



Write your name here

Surname

Other names

# Scholarship Examination

**Subject: Mathematics Specimen Paper**

**Time: 1 Hour**

**You must have your mathematical set.**

**Total Marks**

50

## Instructions

- Use **black** ink or ball-point pen.
- **Fill in the boxes** at the top of this page with your name.
- Answer **all** questions.
- Answer the questions in the spaces provided.
- Show all the steps in any calculations.

## Information

- The total mark for this paper is 50
- The marks for **each** question are given.
  - *Use this as a guide as to how much time to spend on each question.*

## Advice

- Read each question carefully before you start to answer it.
- Keep an eye on the time.
- Write your answers neatly and in good English.
- Try to answer every question.
- Check your answers if you have time at the end.

**[Turn over]**

1 Choose a suitable metric unit to measure each of the following.

the mass of a letter	
the height of a house	
the capacity of a bath	

[2]

2 Solve the equation

$$4b + 11 = 39$$

$$b = \text{.....} \quad [1]$$

3 A carpet costs \$15 per square metre.  
The total delivery charge is \$21

Peter buys  $n$  square metres of carpet.

Tick (✓) the expression which represents the total cost in \$.

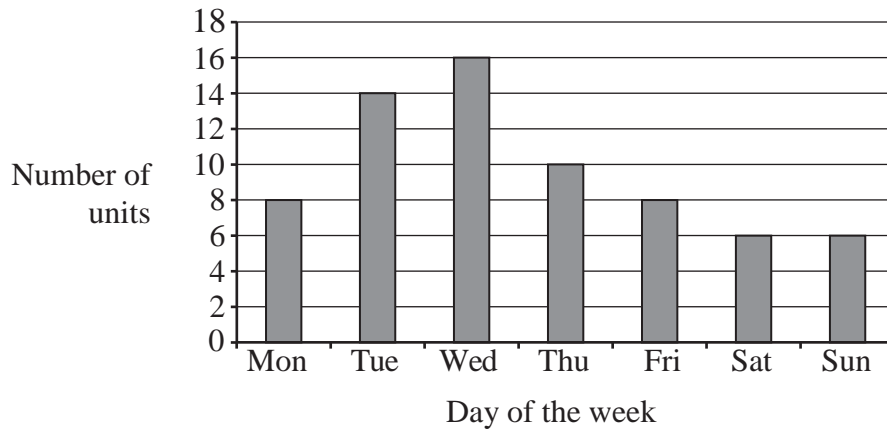
$21(n + 15)$

$15(n + 21)$

$15n + 21$

$21n + 15$

[1]



Over the seven days shown,

**(a)** calculate the total number of units produced,

..... units [1]

**(b)** calculate the mean number of units produced per day.

..... units [1]

- 5 The table shows hourly rates of pay in a factory.

Day rate	Night rate
\$7.20 per hour	\$8.80 per hour

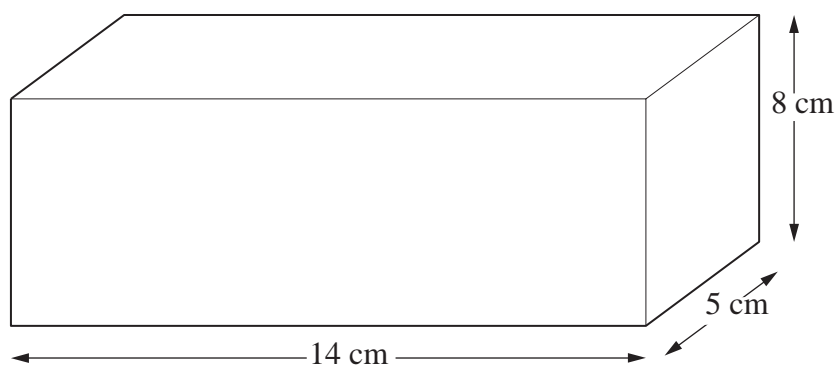
Sanjit works for 6 hours during the day on Monday and for 5 hours on Tuesday night.

Calculate how much money Sanjit earns altogether.

\$ .....

[2]

- 6 A cuboid has dimensions 8 cm, 5 cm and 14 cm.



NOT TO  
SCALE

Find the volume of the cuboid.

..... cm<sup>3</sup> [1]

- 7 A teacher asks all the students in her class to write down an algebraic expression. Julie writes down this expression:

$$4n - 5$$

The expression that Jim writes down is:

$$2n + 14$$

What value of  $n$  makes the value of Julie's expression **equal to** the value of Jim's expression?

You must show your working.

$$n = \dots\dots\dots [2]$$

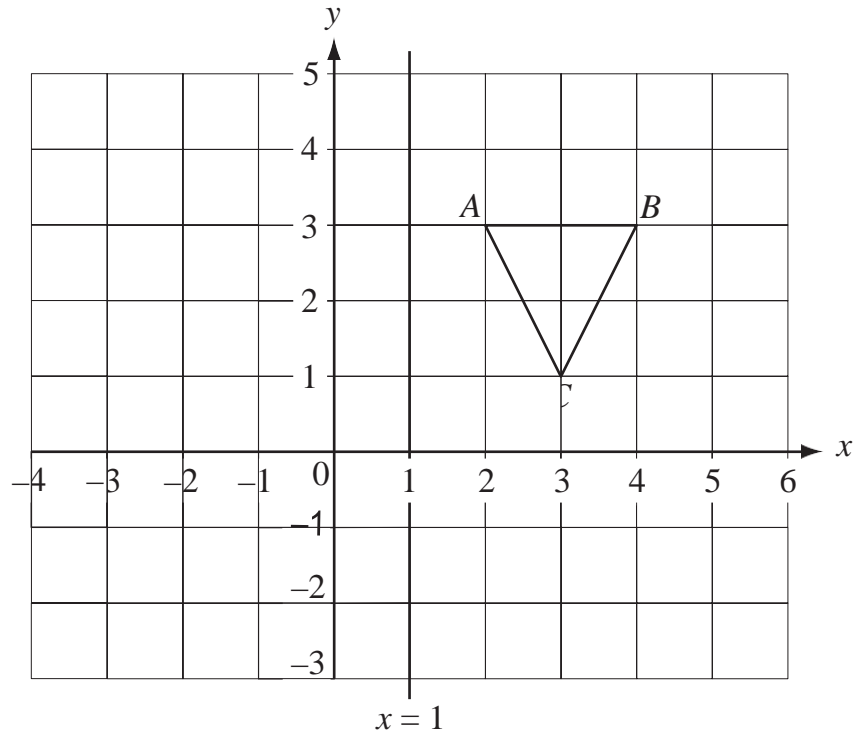
- 8 Pupils in Grade 7 and Grade 8 can study either Arabic, Spanish **or** Mandarin.

Complete the two-way table.

	Arabic	Spanish	Mandarin	Total
Grade 7	11			45
Grade 8		19		
Total		37	50	120

[2]

9 Look at the diagram below.



(a) Write down the co-ordinates of the point  $B$ .

( ..... , ..... ) [1]

(b) The triangle  $ABC$  is reflected in the line  $x = 1$  to give a new triangle  $PQR$ .

Draw the new triangle  $PQR$  on the diagram above.

[2]

- (c) The original triangle  $ABC$  is rotated  $90^\circ$  clockwise about the point  $(3, 1)$  to give another triangle.

Write down the co-ordinates of the new position of  $B$ .

( ..... , ..... ) [1]

- (d) The diagram is drawn on a one centimetre grid.

Work out the area of the triangle  $ABC$ .

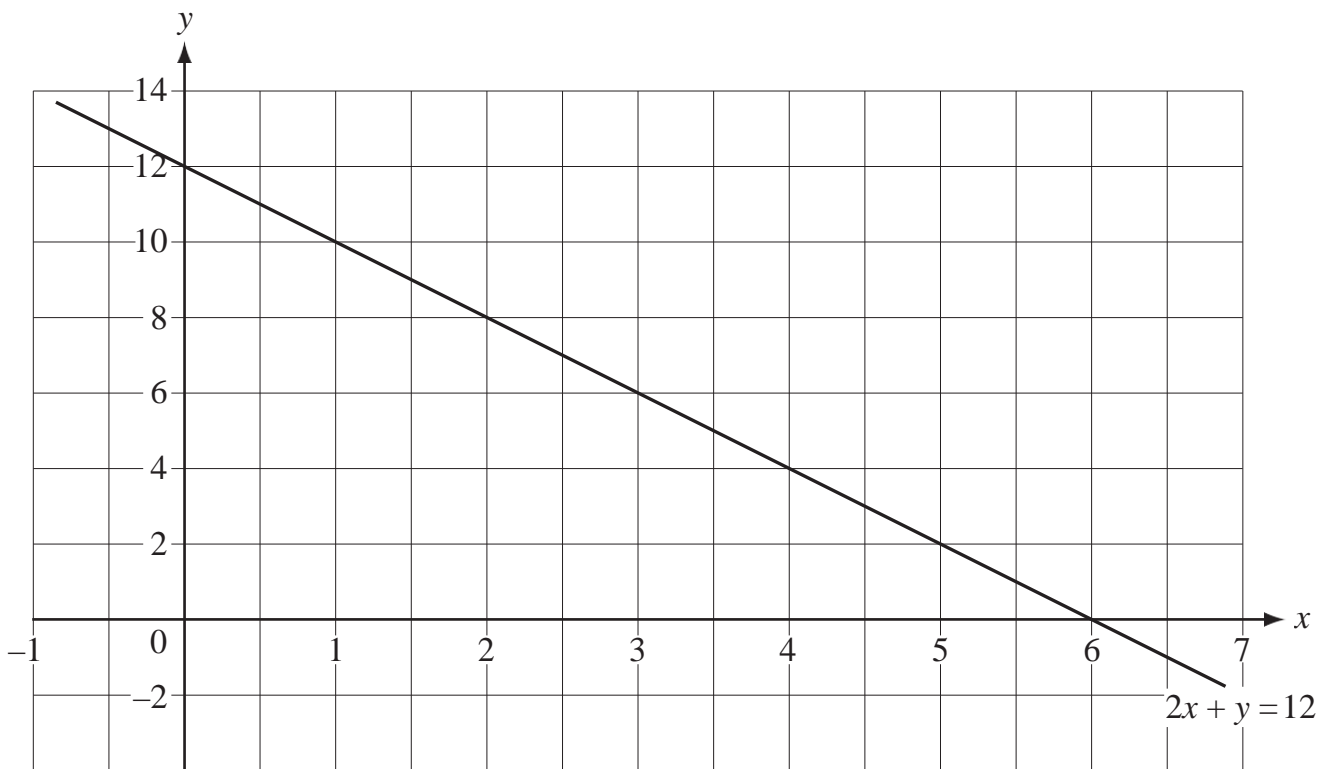
.....  $\text{cm}^2$  [1]

- 10 Andy, Brian and Charlie share \$72 in the ratio 2:3:4

Work out how much Brian receives.

\$ ..... [2]

- 11 The grid shows the straight line with equation  $2x + y = 12$



- (a) A different equation is  $y = 2x + 2$   
Complete the table of values for  $y = 2x + 2$

x	0	2	4	6
y	2			

[1]

- (b) Draw the line  $y = 2x + 2$  on the grid.

[1]

- (c) Write down the solution to the simultaneous equations.

$$\begin{aligned} 2x + y &= 12 \\ y &= 2x + 2 \end{aligned}$$

$x =$  .....

$y =$  ..... [1]

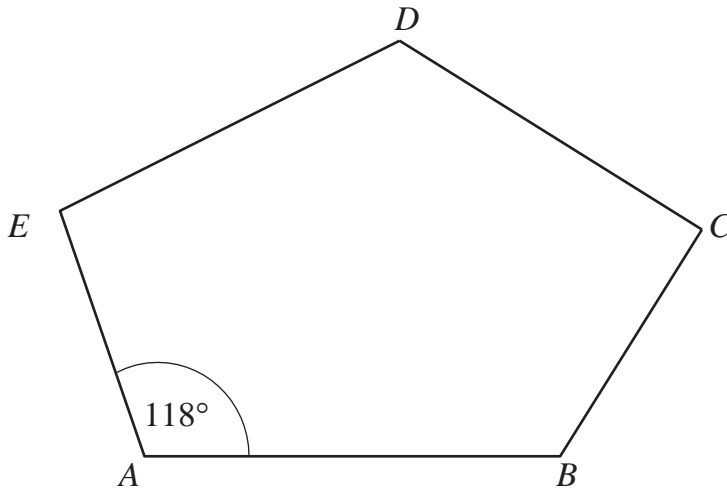


- 12 Tim thinks of a number.  
His number rounded to 2 decimal places is 5.46

What is the **smallest** possible number Tim could have thought of?

..... [1]

- 13 The diagram shows a pentagon  $ABCDE$ .



NOT TO  
SCALE

Angle  $EAB = 118^\circ$

Explain how you can tell from the size of this angle that the pentagon is **not** regular.

.....  
 .....  
 ..... [1]

14 Factorise

$$y^2 - 8y$$

..... [1]

15 Part of a train timetable is shown below.

Windermere	13 45	14 17	14 44	15 17
Staveley	13 53	14 25	14 52	15 25
Burneside	13 57	14 29	14 56	15 29
Kendal	14 02	14 34	15 01	15 34
Oxenholme	14 06	14 38	15 05	15 38

Grace wants to travel from Staveley to Kendal.  
She arrives at Staveley station at 14 30

(a) How long will she have to wait for the train?

..... minutes [1]

(b) How long will the train journey take from Staveley to Kendal?

..... minutes [1]

(c) Sam arrived at Kendal on the train that left Windermere at 14 17.

How long does he need to wait at Kendal until Grace arrives?

..... minutes [1]

- 16** Kieran buys a car for \$8000  
The following year he sells the car for \$7500  
Find the percentage loss.



..... % [2]

- 17** Fill in the boxes.

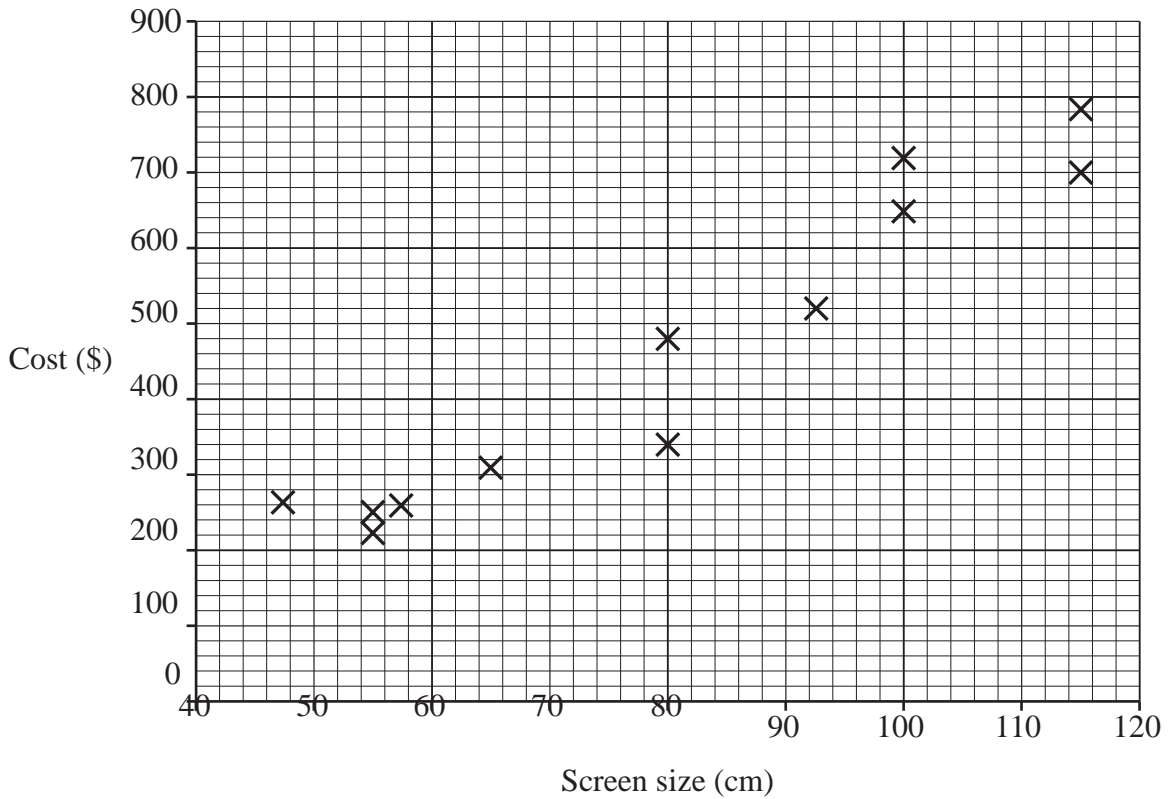
$$(x + 3) \left( \square - \square \right) = x^2 - x - 12 \quad [1]$$

- 18** The distance from the Earth to the Sun is 92 868 000 miles.

Write this distance correct to 3 significant figures.

..... miles [1]

- 19 A company makes 12 different types of television. The cost (in dollars) and screen size (in centimetres) of each type of television are shown in the scatter diagram.



- (a) Write down the cost of the television that has a screen size of 65 cm.

\$ .....

[1]

- (b) The company is introducing a new television with a screen size of 85 cm.

Put a ring around the cost that you think would be most appropriate for the new television.

\$320

\$530

\$690

\$800

Explain your answer.

.....

.....

[1]

- 20 Use a trial and improvement method to find an approximate solution to the equation

$$x^3 + 5x = 400$$

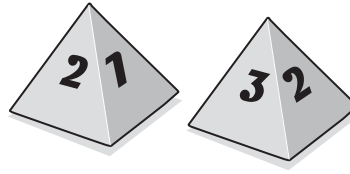
Start with  $x = 7$

Give your answer to one decimal place.  
You must show all your working.

$x$	$x^3 + 5x$	
7		

$x =$  ..... [4]

- 21 Two fair four-sided dice numbered 1 to 4 are rolled and the scores are **multiplied** together.



- (a) Complete the sample space diagram to show all the outcomes.

		Score on second dice			
		1	2	3	4
Score on first dice	1	<b>1</b>			
	2				
	3				
	4				

[1]

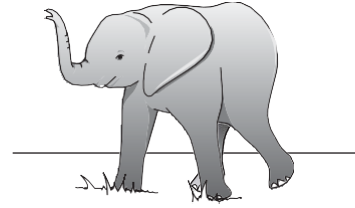
- (b) What is the probability of obtaining an even outcome?

.....

[1]

- 22 A baby elephant has a mass of 105 kg.  
The elephant increases in mass by 95 kg per year.

Work out how many years it will take for the elephant's mass to increase to 2 tonnes.



Give your answer to the nearest year.

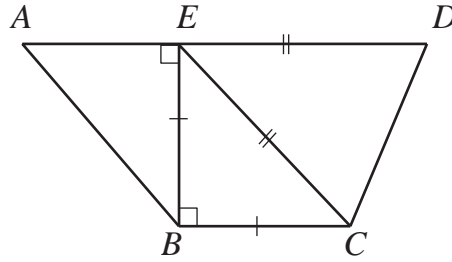
..... years [3]

- 23 A circular fish pond has an area of  $20 \text{ m}^2$   
Calculate the **diameter** of the fish pond.

..... m [3]

24 A trapezium is made up of triangles.

Not to scale



Triangles  $ABE$  and  $BCE$  are right-angled triangles.

Triangles  $CDE$  and  $BCE$  are isosceles triangles ( $CE = DE$  and  $BC = BE$ ).  $AE = 3$  cm and  $EB = 4$  cm.

Work out the length of  $AD$ .

..... cm [3]