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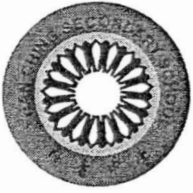
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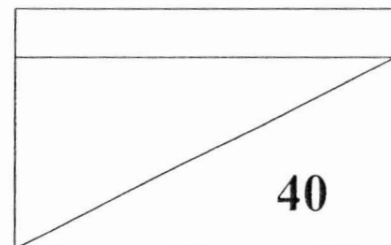
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Answer **all** the questions.

1 V is directly proportional to the square root of p . Given that $V = 36$ when $p = 16$, find

(a) an equation connecting V and p ,

(b) the value of V when $p = 0.04$,

(c) the value of p when $V = \frac{1}{3}$.

Answer (a) [2]

(b) $V =$ [1]

(c) $p =$ [1]

2 Expand and simplify the following.

(a) $(x + 2)(3x + 7)$,

(b) $6x^2 - x(1 - 2x)$.

Answer (a) [1]

(b) [1]

3 Factorise each of the following completely.

(a) $2x^2 + 9 + 9x$,

(b) $25x^2 - 100$,

(c) $x(y - 1) + 1 - y$,

(d) $6mx - 3kx - 4ky + 8my$.

Answer (a) [1]

(b) [2]

(c) [2]

(d) [2]

- 4 (a) Given that $(x + y)^2 = 10$ and $x^2 + y^2 = 6$, find the value of xy .
 (b) Evaluate the following using the special products of algebraic expressions.
 (i) 99^2 ,
 (ii) 103×97 .

Answer (a) $xy = \dots\dots\dots$ [1]

(bi) $\dots\dots\dots$ [2]

(bii) $\dots\dots\dots$ [2]

- 5 Express each of the following as a single fraction in its simplest form.

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

(b) $\frac{5}{x} - \frac{4}{x+2}$.

Answer (a) $\dots\dots\dots$ [1]

(b) $\dots\dots\dots$ [2]

6 Simplify the following.

(a) $\frac{5y}{10x} \times \frac{6x^2y}{3xy^3}$

(b) $\frac{x^2 + 2x}{2x^2 + x - 6}$

Answer (a) [1]

(b) [2]

7 Given that $T = \sqrt{y - \frac{1}{2}x}$,

(a) express x in terms of y and T ,

(b) hence, find the value of x when $y = 10.5$ and $T = \frac{2}{3}$.

Answer (a) $x =$ [2]

(b) $w =$ [1]

- 8 It is given that $x = 4$ is a root of the equation $2x^2 - (k+1)x - 12 = 0$, where k is a constant. Find
- (a) the value of k ,
 - (b) the other root of the equation.

Answer (a) $k = \dots\dots\dots$ [2]

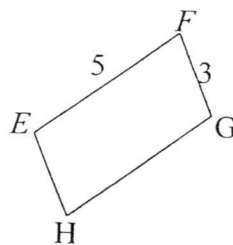
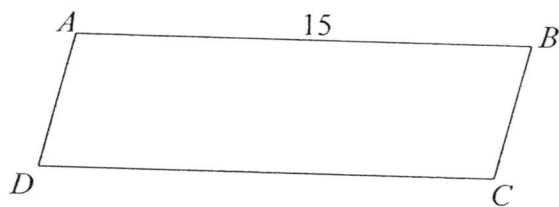
(b) $x = \dots\dots\dots$ [2]

- 9 Using the elimination method, solve the pair of simultaneous equations

$$\begin{aligned} 7x - 3y &= 4, \\ 3y + 5x &= 2. \end{aligned}$$

Answer $x = \dots\dots\dots$, $y = \dots\dots\dots$ [3]

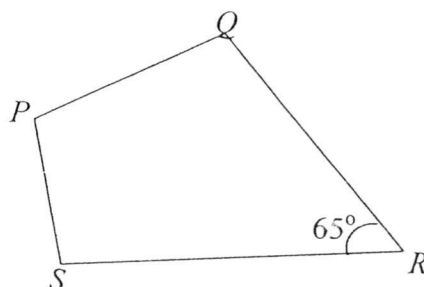
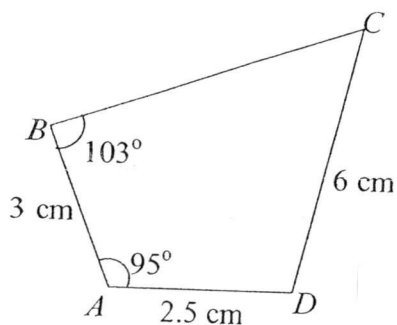
- 10 In the diagram, the parallelograms $ABCD$ and $EFGH$ are similar.
The dimensions given are in cm.
(a) Calculate the scale factor of enlargement/reduction,
(b) find the length of BC .
(The figures are not drawn to scale)



Answer (a) [1]

(b) $BC =$ cm [1]

- 11 Given that $ABCD$ is congruent to $PSRQ$, find
(a) the length of PS ,
(b) $\angle PQR$.
(The figures are not drawn to scale.)



Answer (a) $PS =$ cm [1]

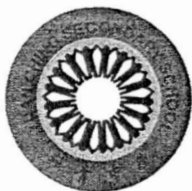
(b) $\angle PQR =$ $^\circ$ [2]

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Answer Key

Qn	Answers
1a	$V = 9\sqrt{p}$
1b	$V = 45$
1c	$\frac{1}{729}$
2a	$3x^2 + 13x + 14$
2b	$8x^2 - x$
3a	$(2x + 3)(x + 3)$
3b	$25(x - 2)(x + 2)$
3c	$(x - 1)(y - 1)$ or $(1 - x)(1 - y)$ or $-(x - 1)(1 - y)$ or $-(1 - x)(y - 1)$
3d	$(3x + 4y)(2m - k)$
4a	$xy = 2$
4b	9801
4c	9991
5a	$\frac{5x - 10}{6}$
5b	$\frac{x + 10}{x^2 + 2x}$
6a	$\frac{1}{y}$
6b	$\frac{x}{2x - 3}$
7a	$x = 2(y - T^2)$
7b	$x = 20\frac{1}{9}$
8a	$k = 4$
8b	$x = -1\frac{1}{2}$
9a	$x = \frac{1}{2}$
9b	$x = -\frac{1}{6}$
10a	Enlargement = 3, reduction = $\frac{1}{3}$
10b	$BC = 9$ cm
11a	$PS = 3$ cm
11b	$\angle PQR = 97^\circ$



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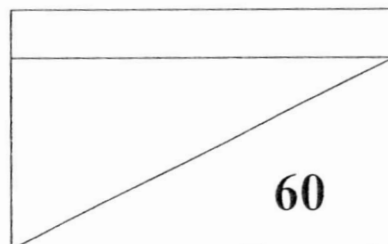
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- 1 (a) A map is drawn to a scale of 2 cm : 3 km.
- (i) Express the scale of the map in the form 1 : r . [1]
- (ii) Calculate the actual area, in km^2 , of a region Y , which is represented by 3 cm^2 on the map. [2]
- (b) An area of 5 cm^2 on another map represents an actual area of 20 km^2 . Calculate the actual distance, in km, represented by a length of 4 cm on the map. [2]
- 2 The rate, r , of a tap filling a tank is inversely proportional to the time, t , taken for the tank to be filled. When the rate is 6 l/min, the time taken is 12 minutes. If the rate is 16 l/min, find the time taken for the tank to be filled. [2]
- 3 Expand and simplify each of the following.
- (a) $x(3x + 2y)(c + d)$, [1]
- (b) $2(4x - 3) - (3x - 1)^2$, [2]
- (c) $(5y - 3x + 2)(-x - y)$. [2]
- 4 Using the special products of algebraic expressions of $a^2 - b^2 = (a + b)(a - b)$, factorise and simplify the expression $(x + y)^2 - (x - y)^2$. [2]
- 5 Express the following as a single fraction in its simplest form.
- (a) $\frac{3x^2y^3}{11u^2v} \div \frac{9xy^2}{11u^3v^2xy}$, [2]
- (b) $\frac{8x - 4x^2}{3y + 5} \times \frac{5v + 3vy}{(2 - x)^2}$, [2]
- (c) $\frac{7}{y - 2} + \frac{y + 3}{y^2 + y - 6}$, [2]
- (d) $\frac{1}{(x + 1)^2} + \frac{3(x - 1)}{x + 1} - 2$. [3]

- 6 The numerator of a fraction is 7 less than 3 times of its denominator. If 2 and 3 are added to the numerator and denominator respectively, the new fraction is equivalent to $\frac{7}{3}$. Find the original fraction.

[4]

- 7 Solve the following equations.

(a) $4x^2 - 24x + 36 = 0$,

[2]

(b) $(2x - 5)^2 = 49$,

[3]

(c) $\frac{3}{x-2} = \frac{2x-1}{3}$.

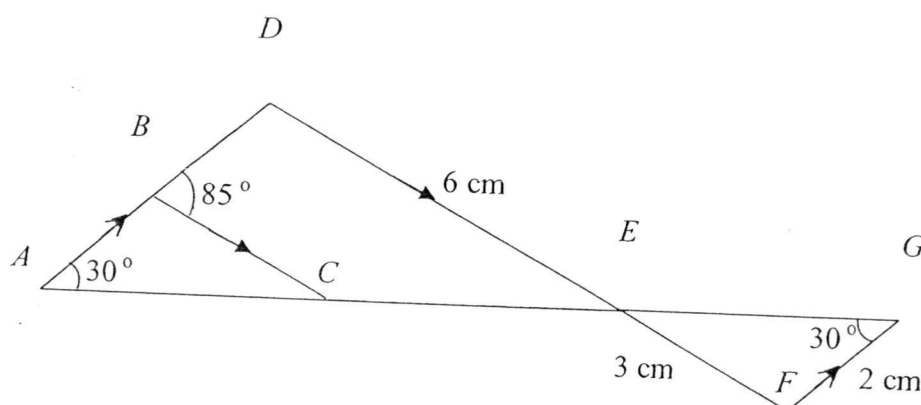
[3]

- 8 Solve the pair of simultaneous equations

[3]

$$\begin{aligned} x - 3y &= 4, \\ 2y + 5x &= 3. \end{aligned}$$

- 9 In the figure below, $\triangle ABC$ and $\triangle GFE$ are congruent.



- (a) Find $\angle ABC$,

[1]

- (b) Find $\angle GFE$,

[1]

- (c) Find the length of BC ,

[1]

- (d) State the triangle that is similar to $\triangle ADE$.

[1]

- 10 Mr Eddie paid \$108 for some chairs. Each chair cost him \$ x .
- (a) Find an expression, in terms of x , for the number of chairs he bought. [1]
- (b) He gave 2 of the chairs to a friend and sold all the remaining chairs each for \$2 more than its cost price.
- (i) Find an expression, in terms of x , for the sum of money that he collected from the sale of the chairs. [2]
- (ii) Mr Eddie made a profit of \$20 from the sale of the chairs. Form an equation, in terms of x , and show that it reduces to $x^2 + 12x - 108 = 0$. [3]
- (iii) Solve the equation in (b)(ii) to find the number of chairs that Mr Eddie bought. [3]

11 Answer the whole of this question on a sheet of graph paper.

The following table shows some of the values for the equation $y = x^2 - x + 1$.

x	-2	-1	0	1	2
y	7	3	1	k	3

- (a) Find the value of k . [1]
- (b) Using a scale of 4 cm to represent 1 unit for x -axis and 2 cm to represent 1 unit for y -axis, draw the graph $y = x^2 - x + 1$. [3]
- (c) Using your graph, write down .
- (i) the value of y when $x = 1.5$, [1]
- (ii) the values of x when $y = 2.5$, [2]
- (iii) the coordinates of the minimum point, [1]
- (iv) the equation of the line of symmetry of the curve. [1]

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Answer Key

Qn	Answers
1(a)(i)	1 : 1 500
1(a)(ii)	$6\frac{3}{4}$
1(b)	8 km
2	$t = 4\frac{1}{2}$ min
3(a)	$3cx^2 + 3dx^2 + 2cxy + 2dxy$
3(b)	$-9x^2 + 14x - 5$
3(c)	$3x^2 - 5y^2 = 2xy - 2x - 2y$
4	$4xy$
5(a)	$\frac{x^2y^2uv}{3}$
5(b)	$\frac{4xv}{2-x}$
5(c)	$\frac{8}{y-2}$
5(d)	$\frac{x^2 - 4x - 6}{(x+1)^2}$
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7(a)	$x = 3$
7(b)	$x = 6$ or $x = -1$
7(c)	$x = 10$ or $x = -6$
8	$x = 1$ and $y = -1$
9(a)	$\angle ABC = 95^\circ$
9(b)	$\angle GFE = 95^\circ$
9(c)	$BC = 3$ cm
9(d)	$BD = 2$ cm
9(e)	$\triangle ADC$ or $\triangle GFE$
10(a)	$\frac{108}{x}$ chairs
10(b)(i)	$\left(\frac{108}{x} - 2\right)(x+2)$
10(b)(iii)	18 chairs



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- 1 Expand and simplify $2(2 - m)^2 - m(5 - 4m)$.

Answer : [2]

- 2 The mean weight of 40 students in a class is 52.6 kilograms. After one student is removed from the class, the mean weight decreased to 52.2 kilograms. Find the weight of the student who was removed from the class.

Answer :kg [2]

- 3 Given that $a - b = 3$ and $ab = 5$, find, without the use of a calculator, the value of $a^2 + b^2$.

Answer : [2]

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- 4 y is inversely proportional to the square of x . When $x = 4$, $y = 0.25$.

(a) Find the values of x when $y = 25$.

Answer (a): $x = \dots\dots\dots$ [3]

(b) Describe the change in y when x is halved.

Answer (b): $\dots\dots\dots$
 $\dots\dots\dots$
 $\dots\dots\dots$ [1]

- 5 (a) Solve $3x^2 + 7x - 6 = 0$.

Answer (a): $x = \dots\dots\dots$ [2]

(b) Hence state the positive value of y for which $\frac{3}{y^2} + \frac{7}{y} - 6 = 0$.

Answer (b): $y = \dots\dots\dots$ [1]

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6 Factorise completely

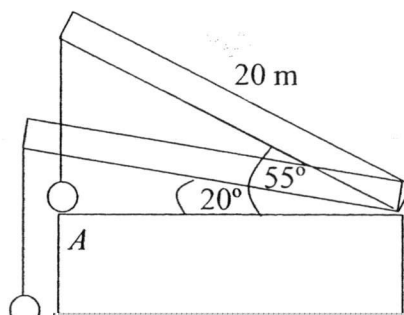
(a) $28x^2 - 343$

Answer (a): [2]

(b) $6a^2 - 3ay - 8y + 16a$

Answer (b): [2]

- 7 A crane arm 20 meters long lowers a parcel from A to B . When the parcel is at A , the crane arm makes an angle of 55° with the horizontal. When the parcel is at B , the crane arm makes an angle of 20° with the horizontal. Find the vertical distance moved by the parcel.



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The waiting times, to the nearest minute, of twelve customers queuing at the cashier of a supermarket are recorded as a list:

4, 3, 4, 2, 5, 3, 4, 1, 2, 6, 3, 4

(a) Complete the dot diagram.

Answer (a):

[1]

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- 10 Each letter of the word "PIONEERS" is written on an identical card. The cards are then placed inside a box. Rainee picks a card at random from the box.

Find the probability that

(a) the letter P is chosen,

Answer (a): [1]

(b) the letter A is chosen,

Answer (b): [1]

(c) the letter E or S is chosen,

Answer (c): [1]

(d) a letter with a horizontal line of symmetry is chosen.

Answer (d): [1]

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11 Solve the following equations.

(a) $\frac{x+3}{7} - \frac{4x-5}{6} = x$

Answer (a): $x = \dots\dots\dots$ [2]

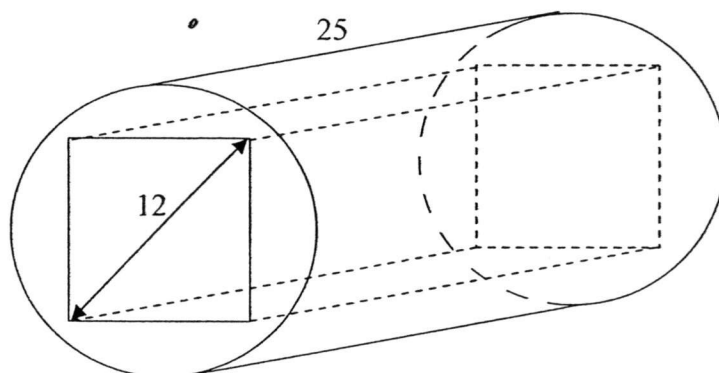
(b) $\frac{y-1}{y+2} = \frac{y}{3y+2}$

Answer (b): $y = \dots\dots\dots$ [3]

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- 12 A solid cylinder of base radius 8 cm and length 25 cm has a square cross section of diagonal 12 cm removed from the cylinder, as shown in the diagram.



Find the total surface area of the remaining solid.

Answer : cm^2 [5]

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- 13 The Day Safari charges \$ x for an adult ticket and \$ y for a child ticket. The Lee family consists of 2 adults and 3 children. They paid a total of \$49. The Lim family consists of 3 adults and 1 child. They paid a total of \$56. Write down two equations in terms of x and y . Hence find the value of x and of y .

Answer : $x = \dots\dots\dots$, $y = \dots\dots\dots$ [4]

- 14 Thomas measured the heights of 30 students in his class. The table below shows the results.

Heights (cm)	Frequency
$130 < h \leq 140$	6
$140 < h \leq 150$	k
$150 < h \leq 160$	8
$160 < h \leq 170$	5

- 14 (a) Find the value of k .

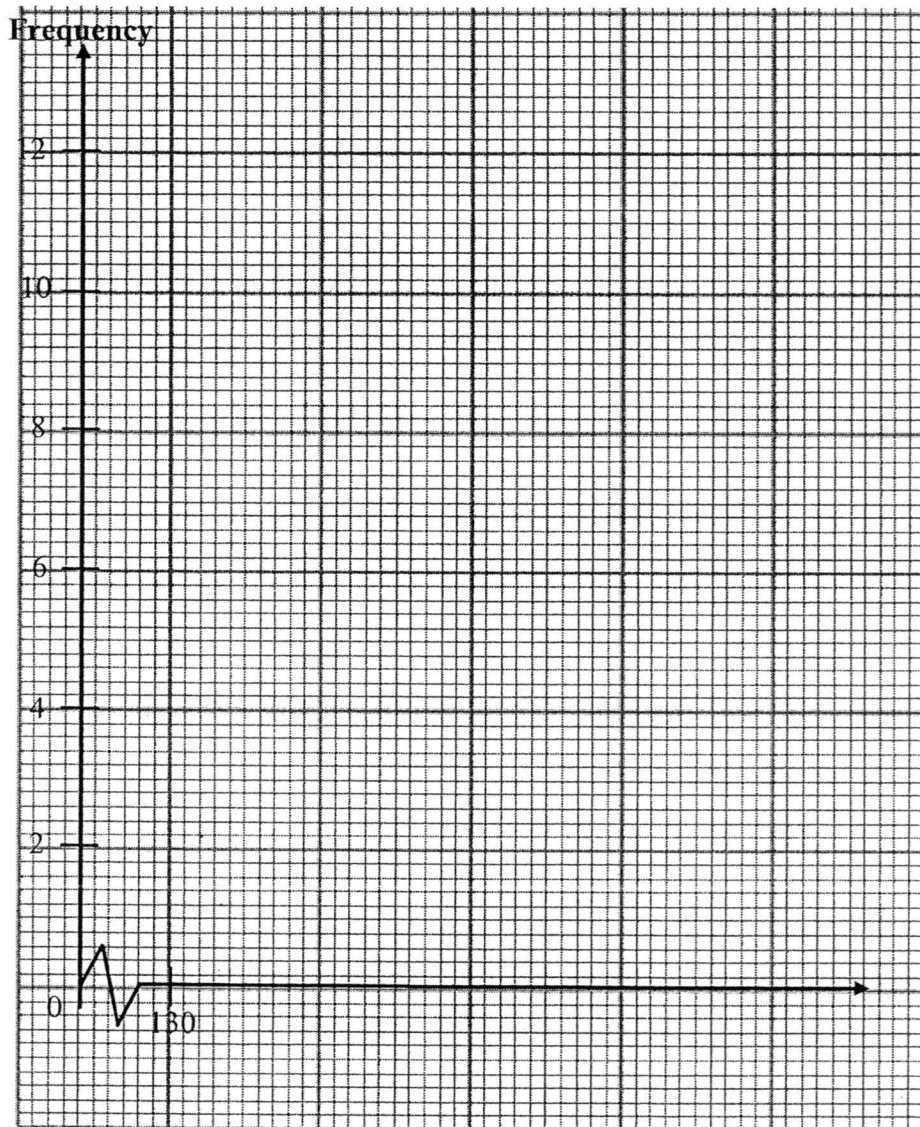
Answer (b): $k = \dots\dots\dots$ [1]

- (b) On the grid below, draw the histogram representing the data.

Use a scale of 2 cm to 10 cm on the horizontal h -axis.

Answer (b):

[2]



- (c) Give one reason why a histogram is better than a pie chart.

Answer (c):

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Answer Key

1. 14.4 km/h

2(a) 30° (b) 20° (c) 130°

3(a) 120° (b) 13 cm

4(a) $x = \frac{y}{2}$ (b) $m + n = 5q$

5(a) $a = -1$ (b) $c = -2$

6. $x = 6\frac{2}{3}$ cm

7(a) 70° (b) 70° (c) 110°

8(a) $5x + 5$ (b) $6x - 3$ (c) $\frac{4x + 3}{6}$

9(a) 13.3 cm (b) 11.9 cm

10(a) 14.7 km (b) 6.75 kg

11(a) $a = 20$ (b) $b = 5.5$ (c) $c = 1$

12(a) $2x$ (b) $x + 3$ (c) $x = 7$

13(a) 4.47 m (b) 12 cm (c) 19.2 cm

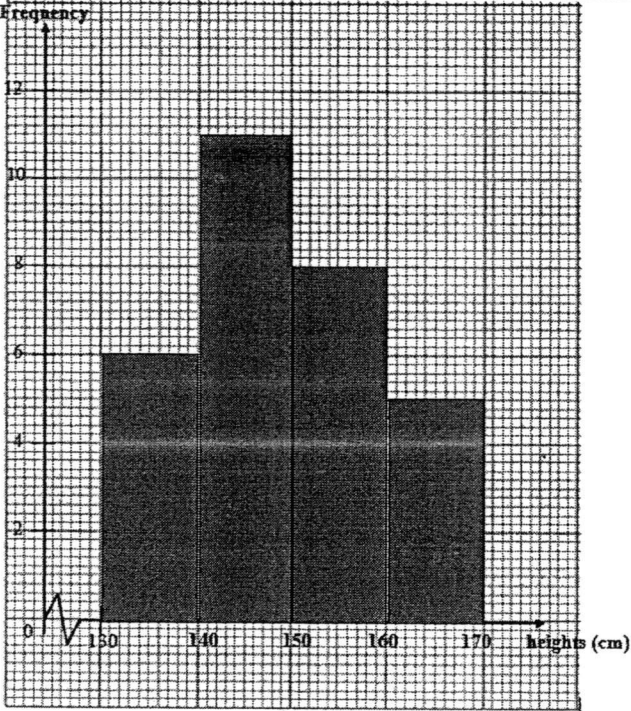
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1.	$2(2-m)^2 - m(5-4m)$ $= 2(4-4m+m^2) - 5m + 4m^2$ $= 8-8m+2m^2 - 5m + 4m^2$ $= 6m^2 - 13m + 8$	M1 A1
2.	$40 \times 52.6 - 39 \times 52.2 = 2104 - 2035.8 = 68.2 \text{ kg}$	M1, A1
3.	$a^2 + b^2 = (a-b)^2 + 2ab$ $= 3^2 + 2(5)$ $= 19$	M1 A1
4(a)	$y = \frac{k}{x^2}$ When $x = 4$ and $y = 0.25$, $0.25 = \frac{k}{4^2}$ $k = 4$ Hence $y = \frac{4}{x^2}$ or $yx^2 = 4$ When $y = 25$, $25 = \frac{4}{x^2}$ $x^2 = \frac{4}{25}$ $x = -\frac{2}{5} \text{ or } \frac{2}{5}$	M1 A1 A1
4(b)	When x is halved, the value of y is increased 4 times. Also accept: the value of y is multiplied by 4.	B1
5(a)	$3x^2 + 7x - 6 = 0$ $(3x-2)(x+3) = 0$ $x = \frac{2}{3} \text{ or } x = -3$	M1 A1
5(b)	$\frac{1}{y} = \frac{2}{3} \Rightarrow y = 1\frac{1}{2}$	B1

6(a)	$28x^2 - 343 = 7(4x^2 - 49)$ $= 7(2x - 7)(2x + 7)$	M1 A1
6(b)	$6a^2 - 3ay - 8y + 16a = 3a(2a - y) - 8(y - 2a)$ $= 3a(2a - y) + 8(2a - y)$ $= (3a + 8)(2a - y)$	M1 A1
7	$\sin 55^\circ = \frac{x}{20} \Rightarrow x = 20 \sin 55^\circ = 16.383$ $\sin 20^\circ = \frac{y}{20} \Rightarrow y = 20 \sin 20^\circ = 6.8404$ $16.383 - 6.8404 = 9.54 \text{ m (3 sf)}$	M1 M1 A1
8(a)	$\cos \angle PRQ = \frac{6}{15}$ $\angle PRQ = \cos^{-1}\left(\frac{6}{15}\right) = 66.4^\circ \text{ (1 dp)}$	M1 A1
8(b)	Set $\frac{1}{3}(2^2)h = 20$ $h = \frac{3 \times 20}{2^2} = 15 \text{ cm}$	M1 A1
9(a)		B1 – all correct
9(b)	$\frac{3 + 4}{2} = 3.5$	B1
9(c)	4	B1
9(d)	Agree, because there are more dots from 1 to 3 minutes as compared to 5 to 6 minutes. Accept: The number of dots at 2 and 5 minutes are not equal. The number of dots at 3 and 4 minutes are not equal.	B1

10(a)	$\frac{1}{8}$	B1
10(b)	0	B1
10(c)	$\frac{3}{8}$	B1
10(d)	The letters with horizontal line of symmetry are I, O, E $\frac{4}{8} = \frac{1}{2}$	B1
11(a)	$\frac{x+3}{7} - \frac{4x-5}{6} = x$ $\frac{6(x+3) - 7(4x-5)}{42} = x$ $6x+18-28x+35=42x$ $-22x+53=42x$ $64x=53$ $x = \frac{53}{64}$	M1 A1
11(b)	$\frac{y-1}{y+2} = \frac{y}{3y+2}$ $(y-1)(3y+2) = y(y+2)$ $3y^2 - y - 2 = y^2 + 2y$ $2y^2 - 3y - 2 = 0$ $(2y+1)(y-2) = 0$ $y = -\frac{1}{2} \text{ or } y = 2$	M1 M1 A1

12	Curved surface area = $2\pi(8)(25) = 400\pi$ or 1256.6 (5 sf) Let side of square be x cm. $x^2 + x^2 = 12^2$ $2x^2 = 144$ $x^2 = 72$ $x = \sqrt{72}$ or 8.4853 (5 sf) Two ends = $2\left[\pi(8)^2 - (\sqrt{72})^2\right] = 2[64\pi - 72] = 128\pi - 144$ or 258.12 (5 sf) Four rectangles = $4[\sqrt{72} \times 25] = 100\sqrt{72}$ or 848.53 (5 sf) Total = $400\pi + 128\pi - 144 + 100\sqrt{72}$ = 2363.29 = 2360 cm² (3 sf)	B1 M1 M1(✓) M1(✓) A1
13	$2x + 3y = 49$ $3x + y = 56 \Rightarrow y = 56 - 3x$ Sub $y = 56 - 3x$ into $2x + 3y = 49$ $2x + 3(56 - 3x) = 49$ $2x + 168 - 9x = 49$ $-7x = -119$ $x = 17$ Then, $y = 56 - 3(17) = 5$	B1 – for both equations M1(✓) A1 A1
14(a)	$k = 30 - 6 - 8 - 5 = 11$	B1

14(b)		B1 – horizontal axis scale correct, and labelled B1 – all bars correct height
14(c)	A histogram is better than a pie chart because the heights of the histogram represents the frequencies and hence the frequencies can be easily compared at a glance (while the sectors of a pie chart are less easy to compare.)	B1