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# GCSE MATHEMATICS

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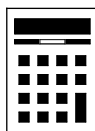
Paper 2 Calculator

Time allowed: 1 hour 30 minutes

## Materials

For this paper you must have:

- a calculator
- mathematical instruments.



## Instructions

- Use black ink or black ball-point pen. Draw diagrams in pencil.
- Fill in the boxes at the top of this page.
- Answer **all** questions.
- You must answer the questions in the spaces provided. Do not write outside the box around each page or on blank pages.
- If you need extra space for your answer(s), use the lined pages at the end of this book. Write the question number against your answer(s).
- Do all rough work in this book. Cross through any work you do not want to be marked.

## Information

- The marks for questions are shown in brackets.
- The maximum mark for this paper is 80.
- You may ask for more answer paper, graph paper and tracing paper. These must be tagged securely to this answer book.

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<b>TOTAL</b>	

## Advice

In all calculations, show clearly how you work out your answer.



Answer **all** questions in the spaces provided.

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- 1** Circle the factor of  $x^2 - 5x$  **[1 mark]**

$x - 1$

$-5x$

$x - 5$

$5x$

- 2**  $A$  is half of  $B$ .  
Work out the ratio  $A : B$   
Circle your answer. **[1 mark]**

$1 : 2$

$2 : 1$

$1 : 3$

$3 : 1$

- 3** The first three terms of a geometric progression are  $\frac{2}{3}$   $\frac{4}{9}$   $\frac{8}{27}$   
Circle the fourth term. **[1 mark]**

$\frac{10}{81}$

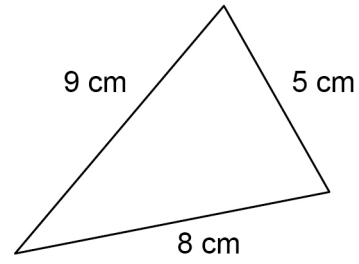
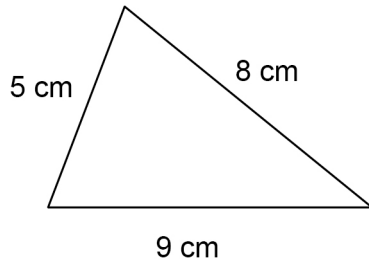
$\frac{14}{81}$

$\frac{16}{81}$

$\frac{32}{81}$



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Circle the reason why these triangles are congruent.

[1 mark]

ASA

RHS

SAS

SSS

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Solve  $10x = 62.4 - 3x$ 

[2 marks]

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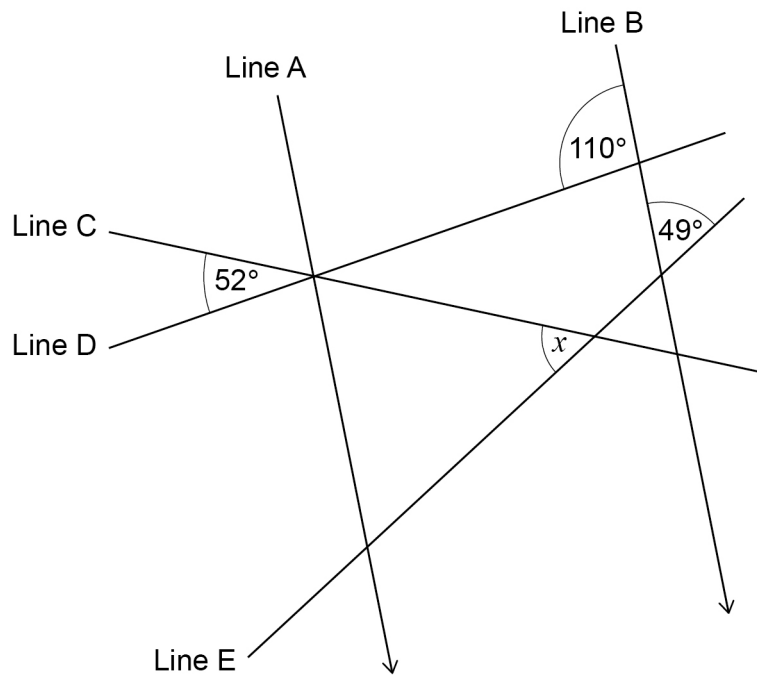
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 $x =$  \_\_\_\_\_

- 6 Lines A, B, C, D and E intersect as shown.  
Lines A and B are parallel.



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Work out the size of angle  $x$ .

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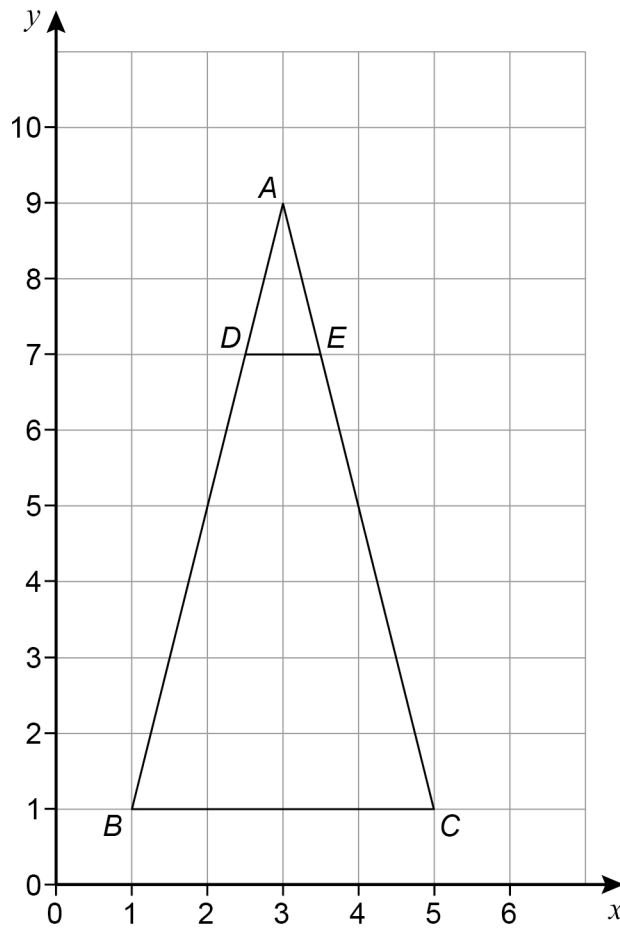
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Answer \_\_\_\_\_ degrees





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Describe fully the **single** transformation that maps triangle  $ABC$  to triangle  $ADE$ .

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 $p$  is a positive number. $n$  is a negative number.

For each statement, tick the correct box.

**[4 marks]**

	Always true	Sometimes true	Never true
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$p - n$ is positive	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
$p^2 + n^2$ is positive	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
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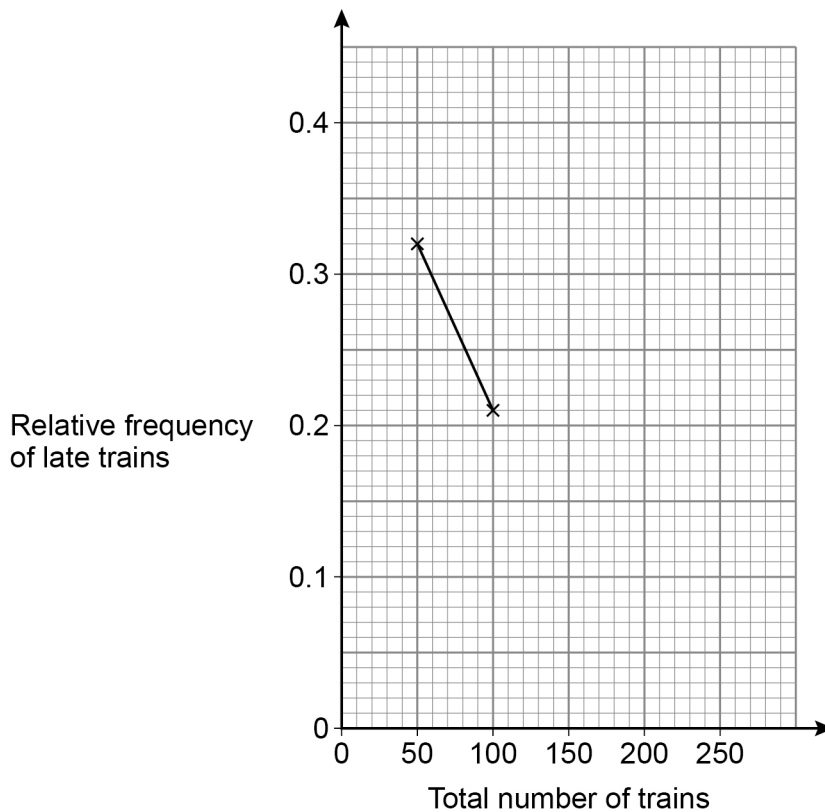


- 11** 250 trains arrived at a station.  
The number of trains that were late was recorded after every 50 trains.  
The table shows some information about the results.

<b>Total number of trains</b>	50	100	150	200	250
<b>Total number of late trains</b>	16	21	36	38	55
<b>Relative frequency of late trains</b>	0.32	0.21			

- 11 (a)** Complete the relative frequency graph.

**[3 marks]**



- 11 (b)** Write down the best estimate of the probability that a train arriving at the station is late.

**[1 mark]**

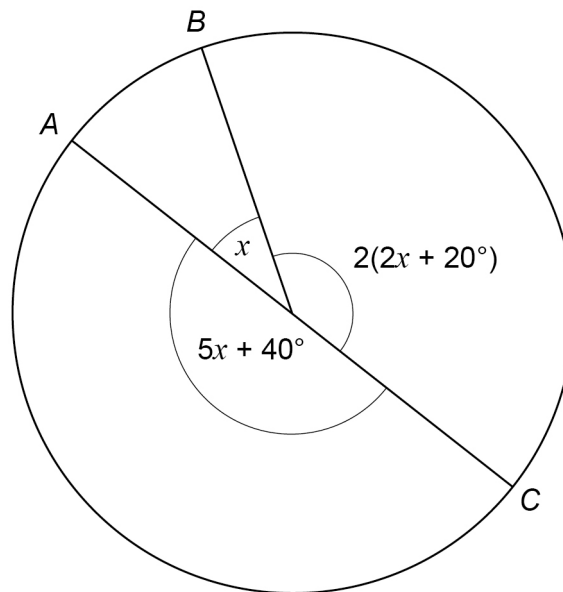
Answer \_\_\_\_\_



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$A$ ,  $B$  and  $C$  are three points on a circle.  
The radii from  $A$ ,  $B$  and  $C$  are shown.

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accurately



Is  $AC$  a diameter of the circle?

You **must** show your working.

[3 marks]

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A straight line

has gradient 6

and

passes through the point (3, 19)

Work out the equation of the line.

Give your answer in the form  $y = mx + c$ **[3 marks]**

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Answer \_\_\_\_\_

**Turn over for the next question**

**14** The population of butterflies in a park is 4200

**14 (a)** Assume that the population increases by 12% each day.

Show that after 20 days the population would be greater than 40 000

**[2 marks]**

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**14 (b)** In fact, the population  
increases by 13% each day for 19 days  
then  
**decreases** by 8% for 1 day.

After the 20 days, is the actual population greater than 40 000 ?

Tick a box.

Yes

No

Show working to support your answer.

**[2 marks]**

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- 14 (c)** The expected number of visitors to the park each day depends on the temperature.

Temperature	Expected number of visitors each day
Less than 21°C	700
21°C or more	900

On each of the 30 days in June

the park is open

the probability that the temperature is less than 21°C is 0.4

Work out the **total** number of expected visitors to the park in June.

**[3 marks]**

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Answer \_\_\_\_\_



**15**  $L$  is directly proportional to  $D^2$

$$L = 85 \text{ when } D = 10$$

**15 (a)** Work out an equation connecting  $L$  and  $D$ .

**[3 marks]**

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**15 (b)** Work out the value of  $L$  when  $D = 5$

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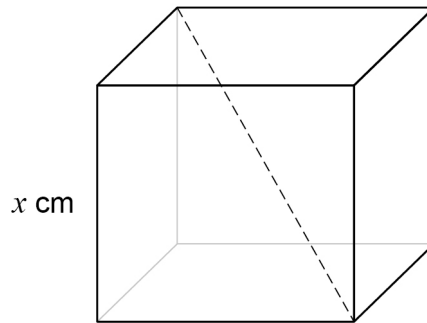
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- 16** Here is a cube with edge length  $x$  cm  
One diagonal is shown.



- 16 (a)** Circle the length, in centimetres, of the diagonal.

[1 mark]

$\sqrt{3}x$

$\sqrt[3]{3x^2}$

$\sqrt{x^3}$

$\sqrt[3]{3}x$

- 16 (b)** The total length, in centimetres, of the edges of the cube is a multiple of 18  
Circle the correct statement.

[1 mark]

$x$  is a  
whole number

$x$  is not a  
whole number

$x$  might be a  
whole number

Turn over for the next question

Turn over ►



- 17** 20 people were asked which device they used more often, laptop or phone.  
The table shows the results.

	Laptop	Phone
Male	2	9
Female	4	5

- 17 (a)** One male and one female are chosen at random.

Work out the probability that **exactly** one of them said laptop.

**[3 marks]**

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Answer \_\_\_\_\_

- 17 (b)** Two males are chosen at random.

Work out the probability that they **both** said phone.

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Answer \_\_\_\_\_



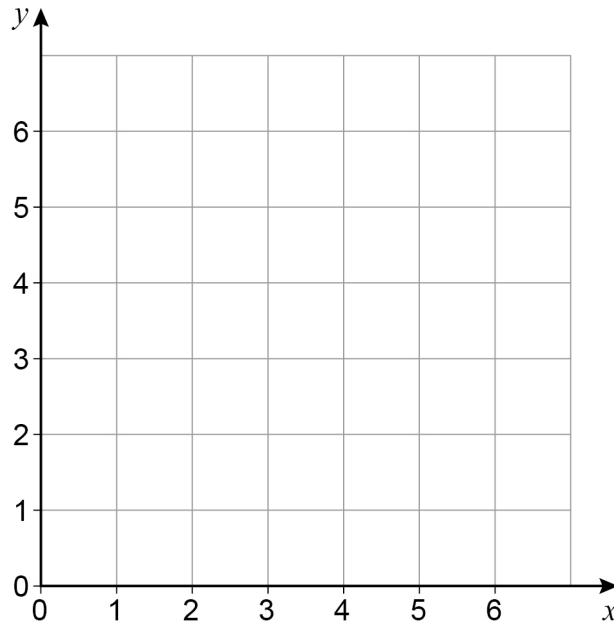


18 On the grid, identify the region represented by

$$x \leq 5 \quad y \leq 4 \quad x + y > 6$$

Label the region R.

[3 marks]

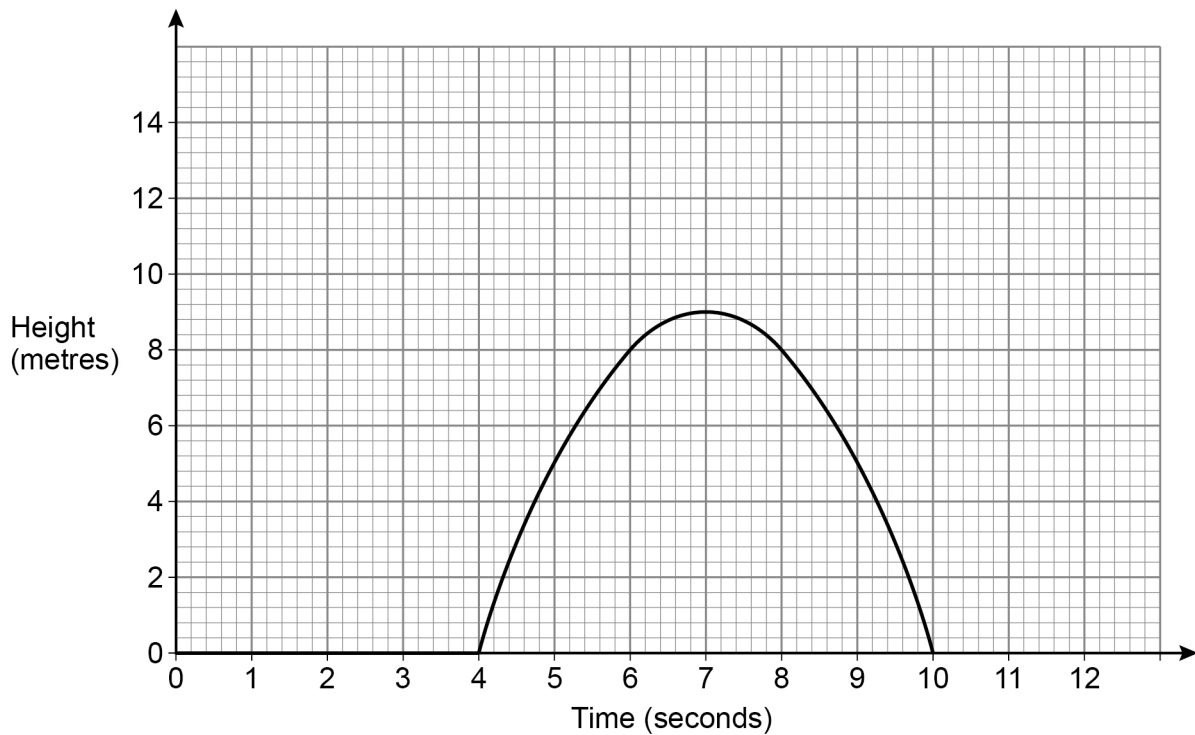


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- 19** The graph shows the height above ground of a toy rocket for 10 seconds.



- 19 (a)** For how long is the rocket in the air?  
Circle your answer.

[1 mark]

10 seconds

9 seconds

6 seconds

4 seconds



- 19 (b)** Using the graph, estimate the speed of the rocket after 6 seconds.  
State the units of your answer.

**[3 marks]**

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Answer \_\_\_\_\_

- 20** A square has an area of 0.25 square metres.  
Circle the length, in **centimetres**, of one side of the square.

**[1 mark]**

0.5 cm

5 cm

50 cm

500 cm

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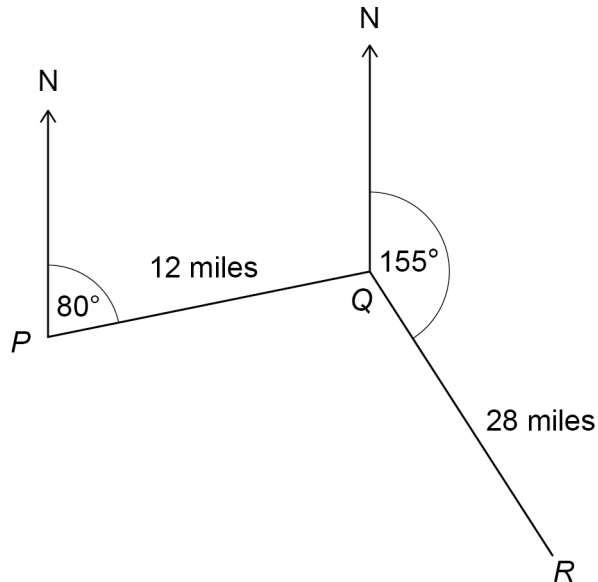


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A ship sails from  $P$  to  $Q$  and then from  $Q$  to  $R$ .

$Q$  is 12 miles from  $P$ , on a bearing of  $080^\circ$

$R$  is 28 miles from  $Q$ , on a bearing of  $155^\circ$



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Work out the direct distance from  $P$  to  $R$ .

[4 marks]

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Answer \_\_\_\_\_ miles



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The flight of a plane was in two stages.  
The table shows information about the flight.

	Distance (miles)	Speed (mph)	Time (hours)
<b>1st stage</b>	731	$x$	$\frac{731}{x}$
<b>2nd stage</b>	287	$x - 24$	$\frac{287}{x - 24}$

In total, the flight lasted 2 hours.

Work out the value of  $x$ .

**[5 marks]**

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Answer \_\_\_\_\_



25 The equation of a curve is  $y = x^2 + 14x + 52$

By completing the square, work out the coordinates of the turning point.

You **must** show your working.

[3 marks]

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Answer ( \_\_\_\_\_ , \_\_\_\_\_ )

END OF QUESTIONS





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