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**Mathematics**

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## **Note to teachers and students on the use of published marking schemes**

Marking schemes published by the State Examinations Commission are not intended to be standalone documents. They are an essential resource for examiners who receive training in the correct interpretation and application of the scheme. This training involves, among other things, marking samples of student work and discussing the marks awarded, so as to clarify the correct application of the scheme. The work of examiners is subsequently monitored by Advising Examiners to ensure consistent and accurate application of the marking scheme. This process is overseen by the Chief Examiner, usually assisted by a Chief Advising Examiner. The Chief Examiner is the final authority regarding whether or not the marking scheme has been correctly applied to any piece of candidate work.

Marking schemes are working documents. While a draft marking scheme is prepared in advance of the examination, the scheme is not finalised until examiners have applied it to candidates' work and the feedback from all examiners has been collated and considered in light of the full range of responses of candidates, the overall level of difficulty of the examination and the need to maintain consistency in standards from year to year. This published document contains the finalised scheme, as it was applied to all candidates' work.

In the case of marking schemes that include model solutions or answers, it should be noted that these are not intended to be exhaustive. Variations and alternatives may also be acceptable. Examiners must consider all answers on their merits, and will have consulted with their Advising Examiners when in doubt.

## **Future Marking Schemes**

Assumptions about future marking schemes on the basis of past schemes should be avoided. While the underlying assessment principles remain the same, the details of the marking of a particular type of question may change in the context of the contribution of that question to the overall examination in a given year. The Chief Examiner in any given year has the responsibility to determine how best to ensure the fair and accurate assessment of candidates' work and to ensure consistency in the standard of the assessment from year to year. Accordingly, aspects of the structure, detail and application of the marking scheme for a particular examination are subject to change from one year to the next without notice.

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**JUNIOR CERTIFICATE  
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**MATHEMATICS  
PAPER 1**

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GENERAL GUIDELINES FOR EXAMINERS

1. Penalties of three types are applied to a candidate's work as follows:
  - Blunders - mathematical errors/omissions (-3)
  - Slips- numerical errors (-1)
  - Misreadings (provided task is not oversimplified) (-1).

Frequently occurring errors to which these penalties must be applied are listed in the scheme. They are labelled: B1, B2, B3,..., S1, S2,..., M1, M2,...etc. These lists are not exhaustive.

2. When awarding attempt marks, e.g. Att(3), note that
  - any *correct, relevant* step in a part of a question merits at least the attempt mark for that part
  - if deductions result in a mark which is lower than the attempt mark, then the attempt mark must be awarded
  - a mark between zero and the attempt mark is never awarded.
3. Worthless work is awarded zero marks. Some examples of such work are listed in the scheme and they are labelled as W1, W2,...etc.
4. The phrase “hit or miss” means that partial marks are not awarded – the candidate receives all of the relevant marks or none.
5. The phrase “and stops” means that no more work is shown by the candidate.
6. Special notes relating to the marking of a particular part of a question are indicated by an asterisk. These notes immediately follow the box containing the relevant solution.
7. The sample solutions for each question are not intended to be exhaustive lists – there may be other correct solutions.
8. Unless otherwise indicated in the scheme, accept the best of two or more attempts – even when attempts have been cancelled.
9. The *same* error in the *same* section of a question is penalised *once* only.
10. Particular cases, verifications and answers derived from diagrams (unless requested) qualify for attempt marks at most.
11. A serious blunder, omission or misreading results in the attempt mark at most.
12. Do not penalise the use of a comma for a decimal point, e.g. €5.50 may be written as €5,50.

## QUESTION 1

<b>Part (a)</b>	<b>15 marks</b>	<b>Att 5</b>
<b>Part (b)</b>	<b>20 marks</b>	<b>Att (2,5)</b>
<b>Part (c)</b>	<b>15 marks</b>	<b>Att (3,2)</b>

**Part (a)** **15 marks** **Att 5**

- (a) Adam got 24 marks from a total of 30 marks in a class test.  
 ✍ What percentage mark did Adam get?

(a) **15 marks** **Att 5**

<b>I</b>	$\frac{24}{30}$ (or equivalent <i>e.g.</i> $\frac{12}{15}$ )	<b>5m</b>	
	$\frac{24}{30} \times 100$	<b>9m</b>	
	$= \frac{2400}{30}$	<b>12m</b>	
	$= 80\%$	<b>15m</b>	
<b>II</b>	6 wrong = $\frac{6}{30}$	<b>5m</b>	
	$\frac{6}{30} \times 100$	<b>6m</b>	
	$= \frac{600}{30}$	<b>9m</b>	
	$= 20\%$	<b>12m</b>	
	$100 - 20$	<b>12m</b>	
	$= 80\%$	<b>15m</b>	

\* Candidates need not necessarily show all steps for marks

\*  $\frac{24}{30} = \cdot 8$  and stops is 9m

### *Blunders (-3)*

- B1 Correct answer, no work shown
- B2 Decimal error
- B3 Incorrect operation
- B4 Inversion
- B5 Incorrect divisor, but note B4
- B6 Incorrect multiplier, but note B4
- B7 Fails to calculate final step

### *Slips (-1)*

- S1 Numerical errors, to a maximum of 3

### *Misreadings (-1)*

- M1 Misreads a number, providing it does not oversimplify the question

*Attempts (5 marks)*

A1 Mentions 100

A2 Intention to divide

A3 20% only, no work shown

A4  $\frac{24}{30}$   $\frac{12}{15}$   $\frac{8}{10}$   $\frac{4}{5}$  or  $\cdot 8$  or equivalent only, no work shown

A5 Some knowledge of percentages

A6 Any relevant work of merit

*Worthless (0)*

W1 Incorrect answer, no work shown, but note attempts

W2 Irrelevant operation *e.g.* 30 – 24 and stops

W3 Work of no merit

- (i) Place the following numbers in order, starting with the smallest number:

$$4^{1/2}, 4^{-2}, 2^0, 2^{-3}.$$

- (ii) ✎ By rounding correct to the nearest whole number, estimate the value of

$$\frac{7 \cdot 72}{2 \cdot 35} + (3 \cdot 4)^2 \left( \frac{8 \cdot 65}{2 \cdot 9} - \sqrt{1 \cdot 49} \right).$$

Then, evaluate

$$\frac{7 \cdot 72}{2 \cdot 35} + (3 \cdot 4)^2 \left( \frac{8 \cdot 65}{2 \cdot 9} - \sqrt{1 \cdot 49} \right),$$

correct to one decimal place.

(b) (i)

5 marks

Att 2

$$4^{1/2} = 2, 4^{-2} = \frac{1}{16}, 2^0 = 1, 2^{-3} = \frac{1}{8}. \quad \mathbf{2m}$$

$$\text{In order, starting with smallest: } 4^{-2}, 2^{-3}, 2^0, 4^{1/2} \quad \mathbf{5m}$$

$$= \frac{1}{16}, \frac{1}{8}, 1, 2 \quad \mathbf{5m}$$

$$= 0.0625, 0.125, 1, 2 \quad \mathbf{5m}$$

\* Candidates may decide not to consistently use fractions or decimals.

Accept correct equivalents in order.

\* No hand symbol, not necessary to show work

*Blunders (-3)*

- B1 Omits a term
- B2 Misplaced term
- B3 Decimal error
- B4 Index error, once if consistent
- B5 Mathematical error

*Misreading(-1)*

- M1 Starts with largest number and moves to smallest
- M2 Misreads a digit, providing it does not oversimplify the question

*Attempts (2 marks)*

- A1 Finds decimal or fraction or whole number equivalent of one given term
- A2 Power of  $\frac{1}{2}$  = square root
- A3 Some increasing terms
- A4 Any relevant step

*Worthless (0 marks)*

- W1 Merely rewrites the original list, with no work of merit
- W2 Incorrectly works out term(s) only
- W3 No work of merit

(b) (ii)

15 (5, 10) marks

Att (2,3)

Estimate:

$$\frac{8}{2} + 3^2 \left( \frac{9}{3} - \sqrt{1} \right)$$
$$4 + 9(3 - 1)$$
$$4 + 9(2)$$
$$4 + 18$$
$$= 22$$

Evaluate:

$$\frac{7 \cdot 72}{2 \cdot 35} + (3 \cdot 4)^2 \left( \frac{8 \cdot 65}{2 \cdot 9} - \sqrt{1 \cdot 49} \right) \quad \text{Given}$$

$$3 \cdot 285106383 + 11 \cdot 56(2 \cdot 982758621 - 1 \cdot 220655562)$$
$$3 \cdot 285106383 + 11 \cdot 56(1 \cdot 762103059)$$
$$3 \cdot 285106383 + 20 \cdot 36991136$$
$$23 \cdot 65501775$$
$$= 23 \cdot 7$$

\* Two parts to mark: **Estimate 5m** and **Evaluate 10m**

\* Consistent errors are penalised once only in (b)(ii)

### Estimate

#### *Blunders (-3)*

- B1 Correct answer, no work shown
- B2 Precedent error
- B3 Mishandles square root
- B4 Incorrect squaring
- B5 Mathematical error
- B6 Calculates first, then rounds

#### *Slips (-1)*

- S1 Numerical errors to a maximum of 3
- S2 Incorrect rounding to a maximum of 3

#### *Misreadings (-1)*

- M1 Misreads a digit, providing it does not oversimplify the question

#### *Attempts (2 marks)*

- A1 Some correct rounding
- A2 Any correct step without rounding

#### *Worthless (0)*

- W1 Incorrect answer, no work shown
- W2 23·7 or 24 without work
- W3 Work of no merit



## **Evaluate**

### *Blunders (-3)*

- B1 Correct answer, no work shown
- B2 Precedent error
- B3 Mishandles square root
- B4 Incorrect squaring
- B5 Mathematical error
- B6 Decimal error

### *Slips (-1)*

- S1 Numerical errors to a maximum of 3
- S2 Early decimal rounding, once if consistent, otherwise to a maximum of 3
- S3 Incorrect or no rounding of final answer

### *Misreadings (-1)*

- M1 Misreads a digit, providing it does not oversimplify the question

### *Attempts (3 marks)*

- A1 Rounds to whole numbers and continues
- A2 Any relevant step *e.g. squaring, multiplying, square root etc.*

### *Worthless (0)*

- W1 Incorrect answer, no work shown
- W2 Rounds to whole numbers and stops, note A1
- W3 Work of no merit

**Part (c)****15 (10,5) marks****Att (3,2)**

Ciara invested €30 000 for three years at 3% per annum compound interest.

(i) ✍ Calculate the amount of the investment at the end of two years.

At the end of two years a sum of money was withdrawn. The money which remained amounted to €12 181.81 at the end of the third year.

(ii) ✍ Calculate the sum of money withdrawn at the end of two years.

**(c) (i)****10 marks****Att 3**

<b>I</b>	$P_1$	$=$	$€30\,000$		
	$I_1$	$=$	$€30\,000 \times \frac{3}{100}$		
	$I_1$	$=$	$€900$		
	$P_2$	$=$	$€30\,000 + €900 = €30\,900$		
	$I_2$	$=$	$€30\,900 \times \frac{3}{100}$ (or $€900 + €900 \times \frac{3}{100}$ or $€900 \times \frac{103}{100}$ )		
	$I_2$	$=$	$€927$		
	$A$	$=$	$€30\,900 + €927$		
	$A$	$=$	$€31\,827$		
<b>II</b>	$P_2$	$=$	$€30\,000 \times \frac{103}{100} = €30\,900$		
	$A$	$=$	$€30\,900 \times \frac{103}{100}$		
	$A$	$=$	$€31\,827$		
<b>III</b>	$A = P(1 + \frac{r}{100})^n$			$F = P(1 + i)^t$	
	$A = 30\,000(1 + \frac{3}{100})^2$			$F = 30\,000(1 + .03)^2$	
	$A = 30\,000(1.03)^2$			$F = 30000(1.03)^2$	
	$A = 30\,000(1.0609)$				
	$A = €31\,827$			.	

*Blunders (-3)*

B1 Correct answer, no work shown

B2 Decimal error

B3 Incorrect operation

B4 Inversion

B5 Mathematical error

B6 One error in formula

B7 Precedent error

B8 Incorrect substitution, once only

B9 Index error

B10 Fails to calculate final step

*Slips (-1)*

S1 Numerical errors to a maximum of 3

*Misreadings (-1)*

M1 Misreads a digit provided it doesn't oversimplify the question

*Attempts (3 marks)*

A1 Simple interest ( $I = €1800$  and /or  $A = €31\,800$  with work)

A2 Identifies any of the following:  $P = €30\,000$ ,  $i = \cdot 03$ ,  $r = 3$ ,  $t$  or  $n = 2$

A3 Any relevant step

*Worthless (0)*

W1 Incorrect answer, no work shown (*e.g.*  $€1800$  or  $€31\,800$ , but note A1)

W2 No work of merit

(c) (ii)

5 marks

Att 2

<b>I</b>	103%	=	€12 181·81
	1%	=	€12181·81 ÷ 103 = €118·27
	100%	=	€118·27 × 100
		=	€11 827
	Withdrawn	→	€31 827 – €11 827
		=	€20 000
<b>II</b>	€12 181·81	=	$P(1 + 0.03)^1$
	€12181·81 ÷ 1.03	=	$P$
	€11 827	=	$P$
	Withdrawn	→	€31 827 – €11 827
		=	€20 000
<b>III</b>	Amount withdrawn = $x$		
	€12 181·81	=	$(31\,827 - x) + 0.03(31\,827 - x)$
	€12 181·81	=	$31\,827 - x + 954.81 - 0.03x$
	€12 181·81	=	$32\,781.81 - 1.03x$
	€12 181·81 – € 32 781·81	=	$-1.03x$
	– € 20 600	=	$-1.03x$
	€ 20 600	=	$1.03x$
	€ 20 600 ÷ 1.03	=	$x$
	€ 20 000	=	Amount withdrawn

\* Use candidate's investment amount from (c) (i)

*Blunders (-3)*

- B1 Correct answer, no work shown, note \*
- B2 Decimal error
- B3 Incorrect operation, each time
- B4 Inversion
- B5 Mathematical error
- B6 Incorrect substitution
- B7 Fails to complete final step *e.g.* stops at €31 827.00 – €11 827.00 (methods I and II)

*Slips (-1)*

- S1 Numerical slip to a maximum of 3

*Misreadings (-1)*

- M1 Misreads a digit provided it does not oversimplify the question

*Attempts (2 marks)*

- A1 11827 or 118·27 without work
- A2 Mentions 103 or  $100 + 3$
- A3 12181·81 divided
- A4 Answer **(c)(i)** – €12181·81
- A5 Any relevant step

*Worthless (0)*

- W1 Incorrect answer, no work shown; note A1
- W2 100 mentioned only
- W3 No work of merit

## QUESTION 2

<b>Part (a)</b>	<b>10 marks</b>	<b>Att 3</b>
<b>Part (b)</b>	<b>25 marks</b>	<b>Att (3,3,2)</b>
<b>Part (c)</b>	<b>15 marks</b>	<b>Att (2,2,2)</b>

**Part (a)** **10 marks** **Att 3**

The lengths of two pieces of timber are in a ratio of 5 : 2.  
 The larger piece measures 250 mm.  
 ✍ Find the length of the shorter piece.

**(a)** **10 marks** **Att 3**

<b>I</b>	$\frac{5}{7} = 250$	<b>3m</b>	
	$250 \div 5$	<b>3m</b>	$250 \times 2$
	$\frac{1}{7} = 50$	<b>4m</b>	$= 500$
	$50 \times 2$	<b>7m</b>	$500 \div 5$
	$= 100$	<b>10m</b>	$= 100$
	$\rightarrow \frac{2}{7} = 100$		
<b>II</b>	$5 \text{ parts} = 250$	<b>3m</b>	
	$1 \text{ part} = 250 \div 5$	<b>3m</b>	
	$= 50$	<b>4m</b>	
	$2 \text{ parts} = 50 \times 2$	<b>7m</b>	
	$= 100$	<b>10m</b>	
<b>III</b>	$5 : 2$	Given	
	$5 \times 50 : 2 \times 50$	<b>7m</b>	
	$250 : 100$	<b>10m</b>	
<b>IV</b>	$\frac{5}{7} = 250$	<b>3m</b>	
	$250 \div 5$	<b>3m</b>	
	$\frac{1}{7} = 50$	<b>4m</b>	
	$50 \times 7 = 350$	<b>4m</b>	
	$\frac{7}{7} = 350$	<b>7m</b>	
	$\rightarrow \frac{2}{7} = 100$	<b>10m</b>	

\* No need to mention  $\frac{5}{7}$  and/or  $\frac{1}{7}$  and/or  $\frac{2}{7}$  in finding solution

*Blunders (-3)*

- B1 Correct answer, no work shown
- B2  $250 \div 7$  and continues (gives an answer of 71.43)
- B3 Inversion ( $\times \frac{5}{2}$ , gives answer 625)
- B4 Fails to calculate final step

*Slips (-1)*

- S1 Numerical errors to a maximum of 3

*Misreadings (-1)*

- M1 Misreads a digit providing it does not oversimplify the question

*Attempts (3 marks)*

- A1  $250 \div 5$  or  $250 \times 2$  and stops
- A2 Divides 250 by 5, 2 or 7 only and stops
- A3 7 or 350 or 50 with no work
- A4 Some relevant step

*Worthless (0)*

- W1 Incorrect answer, no work shown

Each week David is paid €14 per hour for the first 35 hours worked and €21 per hour for any hours worked after that.

(i) ✍ Last week he worked 38 hours. Calculate his gross pay for last week.

The standard rate of income tax is 20% and the higher rate is 41%.

The standard rate cut-off point is €230 per week and he has a tax credit of €62 per week.

(ii) ✍ Calculate David's take-home pay after tax has been deducted.

(iii) ✍ What percentage of his gross pay is his take-home pay?

Give your answer correct to the nearest whole number.

(b) (i)

10 marks

Att 3

Gross pay for week:	€14 × 35	and/or	€21 × 3	<b>3m</b>
	€490	and/or	€63	<b>4m</b>
	€490	+	€63	<b>7m</b>
	= €553			<b>10m</b>

*Blunders (-3)*

- B1 Correct answer, no work shown
- B2 Decimal error
- B3 Incorrect operation
- B4 Mathematical error
- B5 Fails to calculate final step

*Slips (-1)*

- S1 Numerical error to a maximum of 3

*Misreadings (-1)*

- M1 Misreads a digit providing it does not oversimplify the question

*Attempts (3 marks)*

- A1 €14 × 35 and/or €21 × 3 only
- A2 Any relevant step

*Worthless (0)*

- W1 Incorrect answer, no work shown
- W2 No work of merit



**(b) (ii)**

**10 marks**

**Att 3**

Tax:	€230 @ 20%	=	€46	3m
	€323 @ 41%	=	€132.43	4m
				↕ Interchangeable
Gross tax:		=	€46 + €132.43	
		=	€178.43	4m
Tax credit:		=	€62	Given
Tax paid:		=	€178.43 – €62	4m
		=	€116.43	7m
Take home pay:		=	€553 – €116.43	7m
		=	€436.57	10m

\* Use candidate's gross pay figure from **(b)(i)**

*Blunders (-3)*

- B1 Correct answer, no work shown, note \*
- B2 Decimal error
- B3 Incorrect operation
- B4 Inversion (%)
- B5 Mathematical error
- B6 Mishandles tax credits
- B7 €323 @ 20% and/or €230 @ 41%
- B8 Fails to complete final step. Stops at €116.43 or €553 – €116.43

*Slips (-1)*

- S1 Numerical error to a maximum of 3

*Misreadings (-1)*

- M1 Uses 21%
- M2 Uses 40%
- M3 Misreads a digit, providing it does not oversimplify the question

*Attempts (3 marks)*

- A1 553 – 230 or 323 or indication of subtraction and stops
- A2 Gets 20%
- A3 Gets 41%
- A4 Mentions 100
- A5 Shows some knowledge of tax credits e.g. writes "Tax payable = total tax minus tax credits"
- A6 Any relevant step

*Worthless (0)*

- W1 Incorrect answer, no work shown
- W2 553 + 230 or €783 and stops
- W3 No work of merit

**(b) (iii)**

**5 marks**

**Att 2**

Take home pay as a percentage:	
$\frac{436.57}{553} \times 100$	<b>2m</b>
= $.789 \times 100$ or $0.789457504 \times 100$	<b>2m</b>
= $78.9\%$ or $78.9457504$	<b>4m</b>
= $79\%$ .	<b>5m</b>

\* Accept candidate's figures from **(b)(i)** and **(b)(ii)**

*Blunders (-3)*

- B1 Correct answer no work shown, note \*
- B2 Decimal error
- B3 Does not multiply by 100
- B4 Inversion
- B5 Mathematical error
- B6 Incorrect gross pay or take home pay used, but note M1
- B7 Stops at  $.789 \times 100$  or  $.789457504 \times 100$

*Slips (-1)*

- S1 Fails to round or rounds incorrectly
- S2 Numerical errors to a maximum of 3

*Misreadings (-1)*

- M1 Misreads a digit providing it does not oversimplify the question

*Attempts (2 marks)*

- A1  $\frac{436.57}{553}$  or  $.79$  (or candidate's equivalent) and stops
- A2  $\frac{436.57}{553} \times 100$  (or candidate's equivalent) and stops.
- A3 Mentions 100
- A4 Some relevant step

*Worthless (0)*

- W1 Incorrect answer no work shown; note attempts
- W2  $7.9$  or  $.7$  without work
- W3 No work of merit

**Part (c)**

**15 (5,5,5) marks**

**Att (2,2,2)**

A survey was carried out in a class to find which of the films A, B or C the students had seen.

The following data was collected:

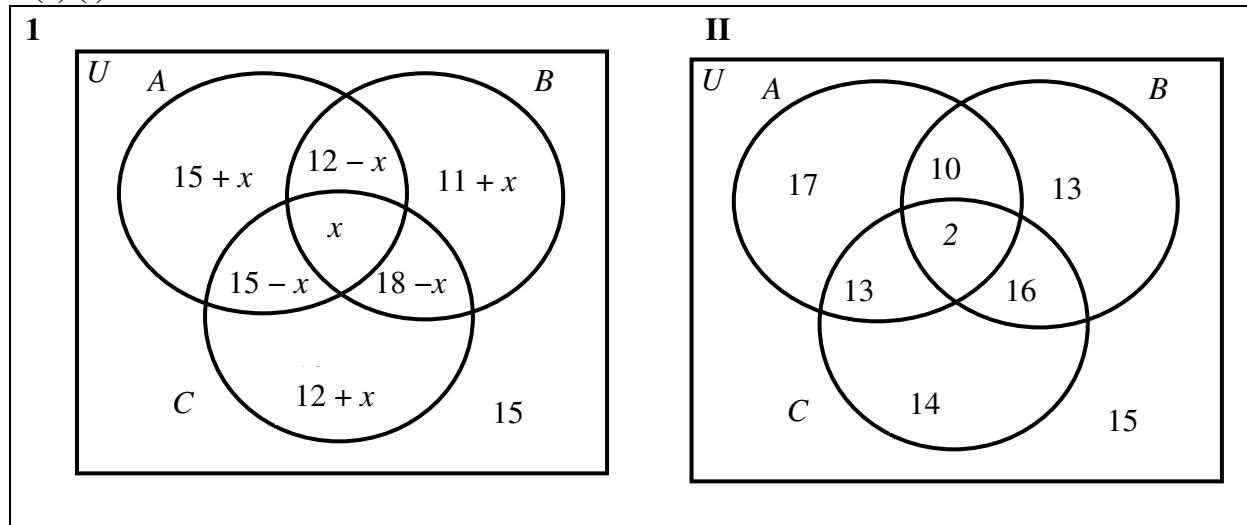
42% saw film A      41% saw film B      45% saw film C  
 12% saw both A and B   18% saw both B and C   15% saw both A and C  
 15% saw none of these films.

- (i) ✍ Represent this information on a Venn diagram.
- (ii) ✍ What percentage of the students in the class saw all three films?
- (iii) ✍ What percentage of the students in the class saw two or more of the films?

**(c) (i)**

**5 marks**

**Att 2**



- \* The Venn diagram can be considered as work
- \* Follow candidate's work closely
- \* Circles may be positioned differently

**Blunders (-3)**

B1 Each incorrect or missing term to a maximum of 3 (8 terms to check)

**Slips (-1)**

S1 Universal box not drawn

**Misreadings (-1)**

M1 Misreads a digit, providing it does not oversimplify the question

**Attempts (2 marks)**

- A1 Any correct entry
- A2 Arbitrary value of  $x$  selected
- A3 Three intersecting circles
- A4 Mentions  $x$
- A5 Any relevant step
- A6 Oversimplification

**Worthless (0)**

- W1 Two intersecting circles only with/without Universal box; note A1
- W2 Universal box only
- W3 No work of merit

(c) (ii)

5 marks

Att 2

<b>I</b>	$15 + x + 12 - x + 11 + x + 15 - x + x + 18 - x + 12 + x + 15 = 100$	<b>2m</b>
	$98 + x = 100$	<b>2m</b>
	$x = 2\%$	<b>5m</b>
<b>II</b>	Reads from Diagram II	
	$x = 2\%$	<b>5m</b>

\* Accept candidate's values from (c)(i)

*Blunders (-3)*

- B1 Correct answer, no work shown, Method 1
- B2 #  $U$  not equal to 100
- B3 Missing element from previous work in forming equation
- B4 Transposition error
- B5 Mathematical error
- B6 Adds unlike terms

*Slips (-1)*

- S1 Numerical error, to a maximum of 3

*Misreadings (-1)*

- M1 Misreads a digit providing it does not oversimplify

*Attempts (2 marks)*

- A1 Any correct term in forming equation and stops
- A2 Any effort to combine terms from Venn Diagram
- A3 Any correct step

*Worthless (0)*

- W1 Incorrect answer, no work shown
- W2 No work of merit

**(c) (iii)**

**5 marks**

**Att 2**

Two or more films:

**I**

$$(12 - x) + (15 - x) + (18 - x) + (x) \quad \mathbf{2m}$$

$$(12 - 2) + (15 - 2) + (18 - 2) + (2)$$

$$10 + 13 + 16 + 2$$

$$= 41\% \quad \mathbf{5m}$$

**II**

$$(12 - x) + (15 - x) + (18 - x) + (x) \quad \mathbf{2m}$$

$$12 - x + 15 - x + 18 - x + x$$

$$12 - x + 15 - x + 18 - x + x$$

$$45 - 2x$$

$$45 - 2(2)$$

$$45 - 4$$

$$41\% \quad \mathbf{5m}$$

**III**

$$10 + 13 + 16 + 2 \quad \mathbf{2m}$$

$$= 41\% \quad \mathbf{5m}$$

\* Accept candidate's expressions from **(c)(i)**

\* Accept candidate's value of  $x$  from **(c)(ii)**

*Blunders (-3)*

B1 Correct answer, no work shown, but note both \*

B2 Omits a term

B3 Includes a non relevant term

B4 Uses incorrect  $x$  value

B5 Precedent error

*Slips (-1)*

S1 Numerical errors to a maximum of 3

*Misreadings (-1)*

M1 Misreads a digit, proving it does not oversimplify the question

*Attempts (2 marks)*

A1 Imports  $12 - x$  and/ or  $15 - x$  and/or  $18 - x$  and/or  $x$  or candidate's equivalent from **(c)(i)**

A2 Imports  $x = 2\%$  or candidate's equivalent from **(c)(ii)**

A3 Some correct substitution

A4 Any relevant step

*Worthless (0)*

W1 Incorrect answer, no work shown

W2 No work of merit

### QUESTION 3

<b>Part (a)</b>	<b>10 marks</b>	<b>Att 3</b>
<b>Part (b)</b>	<b>20 marks</b>	<b>Att (3,2,2)</b>
<b>Part (c)</b>	<b>20 marks</b>	<b>Att (2,5)</b>

**Part (a)** **10 marks** **Att 3**

Solve for  $x$ :  

$$3x - [5 - (x - 3)] = 6.$$

**(a)** **10 marks** **Att 3**

<b>I</b>	$3x - 5 + x - 3 = 6$	<b>3m</b>	
	$4x - 8 = 6$	<b>4m</b>	
	$4x = 6 + 8$		
	$4x = 14$	<b>7m</b>	
	$x = 14 \div 4$		
	$x = \frac{14}{4}$ <b>(9m)</b>	$\frac{7}{2}$ or $3\frac{1}{2}$ or $3.5$	<b>10m</b>
<b>II</b>	$3x - [5 - x + 3] = 6$	<b>3m</b>	
	$3x - [8 - x] = 6$	<b>3m</b>	
	$3x - 8 + x = 6$		
	$4x - 8 = 6$	<b>4m</b>	
	$4x = 6 + 8$		
	$4x = 14$	<b>7m</b>	
	$x = 14 \div 4$		
	$x = \frac{14}{4}$ <b>(9m)</b>	$\frac{7}{2}$ or $3\frac{1}{2}$ or $3.5$	<b>10m</b>

\*  $x = 3.5$  **fully verified** is 10m

*Blunders (-3)*

- B1 Correct answer, no work shown
- B2 Decimal error
- B3 Incorrect operation
- B4 Inversion
- B5 Mathematical error
- B6 Transposition error
- B7 Distribution error
- B8 Omits a term
- B9 Sign error
- B10 Fails to complete final step

*Slips (-1)*

- S1  $x = \frac{14}{4}$  and stops
- S2 Numerical errors to a maximum of 3

*Misreadings (-1)*

- M1 Misreads a digit providing it does not oversimplify the question

Attempts (3 marks)

- A1 Removes brackets
- A2 Correct transposition
- A3 Effort to isolate  $x$
- A4 Some relevant step


Worthless (0)

- W1 Incorrect answer, no work
- W2 No work of merit

**Part (b)**

**20 (10,5,5) marks**


**Att (3,2,2)**

(i)  Find the largest possible value of  $n$  such that

$$5n + 48 > 8n - 6, n \in \mathbb{N}.$$

(ii)  $x$  represents an even number. Explain why  $x + 2$  is the next even number.

(iii) If one third of the smaller even number is subtracted from half of the larger even number the result is 8.

 Find the value of  $x$ .

**(b) (i)**

**10 marks**

**Att 3**

	$5n - 8n$	$>$	$-6 - 48$	<b>3m</b>	$48 + 6 > 8n - 5n$
	$-3n$	$>$	$-54$	<b>4m</b>	
	$3n$	$<$	$54$	<b>7m</b>	$54 > 3n$
	$n$	$<$	$18$	<b>9m</b>	$18 > n$
$\rightarrow$	$n$	$=$	$17$	<b>10m</b>	$n = 17$

Blunders (-3)

- B1 Correct answer, no work shown
- B2 Sign error
- B3 Mishandles inequality
- B4 Inversion e.g.  $\frac{3}{54}$  or 0.05555; S1 may also apply
- B5 Mathematical error
- B6 Transposition error

Slips (-1)

- S1 Does not or cannot deduce correct value of  $n$

Misreadings (-1)

- M1 Misreads a digit, provided it does not oversimplify the question

Attempts (3 marks)

- A1 Treats as equation and gets  $n = 18$  and stops
- A2 Tests at least 3 values for  $n$
- A3 Some relevant step

Worthless (0)

- W1 Incorrect answer, no work shown

(b) (ii)

5 marks

Att 2

Two reasons: next and even

▶ two is the smallest even number

4m

&

▶ when two even numbers are added, the result is an even number or divisible by 2 *etc*

5m

\* Two reasons = 5m, one reason = 4m

\* **Note** for candidates answering through the medium of Irish:

There is an error in the translation of “even number” in the Irish version of the paper. Therefore any candidate who has difficulty with part (ii) or part (iii) because of this error should be awarded full marks.

*Attempts (2 marks)*

A1 Some understanding of even numbers *e.g.* lists 2, 4, 6

*Worthless (0)*

W1 No understanding demonstrated

W2 No work of merit



(b) (iii)

5 marks

Att 2

$\frac{x+2}{2} - \frac{x}{3}$	=	8	2m
$\frac{3(x+2) - 2(x)}{(2)(3)}$	=	8	
$\frac{3x+6 - 2x}{6}$	=	8	
$3x + 6 - 2x$	=	6 (8)	
$x + 6$	=	48	
$x$	=	48 - 6	2m
$x$	=	42	5m

\* Correct trial and error fully verified is 5m

*Blunders (-3)*

- B1 Correct answer, no work shown
- B2 Sign error in setting up equation
- B3 Expression not equal to 8
- B4 Incorrect/mishandles denominator(s)
- B5 Incorrect/ mishandles numerator(s)
- B6 Transposition error
- B7 Distribution error
- B8 Mathematical error
- B9 Fails to complete final step

*Slips (-1)*

- S1 Numerical errors, to a maximum of 3

*Misreadings (-1)*

- M1 Misreads a digit, providing it does not oversimplify the question

*Attempts (2 marks)*

- A1 Uses = 8
- A2 Uses  $\frac{1}{3}$  and/or  $\frac{1}{2}$
- A3 Any relevant step

*Worthless (0)*

- W1 Incorrect answer, no work shown
- W2 No work of merit

**Part (c)****20 (5,15) marks****Att (2,5)**

(i) ✎ Given that  $a^2 = \frac{bc^2 + a + c}{b}$ ,

show that  $b = \frac{1}{a-c}$ .

(ii) ✎ If  $a = 1\frac{1}{2}$  and  $c = 2\frac{1}{3}$ , find the value of  $b$ .

**(c) (i)****5 marks****Att 2**

<b>I</b>	$ba^2 = bc^2 + a + c$	<b>2m</b>
	$ba^2 - bc^2 = a + c$	
	$b(a^2 - c^2) = a + c$	
	$b = \frac{a+c}{a^2-c^2}$	
	$b = \frac{a+c}{(a+c)(a-c)}$	
	$b = \frac{1}{a-c}$	<b>5m</b>

*Blunders (-3)*

- B1 Error in cross multiplying
- B2 Distribution error
- B3 Transposition error
- B4 Inversion
- B5 Does not or cannot isolate  $b$  by factorising
- B6 Error in establishing factors of  $a^2 - c^2$
- B7 Does not or cannot cancel terms
- B8 Mathematical error

*Misreadings (-1)*

- M1 Misreads, provided it does not oversimplify the question

*Attempts (2 marks)*

- A1 Cross multiplies and stops
- A2 Oversimplifies
- A3 Any relevant step

*Worthless (0)*

- W1 Incorrect answer, no work shown
- W2 No work of merit

(c) (ii)

15 marks

Att 5

<b>I</b>	$b = \frac{1}{1\frac{1}{2} - 2\frac{1}{3}}$	<b>9m</b>
	$b = \frac{1}{\frac{3}{2} - \frac{7}{3}} = \frac{1}{\frac{9}{6} - \frac{14}{6}} = \frac{1}{\frac{-5}{6}}$	<b>12m</b>
	$= -\frac{6}{5} \text{ [or } -1\frac{1}{5} \text{]}$	<b>15m</b>
<b>II</b>	$a^2 = \frac{bc^2 + a + c}{b} \quad \left(\frac{3}{2}\right)^2 = \frac{b\left(\frac{7}{3}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{3}{2}\right) + \left(\frac{7}{3}\right)}{b}$	<b>9m</b>
	$\frac{9b}{4} = b\left(\frac{49}{9}\right) + \frac{3}{2} + \frac{7}{3} \quad \rightarrow \quad \frac{9b}{4} - \frac{49b}{9} = \frac{9+14}{6}$	
	$\frac{81b - 196b}{36} = \frac{23}{6} \quad \rightarrow \quad \frac{-115b}{36} = \frac{23}{6}$	
	$-115(6)b = 23(36)$	
	$b = \frac{-138}{115}$	<b>14m</b>
	$= \frac{-6}{5}$	<b>15m</b>

*Blunders (-3)*

- B1 Correct answer, no work shown
- B2 Sign error
- B3 Mathematical error
- B4 Mishandles numerator/denominator
- B5 Incorrect substitution, note S3
- B6 Does not substitute into equations given in (c)(i)

*Slips (-1)*

- S1 Numerical error, to a maximum of 3
- S2 Uses  $c = 2 \cdot 3$
- S3 Swaps  $a$  and  $c$  when substituting
- S4  $b = \frac{-138}{115}$  or equivalent and stops

*Misreadings (-1)*

- M1 Misreads a digit, providing it does not affect final answer

*Attempts (5 marks)*

- A1 Some correct substitution
- A2 Any relevant step


*Worthless (0)*

- W1 Incorrect answer, no work shown
- W2  $\frac{3}{2}, \frac{7}{3}, 1 \cdot 5, 2 \cdot 3$  or  $2 \cdot 33$  and stops
- W3 No work of merit

## QUESTION 4

<b>Part (a)</b>	<b>10 marks</b>	<b>Att 3</b>
<b>Part (b)</b>	<b>20 marks</b>	<b>Att (2,3,2)</b>
<b>Part (c)</b>	<b>20 marks</b>	<b>Att (2,2,2,2)</b>

**Part (a)** **10 marks** **Att 3**

 Express in its simplest form:

$$\frac{5-x}{5} + \frac{x-4}{4}$$

**(a)** **10 marks** **Att 3**

$$\frac{4(5-x) + 5(x-4)}{20}$$

$$= \frac{20-4x+5x-20}{20} \quad \mathbf{7m}$$

$$= \frac{x}{20} \quad \mathbf{10m}$$

### *Blunders (-3)*

- B1 Correct answer, no work shown
- B2 Incorrect common denominator
- B3 Mishandles common denominator
- B4 Mishandles numerator
- B5 Distribution error
- B6 Mathematical error
- B7 Fails to combine like terms in final answer

### *Slips (-1)*

- S1 Numerical slips to a maximum of 3

### *Misreadings (-1)*

- M1 Misreads a digit, provided it does not oversimplify the question
- M2 Reads middle sign as minus and continues

### *Attempts (3 marks)*

- A1 Correct common denominator and stops
- A2 No denominator used
- A3 Any relevant step

### *Worthless (0)*

- W1 Incorrect answer, no work shown
- W2 Adds across to get  $\frac{1}{9}$  or similar
- W3 No work of merit

**Part (b)**

**20 (5,10,5) marks**

**Att (2,3,2)**

(i) Factorise  $8x^2 - 12x$ .

(ii) Factorise  $4x^2 - 12x + 9$ .

(iii) ✎ Simplify  $\frac{8x^2 - 12x}{4x^2 - 12x + 9}$ .

**(b) (i)**

**5 marks**

**Att 2**

$4x(2x - 3)$

- \* Accept correct answer for full marks. No work required, no ✎
- \* Note minus solution  $-4x(-2x + 3)$  for 5 marks:
- \* Accept with or without brackets for 5 marks:
  - $(4x)$  and  $(2x - 3)$
  - $(4x)$  or  $(2x - 3)$
  - $(4x), (2x - 3)$
- \* Quadratic equation formula method is subject to slips and blunders

*Blunders (-3)*

- B1 An incorrect factor
- B2 Not fully factorised e.g.  $2x(4x - 6)$
- B3 Mathematical error e.g.  $2x \pm (4x - 6)$

*Attempts (2 marks)*

- A1 Indication of common factor “4” or “2x” etc. or underlining  $x$  terms and stops
- A2 Some correct factoring
- A3 Any relevant step

*Worthless (0)*

- W1 Work of no merit
- W2 ( ) ( )

(b) (ii)

10 marks

Att 3

**I**

$$4x^2 - 12x + 9$$

$$4x^2 - 6x - 6x + 9$$

$$2x(2x - 3) - 3(2x - 3)$$

$$(2x - 3)(2x - 3)$$

$$\text{or } (2x - 3)^2$$

**II**

$$4x^2 - 12x + 9$$

$$2x \quad \times \quad -3$$

$$2x \quad \times \quad -3$$

$$(2x - 3)(2x - 3)$$

$$\text{or } (2x - 3)^2$$

- \* Accept correct answer for full marks. No work required, no ✍
- \* Note minus solution  $(-2x + 3)(-2x + 3)$  for 10 marks
- \* Accept with or without brackets for 10 marks
  - $(2x - 3)$  and  $(2x - 3)$
  - $(2x - 3)$  or  $(2x - 3)$
  - $(2x - 3), (2x - 3)$
- \* Quadratic equation formula is subject to slips and blunders.  $x = \frac{3}{2}$  and stops is 3m

*Blunders (-3)*

- B1 Incorrect factors of  $4x^2$ . B3 may also apply
- B2 Incorrect factors of 9. B3 may also apply
- B3 Factors leading to an incorrect middle term
- B4 Each incorrect common factor and continues (applies to guide number method)
- B5 Correct cross method but factors not written

*Slips (-1)*

- S1 Numerical errors to a maximum of 3

*Misreadings (-1)*

- M1 Misreading, provided it does not oversimplify the question

*Attempts (3 marks)*

- A1 Quadratic equation formula with some correct substitution.
- A2 Attempts to find factors of 9 or 4 or  $4x^2$  or  $x^2$
- A3  $\sqrt{9}$  or  $\sqrt{4}$
- A4 Identifies the guide number (36) and stops
- A5 Any relevant step

*Worthless (0)*

- W1  $9 \div 2 = 4.5$  and stops
- W2 States  $4 \div 2 = 2$
- W3 No work of merit

**(b) (iii)**

**5 marks**

**Att 2**

$\frac{4x(2x-3)}{(2x-3)(2x-3)}$	<b>2m</b>
$= \frac{4x}{(2x-3)}$	<b>5m</b>

\* Accept candidate's answers from **(b)(i)** and **(b)(ii)**

*Blunders (-3)*

- B1 Correct answer, no work shown, note \*
- B2 Mathematical error
- B3 Does not or cannot cancel
- B4 Fails to complete final step

*Attempts (2 marks)*

- A1 Attempt to use answer(s) from **(b)(i)** and/or **(b)(ii)**
- A2 Some effort at factorising
- A3 Sets up division
- A4 Any relevant step

*Worthless (0)*

- W1 No work of merit.

**Part (c)****20 (5,5,5,5) marks****Att (2,2,2,2)**

A teacher checks out the cost of calculators for her students on two websites, C and D.

On website C, for €480, she can get a class set of calculators, one for each student.

On website D, for the same price, she can get 4 extra calculators.

If  $x$  represents the number of students in her class,

- (i) write an expression in  $x$  for the cost per calculator on website C  
and an expression in  $x$  for the cost per calculator on website D.

The cost per calculator on website D is €6 cheaper than the cost per calculator on website C.

- (ii) ✍ Use this information to form an equation in  $x$  and solve it to find  
the number of students in the class.

**(c) (i)****10(5,5) marks****Att (2,2)**

$$\text{Cost on website C} = \frac{480}{x} \quad \mathbf{5m}$$

$$\text{Cost on website D} = \frac{480}{x+4} \quad \mathbf{5m}$$

\* Accept correct answers for full marks. No work required, no ✍

\* 2 expressions: **Cost on website C** and **Cost on website D** to mark separately: 5m each

**Cost on website C***Blunders (-3)*

B1 Inversion  $\frac{x}{480}$

*Attempts (2 marks)*

A1 Any combination of  $x$  and 480

A2 Division indicated

A3 Any relevant step

*Worthless (0 marks)*

W1 No work of merit

**Cost on website D***Blunders (-3)*

B1 Inversion  $\frac{x+4}{480}$  Do not penalise again, if already penalised above

B2 Uses  $\frac{480}{x} \pm 4$

*Attempts (2 marks)*

A1 Any combination of  $x$  with 4 and/or 480

A2 Division indicated

A3 Any relevant step

*Worthless (0 marks)*

W1 No work of merit



(c) (ii)

10(5,5) marks

Att (2,2)

Equation:	$\frac{480}{x} - \frac{480}{x+4} = 6$	or equivalent equation	5m
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	$x(x+4) \frac{480}{x} - x(x+4) \frac{480}{x+4} = 6x(x+4)$		
	$(x+4)480 - (x)480 = 6(x)(x+4)$		
	$480x + 1920 - 480x = 6x^2 + 24x$		
	$1920 = 6x^2 + 24x$		
	$6x^2 + 24x - 1920 = 0$		
	$x^2 + 4x - 320 = 0$		
	$(x-16)(x+20) = 0$		
	$x = 16 \quad x = -20$		4m
$\rightarrow$	$x = 16$		5m

- \* Mark in 2 parts: 5m for establishing an **equation** and 5m for **solving**
- \* Writing correct equation considered work but for solution  $x = 16$  algebraic work required to earn full marks.
- \* Accept candidate's answers from previous work but note A1

### Equation

*Blunders (-3)*

B1 Sign error

B2 Mathematical error

*Attempts (2 marks)*

A1 Attempt to form equation in  $x$

*Worthless (0)*

W1 Work of no merit

### Solving

*Blunders (-3)*

B1 Correct answer, no work shown

B2 Incorrect factors

B3 Sign error

B4 Mathematical error

B5 Error in using quadratic

B6 Transposition error

*Slips (-1)*

S1 Numerical errors to a maximum of 3

S2 Fails to conclude

*Misreadings (-1)*

M1 Misreads a digit, provided it does not oversimplify the question

*Attempts (2 marks)*

A1 Solves or attempts to solve linear equation is 2 marks at most

A2 Correct trial and error, fully verified

A3 Any relevant step

*Worthless (0)*

W1 Incorrect answer, no work shown

W2  $x = \frac{-b \pm \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a}$  with no relevant substitution

W3 No work of merit

## QUESTION 5

<b>Part (a)</b>	<b>15 marks</b>	<b>Att 5</b>
<b>Part (b)</b>	<b>20 marks</b>	<b>Att (5,2)</b>
<b>Part (c)</b>	<b>15 marks</b>	<b>Att (2,2,2)</b>

**Part (a)** **15 marks** **Att 5**

$\not\approx$   $g(x) = \sqrt{5x-2}$ ,  $x \in \mathbb{N}$ . Find  $g(2)$ .  
 Give your answer in the form  $a\sqrt{a}$ ,  $a \in \mathbb{N}$ .

**(a)** **15 marks** **Att 5**

$g(2)$	$=$	$\sqrt{5(2)-2}$	<b>5m</b>
	$=$	$\sqrt{10-2}$	<b>9m</b>
	$=$	$\sqrt{8}$	<b>12m</b>
	$=$	$2\sqrt{2}$	<b>15m</b>

*Blunders (-3)*

- B1 Correct answer, no work shown
- B2 Solves  $\sqrt{5x-2} = 2$  ( $x = \frac{6}{5}$ , also incurs B7)
- B3 Multiplication error
- B4 Sign error
- B5 Mathematical error
- B6 Square root error
- B7 Does not present answer in required form

*Slips (-1)*

- S1 Numerical error to a maximum of 3

*Misreadings (-1)*



- M1 Misreads a digit, provided it does not oversimplify the question

*Attempts (5 marks)*

- A1 States  $x = 2$  and stops
- A2 Substitutes  $x = 2$  and stops
- A3 Any relevant step

*Worthless (0)*

- W1 Squares or tries to square  $\sqrt{5x-2}$
- W2 Incorrect answer, no work shown
- W3 No work of merit

- (i)  Solve the equation  $x^2 = 3x + 2$ .  
Give your answers correct to two decimal places.
- (ii)  Hence, or otherwise, find two values for  $p$  for which  $p = 3\sqrt{p} + 2$ .  
Give your answers correct to one decimal place.

(b) (i)

15 marks

Att 5

$$x^2 - 3x - 2 = 0$$

5m

$$x = \frac{-b \pm \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a}$$

$$a = 1, \quad b = -3, \quad c = -2$$

$$x = \frac{-(-3) \pm \sqrt{(-3)^2 - 4(1)(-2)}}{2(1)}$$

$$x = \frac{3 \pm \sqrt{9 + 8}}{2}$$

$$x = \frac{3 \pm \sqrt{17}}{2} \quad \mathbf{12m}$$

$$x = \frac{3 \pm 4.123105626}{2}$$

$$x = \frac{7.123105626}{2}$$

$$x = \frac{-1.123105626}{2}$$

$$x = 3.561552813$$

$$x = -0.561552812$$

$$x = 3.56 \text{ or } -0.56 \quad \mathbf{15m}$$

\* One error in writing formula is a blunder; two errors in writing formula, with some correct substitution, is Attempt 5m

*Blunders (-3)*

- B1 Correct answer, no work shown  
 B2 Decimal error  
 B3 Incorrect operation  
 B4 Transposition error  
 B5 Mathematical error  
 B6 Error in squaring  
 B7 Error in formula  
 B8 Substitution error  
 B9 Sign error  
 B10 Does not find  $\sqrt{17}$  or is unable to find square root of number  
 B11 Incorrect division  
 B12 One solution only with work, S2 may apply

*Slips (-1)*

- S1 Numerical errors to a maximum of 3  
 S2 Fails to round or rounds incorrectly, each time

*Misreadings (-1)*

M1 Misreads a digit provided it does not oversimplify the question

*Attempts (5 marks)*

A1 Any correct substitution

A2 Identifies  $a = 1$  and/or  $b = -3$  and/or  $c = -2$

A3 Correct transposition

A4 Any relevant step

A5 Oversimplification, solves  $x^2 + 3x + 2 = 0$

A6 One solution, e.g. 3.56 or similar, without work

*Worthless (0)*

W1 Incorrect answer, no work shown

W2  $\frac{-b \pm \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a}$  and stops

W3 No work of merit

**(b) (ii)**

**5 marks**

**Att 2**

Take $\sqrt{p}$	=	$x$		<b>2m</b>
$p$	=	$x^2$		<b>2m</b>
$p$	=	$3.56^2$	[or $(-0.56)^2$ ]	<b>2m</b>
$p$	=	12.6736	[or 0.3136]	<b>4m</b>
$p$	=	12.7	[or 0.3]	<b>5m</b>

\* 12.7 is the only valid solution to  $p = 3\sqrt{p} + 2$

As two solutions were asked for, do not penalise candidates if both solutions are offered.

\* Accept candidate's answers from **(b)(i)**

*Blunders (-3)*

B1 Correct answer, no work shown, note 2<sup>nd</sup> \*

B2 Squaring error

B3 Mathematical error

*Slips (-1)*

S1 Answer not given to one decimal place

S2 Incorrect or no rounding

*Misreadings (-1)*

M1 Misreads a digit, providing it does not oversimplify the question

*Attempts (2 marks)*

A1 Imports answer(s) from **(b)(i)**

A2 Squaring

A3 Any relevant step

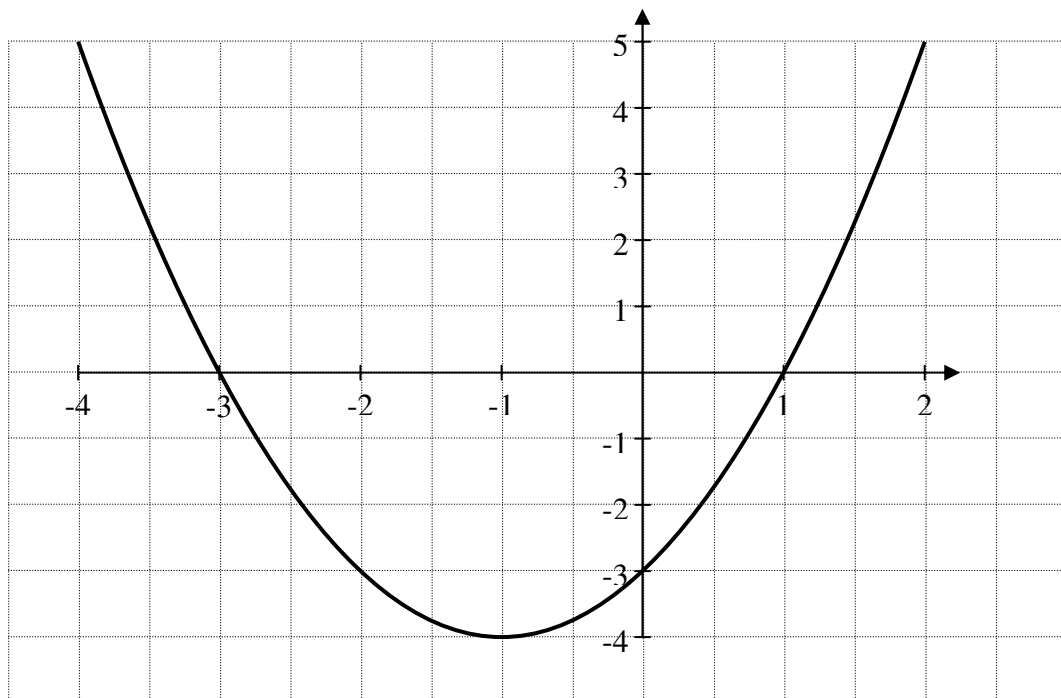
*Worthless (0)*

W1 Incorrect answer, no work shown

W2 No work of merit

The diagram below shows part of the graph of the function

$$f: x \rightarrow x^2 + bx + c, \text{ where } x \in \mathbb{R} \text{ and } b, c \in \mathbb{Z}.$$



- (i) The graph cuts the  $x$  axis at  $(-3, 0)$  and  $(1, 0)$ , as shown in the diagram.  
 ✎ Calculate the value of  $b$  and the value of  $c$ .
- (ii) The graph has a minimum point at  $(-1, -4)$ .  
 Write down the equation of the axis of symmetry of the function  
 in the form  $x = k$ , where  $k \in \mathbb{Z}$ .
- (iii) ✎ Show that  $f(x+1) = x^2 + 4x$ .

(c)(i)

5m

Att 2

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$$\begin{aligned} \text{Roots: } x &= -3 \text{ and } x = 1 \\ f(x) &= (x+3)(x-1) = 0 \\ f(x) &= x^2 + 2x - 3 = 0 \\ f(x) &= x^2 + bx - c = 0 \\ \rightarrow & \quad b = 2 \text{ and } c = -3. \end{aligned}$$

II

$$\begin{aligned} f: x &\rightarrow x^2 + bx + c \\ (-3, 0) \quad & 0 = (-3)^2 + b(-3) + c \\ & (-3)^2 + b(-3) + c = 0 \\ & 9 - 3b + c = 0 \\ & -3b + c = -9 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} f: x &\rightarrow x^2 + bx + c \\ (1, 0) \quad & 0 = (1)^2 + b(1) + c \\ & (1)^2 + b + c = 0 \\ & 1 + b + c = 0 \\ & b + c = -1 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} -3b + c &= -9 \\ b + c &= -1 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} 3b - c &= 9 \\ \underline{b + c} &= \underline{-1} \\ 4b &= 8 \\ b &= 8 \div 4 \\ b &= 2 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} b + c &= -1 \\ 2 + c &= -1 \\ c &= -1 - 2 \\ c &= -3 \end{aligned}$$

### III

Graph cuts y axis at (0, -3)

$$\begin{aligned} f: x &\rightarrow x^2 + bx + c \\ (0)^2 + b(0) + c &= -3 \\ c &= -3 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} (-3, 0) \quad 0 &= (-3)^2 + b(-3) - 3 \\ (-3)^2 + b(-3) - 3 &= 0 \\ 9 - 3b - 3 &= 0 \\ -3b + 6 &= 0 \\ -3b &= 0 - 6 \\ -3b &= -6 \\ 3b &= 6 \\ b &= 6 \div 3 \\ b &= 2 \end{aligned}$$

or

$$\begin{aligned} (1, 0) \quad (1)^2 + b(1) - 3 &= 0 \\ 1 + b - 3 &= 0 \\ b - 2 &= 0 \\ b &= 2 \end{aligned}$$

\* States  $c = -3$  OR  $b = 2$  and stops, no work shown, is 4m

\* Other points may be used in Methods **II** or **III** e.g. (-4, 5), (-2, -3), (0, -3) (2, 5)

#### Blunders (-3)

- B1 Correct answer, no work shown
- B2 Sign error
- B3 Incorrect substitution
- B4 Inversion
- B5 Mathematical error
- B6 Squaring error
- B7 Transposition error
- B8 Solves for one unknown only
- B9 Distribution error

*Slips (-1)*

- S1 Numerical error, to a maximum of 3
- S2 Fails to correctly identify  $b$  and/or  $c$  in Method 1

*Misreadings (-1)*

- M1 Misreads a digit, providing it does not affect final answer

*Attempts (2 marks)*

- A1 Some correct substitution
- A2 Incorrect value created for one unknown and used to find second unknown, but note \*
- A3 States  $x = -3$  or  $x = 1$  and stops
- A4 One or two simplified equations and stops
- A5 Any relevant step

*Worthless (0)*

- W1 Incorrect answer, no work shown
- W2 No work of merit

**(c) (ii)**

**5 marks**

**Att 2**

Axis of symmetry:  $x = -1$

- \* Check graph

*Blunders (-3)*

*Slips (-1)*

- S1  $x + 1 = 0$
- S2  $-1$  only, omits  $x =$

*Attempts (2 marks)*

- A1  $x = -4$
- A2 Draws axis of symmetry on graph, equation not written
- A3  $x + 1$
- A4 States any point on the axis of symmetry *e.g.*  $(-1, 3)$
- A5 Work of merit

*Worthless (0)*

- W1 Incorrect answer with no work
- W2 Draws horizontal line on graph
- W3 No work of merit



**(c) (iii)**

**5 marks**

**Att 2**

$f(x) = x^2 + 2x - 3$	<b>2m</b>
$f(x+1) = (x+1)^2 + 2(x+1) - 3$	<b>2m</b>
$= x^2 + 2x + 1 + 2x + 2 - 3$	<b>2m</b>
$= x^2 + 4x$	<b>5m</b>

- \* Accept candidate's values of  $b$  and  $c$  from **(c)(i)**
- \* If candidate did not have correct  $b$  and  $c$  value(s) in **(c)(i)** and now used the correct values without showing work, apply Blunder (-3)

*Blunders (-3)*

- B1 No expansion of  $(x+1)^2$  shown
- B2 Squaring error
- B3 Incorrect or incomplete substitution
- B4 Distribution error
- B5 Not in correct form
- B6 Mathematical error

*Slips (-1)*

- S1 Numerical errors to a max of -3
- S2 Invalid conclusion

*Misreadings (-1)*

- M1 Misreads a digit, providing it does not oversimplify the question

*Attempts (2 marks)*

- A1 Some correct substitution
- A2 Some correct squaring or multiplication
- A3 Any relevant step

*Worthless (0)*

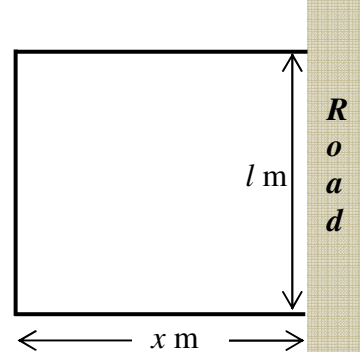
- W1 No work of merit

## QUESTION 6

<b>Part (a)</b>	<b>5 marks</b>	<b>Att 2</b>
<b>Part (b)</b>	<b>35 marks</b>	<b>Att (2,5,5)</b>
<b>Part (c)</b>	<b>10 marks</b>	<b>Att (2,2)</b>

**Part (a)** **5 marks** **Att 2**

A rectangular site, with one side facing a road, is to be fenced off.  
 The side facing the road, which does not require fencing, is  $l$  m in length.  
 The sides perpendicular to the road are  $x$  m in length.  
 The length of fencing that will be used to enclose the rest of the site is 140 m.



(a) ✎ Write an expression, in terms of  $x$ , for the length ( $l$ ) of the side facing the road.

**(a)** **5 marks** **Att 2**

2 widths + 1 length	<b>2m</b>
Fence = 2 widths + 1 length	
2 widths + 1 length = 140	
$2x + l = 140$	<b>2m</b>
$l = 140 - 2x$	<b>5m</b>

### Blunders (-3)

- B1 Correct answer, no work shown
- B2 Incorrect operation
- B3 Transposition error
- B4 Uses  $2l + 2x = 140$  and continues correctly
- B5 Mathematical error

### Slips (-1)

- S1  $x$  not used. Answer given as: length =  $140 - 2$  widths
- S2  $w$  used instead of  $x$
- S3  $2l + x = 140 \rightarrow l = \frac{140 - x}{2}$  or  $l = 70 - \frac{x}{2}$

### Misreadings (-1)

- M1 Expresses  $x$  in terms  $l$  to give  $x = \frac{140 - l}{2}$  or similar
- M2 Misreads a digit, providing it does not oversimplify the question

*Attempts (2 marks)*

- A1 Any effort to add length and width
- A2 Width =  $l$
- A3 Length =  $x$
- A4 Perimeter formula only
- A5 Some relevant use of  $x$  or  $l$  or 140
- A6 Any relevant step

*Worthless (0)*

- W1 Incorrect answer, no work shown
- W2 Area formula
- W3 Reproduced diagram
- W4 No work of merit

**Part (b)**

**35 (5,15,15) marks**

**Att (2,5,5)**

(i) ✍ Show that the area of the site, in  $\text{m}^2$ , is  $-2x^2 + 140x$ .

(ii) Let  $f$  be the function  $f: x \rightarrow -2x^2 + 140x$ .

✍ Evaluate  $f(x)$  when  $x = 0, 10, 20, 30, 40, 50, 60, 70$ .

Hence, draw the graph of  $f$  for  $0 \leq x \leq 70, x \in \mathbb{R}$ .

**(b)(i)**

**5 marks**

**Att 2**

Area of the site = length $\times$ width	<b>2m</b>
= $l \times x$	<b>2m</b>
= $(140 - 2x)(x)$	<b>2m</b>
= $-2x^2 + 140x$	<b>5m</b>

\* Accept value of  $l$  from (a)

*Blunders (-3)*

- B1 Mathematical error
- B2 Fails to finish

*Slip(-1)*

- S1 Invalid conclusion

*Misreadings (-1)*

- M1 Misreads a digit, providing it does not oversimplify the question

*Attempts (2 marks)*

- A1 Area formula
- A2 Any relevant step

*Worthless (0)*

- W1 Incorrect answer, no work shown
- W2 Copies diagram
- W3 Work of no merit

**(b) (ii) Values**

**15 marks**

**Att 5**

$f: x \rightarrow -2x^2 + 140x$ Given								
<b>1</b>								
$x$	0	10	20	30	40	50	60	70
$f(x)$	0	1200	2000	2400	2400	2000	1200	0
<b>11</b> $f: x \rightarrow -2x^2 + 140x$								
$f(0) \rightarrow -2(0)^2 + 140(0) \rightarrow -2(0) + 140(0) = 0 + 0 = 0$								
$f(10) \rightarrow -2(10)^2 + 140(10) \rightarrow -2(100) + 1400 = -200 + 1400 = 1200$								
$f(20) \rightarrow -2(20)^2 + 140(20) \rightarrow -2(400) + 2800 = -800 + 2800 = 2000$								
$f(30) \rightarrow -2(30)^2 + 140(30) \rightarrow -2(900) + 4200 = -1800 + 4200 = 2400$								
$f(40) \rightarrow -2(40)^2 + 140(40) \rightarrow -2(1600) + 5600 = -3200 + 5600 = 2400$								
$f(50) \rightarrow -2(50)^2 + 140(50) \rightarrow -2(2500) + 7000 = -5000 + 7000 = 2000$								
$f(60) \rightarrow -2(60)^2 + 140(60) \rightarrow -2(3600) + 8400 = -7200 + 8400 = 1200$								
$f(70) \rightarrow -2(70)^2 + 140(70) \rightarrow -2(4900) + 9800 = -9800 + 9800 = 0$								
<b>III</b>								
$x$	<b>0</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>70</b>
$-2x^2$	0	-200	-800	-1800	-3200	-5000	-7200	-9800
$+140x$	0	+1400	+2800	+4200	+5600	+7000	+8400	+9800
$f(x)$	<b>0</b>	<b>1200</b>	<b>2000</b>	<b>2400</b>	<b>2400</b>	<b>2000</b>	<b>1200</b>	<b>0</b>

- \* If values do not appear here, check graph. If graph is correct, marks awarded are part (i) 12m and part (ii) 15 m.
- \* Middle lines of table do not have to be shown
- \* Consistent errors in rows/columns attract a maximum deduction of minus 3
- \* Candidates may choose not to use a table

**Blunders (-3)**

- B1 Error in calculating  $-2x^2$ , once only, note A3. Methods **II** and **III**
- B2 Error in calculating  $+140x$ , once only. Methods **II** and **III**
- B3 Mathematical error in  $f(x)$  row Methods **II** and **III**
- B4 Each incorrect value, without work. Method **I**
- B5 Each missing  $f(x)$  value
- B6 If a table is used, adds in domain row when evaluating  $f(x)$  value, once if consistent
- B7 Mathematical errors in calculation, once if consistent

*Slips (-1)*

S1 Numerical errors to a maximum of 3

*Misreadings (-1)*

M1 Misreads a digit, provided it does not oversimplify the question

*Attempts (5 marks)*

A1 Any correct value for  $f(x)$

A2 Some correct substitution

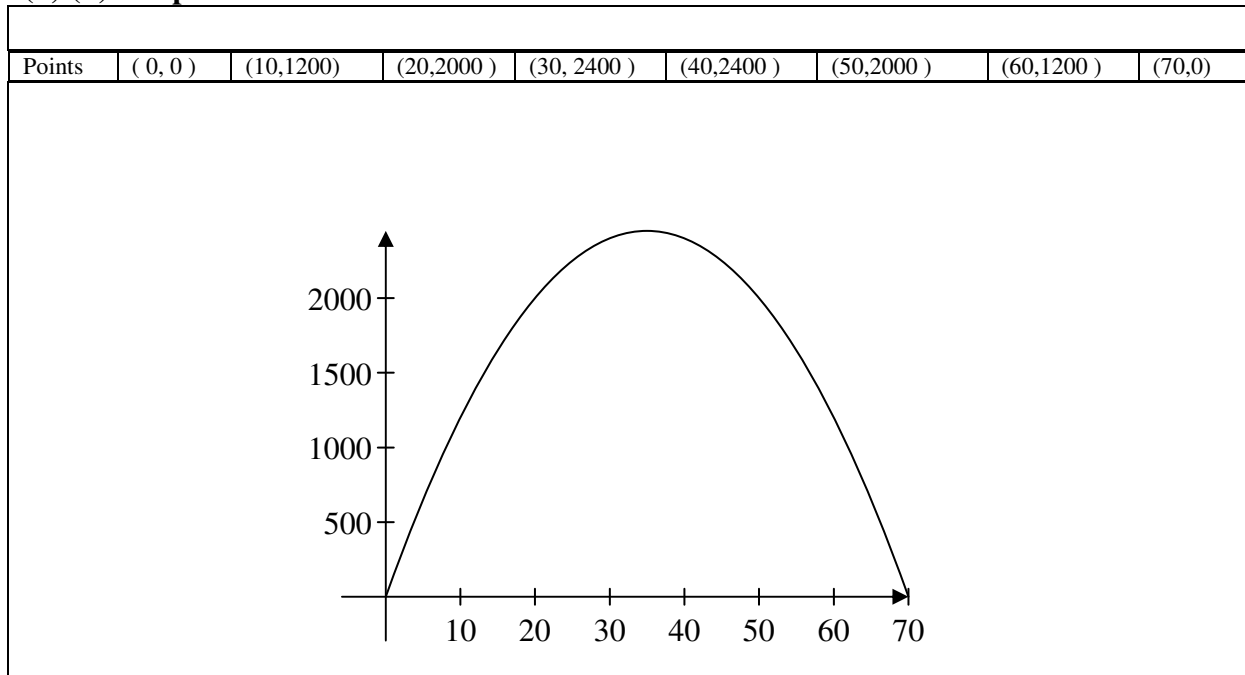
A3 Oversimplification, linear

A4 Some relevant step

*Worthless (0)*

W1 Table with no relevant work

W2 Work of no merit

**(b) (ii) Graph****15 marks****Att 5**

- \* Graph constitutes work in this question
- \* Use candidate's  $f(x)$  values from **(b)(i)**

*Blunders (-3)*

- B1 Incorrect scaling, apply once
- B2 Points not joined to form curve or joined in incorrect order, once only
- B3 Graph not extended to include full domain, once only
- B4 Reversed co-ordinates plotted against non reversed axes or similar, once only

*Slips (-1)*

- S1 Each point plotted incorrectly, 8 points to check, must have one correct or attempt only
- S2 Each missing point 8 points to check, must have one correct or attempt only

*Attempts (5 marks)*

- A1 Draws axes, with some indication of scaling
- A2 Some effort to plot a point
- A3 Linear graph
- A4 Any relevant step

*Worthless (0)*

- W1 Work of no merit

**Part (c)**

**10 (5,5) marks**

**Att (2,2)**

Use your graph from part (b) to estimate:

- (i) ✎ the maximum possible area of the site
- (ii) ✎ the area of the site when the road frontage ( $l$ ) is 30 m long.

**(c) (i)**

**5 marks**

**Att 2**

Maximum possible area of the site: c. 2450

- \* Answer of 2450 must be clearly stated for full marks
- \* Accept value from candidate's graph in (b)(ii)
- \* Tolerance of 50

*Blunders (-3)*

- B1 Reads from incorrect axis
- B2  $f(35) = -2(35)^2 + 140(35) = -2(1225) + 140(35) = -2450 + 4900 = 2450$ , graph not used
- B3 Indicated on graph, but no statement of value of maximum possible area
- B4 Indicated correctly on graph but incorrect statement of value of maximum possible area
- B5 Outside of tolerance

*Slips (-1)*

- S1 Writes maximum point instead of maximum value

*Attempts (2 marks)*

- A1 Indicates maximum on graph
- A2 Indication of  $x = 35$
- A3 States maximum is highest point or turning point without any further work of merit
- A4 Any relevant step

*Worthless (0)*

- W1 Incorrect answer, no work shown
- W2 No work of merit

(c) (ii)

5 marks

Att 2

$$\begin{aligned} \text{When } l &= 30 \\ l &= 140 - 2x && \mathbf{2m} \\ 30 &= 140 - 2x \\ 30 - 140 &= -2x \\ -110 &= -2x \\ 110 &= 2x \\ 110 \div 2 &= x \\ x &= 55 \end{aligned}$$

→ Area:  
 $f(55)$  from graph = 1650    **5m**

- \* Graph must be used to find area
- \* Answer of 1650 must be clearly stated for full marks
- \* Accept value from candidate's graph in (b)(ii)
- \* Tolerance of 50

*Blunders (-3)*

- B1 Correct answer, no work shown
- B2 Mathematical error
- B3 Incorrect substitution
- B4 Transposition error
- B5 Sign error
- B6  $f(55) = -2(55)^2 + 140(55) = -2(3025) + 140(55) = -6050 + 7700 = 1650$ , graph not used
- B7 Indicated on graph, but no statement of value of area
- B8 Indicated correctly on graph but incorrect statement of value of area
- B9 Finds  $f(x)$  from graph, where  $x \neq 55$
- B10 Outside of tolerance
- B11 Reads from incorrect axis
- B12 Begins with  $x = 55$ , but reads  $f(x)$  value before line touches graph
- B13  $x = 55$  with work and stops

*Slips (-1)*

- S1 Numerical error, to a maximum of 3
- S2 Writes co-ordinates instead of y value

*Misreadings (-1)*

- M1 Misreads a digit, provided it does not oversimplify equation

*Attempts (2 marks)*

- A1 Imports  $l$  value from (a)
- A2 Some correct substitution
- A3 Indicates 55 on graph
- A4 States  $x = 55$
- A5 Any relevant step

*Worthless (0)*

- W1 Incorrect answer, no work shown
- W2 Area = length  $\times$  width only
- W3 No work of merit



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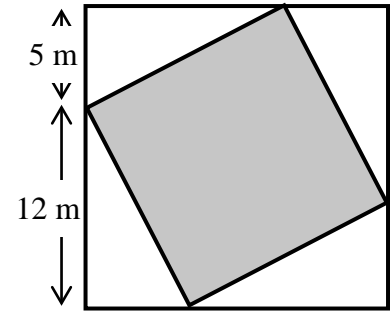
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### Question 1

20 marks

Liam's garden is in the shape of a square. It has four equal right-angled triangular lawns and a smaller square patio in the centre, as shown.



- (a) Find the length of the hypotenuse of one of the right angled triangular lawns.

$$h^2 = a^2 + b^2$$

$$\text{Length} = \sqrt{12^2 + 5^2} = 13 \text{ m}$$

- (b) Find the area of one of the triangular lawns.

$$\text{Area} = \frac{1}{2}(12)(5) = 30 \text{ m}^2$$

- (c) Find the area of the square patio in the middle.

$$\text{Area of patio} = 13^2 = 169 \text{ m}^2$$

**or**

$$\text{Area of patio} = 17^2 - (4 \times 30) = 169 \text{ m}^2$$

- (d) The patio is to be paved with rectangular flagstones of length 80cm and width 50cm. Calculate the number of flagstones Liam needs to buy to cover the patio, allowing an extra 20% for waste.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Area of flagstone} &= 0.8 \times 0.5 = 0.4 \text{ m}^2 \\ \text{Number of flagstones} &= \frac{169}{0.4} = 422.5 \quad (\text{or } 423) \\ \text{Extra 20\%} &= 422.5 \times 0.2 = 84.5 \quad \text{or} \quad 120\% = 422.5 \times 1.2 \\ \text{Total number of flagstones} &= 507 \\ &\text{or} \\ \text{Extra 20\%} &= 423 \times 0.2 = 84.6 \quad \text{or} \quad 120\% = 423 \times 1.2 \\ \text{Total number of flagstones} &= 507.6 \\ &\text{or} \\ \text{Area to cover} &= 169 \times 1.2 = 202.8 \\ \text{Total number of flagstones} &= \frac{202.8}{0.4} = 507 \end{aligned}$$

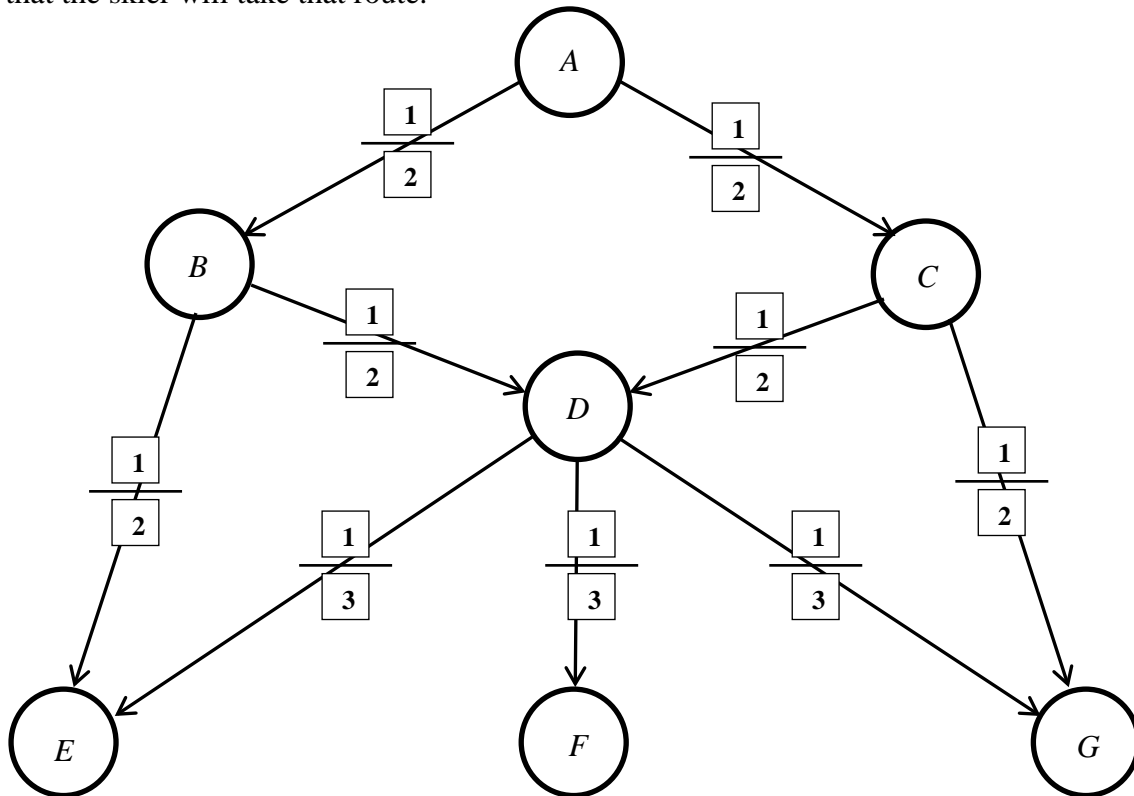


**Question 3**

**15 marks**

The arrows represent the different routes that a skier can take when skiing down a mountain. The circles on the diagram represent different points on the routes.

- (a) When leaving any particular point on the mountain a skier is equally likely to choose any of the available routes from that point. Fill in the boxes in the diagram which represent the probability that the skier will take that route.



- (b) (i) If the skier starts at point A, in how many different ways can the skier reach the point E?

<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. A → B → E</li> <li>2. A → B → D → E</li> <li>3. A → C → D → E</li> </ol>	$\left. \vphantom{\begin{matrix} 1. \\ 2. \\ 3. \end{matrix}} \right\}$	3 ways
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- (ii) If the skier starts at point A, find the probability that the skier will reach the point E.

<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. <math>\frac{1}{2} \times \frac{1}{2} = \frac{1}{4}</math></li> <li>2. <math>\frac{1}{2} \times \frac{1}{2} \times \frac{1}{3} = \frac{1}{12}</math></li> <li>3. <math>\frac{1}{2} \times \frac{1}{2} \times \frac{1}{3} = \frac{1}{12}</math></li> </ol>	$\left. \vphantom{\begin{matrix} 1. \\ 2. \\ 3. \end{matrix}} \right\}$	Probability = $\frac{1}{4} + \frac{1}{12} + \frac{1}{12}$ $= \frac{5}{12}$
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**Question 4**

**10 marks**

A football strip consists of a shirt, shorts and socks.

Aspen United has two shirts, blue and green, from which to select. They also can select from three different colours of shorts and five different colours of socks, including red in each case.

- (a) Calculate how many different strips Aspen United can have.

$$\text{Different strips: } 2 \times 3 \times 5 = 30$$

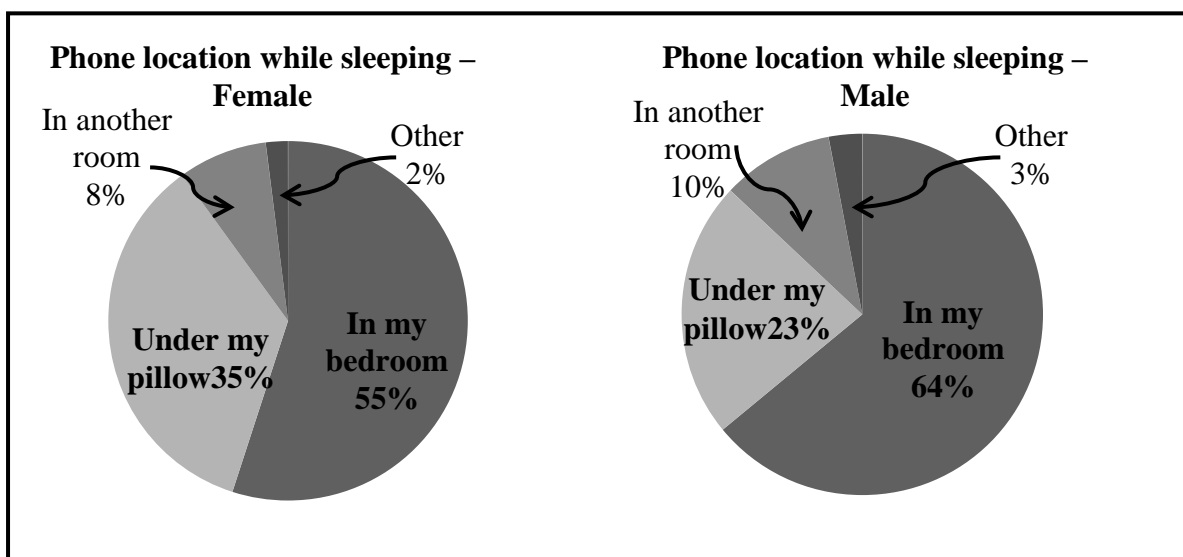
- (b) Willow Celtic plays in an all red strip. When Aspen United plays Willow Celtic, Aspen United are not allowed to use their red shorts or their red socks. Calculate how many different strips Aspen United can have when they play Willow Celtic.

$$\text{Different strips: } 2 \times 2 \times 4 = 16$$

**Question 5**

**25 marks**

In total 7150 second level school students from 216 schools completed the 2011/2012 phase 11 *CensusAtSchool* questionnaire. The questionnaire contained a question relating to where students keep their mobile phones while sleeping.



- (a) Given that this question was answered by 4171 girls and 2979 boys, calculate how many female students kept their mobile phones under their pillows.

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{Girls – phone under pillow} &= 35\% \text{ of } 4171 \\
 &= 4171 \times 0.35 \\
 &= 1459.85 \\
 &= 1460 \quad (\text{or } 1459.85 \text{ or } 1459)
 \end{aligned}$$

- (b) Calculate the overall percentage of students who kept their mobile phones under their pillows.

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{Total number of students} &= 7150 \\
 \text{Boys – phone under pillow} &= 23\% \text{ of } 2979 \\
 &= 685.17 \\
 &= 685 \quad (\text{or } 685.17 \text{ or } 686) \\
 \text{Total} &= 1460 + 685 = 2145 \quad (\text{or } 2145.02) \\
 \text{Percentage} &= \frac{2145}{7150} \times 100 \quad (\text{or } \frac{2145.02}{7150} \times 100) \\
 &= 30\% \quad (\text{or } 30.0002\%).
 \end{aligned}$$

- (c) A new pie chart is to be drawn showing the mobile phone location for all students. Calculate the measure of the angle that would represent the students who kept their mobile phones under their pillows.

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{Angle} &= 30\% \text{ of } 360^\circ \\
 &= 360 \times 0.3 \\
 &= 108^\circ \quad (\text{or } 108.00072)^\circ
 \end{aligned}$$

**Question 6****30 marks**

The salaries, in € of the different employees working in a call centre are listed below.

22000	16500	38000	26500	15000	21000	15500	46000
42000	9500	32000	27000	33000	36000	24000	37000
65000	37000	24500	23500	28000	52000	33000	25000
23000	16500	35000	25000	33000	20000	19500	16000

(a) Use this data to complete the grouped frequency table below.

<b>Salary (€1000)</b>	0 – 10	10 –20	20 –30	30–40	40 –50	50 –60	60 –70
<b>No. of Employees</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>

[Note: 10–20 means €10000 or more but less than €20000, etc.]

(b) Using mid-interval values find the mean salary of the employees.

<p>The mid - interval values are 5000, 15000, 25000, 35000, 45000, 55000, 65000</p> <p>Mean =</p> $\frac{(5000 \times 1) + (15000 \times 6) + (25000 \times 12) + (35000 \times 9) + (45000 \times 2) + (55000 \times 1) + (65000 \times 1)}{32}$ $= \frac{5000 + 90000 + 300000 + 315000 + 90000 + 55000 + 65000}{32}$ $= \frac{920000}{32}$ $= \text{€}28,750$
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(c) (i) Outline another method which could have been used to calculate the mean salary.

Add up all the individual salaries and divide by 32.
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(ii) Which method is more accurate? Explain your answer.

Answer	Adding up individual salaries and dividing by 32
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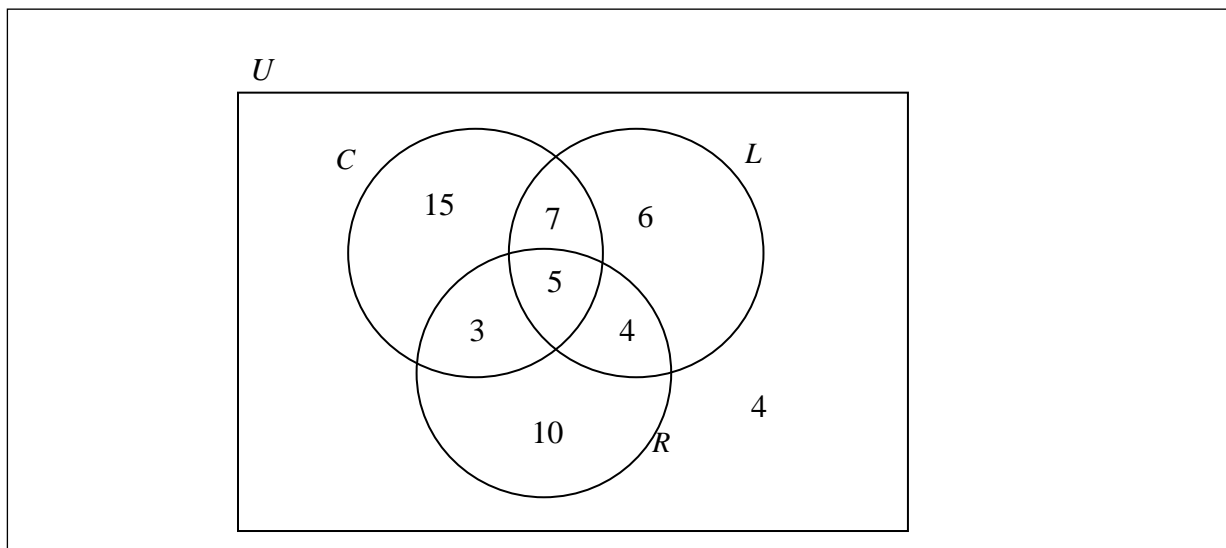
Reason	This gives the actual mean as estimates (mid-intervals) are not used.
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**Question 7****20 marks**

In a survey, 54 people were asked which political party they had voted for in the last three elections. The results are as follows:

- 30 had voted for the Conservatives
- 22 had voted for the Liberals
- 22 had voted for the Republicans
- 12 had voted for the Conservatives and for the Liberals
- 9 had voted for the Liberals and for the Republicans
- 8 had voted for the Conservatives and for the Republicans
- 5 had voted for all three parties.

(a) Represent the information in a Venn diagram.



(b) If one person is chosen at random, what is the probability that the person chosen did not vote in any of the three elections?

$$\text{Probability person did not vote} = \frac{4}{54} \text{ or } \frac{2}{27}$$

(c) If one person is chosen at random, what is the probability that the person chosen voted for at least two different parties?

$$\text{Probability person voted for at least two parties} = \frac{3+5+7+4}{54} = \frac{19}{54}$$

(d) If one person is chosen at random, what is the probability that the person chosen voted for the same party in all three elections?

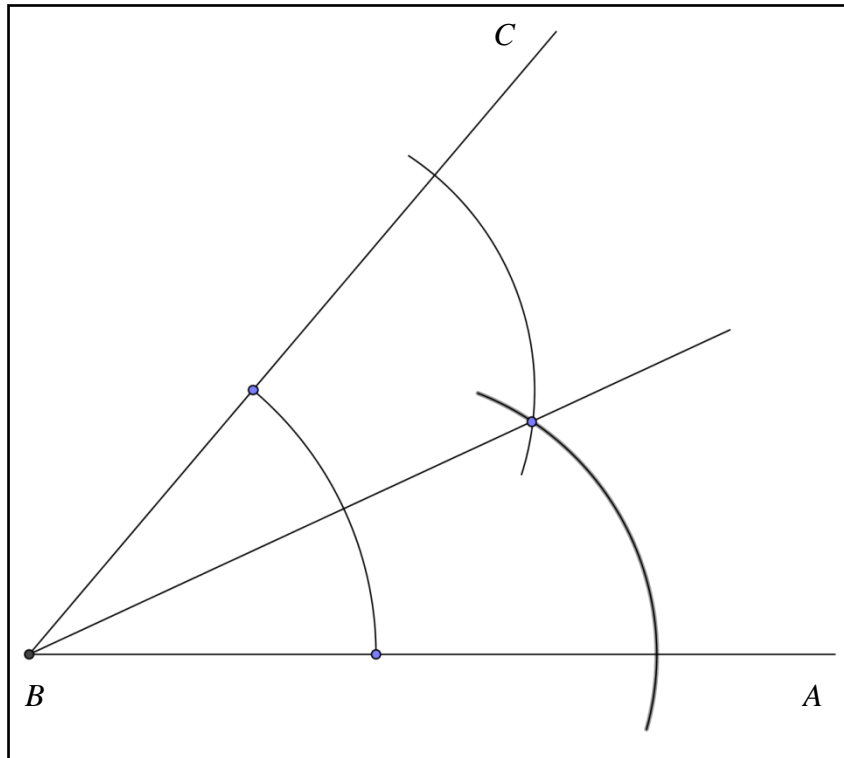
$$\text{Probability person voted for the same party} = \frac{15+6+10}{54} = \frac{31}{54}$$



**Question 8**

**10 marks**

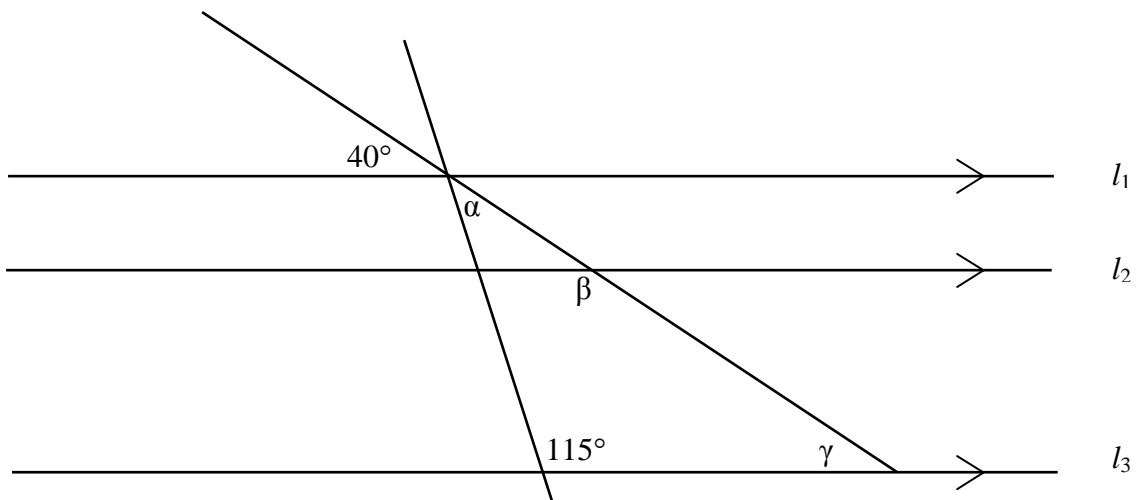
Construct the bisector of the  $\angle ABC$  below, using only a compass and straight edge. Show all construction work.



**Question 9**

**15 marks**

If  $l_1$ ,  $l_2$  and  $l_3$  are parallel lines, find the measure of the angles  $\alpha$ ,  $\beta$  and  $\gamma$ .



$$\alpha = 180 - (115 + 40) = 25^\circ$$

$$\beta = 180 - 40 = 140^\circ$$

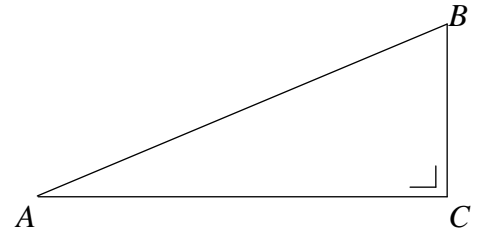
$$\gamma = 40^\circ$$

**Question 10****20 marks**

In the triangle  $ABC$ ,  $|AB| = 2$  and  $|BC| = 1$ .

(a) Find  $|AC|$ , giving your answer in surd form.

$$\begin{aligned} h^2 &= a^2 + b^2 \\ 2^2 &= |AC|^2 + 1^2 \\ \Rightarrow |AC| &= \sqrt{2^2 - 1^2} = \sqrt{3} \end{aligned}$$

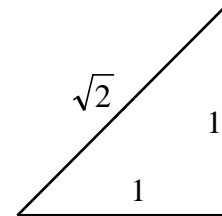


(b) Write  $\cos \angle BAC$  and hence find  $|\angle BAC|$ .

$$\begin{aligned} \cos \angle BAC &= \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \\ |\angle BAC| &= 30^\circ \end{aligned}$$

(c) Sketch a right angled isosceles triangle in which the equal sides are 1 unit each and use it to write  $\cos 45^\circ$  in surd form.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Hypotenuse} &= \sqrt{1^2 + 1^2} = \sqrt{2} \\ \cos 45^\circ &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \end{aligned}$$



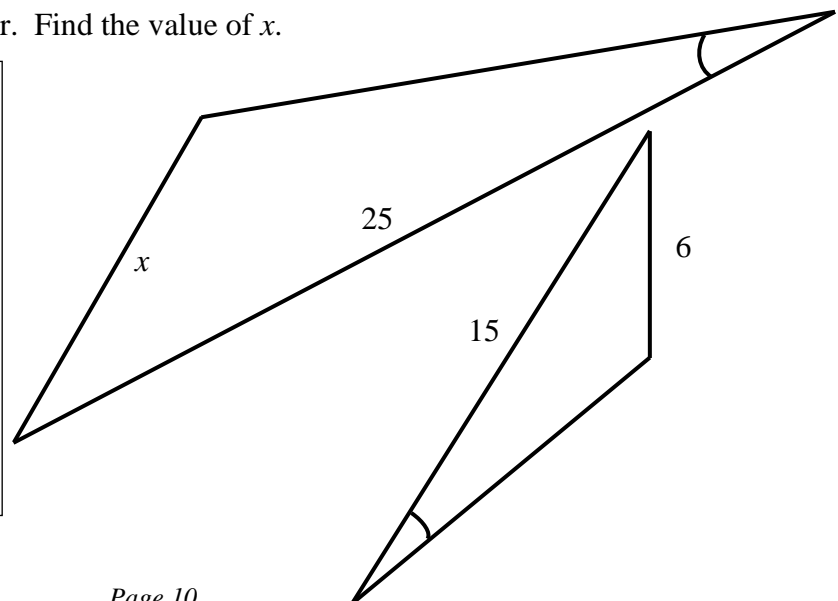
(d) Show that  $\cos 75^\circ \neq \cos 45^\circ + \cos 30^\circ$ .

$$\begin{aligned} \cos 75^\circ &= \frac{\sqrt{6} - \sqrt{2}}{4} = 0.2588 \\ \cos 45^\circ + \cos 30^\circ &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} = 0.7071 + 0.8660 = 1.5731 \\ (0.2588 &\neq 1.5731) \end{aligned}$$

**Question 11****10 marks**

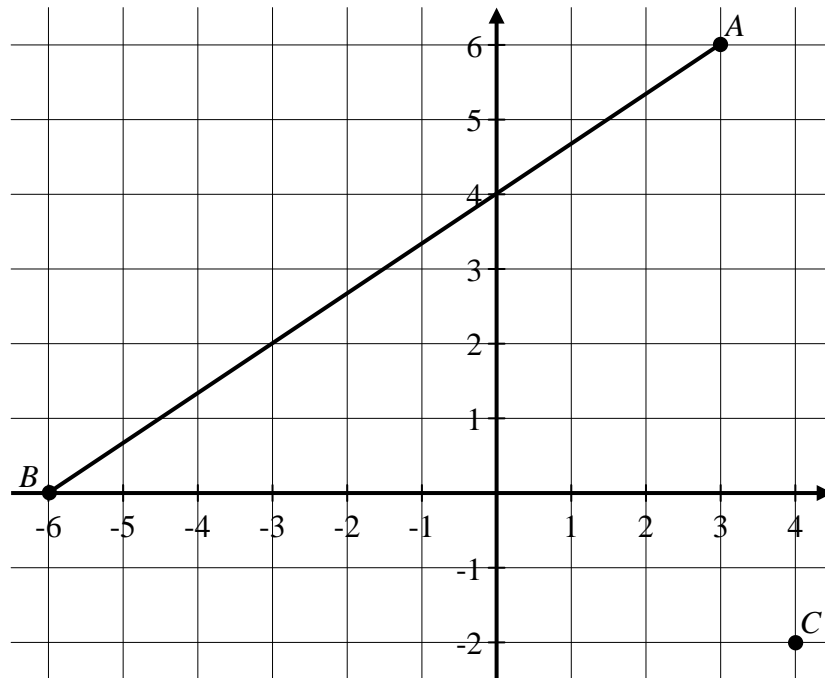
The two triangles shown are similar. Find the value of  $x$ .

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{x}{6} &= \frac{25}{15} \\ \Rightarrow x &= 10 \end{aligned}$$



Question 12

45 marks



- (a) Write the coordinates of  $A$ ,  $B$  and  $C$ .

$$A(3, 6) \quad B(-6, 0) \quad C(4, -2)$$

- (b) Find the co-ordinates of  $D$ , the mid-point of  $[AB]$ .

$$D = \left( \frac{3-6}{2}, \frac{6+0}{2} \right) = \left( -\frac{3}{2}, 3 \right)$$

- (c) Find the equation of the line  $AB$ .

$$\text{Slope } AB = \frac{0-6}{-6-3} = \frac{2}{3}$$

$$\text{Equation } AB: \quad y-0 = \frac{2}{3}(x+6) \quad \text{or} \quad y-6 = \frac{2}{3}(x-3)$$

or

$$y = \frac{2}{3}x + 4$$

$$2x - 3y + 12 = 0$$

- (d) Find the equation of the line through  $C$ , perpendicular to  $AB$ .

$$\text{Perpendicular slope} = -\frac{3}{2}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Line through } C: \quad y + 2 &= -\frac{3}{2}(x - 4) \\ 3x + 2y - 8 &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

**or**

$$\begin{aligned} \text{The line is of the form } 3x + 2y + c &= 0 \\ (4, -2): 3(4) + 2(-2) + c &= 0 \Rightarrow c = -8 \\ 3x + 2y - 8 &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

- (e) Let  $E$  be the point where this perpendicular line through  $C$  intersects  $AB$ . Calculate the coordinates of the point  $E$ .

$$\begin{aligned} E \text{ the point of intersection of two lines} \quad 2x - 3y + 12 &= 0 \text{ (i)} \\ 3x + 2y - 8 &= 0 \text{ (ii)} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} 2 \times \text{(i)} \quad 4x - 6y &= -24 & \text{or} & \quad y = \frac{2x + 12}{3} \\ + 3 \times \text{(ii)} \quad 9x + 6y &= 24 & & \Rightarrow 3x + 2\left(\frac{2x + 12}{3}\right) - 8 = 0 \\ & & & \Rightarrow 9x + 4x + 24 - 24 = 0 \\ & \Rightarrow x = 0 & \text{and} & \quad y = 4 \end{aligned}$$

- (f) Which is the shorter distance,  $|CD|$  or  $|CE|$ ? Find this distance.

$$|CD| = \sqrt{\left(4 + \frac{3}{2}\right)^2 + (-2 - 3)^2} = \sqrt{55 \cdot 25} \quad \text{or} \quad 7.433$$

$$|CE| = \sqrt{(4 - 0)^2 + (-2 - 4)^2} = \sqrt{52} \quad \text{or} \quad 7.211$$

$|CE|$  is the shorter distance

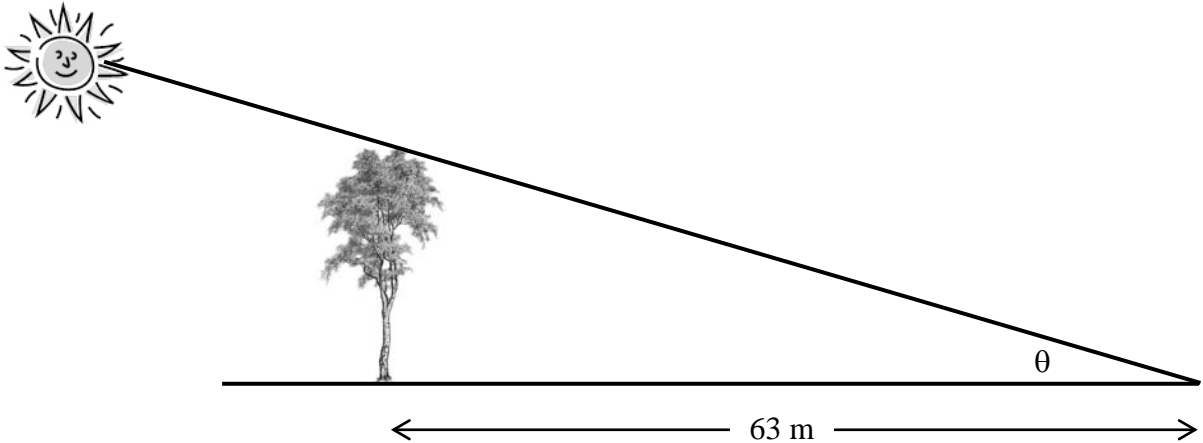
**or**

$|CE|$  (is the perpendicular distance and therefore is the shorter distance.)

$$|CE| = \sqrt{(4 - 0)^2 + (-2 - 4)^2} = \sqrt{52} \quad \text{or} \quad 7.211$$

**Question 13****10 marks**

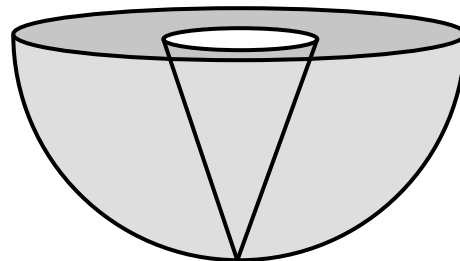
A tree 32 m high casts a shadow 63m long. Calculate  $\theta$ , the angle of elevation of the sun.  
Give your answer in degrees and minutes (correct to the nearest minute).



$\tan\theta$	$=$	$\frac{32}{63}$	<b>or</b>	$\tan\alpha$	$=$	$\frac{63}{32}$
$\Rightarrow\theta$	$=$	$26.9277$		$\Rightarrow\alpha$	$=$	$63.0723$
$\Rightarrow\theta$	$=$	$26^{\circ}55'39.64''$		$\Rightarrow\theta$	$=$	$90 - 63.0723$
	$=$	$26^{\circ}56'$			$=$	$26.9277$
					$=$	$26^{\circ}55'39.64''$
					$=$	$26^{\circ}56'$

**Question 14****20 marks**

A solid metal hemisphere has a radius of 12 cm.



(a) Calculate the volume of the hemisphere. Give your answer in terms of  $\pi$ .

Volume of hemisphere	$=$	$\frac{2}{3}\pi r^3$
	$=$	$\frac{2}{3} \times \pi \times 12^3$
	$=$	$1152\pi \text{ cm}^3$

- (b) A solid cone of radius 4 cm and height 12 cm is cut from the hemisphere. Calculate the volume of the cone. Give your answer in terms of  $\pi$ .

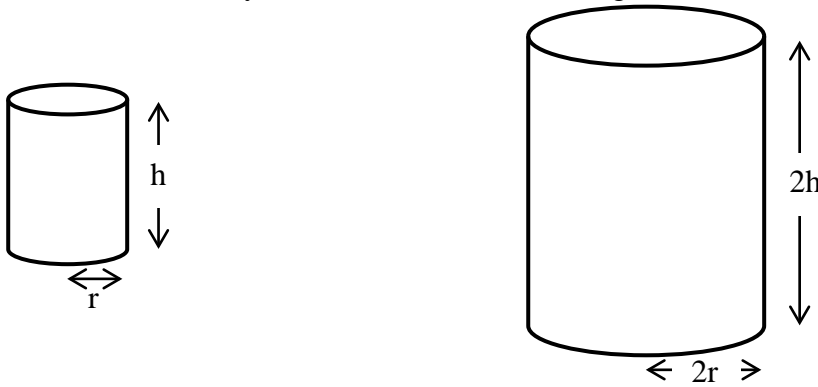
$$\begin{aligned}\text{Volume of cone} &= \frac{1}{3}\pi r^2 h \\ &= \frac{1}{3} \times \pi \times 4^2 \times 12 \\ &= 64\pi \text{ cm}^3\end{aligned}$$

- (c) The remaining metal in the hemisphere is melted down and recast into cones of the same dimensions as the cone above. How many cones can be formed from the remaining metal?

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Remaining metal} &= 1152\pi - 64\pi \\ &= 1088\pi \\ \text{Volume of cone} &= 64\pi \\ \text{Number of cones} &= \frac{1088\pi}{64\pi} \\ &= 17 \\ &\text{or} \\ \text{Number of cones} &= \frac{1152\pi}{64\pi} - 1 \\ &= 18 - 1 \\ &= 17\end{aligned}$$

**Question 15****20 marks**

The dimensions of two solid cylinders are shown in the diagrams below.



- (a) Calculate the ratio of the curved surface area of the smaller cylinder to the curved surface area of the larger cylinder.

Curved surface area of a cylinder	=	$2\pi rh$
Curved surface area of small cylinder	=	$2 \times \pi \times r \times h$
	=	$2\pi rh$
Curved surface area of large cylinder	=	$2 \times \pi \times (2r) \times (2h)$
	=	$8\pi rh$
Ratio	=	$2\pi rh : 8\pi rh$
	=	$1 : 4$

- (b) Calculate the ratio of the volume of the smaller cylinder to the volume of the larger cylinder.

Volume of a cylinder	=	$\pi r^2 h$
Volume of small cylinder	=	$\pi \times r^2 \times h$
	=	$\pi r^2 h$
Volume of large cylinder	=	$\pi \times (2r)^2 \times (2h)$
	=	$8\pi r^2 h$
Ratio	=	$\pi r^2 h : 8\pi r^2 h$
	=	$1 : 8$

## Structure of the marking scheme (Questions 1 – 15)

Candidate responses are marked according to different scales, depending on the types of response anticipated. Scales labelled A divide candidate responses into two categories (correct and incorrect). Scales labelled B divide responses into three categories (correct, partially correct, and incorrect), and so on. The scales and the marks that they generate are summarised in this table:

Scale label	A	B	C
No of categories	2	3	4
2 mark scale	0, 2	0, 1, 2	
5 mark scale	0, 5	0, 4, 5	0, 2, 3, 5
10 mark scale	0, 10	0, 5, 10	0, 3, 7, 10
15 mark scale	0, 15	0, 7, 15	0, 7, 12, 15

A general descriptor of each point on each scale is given below. More specific directions in relation to interpreting the scales in the context of each question are given in the scheme, where necessary.

### Marking scales – level descriptors

#### *A-scales (two categories)*

- incorrect response (no credit)
- correct response (full credit)

#### *B-scales (three categories)*

- response of no substantial merit (no credit)
- partially correct response (partial credit)
- correct response (full credit)

#### *C-scales (four categories)*

- response of no substantial merit (no credit)
- response with some merit (low partial credit)
- almost correct response (high partial credit)
- correct response (full credit)

In certain cases, typically involving incorrect rounding or omission of units, a mark that is one mark below the full-credit mark may also be awarded. Such cases are flagged with an asterisk.

Thus, for example, Scale 10C\* indicates that 9 marks may be awarded.



## Summary of mark allocations and scales to be applied

<b>Question 1 (20)</b> (a) 5C* (b) 5C* (c) 5C* (d) 5C	<b>Question 2 (30)</b> (a) 15C* (b) 5C (c) 5A (d) 5A	<b>Question 3 (15)</b> (a) 5C (b)(i) 5C (b)(ii) 5C	<b>Question 4 (10)</b> (a) 5A (b) 5A
<b>Question 5 (25)</b> (a) 5C (b) 15C (c) 5C*	<b>Question 6 (30)</b> (a) 15C (b) 10C (c) 5C	<b>Question 7 (20)</b> (a) 5C (b) 5A (c) 5B (d) 5B	<b>Question 8 (10)</b> 10A
<b>Question 9 (15)</b> 15C *	<b>Question 10 (20)</b> (a) 5C (b) 5C* (c) 5C (d) 5C	<b>Question 11 (10)</b> 10C	<b>Question 12 (45)</b> (a) 5C (b) 5C (c) 10C (d) 10C (e) 10C (f) 5C
<b>Question 13 (10)</b> 10C*	<b>Question 14 (20)</b> (a) 5C* (b) 5C* (c) 10C	<b>Question 15 (20)</b> (a) 10C (b) 10C	

## Detailed Marking Notes

The \* for units or rounding off is to be applied only if answer is fully correct. The \* is to be applied once only per question.

### Question 1

(a) Scale 5C\*

*High Partial Credit*

- $\sqrt{12^2 + 5^2}$

*Low Partial Credit*

- Some correct substitution into Pythagoras' theorem formula
- Correct formula from tables

Note: Apply \* if no units

(b) Scale 5C\*

*High Partial Credit*

- $\frac{1}{2}(5)(12)$

- $4 \times \frac{1}{2}(5)(12) = 120$

*Low Partial Credit*

- Area of a triangle =  $\frac{1}{2}(\text{base} \times \text{perpendicular height})$
- $2(5)(12)$
- Correct formula from tables

Note: Apply \* if no units

(c) Scale 5C\*

*High Partial Credit*

- $13^2$
- $17^2 - 4 \times 30$

*Low Partial Credit*

- $17^2$
- $4 \times 30$
- Area =  $l^2$  or  $l \times w$

Note: Accept candidate's answers from parts (a) and (b)

Note: Apply \* if no units

(d) Scale 5C

*High Partial Credit*

- $\frac{169}{0.4} = 422.5$
- $422.5 \times 0.2 = 84.5$
- $\frac{202.8}{0.4}$

*Low Partial Credit*

- $80 \times 50$
- 0.4 or 4000
- $0.4 \times 1.20$  or  $0.4 \times 0.2$
- $\frac{169}{0.4}$  or  $\frac{169}{4000}$  or 422.5
- Incorrect conversion of units
- Correct answer with no work

Note: Accept candidate's answers from previous parts

## Question 2

(a) Scale 15C\*

*High Partial Credit*

- 16 + ages placed correctly on both aerobics class and swimming class.

*Low Partial Credit*

- 1 to 15 ages placed correctly on either side

Note: It is not necessary to order the stem and leaf

Note: Apply \* if the key is missing or sides switched

(b) Scale 5C

*High Partial Credit*

- 37 to 39 **and** 29 to 31 given

*Low Partial Credit*

- One median only correct
- 37 or 39 or 29 or 31 given from a correctly ordered list

(c) Scale 5A

(d) Scale 5A

### Question 3

(a) Scale 5C

*High Partial Credit*

- 6, 7 or 8 probabilities correct

*Low Partial Credit*

- 1 to 5 probabilities correct

(b)(i) Scale 5C

*High Partial Credit*

- 2 paths correctly identified

*Low Partial Credit*

- 1 path correctly identified
- More than 3 paths listed with at least 1 correct

(b) (ii) Scale 5C

*High Partial Credit*

- The three probabilities  $\frac{1}{4}$ ,  $\frac{1}{12}$ ,  $\frac{1}{12}$  given
- Probability =  $\frac{1}{4} + \frac{1}{12} + \frac{1}{12}$
- Error in one probability with addition correctly completed

*Low Partial Credit*

- Probability for 1 or 2 paths correct

### Question 4

(a) Scale 5A

(b) Scale 5A

### Question 5

(a) Scale 5C

*High Partial Credit*

- $4171 \times 0.35$

*Low Partial Credit*

- 35%
- 0.35

(b) Scale 15C

*High Partial Credit*

- $\frac{2145}{7150} \times 100$        $\left( \text{or } \frac{2145 \cdot 02}{7150} \times 100 \right)$

*Low Partial Credit*

- 685      (or 685.17 or 686)

Note: Accept candidate's answer from part (a)

(c) Scale 5C\*

*High Partial Credit*

- $360 \times 0.3$
- 1 student =  $\frac{360}{7150} = 0.05^\circ$

*Low Partial Credit*

- 30% of 360
- Indication that the answer is a fraction of 360
- Identifies 7150 as 360

Note: Accept candidate's answer from part (b)

Note: Apply \* if units missing

## Question 6

(a) Scale 15C

*High Partial Credit*

- Entry  $\pm 2$  in not more than 2 frequencies.

*Low Partial Credit*

- Some correct entry in table

(b) Scale 10C

*High Partial Credit*

- Answer = 28.75

*Low Partial Credit*

- Error in numerator - e.g. incorrect mid-interval values or no mid-interval values
- Error in denominator
- Effort at mid-interval values
- Sum of frequencies indicated

(c) Scale 5C

*High Partial Credit*

- Correct method and correct answer. No reason given.

*Low partial Credit*

- Correct method only.

## Question 7

(a) Scale 5C

*High Partial Credit*

- 2 – 7 correct entries.

*Low Partial Credit*

- 1 correct entry

(b) Scale 5A

Note: Accept value from candidate's Venn diagram except where negative values used

Note: Answer must be consistent with candidate's Venn diagram

(c) Scale 5B

*Partial Credit*

- $\frac{3+5+7+4}{54}$
- Not more than one element incorrect or omitted

Note: Accept values from candidate's Venn diagram unless probability  $> 1$

Note: Answer must be consistent with candidate's Venn diagram

(d) Scale 5B

*Partial Credit*

- $\frac{15+6+10}{54}$
- Not more than one element incorrect or omitted

Note: Accept values from candidate's Venn diagram unless probability  $> 1$

Note: Accept value from candidate's Venn diagram except where negative values used

Note: Answer must be consistent with candidate's Venn diagram

## Question 8

Scale 10A

Note: Accept tolerance of  $\pm 2^\circ$

Note: All constructions must be shown

## Question 9

Scale 15C\*

*High Partial Credit*

- 2 angles correct

*Low Partial Credit*

- 1 angle correct
- Some correct work on alternate / corresponding/vertically opposite angles
- Some correct work on the angles in a straight line adding to  $180^\circ$  or  $\beta + \chi = 180^\circ$
- Some correct work on the angles of a triangle adding to  $180^\circ$

Note: Apply \* if units missing

### Question 10

(a) Scale 5C

*High Partial Credit*

- $\sqrt{2^2 - 1^2}$
- Answer not in surd form

*Low Partial Credit*

- Some correct substitution into Pythagoras' theorem formula
- $|\angle BAC| = 30^\circ$  or  $|\angle ABC| = 60^\circ$
- Correct formula from tables

(b) Scale 5C\*

*High Partial Credit*

- $\cos \angle BAC = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$

Note: Accept candidate's answer from part (a) if cos ratio < 1

Note: Apply \* if units missing

*Low Partial Credit*

- Some correct use of cos ratio
- Indication that  $\cos = \frac{\text{adjacent}}{\text{hypotenuse}}$
- $|\angle BAC|$  found without use of cos ratio

Note: Accept candidate's answer from part (a) if cos ratio  $\geq 1$

(c) Scale 5C

*High Partial Credit*

- Sketch drawn and  $\sqrt{2}$  found or sketch drawn and  $\sqrt{2}$  shown on diagram
- Answer not in surd form

*Low Partial Credit*

- Correct sketch drawn
- $\cos 45^\circ = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$  or  $\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}$  from tables/calculator
- Correct sketch drawn and  $\cos 45^\circ = 0.7071$  from calculator
- Indication that  $\cos = \frac{\text{adjacent}}{\text{hypotenuse}}$
- Some correct substitution into Pythagoras' theorem formula



(d) Scale 5C

*High Partial Credit*

- Both correct but not in forms in which they can be easily compared
- Calculator in incorrect mode

*Low Partial Credit*

- $\cos 75^\circ$  found correctly
- $\cos 45^\circ$  and/ or  $\cos 30^\circ$  found or transferred from part (b) and part(c)

### Question 11

Scale 10C

*High Partial Credit*

- $\frac{x}{6} = \frac{25}{15}$  or equivalent

*Low Partial Credit*

- Corresponding sides/angles identified
- One correct relevant ratio
- Indication that corresponding sides are proportional

### Question 12

(a) Scale 5C

*High Partial Credit*

- 2 points correct

*Low Partial Credit*

- 1 point correct
- All 3 reversed (y, x)

(b) Scale 5C

*High Partial Credit*

- Correct substitution into midpoint formula
- Both  $x$  and  $y$  reversed in substitution

*Low Partial Credit*

- Some correct substitution into midpoint formula
- One ordinate correct
- Coordinates reversed
- Correct formula from tables

Note: Correct answer written in part (b) merits full marks.

Note: Accept candidate's points from part (a)

(c) Scale 10C

*High Partial Credit*

- Error in slope but continues correctly
- Correct slope with 1 incorrect substitution into a line formula
- Correct slope but both  $x$  and  $y$  reversed in substitution

*Low Partial Credit*

- Some correct substitution into slope formula
- Slope found
- Some correct substitution into line formula
- Indication that slope =  $\frac{\text{rise}}{\text{run}}$
- Correct formula from tables

Note: It is not necessary to write the equation in the form  $ax + by + c = 0$  for full marks.

(d) Scale 10C

*High Partial Credit*

- Error in slope but continues correctly
- Correct slope with 1 incorrect substitution into a line formula
- Correct slope but both  $x$  and  $y$  reversed in substitution

*Low Partial Credit*

- Some correct substitution into line formula
- Slope correct
- Indication that the product of the slopes of perpendicular lines is  $-1$
- $3x + 2y + c = 0$
- Correct formula from tables

Note: It is not necessary to write the equation in the form  $ax + by + c = 0$  for full marks

(e) Scale 10C

*High Partial Credit*

- One (correct) ordinate only found
- 1 error in simplifying equations in parts (c) or (d) but solved correctly

*Low Partial Credit*

- More than 1 error in simplifying equations from parts (c) and (d) in this part and continues with some correct work
- Equations from parts (c) **and** (d) correctly simplified in this part
- Point  $E$  correctly read from graph. Graph must have perpendicular line correctly drawn from  $C$  - otherwise 0 marks
- Equations from parts (c) and (d) correctly simplified but continues incorrectly

Note: Accept candidate's equations from parts (c) and (d)

(f) Scale 5C

*High Partial Credit*

- $|CD|$  and  $|CE|$  both found but no indication of shorter distance

*Low Partial Credit*

- Some correct substitution into distance formula
- $|CD|$  only found
- States  $|CE|$  ( or perpendicular distance) is the shorter but  $|CE|$  not found
- $|CE|$  found but not identified
- Correct formula from tables

### Question 13

Scale 10C\*

*High Partial Credit*

- $\theta = 26.9277$
- Calculator in incorrect mode

*Low Partial Credit*

- $\tan\theta = \frac{32}{63}$
- Correct relevant trigonometric formula
- Indication that  $\tan = \frac{\text{opposite}}{\text{adjacent}}$

Note: Apply \* if answer not correctly rounded to the nearest minute and/or no units

### Question 14

(a) Scale 5C\*

*High Partial Credit*

- Volume of sphere found
- $\frac{2}{3} \times \pi \times 1728$

*Low Partial Credit*

- Correct or some correct substitution into volume of sphere/hemisphere formula
- Volume of hemisphere =  $\frac{1}{2}$  (Volume of sphere)
- Incorrect relevant formula used
- Correct formula from tables

Note: Apply \* if answer not written in terms of  $\pi$  and/or no units

(b) Scale 5C\*

*High Partial Credit*

- $\frac{1}{3} \times \pi \times 16 \times 12$

*Low Partial Credit*

- Correct or some correct substitution into volume of cone formula
- Incorrect relevant formula used
- Correct formula from tables

Note: Apply \* if answer not written in terms of  $\pi$  and/or no units(if not applied in part (a))

(c) Scale 10C

*High Partial Credit*

- $\frac{1152\pi}{64\pi} = 18$
- $\frac{1088\pi}{64\pi}$

*Low Partial Credit*

- Subtraction of candidate's volumes
- Indication of division by  $64\pi$

Note: Accept candidate's values from previous parts provided answer in part (a) is greater than answer in part (b) – otherwise 0 marks

### Question 15

(a) Scale 10C

*High Partial Credit*

- Both  $2\pi rh$  and  $8\pi rh$  written
- Values substituted for r and h and correct ratio found

*Low Partial Credit*

- Some correct substitution into curved surface area of cylinder formula
- $2 \times \pi \times r \times h$  and /or  $2 \times \pi \times 2r \times 2 h$  written
- Incorrect relevant formula used
- Values substituted for r and h and ratio incorrect
- Correct answer without work
- Correct formula from tables

(b) Scale 10C

*High Partial Credit*

- Both  $\pi r^2 h$  and  $8\pi r^2 h$  written
- Values substituted for r and h and correct ratio found

*Low Partial Credit*

- Some correct substitution into volume of cylinder formula
- $\pi \times r^2 \times h$  and/or  $\pi \times (2r)^2 \times 2h$  written
- Values substituted for r and h and ratio incorrect
- Incorrect relevant formula used
- Correct answer without work
- Correct formula from tables