$

Standard deviation  $s = \sqrt{\frac{\Sigma(x - \bar{x})^2}{n - 1}}$

or  $s = \sqrt{\frac{\Sigma x^2 - \frac{(\Sigma x)^2}{n}}{n - 1}}$ , where  $n$  is the sample size.



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1. Evaluate  $3\frac{2}{3} - 1\frac{1}{4}$ .

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2. Given that  $f(x) = (x + 3)^2$ , evaluate  $f(7)$ .

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3. Expand and simplify  $(x+1)(x^2-4x+5)$ .

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4. Given  $\mathbf{a} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 4 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}$  and  $\mathbf{b} = \begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ 3 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$ , find the resultant vector  $3\mathbf{a} + \mathbf{b}$ .

Express your answer in component form.

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5. The prices, in pounds (£), of the cameras on display in a shop are listed below.

155    160    190    210    230    240

- (a) Calculate the median and the interquartile range of these prices.

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On a website, a sample of camera prices have a median of £195 and an interquartile range of £73.

- (b) Make two valid comments comparing the **prices** of the cameras in the shop and on the website.

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6. Simplify  $\sqrt{75} - \sqrt{3}$ .

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7. Solve, algebraically, the system of equations

$$2p - 7r = 11$$

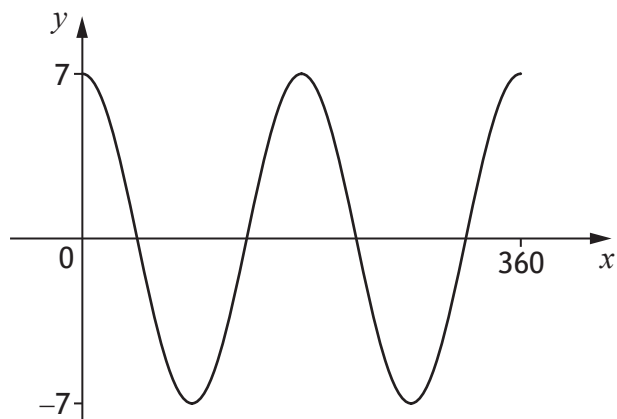
$$3p + 2r = 4$$

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8. The graph of  $y = a \cos bx^\circ$ ,  $0 \leq x \leq 360$ , is shown.



(a) State the value of  $a$ .

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(b) State the value of  $b$ .

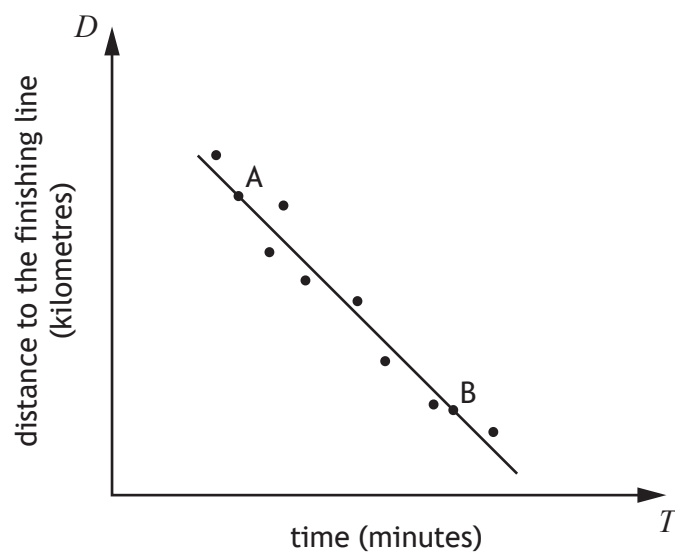
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9. In a car rally, competitors start at different times.

The scattergraph shows the relationship between the length of time they have been driving,  $T$  minutes, and the distance to the finishing line,  $D$  kilometres.



A line of best fit has been drawn.

Point A represents a competitor who has been driving for 3 minutes and is 26 kilometres from the finishing line.

Point B represents a competitor who has been driving for 10 minutes and is 12 kilometres from the finishing line.

- (a) Find the equation of the line of best fit in terms of  $D$  and  $T$ .

Give the equation in its simplest form.

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9. (continued)

Another competitor has been driving for 7 minutes.

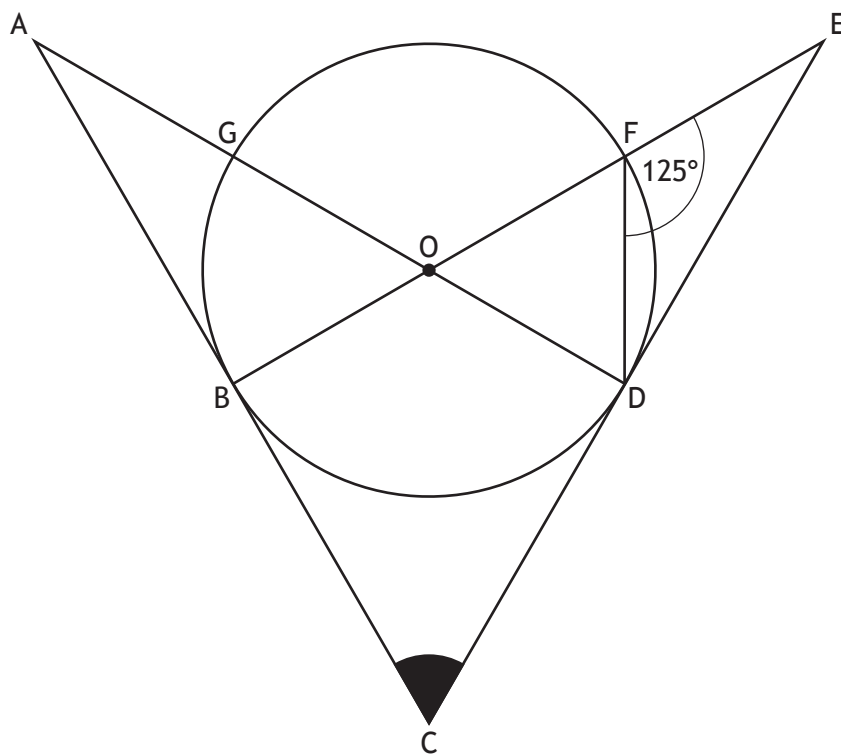
- (b) Use your equation from part (a) to estimate the distance the competitor is from the finishing line.

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10. The diagram below shows a circle centre O.
- AC is a tangent to the circle at the point B.
  - CE is a tangent to the circle at the point D.
  - DG and BF are diameters of the circle.
  - Angle DFE is  $125^\circ$ .



Calculate the size of shaded angle BCD.

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11. A straight line has equation  $x + 4y - 24 = 0$ .  
Find the gradient of this line.

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12. (a) Express  $x^2 - 6x + 8$  in the form  $(x - a)^2 + b$ .

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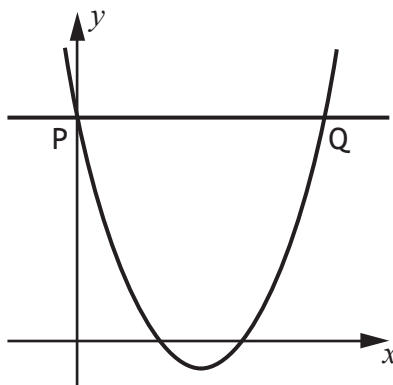
(b) Hence, or otherwise, state the coordinates of the turning point of the graph of  $y = x^2 - 6x + 8$ .

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The diagram shows the graph of  $y = x^2 - 6x + 8$ .

A line PQ has been drawn parallel to the  $x$ -axis, where:

- P lies on the  $y$ -axis
- P and Q lie on the graph of  $y = x^2 - 6x + 8$ .



(c) Find the coordinates of Q.

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13. Expand and simplify fully  $x\left(x^{\frac{1}{2}} + x^{-1}\right)$ .

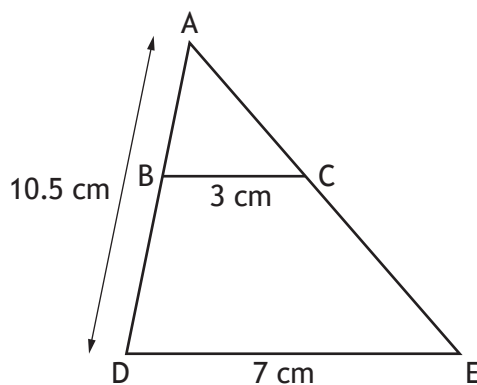
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14. In the diagram, triangles ABC and ADE are mathematically similar.

- $BC = 3$  centimetres
- $DE = 7$  centimetres
- $AD = 10.5$  centimetres



Calculate the length of BD.

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1. Dougie pays £460 for a new laptop.

It is expected that the value of the laptop will depreciate by 26% each year.

Calculate the expected value of Dougie's laptop after 3 years.

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2. An ant colony occupies an area of 250 hectares.

There is an average of  $1.22 \times 10^6$  ants per hectare.

Calculate the number of ants in the colony.

Give your answer in scientific notation.

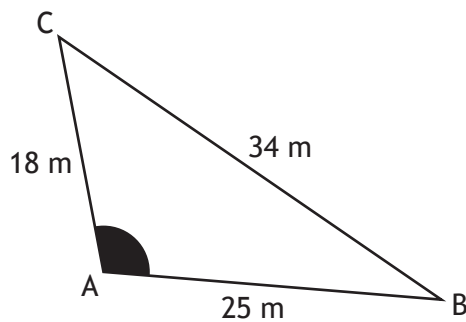
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3. In triangle ABC:
- $AB = 25$  metres
  - $AC = 18$  metres
  - $BC = 34$  metres.



Calculate the size of the shaded angle at A.

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4. Solve, algebraically, the inequation

$$5(x-2)+4 < 7x+8.$$

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5. This year the cost of Charley's car insurance is £278.40.  
This is an increase of 16% on last year's cost.  
Calculate the cost of Charley's insurance last year.

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6. (a) Factorise  $y^2 - 6y$ .

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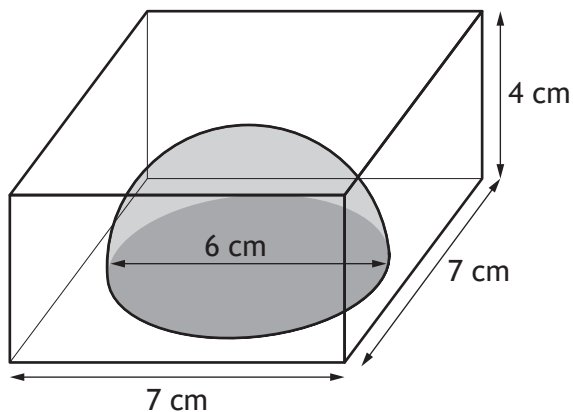
(b) Hence simplify  $\frac{y^2 - 6y}{y^2 - 3y - 18}$ .

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7. A paperweight is in the shape of a cuboid. It consists of a hemisphere of red glass surrounded by clear glass.



The cuboid has height 4 centimetres and a square base of length 7 centimetres. The hemisphere has diameter 6 centimetres. Calculate the volume of clear glass in the paperweight. Give your answer correct to 2 significant figures.

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8. Solve the equation  $3x^2 + 8x + 1 = 0$ .  
Give your answers correct to 2 decimal places.

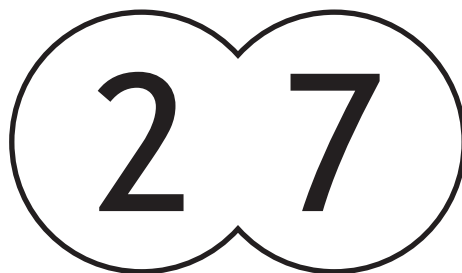
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9. Change the subject of the formula  $f = \frac{2d+3}{e}$  to  $d$ .

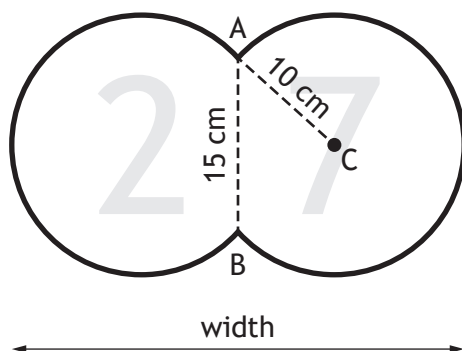
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10. Karen buys a door-number sign for her house.  
The sign consists of parts of two identical circles.



AB is a chord to both circles.



- AB has length 15 centimetres.
- The radius AC has length 10 centimetres.

Calculate the width of the sign.

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11. Solve the equation  $17 \sin x^\circ + 1 = 9$ , for  $0 \leq x < 360$ .

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12. Express

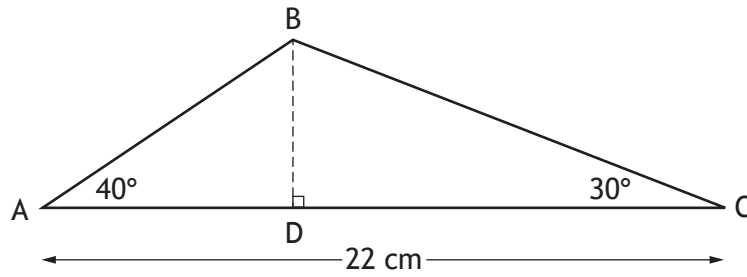
$$\frac{2}{x+5} + \frac{3}{x-4}, \quad x \neq -5, x \neq 4$$

as a single fraction in its simplest form.

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13. In triangle ABC:



- $AC = 22$  centimetres
- angle  $BAC = 40^\circ$
- angle  $BCA = 30^\circ$
- $BD$  is perpendicular to  $AC$ .

Calculate the length of  $BD$ .

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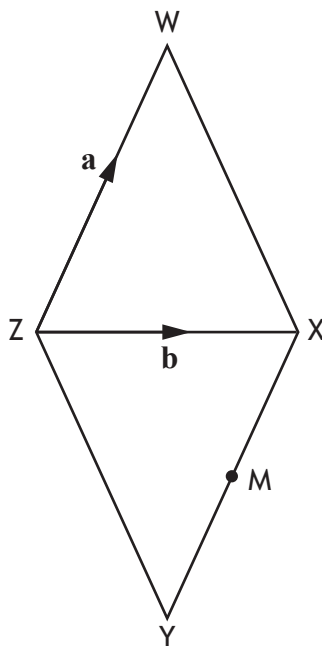
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14. The diagram shows a rhombus WXYZ with a diagonal ZX drawn.



$\vec{ZW}$  represents vector **a** and  $\vec{ZX}$  represents vector **b**.

(a) Express  $\vec{WX}$  in terms of **a** and **b**.

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M is the mid-point of XY.

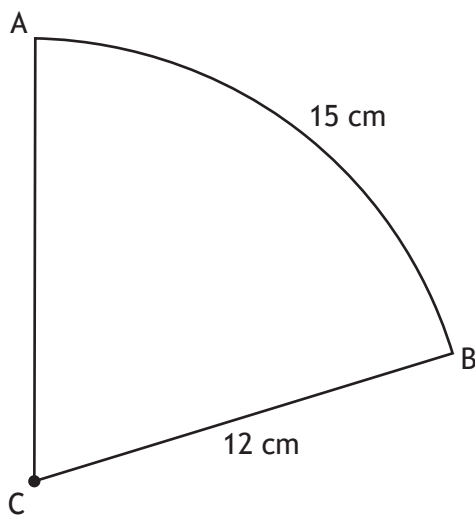
(b) Express  $\vec{WM}$  in terms of **a** and **b**.

Give your answer in its simplest form.

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15. The diagram shows a sector of a circle, centre C.



The radius of the circle is 12 centimetres.

The length of arc AB is 15 centimetres.

Calculate the area of the sector.

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