## Competency-based education for CBSE

## Item bank:

## Maths class 10

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## Introduction for teachers

A bank of resources has been created to support teachers to develop and administer end-ofclass tests. These resources should be used together. You can view and download the following resources from http://cbseacademic.nic.in

- Learning ladder for maths
- Assessment specification for maths
- Sample lesson plans

This document is a compilation of the sample items for maths Class 10. There are 100 items. This item bank is supported by the assessment specification, which sets out the end-of-class assessment requirements and the learning ladder for the subject, which maps the CBSE syllabi content to the NCERT curriculum. The item index (page six) shows how each item maps to the learning ladder content and the assessment objectives.

## What these assessment items can be used for

You can use the bank of questions in whatever way you wish, but three main purposes have been identified:

- Create end-of-class assessments using the items from the bank to meet the requirements set out in the assessment specifications.
- Create end-of-topic tests using the items from the bank for when you finish teaching a topic.
- Use individual or groups of questions from the bank to create or add to worksheets for class and homework use.


## What is in this document

You will find linked questions and single questions covering different aspects of the learning ladder content and different assessment objectives. You can use these questions to create your own assessments.

Each item in this document begins with the metadata (see Figure 1). The metadata gives details of the content, assessment objective coverage, and the number of marks.

There is then a section showing any source material needed, followed by the questions themselves and finally the mark scheme for the questions.

| Item <br> identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | C/N/E ${ }^{*}$ | Content reference from the learning <br> ladder | Marks |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :---: |
| Maths6AS1 | 1 |  | N | 6A1a Form and use algebraic expressions <br> (up to 2 variables, including use of <br> brackets) | 1 |

* $\mathrm{C}=$ Calculator required, $\mathrm{N}=$ Calculator not allowed, $\mathrm{E}=$ Either

Figure 1: Example of metadata

## How to use the assessment items

You can peruse the bank of items by flicking through this document and selecting questions you wish to use. However, if you are assessing specific content, you can use the learning ladder to identify this content and then use the item index (page 6) to find any items which cover that content.

Please note that not all of the content will have items. The item bank is only a sample of the questions that could be created, so you may need to write questions of your own to fill gaps.

When you find a relevant assessment item in this document, you can copy and paste the question(s) and any source material into a new Word document which will form the assessment or worksheet. Other questions from the bank can be copied and pasted to this document and an assessment or worksheet covering a range of items created. The questions can then easily be edited in the new document using Word, and you can add any questions you write to best meet the needs of your classes.

Once the questions have been pasted into the new document, the numbering of the items can be changed so that they run through one, two, etc. There should be no need to change the numbering of parts (a), (b), etc., unless a question has been deleted.
You can create the mark schemes in the same way by copying the relevant section of the item documents and pasting them into a separate Word document, forming the mark scheme. Again, the question numbering will need to be amended. You can use these mark schemes to ensure that the marking is standardized, particularly if more than one teacher uses the assessment.

When creating an end-of-class test, the teacher should use the assessment specification to identify the number of marks and questions needed, the balance of content to be covered, and the weighting of the assessment objectives needed. You can then select items from the bank to build a test that meets the assessment specification and then logically order these to allow the students to work through the assessment. You should also add a front page with the assessment name and details of the number of marks and the assessment length. Again, the mark scheme can be created simultaneously, and question numbers will need to be amended.

When copying items from the bank, care needs to be taken to keep the format and style of the items consistent, including the spacing, layout, and ensuring that the number of marks available for each question is linked to the question.

## Assessment objectives

This document sets out the assessment objectives for CBSE mathematics and their percentage weighting for the CBSE end-of-year tests for the different classes from VI to X .

|  |  | Class |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| No. | Description of Assessment Objective | VI | VII | VIII | IX | X |
| A01 | Demonstrate knowledge and understanding of mathematical ideas, techniques, and procedures. | 50-65 | 50-65 | 50-65 | 40-55 | 40-55 |
| AO2 | Apply knowledge and understanding of mathematical ideas, techniques, and procedures to the classroom and real-world situations | 35-50 | 35-50 | 35-50 | 45-60 | 45-60 |

## Demonstrate knowledge and understanding of mathematical ideas, techniques, and procedures.

Students should be able to recall and apply mathematical knowledge, terminology, and definitions to carry out routine procedures or straightforward tasks requiring single or multi-step solutions in mathematical or everyday situations. At appropriate class levels, this would include:

- working accurately with the information presented in words, tables, graphs, and diagrams
- using and interpreting mathematical notation correctly
- using a calculator to perform calculations where appropriate
- understanding and using systems of measurement in everyday use
- estimating, approximating, and working to appropriate levels of accuracy, and converting between equivalent numerical forms
- using geometrical instruments to measure and to draw to appropriate levels of accuracy
- recognizing and using spatial relationships in two and three dimensions


## Apply knowledge and understanding of mathematical ideas, techniques, and procedures to the classroom and real-world situations.

Students should be able to reason, interpret and communicate mathematically when solving problems. They should be able to analyze a problem, select a suitable strategy and apply appropriate techniques. At appropriate class levels, this would include:

- presenting arguments and chains of reasoning in a logical and structured way
- assessing the validity of an argument
- interpreting and communicating information accurately, and changing from one form of presentation to another
- solving unstructured problems by putting them into a structured form
- recognizing patterns in a variety of situations and forming generalizations
- applying combinations of mathematical skills and techniques using connections between different areas of mathematics
- making logical deductions, making inferences, and drawing conclusions from given mathematical information, including statistical data
- interpreting results in the context of a given problem

Note: proportions for these AOs are presented as ranges. We suggest that the initial balance might use the high end of AO1 with the low end of AO2, moving over time towards increasing the proportion of AO2 over time as the new pedagogical approach is embedded.

## Item Index

| Topic ID | Topic | File name | Question ID | A01 | AO2 |
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| 10A1a | Algebra | Maths10AS2 | Maths10AS2 | 1 |  |
| 10A1a | Algebra | Maths10SS8 | Maths10SS8 | 1 |  |
| 10A1a | Algebra | Maths10AR1 | Maths10AR1 | 1 |  |
| 10A1a | Algebra | Maths10AKP10 | Maths10AKP10 | 2 |  |
| 10A1a | Algebra | Maths10RK1 | Maths10RK1 |  | 1 |
| 10A2a | Algebra | Maths10SS7 | Maths10SS7 | 1 |  |
| 10A2a | Algebra | Maths10AR8 | Maths10AR8a | 2 |  |
| 10A2a | Algebra | Maths10RK5 | Maths10RK5a | 3 |  |
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| 10A2a | Algebra | Maths10RK2 | Maths10RK2 |  | 1 |
| 10A2a | Algebra | Maths10AR8 | Maths10AR8b |  | 6 |
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| 10A2c | Algebra | Maths10PS8 | Maths10PS8a | 1 |  |
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| 10G2a | Geometry | Maths10MM7 | Maths10MM7 |  | 2 |
| 10G2a | Geometry | Maths10ASR6 | Maths10ASR6 | 1 | 2 |
| 10G2b | Geometry | Maths10MM6 | Maths10MM6b | 1 | 2 |
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| 10N1c | Number systems | Maths10MM10 | Maths10MM10 |  | 2 |
| 10N1c | Number systems | Maths10ASR5 | Maths10ASR5 |  | 2 |
| 10N1c | Number systems | Maths10AD8 | Maths10AD8 |  | 4 |
| 10N1d | Number systems | Maths10AS1 | Maths10AS1 | 1 |  |


| 10N1d | Number systems | Maths10AD2 | Maths10AD2 | 1 |  |
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| 10N1d | Number systems | Maths10ASR1 | Maths10ASR1 | 1 |  |
| 10S1a | Mensuration | Maths10AKP4 | Maths10AKP4a | 1 |  |
| 10S1a | Mensuration | Maths10SR9 | Maths10SR9b | 1 |  |
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| 10S1a | Mensuration | Maths10AKP2 | Maths10AKP2 |  | 3 |
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| 10S2b | Mensuration | Maths10ASR3 | Maths10ASR3 | 1 |  |
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| 10T1a | Trigonometry | Maths10PS9 | Maths10PS9b |  | 2 |
| 10T1a | Trigonometry | Maths10SS1 | Maths10SS1a |  | 3 |
| 10T1b | Trigonometry | Maths10AS5 | Maths10AS5b | 1 |  |
| 10T1b | Trigonometry | Maths10SK2 | Maths10SK2 | 1 |  |
| 10T1b | Trigonometry | Maths10GS4 | Maths10GS4 | 1 |  |


| 10T1b | Trigonometry | Maths10SS2 | Maths10SS2 | 2 |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 10T1b | Trigonometry | Maths10PS5 | Maths10PS5 | 1 | 1 |
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| 10T1c | Trigonometry | Maths10SS3 | Maths10SS3 |  | 3 |
| 10T2a | Trigonometry | Maths10SK5 | Maths10SK5 |  | 2 |
| 10T3a | Trigonometry | Maths10AR2 | Maths10AR2 | 1 |  |
| 1073a | Trigonometry | Maths10RK7 | Maths10RK7a | 3 |  |
| 10T3a | Trigonometry | Maths10RK7 | Maths10RK7b | 3 |  |
| 10T3a | Trigonometry | Maths10RM3 | Maths10RM3 |  | 1 |
| 1073a | Trigonometry | Maths10RK8 | Maths10RK8 | 2 | 1 |
| 10T3a | Trigonometry | Maths10RM6 | Maths10RM6a |  | 2 |
| 10T3a | Trigonometry | Maths10RM6 | Maths10RM6b |  | 2 |
| 10T3a | Trigonometry | Maths10RM6 | Maths10RM6c |  | 2 |
| 10T3a | Trigonometry | Maths10RM7 | Maths10RM7b |  | 2 |
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| 10T3a | Trigonometry | Maths10SK6 | Maths10SK6 |  | 4 |
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## Maths10PS2

| Item <br> identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | C/N/E* | Content Reference(s) | Marks |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Maths10PS2 | 1 |  | N | 10A1a Use the relationship between <br> zeros and coefficients of quadratic <br> polynomials | 1 |

${ }^{*} \mathrm{C}=$ Calculator required, $\mathrm{N}=$ Calculator not allowed, $\mathrm{E}=$ Either

## Item purpose

The question assesses the ability of the student to determine the value of the zero by using the relationship between the zeroes and coefficient of the quadratic polynomial.

## Sources and diagrams

Source information if copied: book/journal, author, publisher, website link, etc.

## Question

1 The product of the zeroes of a quadratic polynomial, $2 x^{2}-5 x+m$ is 4 . Find the value of $m$.

## Mark scheme

| 1. The product of the zeroes of a quadratic polynomial, $2 x^{2}-5 x+m$ is 4 . Find the |  |
| :--- | :--- |
| value of $m$. |  |
| Answer | Guidance |
| 8 | A1 for the correct answer |
| $\alpha \beta=\frac{c}{a}$ |  |
| $\Rightarrow 4=\frac{m}{2}$ |  |
| $\Rightarrow m=8$ |  |

## Maths10AS2

| Item identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | $\mathbf{C / N / E *}$ | Content Reference(s) | Marks |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Maths10AS2 | 1 |  | E | 10A1a Use the relationship <br> between zeroes and coefficients <br> of quadratic polynomials | 1 |

${ }^{*} \mathrm{C}=$ Calculator required, $\mathrm{N}=$ Calculator not allowed, $\mathrm{E}=$ Either

## Item purpose

The question assesses the use of the relationship between zeroes and coefficients of quadratic polynomials.

## Sources and diagrams

Source information if copied: book/journal, author, publisher, website link, etc.

## Question

1 If the sum of the zeroes of the quadratic polynomial $5 x^{2}-k x+7$ is 4 , ten find the value of ' $k$.'
A. 20
B. 21
C. 18
D. 19

## Mark scheme

1 If the sum of the zeroes of the quadratic polynomial $5 x^{2}-k x+7$ is 4 , ten find the value of ' $k$ '.
A. 20
B. 21
C. 18
D. 19

| Answer | Guidance |
| :--- | :--- |
| A. 20 | A1 1 mark for the correct answer |
| Sum of Zeroes $=-\frac{b}{a}$ |  |
| $4=-\frac{(-k)}{5}, \therefore \mathrm{k}=20$ |  |

## Maths10SS8

| Item <br> identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | C/N/E* | Content Reference(s) | Marks |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Maths10SS8 | 1 |  | N | 10A1a Use the relationship between <br> zeros and coefficients of quadratic <br> polynomials | 1 |

${ }^{*} \mathrm{C}=$ Calculator required, $\mathrm{N}=$ Calculator not allowed, $\mathrm{E}=$ Either

## Item purpose

The question assesses the use of the relationship between zeros and coefficients of quadratic polynomials

## Question

1 If $\alpha$ and $\beta$ are the zeroes of a polynomial $x^{2}-4 \sqrt{3} x+3$, then find the value of $\alpha+\beta-\alpha \beta$
A. $4 \sqrt{3}$
B. -3
C. $4 \sqrt{3}-3$.
D. $-4 \sqrt{3}-3$.

## Mark scheme

1. If $\alpha$ and $\beta$ are the zeroes of a polynomial $x^{2}-4 \sqrt{3} x+3$, then find the value of $\alpha+\beta-\alpha \beta$.
A. $4 \sqrt{3}$
B. -3
C. $4 \sqrt{3}-3$.
D. $-4 \sqrt{3}-3$.

| Answer | Guidance |
| :--- | :--- |
| C. $4 \sqrt{3}-3$ | A1 for writing the correct option or answer |

## Maths10AR1

| Item <br> identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | C/N/E* | Content Reference(s) | Marks |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Maths10AR1 | 1 |  | $E$ | 10A1a Use the relationship <br> between zeros and coefficients <br> of quadratic polynomials | 1 |

${ }^{*} \mathrm{C}=$ Calculator required, $\mathrm{N}=$ Calculator not allowed, $\mathrm{E}=$ Either

## Item purpose

The question assesses the ability of the student to relate the coefficient of the quadratic polynomial with the zeros of the polynomial

## Sources and diagrams

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## Question(s)

1 The sum of the zeros of the quadratic polynomial $x^{2}+x-12$ is
A. 1
B. 12
C. -1
D. -12

## Mark scheme

1 The sum of the zeros of the quadratic polynomial $x^{2}+x-12$ is
A. 1
B. 12
C. -1
D. -12

| C. -1 | M1-to use the relation that sum of the roots of <br> a given quadratic equation of the form <br> $a x+b y+C=0$ is $-\mathrm{b} / \mathrm{a}$ |
| :--- | :--- |
| M2 to identify the coefficients from the given |  |
| equation |  |
| A1 using the relation to get the value as $-1 b y$ |  |
| substituting the value of the coefficient as $-1 / 1$ |  |
| A2 to write the correct option as (C). Full credit |  |
| for the correct answer. |  |

## Maths10AKP10

| Item identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | C/N/E* $^{*}$ | Content Reference(s) | Marks |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Maths10AKP10 | 2 |  | N | 10A1a Use the relationship between <br> zeros and coefficients of quadratic <br> polynomials | 2 |

${ }^{*} \mathrm{C}=$ Calculator required, $\mathrm{N}=$ Calculator not allowed, $\mathrm{E}=$ Either

## Item purpose

The question assesses the knowledge polynomials

## Sources and diagrams

Source information if copied: book/journal, author, publisher, website link, etc.

## Question(s)

1 If $\alpha$ and $\beta$ are the zeros of the quadratic polynomial $2 x^{2}-8 x+5$, find the value of $\left(\alpha+\frac{1}{\beta}\right) \times\left(\beta+\frac{1}{\alpha}\right)$

## (Total marks 2)

## Mark scheme

| Answer | Guidance |
| :---: | :---: |
| $\begin{aligned} & \text { Here sum of zeros }=\alpha+\beta=4 \\ & \text { Product of zeros }=\alpha \beta=\frac{5}{2} \\ & \begin{aligned} \left(\alpha+\frac{1}{\beta}\right) \times\left(\beta+\frac{1}{\alpha}\right)=\alpha \beta+\alpha \cdot \frac{1}{\alpha}+\beta \cdot \frac{1}{\beta}+\frac{1}{\beta} . \\ \begin{aligned} & \frac{1}{\alpha} \\ &=\alpha \beta+1+1+\frac{1}{\alpha \beta} \\ &=\frac{5}{2}+2+\frac{2}{5} \\ &=\frac{49}{10} \end{aligned} \end{aligned} . \end{aligned}$ | M1 taking out the value of $\alpha, \beta$ <br> 1 mark for the final answer |

## Maths10RK1

| Item <br> identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | C/N/E* | Content Reference(s) | Marks |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Maths10RK <br> 1 | 1 | E | 10A1a Use the relationship between <br> zeros and coefficients of quadratic <br> polynomials | 1 |  |

*C = Calculator required, $\mathrm{N}=$ Calculator not allowed, $\mathrm{E}=$ Either

## Item purpose

The question assesses the knowledge and application of quadratic polynomial and its zeros.

## Sources and diagrams

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## Question(s)

1
What is the quadratic polynomial whose sum and the product of zeroes is $\sqrt{ } 2$, $1 / 3$, respectively?
A. $3 x^{2}-3 \sqrt{2} x+1$
B. $3 x^{2}+3 \sqrt{ } 2 x+1$
C. $2 x^{2}+3 \sqrt{ } 2 x-1$
D. $2 x^{2}+3 \sqrt{ } 2 x-1$

## Mark scheme

1 What is the quadratic polynomial whose sum and the product of zeroes is $\sqrt{2}, 1 / 3$ respectively?
A. $3 x^{2}-3 \sqrt{2} x+1$
B. $3 x^{2}+3 \sqrt{2} x+1$
C. $2 x^{2}+3 \sqrt{ } 2 x-1$
D. $2 x^{2}+3 \sqrt{ } 2 x-1$

| Answer | Guidance |
| :--- | :--- |
| A. $3 x^{2}-3 \sqrt{ } 2 x+1$ | Sum of zeroes $=\alpha+\beta=\sqrt{ } 2$ |
|  | Product of zeroes $=\alpha \beta=1 / 3$ |
|  | $\therefore$ If $\alpha$ and $\beta$ are zeroes of any quadratic |
|  | polynomial, then the polynomial is; <br> $x^{2}-(\alpha+\beta) x+\alpha \beta$ <br>  <br>  <br>  <br>  <br>  <br>  <br> $=3 x^{2}-(\sqrt{2}) x+(1 / 3)$ |

## Maths10SS7

| Item <br> identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | C/N/E* | Content Reference(s) | Marks |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |


| Maths10SS7 | 1 | N | 10A2a Identify graphically the <br> solutions of a pair of linear equations <br> in two variables, including where the <br> equations are inconsistent (parallel <br> lines) | 1 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |

${ }^{*} \mathrm{C}=$ Calculator required, $\mathrm{N}=$ Calculator not allowed, $\mathrm{E}=$ Either

## Item purpose

The question assesses the ability to identify graphically the solutions of a pair of linear equations in two variables, including where the equations are inconsistent (parallel lines)

## Sources and diagrams



## Question(s)

1 The solution for the given system of equations $4 x-y=4$ and $3 x+2 y=14$ from the graph shown above can be determined as:
A. $(0,7)$
B. $(2,4)$
C. $(4,1)$
D. $(1,0)$

## Mark scheme

The solution for the given system of equations $4 x-y=4$ and $3 x+2 y=14$ from the graph shown above can be determined as:
A. $(0,7)$
B. $(2,4)$

| C. $(4,1)$ <br> D. $(1,0)$ |  |
| :--- | :--- |
| Answer | Guidance |
| B. $(2,4)$ <br> The graphs of two lines intersect at $(2,4)$. <br> Hence the solution is $(2,4)$ <br> A1 for the correct answer (B) or (2,4) <br> Do not deduct marks for writing (B) only or <br> $(2,4)$ only |  |

## Maths10AR8

| Item <br> identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | C/N/E* | Content Reference(s) | Marks |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |


| Maths10AR8 <br> a | 2 |  | C | 10A2a Identify graphically the <br> solutions of a pair of linear <br> equations in two variables, <br> including where the equations are <br> inconsistent (parallel lines) | 2 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Maths10AR8b | 6 | E | 10A2a Identify graphically the <br> solutions of a pair of linear <br> equations in two variables, <br> including where the equations are <br> inconsistent (parallel lines) | 6 |  |
| Total marks | $\mathbf{2}$ | $\mathbf{6}$ |  |  | $\mathbf{8}$ |

${ }^{*} \mathrm{C}=$ Calculator required, $\mathrm{N}=$ Calculator not allowed, $\mathrm{E}=$ Either

## Item purpose

The question assesses the ability of the student to solve the equations in two variables graphically /without solving to find the nature of the solution

## Sources

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## Question(s)

1 Given below are the three equations; a pair of them have infinite solutions.
(a) Find the pair among the three equations given below
i. $\quad 3 x-2 y=4$
ii. $\quad 6 x+2 y=8$
iii. $12 x-4 y=16$

1 Draw the graph of
(b) $2 x-y-2=0$
$4 x+3 y-24=0$
$Y+4=0$
Obtain the vertices of the triangle formed by the three lines given above.

## Mark scheme

## Point based

1 (a) Given below are the three equations; a pair of them have infinite solutions. Find the pair among the three equations given below
i. $\quad 3 x-2 y=4$
ii. $\quad 6 x+2 y=8$
iii. $\quad 12 x-4 y=16$

| Answer | Guidance |
| :---: | :---: |
| $\mathrm{a}_{1} / \mathrm{b}_{1}=\mathrm{a}_{2} / \mathrm{b}_{2}=\mathrm{c}_{1} / \mathrm{c}_{2}$ |  |
| for the equations (i) and (ii), | M1 Identifying the coefficients |
| $3 / 6=-2 / 2=4 / 8$ which do not satisfy the condition | and comparing the co -efficient |
| For equations (ii) and (iii), the ratio is | and check the ratios -1 mark |
| $6 / 12=2 /-4=8 / 16$ do not satisfy the condition | M2 identifying the correct pair after verification |
| For the third pair of equations (i) and (iii), | 1 mark |
| The ratio is | A1 $\mathrm{a}_{1} / \mathrm{b}_{1}=\mathrm{a}_{2} / \mathrm{b}_{2}=\mathrm{c}_{1} / \mathrm{c}_{2}$ |
| $3 / 12=-2 /-4=4 / 16=1 / 4$ so the correct pair of equations is (i) and (iii) | A2 using the condition and verifying the ratios for pair of equations and to get the pair as represented by i and iii |
|  | Full credit if the method is shown and arrived at the correct solution. Otherwise, a method mark can be awarded. |

1 (b) Draw the graph of
$2 x-y-2=0$
$4 x+3 y-24=0$
$\mathrm{Y}+4=0$
Obtain the vertices of the triangle formed by the three lines given above.

| Answer | Guidance |
| :--- | :--- |



## Maths10RK5

| Item identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | $\mathbf{C / N / E *}$ | Content Reference(s) | Marks |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Maths10RK5 <br> a | 3 |  | E | 10A2a Identify graphically the <br> solutions of a pair of linear <br> equations in two variables, | 3 |
| Maths10RK5 <br> b | 3 |  | E | 10A2a Identify graphically the <br> solutions of a pair of linear <br> equations in two variables, | 3 |
| Total marks | $\mathbf{6}$ |  |  |  | $\mathbf{6}$ |

${ }^{*} \mathrm{C}=$ Calculator required, $\mathrm{N}=$ Calculator not allowed, $\mathrm{E}=$ Either

## Item purpose

The question assesses the knowledge and application of pair of linear equations in two variables in a real-life situation.

## Sources and diagrams

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## Question(s)

1
For the given pair of linear equations
$2 x+y=6,2 x=y+2$
1 (a) Draw the graph of two equations on the same graph paper.

1 (b) Find the ratio of the areas of two triangles, formed by the given lines with $x$-axis and with the $y$-axis.

## Mark scheme

1 (a) Draw the graph of two equations on the same graph paper.
Answer $\quad$ Guidance


## Maths10RK2

| Item <br> identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | C/N/E* | Content Reference(s) | Mark <br> $\mathbf{s}$ |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Maths10RK <br> 2 | 1 | N | 10A2a Identify graphically the <br> solutions of a pair of linear equations <br> in two variables, including where the <br> equations are inconsistent (parallel <br> lines) | 1 |  |

*C = Calculator required, $\mathrm{N}=$ Calculator not allowed, $\mathrm{E}=$ Either

## Item purpose

The question assesses the knowledge and application of pair of linear equations in two variables, including where the equations are inconsistent (parallel lines) lines

## Sources and diagrams

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## Question(s)

1
$f$ the lines $3 x+2 k y-2=0$ and $2 x+5 y+1=0$ are parallel, then the value of $k$ is
A. $4 / 15$
B. $15 / 4$
C. $4 / 5$
D. $5 / 4$
(Total marks 1)

## Mark scheme

1 If the lines $3 x+2 k y-2=0$ and $2 x+5 y+1=0$ are parallel, then the value of $k$ is
A. $4 / 15$
B. $15 / 4$
C. $4 / 5$
D. $5 / 4$

| Answer | Guidance |
| :--- | :--- |
| B. $15 / 4$ | The condition for parallel lines is: |
|  | $a_{1} / a_{2}=b_{1} / b_{2} \neq c_{1} / c_{2}$ <br>  <br>  <br>  <br>  <br>  <br>  <br>  <br>  <br> $k=15 c e, 3 / 2=2 k / 5$ |

## Maths10PS8

| Item identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | $\mathbf{C / N / E *}$ | Content Reference(s) | Marks |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Maths10PS8a | 1 |  | N | 10A2c Solve problems from real-life <br> where a pair of linear equations <br> occur | 1 |
| Maths10PS8b | 2 |  | N | 10A2b Solve a pair of linear <br> equations in two variables using <br> algebraic methods: by substitution, <br> by elimination | 2 |
| Total marks | $\mathbf{3}$ |  |  |  | $\mathbf{3}$ |

${ }^{*} \mathrm{C}=$ Calculator required, $\mathrm{N}=$ Calculator not allowed, $\mathrm{E}=$ Either

## Item purpose

The question assesses the ability of the student to frame a pair of linear equations and solve the same.

## Sources and diagrams

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## Question(s)

Two numbers, $x$ and $y(x>y)$, have a difference of 6 and an average of 4 .

1 (a) Frame a pair of linear equations in two variables.
(1 mark)

1 (b) Determine the values of the two numbers.
(2 marks)
(Total marks 3)

## Mark scheme

1 Two numbers have a difference of 6 and an average of 4 .
(a) Frame a pair of linear equations in two variables.

| Answer | Guidance |
| :---: | :---: |
| $x-y=6$ and $\frac{(\mathrm{x}+\mathrm{y})}{2}=4$ | A1 for framing two equations. <br> Alternatively, <br> A1 for framing $x-y=6$ and $x+y=8$ |
| 1 (b) Determine the values of the two numbers. |  |
| Answer | Guidance |
| $x=7, y=1$ $\begin{aligned} & x-y=6 \\ & \quad \Rightarrow x=y+6 \end{aligned}$ <br> Substituting $x=y+6$ in $\begin{array}{cc} \frac{(x+y)}{2}=4 & \\ \Rightarrow & (y+6+y)=8 \\ \Rightarrow & y=1 \text { and } x=7 \end{array}$ | M1 for using Substitution Method <br> A1 for correctly determining the values of $x$ and $y$ <br> Alternatively, <br> M1 for using Elimination Method <br> $x=1$ and $y=7$ is also correct. |

## Maths10SK8

| Item <br> identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | C/N/E* | Content Reference(s) | Marks |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Maths10SK8 | 2 |  | N | 10A2b Solve a pair of linear equations <br> in two variables using algebraic <br> methods: by substitution, by elimination | 2 |

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## Item purpose

The question assesses the knowledge of how to solve linear equations

## Sources and diagrams

Source information: book/journal, author, publisher, website link, etc.

## Question(s)

1 Solve $2 x-y-3=0,4 x-y-5=0$ using the substitution method. Show your working. (2 marks)
(Total marks 2)

## Mark scheme

1 Solve $2 x-y-3=0,4 x-y-5=0$ by substitution method.

| Answer | Guidance |
| :--- | :--- |
| $y=2 x-3$ | M1 for obtaining substitution |
| $4 x-(2 x-3)-5=0 \quad x=1$ | A1 correct answer |
| $y=2(1-3)=-1$ |  |
| $x=1, y=-1$ |  |

## Maths10RK6

| Item identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | C/N/E* | Content Reference(s) | Marks |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Maths10RK6a | 2 | 1 | E | 10A2b Solve a pair of linear <br> equations in two variables <br> using algebraic methods: by <br> elimination | 3 |
| Maths10RK6b | 2 |  | E | 10A2b Solve a pair of linear <br> equations in two variables <br> using algebraic methods: by <br> elimination | 2 |
| Maths10RK6c | 2 |  | E | 10A2b Solve a pair of linear <br> equations in two variables <br> using algebraic methods: by <br> elimination | 2 |
| Total | $\mathbf{6}$ | $\mathbf{1}$ |  | $\mathbf{7}$ |  |

* $\mathrm{C}=$ Calculator required, $\mathrm{N}=$ Calculator not allowed, $\mathrm{E}=$ Either


## Item purpose

The question assesses the knowledge and application of pair of linear equations in two variables in a real-life situation.

## Sources and diagrams



Sham's
Plot
100 m

## Question(s)

Ram and Sham are two friends in a town; both have their own plots.
Ram is an owner of a rectangular plot whose perimeter is 50 m and Sham is also the owner of a rectangular plot whose perimeter is 100 m .
Sham's plot has a length twice that of Ram's plot and breadth is 5 m more than that of Ram's plot.

## Answers the following questions.

1 (a) Write the linear equations for both the plots (3 marks)
1 (b) Find the dimensions of Ram's plot (2 marks)
1 (c) Find the dimensions of Sham's plot
(Total marks 7)

## Mark scheme

| 1 (a) Write the linear equations for both the | lots |
| :---: | :---: |
| Answer | Guidance |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1(a) \\ & x+y=25 \\ & 2 x+(y+5)=50 \end{aligned}$ | M1 let $x \mathrm{~m}$ be the length and $\mathrm{y} m$ be the breadth of Ram's plot and $2 x \mathrm{~m}$ be the length, and $(y+5) m$ be the breadth of Sham's plot <br> M1 <br> Apply the formula of the perimeter of the rectangle <br> A1 $\begin{align*} & 2(x+y)=50 \text { and } 2(2 x+y+5)=100 \\ & x+y=25 \ldots .(1) \\ & 2 x+y=45 \ldots \ldots \text { (2) } \tag{2} \end{align*}$ |
| 1 (b) Find the dimensions of Ram's plot |  |
| Answer | Guidance |
| $\begin{aligned} & x=20, y=5 \\ & \text { Length }=20 \mathrm{~m}, \text { breadth }=5 m \end{aligned}$ | M1 find the dimensions by elimination method <br> A1 x (length $)=20 \mathrm{~m}$ and $\mathrm{y}($ breadth $)=5 \mathrm{~m}$ |
| 1 (c) Find the dimensions of Sham's plot |  |
| Answer | Guidance |


| Length $=40 \mathrm{~m}$ |
| :--- | :--- |
| Breadth $=10 \mathrm{~m}$ |$\quad$| M1 using substitution method |
| :--- |
| A1 length $=40 \mathrm{~m}$ |
| Breadth $=10 \mathrm{~m}$ |

## Maths10GS6

| Item <br> identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | C/N/E* | Content Reference(s) | Marks |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Maths10GS6 | 4 | E | 10A2b Solve a pair of linear equations <br> in two variables using algebraic <br> methods: by substitution and by <br> elimination | 4 |  |
| Total marks |  | $\mathbf{4}$ |  |  | $\mathbf{4}$ |

${ }^{*} \mathrm{C}=$ Calculator required, $\mathrm{N}=$ Calculator not allowed, $\mathrm{E}=$ Either

## Item purpose

The question assesses solving a pair of linear equations in two variables.

## Sources and diagrams

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## Question(s)

1 There are two classrooms, A and B. If 5 students are shifted from Room A to Room B, the resulting number of students in the two rooms becomes equal.

If 5 students are shifted from Room $B$ to Room $A$, the resulting number of students in Room A becomes double the number of students left in Room B.

Find the original number of students in the two rooms separately.

## Mark scheme


#### Abstract

1

There are two classrooms, $A$ and $B$. If 5 students are shifted from Room $A$ to Room $B$, the resulting number of students in the two rooms becomes equal.

If 5 students are shifted from Room $B$ to Room $A$, the resulting number of students in Room A becomes double the number of students left in Room B.

Find the original number of students in the two rooms separately.


| Answer | Guidance |
| :---: | :---: |
| Let $x$ and $y$ be the number of students in Room $A$ and Room B. Then $\begin{align*} & x-5=y+5  \tag{1}\\ & x+5=2(y-5) \tag{2} \end{align*}$ <br> Simplify the equations (1) and (2), $\begin{align*} & x-y=10  \tag{3}\\ & x-2 y=-15 \tag{4} \end{align*}$ <br> Solve equations (3) and (4) \& eliminate the values of $x$ and $y$ $x=35 \text { and } y=25$ <br> No. of students in Room A=35 <br> No. of students in Room B=25 | M1 for forming equations according to the conditions given in the question as equations (1) and (2). <br> M2 for correctly simplifying equations like (3) and (4) by any method <br> M3 for determining the values of $x$ and $y$ <br> A1 for the correct answer |

## Maths10SK7

| Item identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | C/N/E* | Content Reference(s) | Marks |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Maths10SK7a | 1 |  | N | 10A2c Solve problems from real-life <br> where a pair of linear equations occur | 1 |
| Maths10SK7b |  | 3 | N | 10A2c Solve problems from real-life <br> where a pair of linear equations occur | 3 |
| Total marks | $\mathbf{1}$ | $\mathbf{3}$ |  |  | $\mathbf{4}$ |

* $\mathrm{C}=$ Calculator required, $\mathrm{N}=$ Calculator not allowed, $\mathrm{E}=$ Either


## Item purpose

The question assesses the knowledge of linear equations

## Sources and diagrams

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Source information: book/journal, author, publisher, website link, etc.

## Question(s)

1 The taxi chares in a city consist of a fixed charge together with the charge for the di: covered.

For a distance of 10 km , the charge paid is Rs105, and for a journey of 15 km , the ct paid is Rs 155.

1 (a) What are the fixed charges and charges per kilometre?

1 (b) How much does a person have to pay for travelling a distance of 25 Km ?

## Mark scheme

| 1 (a) What are the fixed charges and charges per kilometre? |  |
| :--- | :--- |
| Answer | Guidance |
| Fixed charge Rs 5 | M1 1 mark <br> A1 let fixed charge is $x$ and charge per Km <br> is $y$ <br> $X+10 y=105$ <br> $X+15 y=155$ <br> A1 solve and get $y=10$ <br> And substitute to get $x=5$ |
| 1 (b) How much does a person have to pay for travelling a distance of 25Km? |  |
| Answer | Guidance |
| Rs 255 | A1 for the correct answer |

## Maths10SS5

| Item identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | C/N/E* | Content Reference(s) | Marks |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Maths10SS5a | 4 | E | 10A2c Solve problems from real-life <br> where a pair of linear equations <br> occur | 4 |  |
| Maths10SS5b | 2 |  | E | 10A2c Solve problems from real-life <br> where a pair of linear equations <br> occur | 2 |
| Total marks | $\mathbf{2}$ | $\mathbf{4}$ |  |  | $\mathbf{6}$ |

* $\mathrm{C}=$ Calculator required, $\mathrm{N}=$ Calculator not allowed, $\mathrm{E}=$ Either


## Item purpose

The question assesses the ability to solve problems from real-life where a pair of linear equations occur.

## Sources and diagrams

## Question(s)

1 Jodhpur is the second-largest city in the Indian state of Rajasthan and officially the second metropolitan city of the state. Jodhpur is a popular tourist destination, featuring many palaces, forts, and temples set in the stark landscape of the Thar Desert. It is popularly known as the "Blue City" among the people of Rajasthan and all over India.

Last year Rahul visited Jodhpur with a group of 25 friends. When they went to Mehrangarh fort, they found the following fare for the ride:

| Ride | Normal Hours Fare <br> (per person) | Peak Hours Fare (per <br> person) |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Horse | Rs 50 | Rs 150 |
| Elephant | Rs 100 | Rs 200 |

1 (a) On their first day, they rode in normal hours and paid Rs 1950 for the ride. Let x be the number of horses hired, and $y$ be the number of elephants hired. Find the number of horses and elephants hired by Rahul and his friends.

1 (b) The Fort occupies a very large area, and they could not see it entirely on the first day. So, they decided to revisit the next day, but they were in peak hours on their second visit. Calculate the increase in charges they have to pay due to peak hours.

## Mark scheme

| Answer | Guidance |
| :---: | :---: |
| Number of horses hired $=11$ <br> Number of elephants hired $=14$ <br> Let $x$ be the number of horses hired and $y$ be the number of elephants hired, then we have <br> M1 $\quad x+y=25$ <br> M1 and $50 x+100 y=1950 \& x+2 y=39$ <br> (do not deduct marks if the student writes $50 x+100 y=1950)$ <br> M1 Solving equations $x+y=25$ and $x+$ $2 y=39$ <br> A1 $x=11$ and $y=14$ <br> Number of horses hired $=11$ <br> Number of elephants hired $=14$ | M1 For applying his knowledge of algebra and writing the first equation <br> M1 For applying his knowledge of algebra and writing solving the equation <br> M1 For using any method for finding the solution of the given pair of linear equations <br> A1 For correct answer only <br> Number of horses hired $=11$ <br> Number of elephants hired $=14$. <br> (Student can choose any algebraic method for solving the equations) |

1 (b) The Fort occupies a very large area and they could not see it entirely on the first day. So, they decided to visit the next day again, but they hired horse and elephants in peak hours on their second visit. Calculate the increase in charges they have to pay due to peak hours.

| Answer | Guidance |
| :--- | :--- |


| Rs. 2500 | M1 For calculating the total fare in peak <br> hours <br> For horse riding fare $=150 \times 11=$ Rs <br> 1650. |
| :--- | :--- |
| A1 For the correct answer only <br> For elephant ride fare $=200 \times 14=$ Rs <br> 2800 <br> Total fare $=1650+2800=$ Rs 4450 <br> Total fare in normal hour $=$ Rs. 1950 <br> Total fare in peak hour $=$ Rs. 4450 <br> Extra fare $=4450-1950=$ Rs. 2500 | Do not deduct marks for units |

## Maths10SS6

| Item identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | C/N/E* | Content Reference(s) | Marks |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Maths10SS6a | 4 | C | 10A2c Solve problems from real-life <br> where a pair of linear equations <br> occur | 4 |  |
| Maths10SS6b | 1 |  | C | 10A2c Solve problems from real-life <br> where a pair of linear equations <br> occur | 1 |
| Total marks | $\mathbf{1}$ | $\mathbf{4}$ |  |  | $\mathbf{5}$ |

${ }^{*} \mathrm{C}=$ Calculator required, $\mathrm{N}=$ Calculator not allowed, $\mathrm{E}=$ Either

## Item purpose

The question assesses the ability to solve problems from real-life where a pair of linear equations occur

## Sources and diagrams

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## Question(s)

1 Mrs. Renu Sharma is the owner of a famous amusement park in Delhi. The ticket charge for the park is Rs 150 for children and Rs 400 for adults. Generally, she does not go to the park, and her team of staff manages it. One day she decided to check the park randomly. When she checked the cash counter, she found that 750 tickets were sold and Rs 212,500 was collected.

1 (a) Find the number of children that visited the amusement park on that day. Also, find the number of adults who visited the amusement park on the same day.

1 (b) Compute the total amount collected if 415 children and 150 adults visited the park.

## Mark scheme

1 (a) Find the number of children that visited the amusement park on that day. Also, find the number of adults who visited the amusement park on the same day.

| Answer | Guidance |
| :---: | :---: |
| Number of children $=350$ <br> Number of adults $=400$ <br> Let the number of children visited be $x$ and the number of adults visited be $y$ <br> Since 750 people visited, $x+y=750$. <br> Collected amount is Rs 212500 thus $\begin{gathered} 150 x+400 y=212500 \\ 3 x+8 y=4250 \end{gathered}$ <br> Multiplying $x+y=750$ by 3 and solving we get <br> Number of children $=350$ <br> Number of adults $=400$ | M1 equation for people <br> M1 equation for ticket income <br> M1 solving equation by any method <br> A1 correct answers |

1 (b) Compute the total amount collected if 415 children and 150 adults visited the park.

| Answer | Guidance |
| :--- | :--- |
| Rs 122250 | A1 For the correct answer only |
| $415 \times 150+150 \times 400$ | No marks to be deducted for units |
| $=62250+60000=$ Rs 122250 |  |

## Maths10RM8

| Item identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | C/N/E* | Content Reference(s) | Marks |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Maths10RM8a | 2 | 2 | C | 10A2c Solve problems from real-life <br> where a pair of linear equations occur | 4 |
| Maths10RM8b | 2 |  | C | 10A2c Solve problems from real-life <br> where a pair of linear equations occur | 2 |
| Total marks | $\mathbf{4}$ | $\mathbf{2}$ |  |  | $\mathbf{6}$ |

${ }^{*} \mathrm{C}=$ Calculator required, $\mathrm{N}=$ Calculator not allowed, $\mathrm{E}=$ Either

## Item purpose

The question assesses students' ability to visualise linear equations in two variables or to find their solution.

## Sources and diagrams

Source information if copied: book/journal, author, publisher, website link, etc.

## Question(s)

1
Mr. Singh is the owner of a famous amusement park in Delhi. Generally, he does not go to the park, and it is managed by a team of staff. The ticket charge for the park is Rs 150 for children and Rs 400 for adults.

One day Mr Singh decided to visit the park for a random check. When he checked the cash counter, he found that 480 tickets were sold, and Rs 134500 was collected.

Let the number of children visited be x and the number of adults visited be $y$.

1 (a) How many children visited the park on that particular day?

1 (b) How much would be collected if 300 children and 350 adults visited the park?

## Mark scheme

| 1 (a) How many children visited the park on that particular day? |  |
| :--- | :--- |
| Answer | Guidance |
| Since 480 people visited thus $x+y=480$. <br> Collected amount is Rs 134500 thus <br> $150 x+400 y=134500 \& 3 x+8 y=2690$ <br> Solving the equations $x+y=480$ and <br> $3 x+8 y=2690$ <br> we get $x=230$ <br> $\backslash$ Number of children attended $=230$ | M1 any method of solving simultaneous <br> equations <br> A1 correct intermediate stage of solution <br> A1 finding the value of $x$ |
| 1 (b) How much would be collected if 300 children and 350 adults visited the park? |  |

## Maths10RK3

| Item <br> identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | $\mathbf{C / N / E *}$ | Content Reference(s) | Marks |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Maths10RK <br> 3 | 1 | N | 10A3a Solve quadratic equations by <br> factorisation and by using the <br> quadratic formula (where roots are <br> real) | 1 |  |

${ }^{*} \mathrm{C}=$ Calculator required, $\mathrm{N}=$ Calculator not allowed, $\mathrm{E}=$ Either

## Item purpose

The question assesses the knowledge of the roots of quadratic equations.

## Sources and diagrams

Source information if copied: book/journal, author, publisher, website link, etc.

## Question

If $1 / 2$ is a root of the quadratic equation $x^{2}-m x-5 / 4=0$, then the value of $m$ is:
A. 2
B. -2
C. -3
D. 3

## Mark scheme

1 If $1 / 2$ is a root of the quadratic equation $x^{2}-m x-5 / 4=0$, then the value of $m$ is:
A. 2
B. -2
C. -3
D. 3

| Answer | Guidance |
| :--- | :--- |
| B. -2 | Given $x=1 / 2$ as root of equation <br> $x^{2}-m x-5 / 4=0$. |


|  | $(1 / 2)^{2}-m(1 / 2)-5 / 4=0$ |
| :--- | :--- |
|  | $1 / 4-m / 2-5 / 4=0$ |
| $m=-2$ |  |

## Maths10PS10

| Item identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | C/N/E* | Content Reference(s) | Marks |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Maths10PS10 | 1 | 2 | N | 10A3b Know and use the relationship <br> between the discriminant and the <br> nature of the roots <br> 10A3a Solve quadratic equations by <br> factorisation and by using the quadratic <br> formula (where roots are real) | 3 |

* $\mathrm{C}=$ Calculator required, $\mathrm{N}=$ Calculator not allowed, $\mathrm{E}=$ Either


## Item purpose

The question assesses the ability of the student to determine the value of the unknown in a quadratic equation whose roots are real and equal

## Sources and diagrams

Source information if copied: book/journal, author, publisher, website link, etc.

## Question

1
For which, value(s) of $k$ will the roots of $6 x^{2}+6=4 k x$ be real and equal?
(3 marks)
(Total marks 3)

## Mark scheme

1 For which value(s) of $k$ will the roots of the quadratic equation $6 x^{2}+6=4 k x$ be real and equal?

| Answer | Guidance |
| :--- | :--- |
| $k=3$ or $k=-3$ | M1 for correctly identifying the values of $a$, <br> $b$, and $c$. <br> M1 for correctly calculating the value of the <br> discriminant. <br> A1 for the correct answer <br> For roots to be real and equal, $b^{2}-4 a c=$ <br> $a=6 ; b=-4 k ; c=6$ <br>  |

$$
\begin{aligned}
& \Rightarrow>(-4 k)^{2}-4(6)(6)=0 \\
& =>16\left(k^{2}-9\right)=0 \\
& =>(k+3)(k-3)=0 \\
& =>k=3 \text { or } k=-3
\end{aligned}
$$

## Maths10RM5

| Item identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | C/N/E* | Content Reference(s) | Marks |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Maths10RM5a | 1 | 3 | C | 10A3a Solve quadratic equations by <br> factorisation and by using the <br> quadratic formula (where roots are <br> real) | 4 |
| Maths10RM5b | 2 |  | C | 10A3c Solve problems from real-life <br> where a quadratic equation occurs | 2 |
| Total marks | $\mathbf{3}$ | $\mathbf{3}$ |  |  | $\mathbf{6}$ |

${ }^{*} \mathrm{C}=$ Calculator required, $\mathrm{N}=$ Calculator not allowed, $\mathrm{E}=$ Either

## Item purpose

The question assesses the students' ability to use quadratic equations to solve real-life problems through different strategies, such as quadratic formula, etc

## Sources and diagrams

Source information if copied: book/journal, author, publisher, website link, etc.

## Question(s)

1 Kapoor Travel Agency has sent an AC bus and a minibus with passengers on a trip to Shimla. The AC bus travels at $x \mathrm{~km} / \mathrm{hr}$ while the minibus travels at a speed of $10 \mathrm{~km} / \mathrm{hr}$ more than the $A C$ bus. The AC bus took 2 hrs more than the minibus in covering 600 km .

1 (a) What is the speed of the AC bus?

1 (b) How much time did the minibus take to travel 600 km ?

## Mark scheme

1(a) What is the speed of the AC bus?

| Answer | Guidance |
| :--- | :--- |
| The AC bus travels $x \mathrm{~km} / \mathrm{h}$ while the non- <br> AC bus travels at $5 \mathrm{~km} / \mathrm{h}$ more than the <br> AC bus. Thus, the speed of the non-AC <br> bus is $(\mathrm{x}+5) \mathrm{km} / \mathrm{hr}$. | M1 for expressing the condition correctly <br> As per the question, <br> M1 for factorisation |
| $\frac{600}{x}-\frac{600}{x+10}=2$ <br> $600(x+10)-600 x=2 x(x+10)$ <br> $2 x^{2}+20 x-6000=0$ <br> $x^{2}+10 x-3000=0$ <br> $(x+60)(x-50)=0$ <br> $x=50,-60$ <br> A1 for rejecting the negative value and <br> writing the correct answer |  |
| hence $x=50 \mathrm{~km} / \mathrm{hr}$ |  |$\quad$| 1(b) How much time did the minibus take to travel $600 \mathrm{~km} ?$ |
| :--- |
| Answer |
| Speed of minibus $=50+10=60 \mathrm{~km} /$ hour <br> Time Taken $=\frac{600}{60}=10$ hours |

## Maths10PS3

| Item <br> identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | C/N/E* | Content Reference(s) | Marks |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Maths10PS3 | 1 |  | N | 10A3b Know and use the relationship <br> between the discriminant and the <br> nature of the roots | 1 |

${ }^{*} \mathrm{C}=$ Calculator required, $\mathrm{N}=$ Calculator not allowed, $\mathrm{E}=$ Either

## Item purpose

The question assesses the ability of the student to determine the nature of the roots of a quadratic equation.

## Sources and diagrams

Source information if copied: book/journal, author, publisher, website link, etc.

## Question

Find the nature of the roots for the quadratic equation $x^{2}-3 x+11=0$
A. No roots
B. No real roots
C. Two equal roots
D. Two distinct real roots

## Mark scheme

| 1 Find the nature of the roots for the quadratic equation $\mathrm{x}^{2}-3 \mathrm{x}+11=0$ |  |
| :--- | :--- |
| A. No roots |  |
| B. No real roots |  |
| C. Two equal roots |  |
| D. Two distinct real roots | Guidance |
| Answer | A1 for the correct answer |
| B. No real roots | As $\mathrm{b}^{2}-4 \mathrm{ac}=-44<0$ |

## Maths10SS9

| Item <br> identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | C/N/E* | Content Reference(s) | Marks |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Maths10SS9 | 1 |  | N | 10A3b Know and use the relationship <br> between the discriminant and the <br> nature of the roots | 1 |

${ }^{*} \mathrm{C}=$ Calculator required, $\mathrm{N}=$ Calculator not allowed, $\mathrm{E}=$ Either

## Item purpose

The question assesses the knowledge and use of the relationship between the discriminant and the nature of the roots.

## Question

1 The values of $k$ for which the quadratic equation $2 x^{2}-k x+k=0$ has equal roots are:
A. 8 and 2
B. 0 and 2
C. -8 and 0
D. 0 and 8

## Mark scheme

1 The values of $k$ for which the quadratic equation $2 x^{2}-k x+k=0$ has equal roots are:
A. 8 and 2
B. 0 and 2
C. -8 and 0
D. 0 and 8

| Answer | Guidance |
| :--- | :--- |
| D. 0 and 8 | A1 For writing (D) or 0 and 8 |
| For equal roots, the discriminant must be | Do not deduct marks if only (D) or 0 and 8 <br> zero written |
| Thus $b^{2}-4 a c=0$ |  |
| $\mathrm{~K}^{2}-8 \mathrm{k}=0$ |  |
| $K(k-8)=0 \& k=0,8$ |  |

## Maths10AR10

| Item <br> identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | C/N/E* | Content Reference(s) | Marks |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Maths10AR10 | 2 |  | E | 10A3b Know and use the <br> relationship between the <br> discriminant and the nature of the <br> roots | 2 |

${ }^{*} \mathrm{C}=$ Calculator required, $\mathrm{N}=$ Calculator not allowed, $\mathrm{E}=$ Either

## Item purpose

The question assesses the ability of the student to relate the coefficient of the quadratic polynomial with the zeros of the polynomial,

## Sources and diagrams

## Question(s)

1 Write the nature of roots of the quadratic equation $4 x^{2}+4 \sqrt{3} x+3=0$.

## Mark scheme

1 Write the nature of roots of quadratic equation $4 x^{2}+4 \sqrt{3} x+3=0$

| Answer real and equal | Guidance |
| :--- | :--- |
| $\mathrm{b}=4 \sqrt{ } 3, \mathrm{a}=4, \mathrm{c}=3$ | M1 identifying the coefficients and <br> substituting the values in $b^{2}-4 a c$ |
| $b^{2}-4 a c=(4 \sqrt{3})^{2}-4 \times 4 \times 3=0$ | A1 correct value for $b^{2}-4 a c$ |
| A1 correct statement of nature of roots |  |
| Hence the roots are real and equal |  |

## Maths10SK9

| Item <br> identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | C/N/E* | Content Reference(s) | Marks |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Maths10SK9 | 1 | 1 | C | 10A3b Know and use the relationship <br> between the discriminant and the <br> nature of the roots | 2 |

* $\mathrm{C}=$ Calculator required, $\mathrm{N}=$ Calculator not allowed, $\mathrm{E}=$ Either


## Item purpose

The question assesses the knowledge of the nature of roots of quadratic equations

## Sources and diagrams

Source information: book/journal, author, publisher, website link, etc.

## Question(s)

Find the nature of the roots of the quadratic equation: $3 x^{2}+5 x-7=0$

## Mark scheme

| Find the nature of roots of quadratic equations: $3 x 2+5 x-7=0$ |  |
| :--- | :--- |
| Answer Real and unequal | Guidance |
| Discriminant $=b^{2}-4 \mathrm{ac}$ | M1 find discriminant |
| $=(5)^{2}-4^{*} 3(-7)=109>0$ | A1 correct answer |
| Real and Unequal |  |

## Maths10AS6

| Item <br> identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | $\mathbf{C / N / E}$ | Content Reference(s) | Marks |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Maths10AS6a | 1 |  | N | 10A4a Be able to calculate the <br> nth term and the sum of the <br> first $n$ terms of an Arithmetic <br> Progression | 1 |
| Maths10AS6b | 3 | N | 10A4a Be able to calculate the <br> nth term and the sum of the <br> first $n$ terms of an Arithmetic <br> Progression | 3 |  |
| Total marks | $\mathbf{1}$ | $\mathbf{3}$ |  |  | $\mathbf{4}$ |

*C = Calculator required, $\mathrm{N}=$ Calculator not allowed, $\mathrm{E}=$ Either

## Item purpose

The question assesses that the students know how to calculate the nth term and the sum of the first $n$ terms of an Arithmetic Progression.

## Sources and diagrams

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## Question(s)

1 Amrya's school organised a tree fest in the month of August.
The authorities got 5 feet of area cleared up all along the school boundary. It was decided that every section of each class would plant twice as many as the class standard. There were 3 sections of each standard from 1 to 12 .

So, if there are three sections in class 1 , say $1 \mathrm{~A}, 1 \mathrm{~B}$, and 1 C , then each sectiol would plant 2 trees. Similarly, each section of class 2 would plant 4 trees and sc on.

1 (a) How many trees were planted by the students of all sections of class 8?

1 (b) Find the total number of trees planted by students.

## Mark scheme

1(a) How many trees were planted by the students of all sections of class 8 ?

| Answer | Guidance |
| :--- | :--- |
| 48 trees | A1 Correct answer -1 mark |
| One section of Class 8 will plant 16 trees | Total part (a) =1 mark |
| $\therefore 3$ sections of Class 8 will plant $16 \times 3=$ |  |
| 48 trees |  |

1 (b) Find the total number of trees planted by students.

| Answer | Guidance |
| :--- | :--- |
| 468 |  |
| Number of trees planted by different |  |
| classes |  |
| $6,12,18,24, \ldots$. | M1 - forming the A.P |
| $\therefore$ The terms are in A.P |  |
| Total trees planted $=6+12+18+24+$ |  |
| $\cdots$ |  |
| $\mathrm{n}=12 ; \mathrm{d}=6 ; \mathrm{a}=6$ |  |
| $S_{n}=\frac{n}{2}[2 a+(n-1) d]$ |  |
| $S_{n}=\frac{12}{2}[2 \times 6+(12-1) 6]$ |  |
|  | A1 - finding total number of trees |
|  |  |

## Maths10SK1

| Item <br> identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | C/N/E* | Content Reference(s) | Marks |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Maths10SK1 | 1 |  | N | 10A4a Be able to calculate the nth term <br> and the sum of the first $n$ terms of an <br> Arithmetic Progression | 1 |

${ }^{*} \mathrm{C}=$ Calculator required, $\mathrm{N}=$ Calculator not allowed, $\mathrm{E}=$ Either

## Item purpose

The question assesses the knowledge of Nth term in Arithmetic progression.

## Sources and diagrams

Source information: book/journal, author, publisher, website link etc.

## Question(s)

1
The $6^{\text {th }}$ term from the of the A. $\mathrm{P}-11,-8,-5 \ldots$ is
A. -7
B. 4
C. 7
D. 16

## Mark scheme

1 The 6th term of the A. P $-11,-8,-5 \ldots$ is
A. -7
B. 4
C. 7
D. 16

| Answer | Guidance |
| :--- | :--- |
| B. 4 | $\mathrm{A}_{6}=\mathrm{a}+5 \mathrm{~d}$ <br> $=-11+15=4$ |

## Maths10SK11

| Item identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | C/N/E* | Content Reference(s) | Marks |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Maths10SK11 | 1 |  | C | 10A4a Be able to calculate the nth term <br> and the sum of the first $n$ terms of an <br> Arithmetic Progression | 1 |

${ }^{*} \mathrm{C}=$ Calculator required, $\mathrm{N}=$ Calculator not allowed, $\mathrm{E}=$ Either

## Item purpose

The question assesses the knowledge of Arithmetic progression.

## Sources and diagrams

Source information: book/journal, author, publisher, website link, etc.

## Question(s)

1
Which term of the AP $3,12,21,30, \ldots .$. will be 90 more than its 50 th term.
(2 marks)
(Total marks 2)

## Mark scheme

| 1 Which term of the AP 3,12, 21,30, ..... will be 90 more than its 50th term. |  |
| :--- | :--- |
| Answer $60^{\text {th }}$ term | Guidance |
| The difference is 9 , so it will take 10 <br> further terms to increase by 90. | M1 for using the common difference to <br> calculate how many more terms are needed <br> So, the $60^{\text {th }}$ term |
| A1 correct answer |  |

## Maths10RM2

| Item identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | C/N/E* | Content Reference(s) | Marks |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Maths10RM2 | 1 |  | E | 10A4a Be able to calculate the nth term <br> of an AP | 1 |

${ }^{*} \mathrm{C}=$ Calculator required, $\mathrm{N}=$ Calculator not allowed, $\mathrm{E}=$ Either

## Item purpose

The question assesses the students' ability to develop strategies to apply the concept of A.P.

## Sources and diagrams

$\square$
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## Question

1 If the common difference of an AP is 7, then find the value of $\mathrm{a}_{7}-\mathrm{a}_{4}$
A. 7
B. 14
C. 21
D. 24

## Mark scheme

1 If the common difference of an AP is 7, then find the value of $\mathrm{a}_{7}-\mathrm{a}_{4}$
A. 7
B. 14
C. 21
D. 24

| Answer | Guidance |
| :--- | :--- |
| C. 21 | A1 for the correct answer. |

## Maths10GS5

| Item identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | C/N/E* | Content Reference(s) | Marks |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Maths10GS5a | 1 |  | C | 10A4a Be able to calculate the nth <br> term and the sum of the first $n$ terms of <br> an Arithmetic Progression | 1 |
| Maths10GS5b |  | 2 | C | 10A4a Be able to calculate the nth <br> term and the sum of the first $n$ terms of <br> an Arithmetic Progression | 2 |
| Maths10GS5c | 1 |  | C | 10A4a Be able to calculate the nth <br> term and the sum of the first $n$ terms of <br> an Arithmetic Progression | 1 |
| Total marks | $\mathbf{2}$ | $\mathbf{2}$ |  | $\mathbf{4}$ |  |

${ }^{*} \mathrm{C}=$ Calculator required, $\mathrm{N}=$ Calculator not allowed, $\mathrm{E}=$ Either

## Item purpose

The question assesses how to calculate the nth term and sum of the first $n$ terms of an
Arithmetic Progression.

## Sources and diagrams

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## Question(s)

1 My friend wants to buy a car and plans to take a loan from a bank for his car.

He repays his loan starting with the first installment of Rs. 1000.
If he increases his installment by Rs. 200 every month, then answer the following questions:

1(a) What is the amount paid by him in the $30^{\text {th }}$ installment?

1(b) Find the total amount paid by him in the 30 installments.

1(c) If there are 40 installments in total, then what is the amount paid in the last installment?

## Mark scheme

| 1 (a) What is the amount paid by him in the $30^{\text {th }}$ installment? |  |
| :--- | :--- |
| Answer | Guidance |
| $a_{n}=a+(n-1) d$ | A1 Correct answer $=6800$ |
| $a_{30}=1000+(30-1) 200$ |  |
| $a_{30}=1000+29 \times 200$ |  |
| $a_{30}=6800$ |  |

1 (b) Find the amount paid by him in the 30 installments.

| Answer | Guidance |
| :--- | :--- |
| $\mathrm{S}_{\mathrm{n}}=\frac{n}{2}[2 \mathrm{a}+(\mathrm{n}-1) \mathrm{d}]$ | M1 for applying correct formula and <br> substituting correct values |
| $\mathrm{S}_{30}=\frac{30}{2}[2 \times 1000+(30-1) 200]$ |  |
| $\mathrm{S}_{30}=15(2000+29 \times 200)$ | A1 Correct answer $=117,000$ |
| $\mathrm{~S}_{30}=15(2000+5800)$ |  |
| $\mathrm{S}_{30}=15 \times 7800$ |  |
| $\mathrm{~S}_{30}=117,000$ |  |

1 (c) If there are 40 installments in total, then what is the amount paid in the last installment?

| Answer | Guidance |
| :--- | :--- |
| a $40=1000+(40-1) 200$ | A1 Correct answer $=8800$ |
| $\mathrm{a}_{40}=1000+39 \times 200$ |  |
| $\mathrm{a}_{40}=8800$ |  |

## Maths10AR9

| Item identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | C/N/E* | Content Reference(s) | Marks |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Maths10AR9 | 2 |  | E | 10A4a Be able to calculate nth <br> term and sum to first $n$ terms of an <br> arithmetic progression | 2 |

${ }^{*} \mathrm{C}=$ Calculator required, $\mathrm{N}=$ Calculator not allowed, $\mathrm{E}=$ Either

## Item purpose

The question assesses the ability of the student to identify the terms, finding the terms, and use the formula for finding the sum of the terms which are in Arithmetic progression

## Sources and diagrams

$\square$

## Question(s)

1 If the first three terms of an A.P is $15,13.5,12$. Find the sum of the first 10 terms (2 marks)
(Total marks 2)

## Mark scheme

Point-based
1 If the first three terms of an A.P is $15,13.5,12$. Find the sum of the first 10 terms

| Answer | Guidance |
| :---: | :---: |
| $\mathrm{a}=15 \mathrm{~d}=-1.5$. |  |
|  | M1 Finding the 10th term |
| $\mathrm{A}_{10}=\mathrm{a}+(10-1) \mathrm{d}$ |  |
| $=15+9(-1.5)$ | M2 Finding Sum to 10 terms |
| $=1.5$ |  |
| sum to 10 terms | A1 Getting the 10th term correctly ---1 |
| $=15+13.5+12+\ldots+1.5$ | mark |
| $=82.5$ | A2 finding the sum to 10 terms - 1 mark |

## Maths10RK4

| Item <br> identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | C/N/E* | Content Reference(s) | Marks |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Maths10RK <br> 4 | 1 | E | 10A4a Be able to calculate the nth <br> term and the sum of the <br> first n terms of an <br> Arithmetic Progression | 1 |  |

${ }^{*} \mathrm{C}=$ Calculator required, $\mathrm{N}=$ Calculator not allowed, $\mathrm{E}=$ Either

## Item purpose

The question assesses the knowledge terms of arithmetic progression.

## Sources and diagrams

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## Question(s)

1 If $m-2,2 m-3$ and $m+3$ are three consecutive terms of an A.P, then the value of $m$ is:
A. 2.5
B. 3
C. 1.5
D. 3.5

## Mark Scheme

1 If $m-2,2 m-3$ and $m+3$ are three consecutive terms of an A.P, then the value of $m$ is
A. 2.5
B. 3
C. 1.5
D. 3.5

| Answer | Guidance |
| :--- | :--- |
| D. 3.5 | A1 as the terms are consecutive in an |
|  | AP, so the common difference is same |
|  | $(2 m-3)-(m-2)=(m+3)-(2 m-3)$ |
|  | $m-1=-m+6$ |
|  | $m+m=6+1$ |


|  | $2 m=7$ <br> $m=3.5$ |
| :--- | :--- |

## Maths10RM9

| Item identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | C/N/E* | Content Reference(s) | Marks |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Maths10RM9 | 3 | C | 10A4a Be able to calculate the nth term <br> and the sum of the first $n$ terms of an <br> Arithmetic Progression | 3 |  |

${ }^{*} \mathrm{C}=$ Calculator required, $\mathrm{N}=$ Calculator not allowed, $\mathrm{E}=$ Either

## Item purpose

The question assesses students' ability to apply the concept of Arithmetic Progression in reallife situation

## Sources and diagrams

Source information if copied: book/journal, author, publisher, website link, etc.

## Question(s)

1 The nth term of an AP is 18 . Its first term and common difference are 50 and -4 , respectively. Find the sum of first $n$ terms of the AP
(3 marks)
(Total marks 3)

## Mark scheme

1. The $n t h$ term of an AP is 18 . Its first term and common difference are 50 and -4 , respectively. Find the sum of first $n$ terms of the AP.
Answer
Sol: $a=50, d=-4, a_{n}=18$
$a_{n}=a+(n-1) d$
$18=50+(n-1)(-4)$
$18=50-4 n+4=54-4 n$
$4 n=54-18=36$
$n=36 / 4=9$
$S_{n}=n / 2(2 a+(n-1) d)$
$=9 / 2(100+(8 \times-4))$
$=9 / 2(100-32)$
$=9 / 2 \times 68=9 \times 34=306$
$S_{n}=306$

Guidance
M1 for a, d, and $a_{n}$ and substituting in the formula
M1 for finding $n$
A1 for Sn

## Maths10RM1

| Item identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | C/N/E* | Content Reference(s) | Marks |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Maths10RM1 | 1 |  | E | 10A4b Be able to identify and use <br> Arithmetic Progressions | 1 |

* $\mathrm{C}=$ Calculator required, $\mathrm{N}=$ Calculator not allowed, $\mathrm{E}=$ Either


## Item purpose

The question assesses the students' ability to develop strategies to apply the concept of Arithmetic progressions

## Sources and diagrams

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## Question(s)

1 The next term of the AP $\sqrt{3}, \sqrt{12}, \sqrt{27}$, is:
A. $\sqrt{9}$
B. $\sqrt{15}$
C. $\sqrt{48}$
D. $\sqrt{12}$

## Mark scheme

1 The next term of the AP $\sqrt{3}, \sqrt{12}, \sqrt{27}, \ldots \ldots$ is :
A. $\sqrt{9}$
B. $\sqrt{15}$
C. $\sqrt{48}$
D. $\sqrt{12}$

| Answer | Guidance |
| :--- | :--- |
| C. $\sqrt{48}$ | A1 for the correct answer |
| AP is: |  |
| $\sqrt{3}, 2 \sqrt{3}, 3 \sqrt{3}, 4 \sqrt{3} \ldots \ldots$ |  |
| $4 \sqrt{3}=\sqrt{48}$ |  |

## Maths10GS3

| Item <br> identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | C/N/E* | Content Reference(s) | Marks |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Maths10GS3 | 1 |  | N | 10G1a Be able to prove and use the <br> fact that: If a line is drawn parallel to <br> one side of a triangle to intersect the <br> other two sides in distinct points, the <br> other two sides are divided in the same <br> ratio | 1 |

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## Item purpose

The question assesses the concept of the Basic Proportionality Theorem.

## Sources and diagrams



## Question(s)

1 In the above figure, ST is parallel to QR. What is the length of SP?
A. 2 cm
B. 3 cm
C. 4 cm
D. 4.5 cm

## Mark scheme

| 1 In the above figure, ST is parallel to QR. What is the length of SP? |  |
| :--- | :--- |
| Answer | Guidance |


| $\mathrm{SP}=4.5 \mathrm{~cm}$ | A1 Correct answer -1 mark |
| :--- | :--- |
| PQR and PTS are similar since ST and |  |
| QR are parallel, so |  |
| $\frac{R T}{T P}=\frac{Q S}{S P} \Rightarrow \frac{2}{3}=\frac{3}{S P} \Rightarrow S P=4.5$ |  |

## Maths10AD10

| Item identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | C/N/E* | Content Reference(s) | Marks |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Maths10AD10 | 3 |  | N | 10G1a Be able to prove and use the <br> fact that if a line is drawn parallel to one <br> side of a triangle to intersect the other <br> two sides in distinct points, the other <br> two sides are divided in the same ratio | 3 |

* $\mathrm{C}=$ Calculator required, $\mathrm{N}=$ Calculator not allowed, $\mathrm{E}=$ Either


## Item purpose

The question assesses the use of the fact that if a line is drawn parallel to one side of a triangle to intersect the other two sides in distinct points, the other two sides are divided in the same ratio.

## Sources and diagrams



Diagram not to scale

## Question(s)

1 A line intersects sides $P Q$ and $P R$ of $\triangle P Q R$ at $A$ and $B$, respectively, and is parallel to $Q R$, as shown in the figure. Prove that $\frac{A Q}{P Q}=\frac{B R}{P R}$.
(Total marks 3)

## Mark Scheme

1. A line intersects sides $P Q$ and $P R$ of $\triangle P Q R$ at $A$ and $B$, respectively, parallel to $Q R$, as shown in the figure. Prove that $\frac{A Q}{P Q}=\frac{B R}{P R}$.

| Answer | Guidance |
| :--- | :--- |
| Given: $\triangle$ PQR, in which AB intersects PQ |  |
| and PR at A and B, respectively. Also, AB | M1 Writing the given information and to |
| \\| QR | prove along with the figure |
| To Prove: $\frac{A Q}{P Q}=\frac{B R}{P R}$. |  |
| Proof: since $\mathrm{AB} \\| \mathrm{QR}$ |  |
| So, $\frac{P A}{A Q}=\frac{P B}{B R}$ (By Thales theorem or by |  |
| $\mathrm{BPT})$ |  |
| $\Rightarrow \frac{A Q}{P A}=\frac{B R}{P B}$ |  |
| $\Rightarrow \frac{A Q}{P A}+1=\frac{B R}{P B}+1$ | M1 Applying Thales theorem to prove $\frac{P Q}{P A}=$ |
| $\Rightarrow \frac{A Q+P A}{P A}=\frac{B R+P B}{P B}$ |  |
| $\Rightarrow \frac{P Q}{P A}=\frac{P R}{P B}$ |  |
| $\Rightarrow \frac{P A}{P Q}=\frac{P B}{P R}$ |  |
| $\Rightarrow \frac{P Q-A Q}{P Q}=\frac{P R-B R}{P R}$ | A1 proving that $\frac{A Q}{P Q}=\frac{B R}{P R}$ |
| $\Rightarrow 1-\frac{A Q}{P Q}=1-\frac{B R}{P R}$ |  |
| $\Rightarrow \frac{A Q}{P Q}=\frac{B R}{P R}$ |  |
| Hence Proved |  |

## Maths10PS7

| Item <br> identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | $\mathbf{C / N / E *}$ | Content Reference(s) | Marks |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Maths10PS7 | 1 | 1 | N | 10G1a Be able to prove and use the <br> fact that if a line is drawn parallel to one <br> side of a triangle to intersect the other <br> two sides in distinct points, the other <br> two sides are divided in the same ratio | 2 |

* $\mathrm{C}=$ Calculator required, $\mathrm{N}=$ Calculator not allowed, $\mathrm{E}=$ Either


## Item purpose

The question assesses the ability of the student to determine the value of the unknown side when the lengths of the parallel sides and other two sides in distinct points divided in the same ratio are given.

## Sources and diagrams



The diagram alongside has not been drawn to scale. $B C$ is parallel to $D E$.

## Question(s)

1
In the above figure, line $B C$ is drawn parallel to $D E$ to intersect side $A D$ and $E A$ of triangle $A B C$ at distinct points $B$ and $C$. Given that $A B=x \mathrm{~cm}, B D=5 \mathrm{~cm}$, $B C=3 \mathrm{~cm}$ and $D E=8 \mathrm{~cm}$. Find the value of $x$.

## Mark scheme

1. In the above figure, line $B C$ is drawn parallel to $D E$ to intersect side $A D$ and $E A$ of triangle $A B C$ at distinct points $B$ and $C$. Given that $A B=x \mathrm{~cm}, B D=5 \mathrm{~cm}, B C=3 \mathrm{~cm}$ and $D E=8 \mathrm{~cm}$. Find the value of $x$.

| Answer | Guidance |
| :---: | :---: |
| $x=3(\mathrm{~cm})$ | M1 for writing the correct ratios as per the concept <br> A1 for the correct answer |
| $\Rightarrow x=3 \mathrm{~cm}$ | Alternatively, <br> M1 for writing the ratios as $\frac{x+5}{x}=\frac{8}{3}$ |
|  | Note: <br> A1 for the correct answer. <br> Do not penalise if the units are not written. |

## Maths10SR7

| Item identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | $\mathbf{C / N / E}$ | Content Reference(s) | Marks |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :---: |
| Maths10SR7a | 3 | N | 10G1a Be able to prove and use <br> the fact that if a line is drawn <br> parallel to one side of a triangle to <br> intersect the other two sides in <br> distinct points, the other two sides <br> are divided in the same ratio | 3 |  |  |
| Maths10SR7b |  | 3 | N | 10G1c Use the fact that: If in two <br> triangles, the corresponding angles <br> are equal, their corresponding <br> sides are proportional, and the <br> triangles are similar | 3 |  |
| Total marks |  | $\mathbf{6}$ |  |  |  |  |

## Item purpose

The question assesses the ability to apply the basic proportionality theorem and criteria for similar triangles

## Sources and diagrams

$\square$

## Question(s)

1 In the figure given above PR II AC and PQ II AB
1(a) Prove that QR II BC
1(b) Prove that $\triangle A B C \sim \Delta P Q R$

## Mark scheme

1 (a) Prove that QR II BC

| Answer | Guidance |
| :---: | :---: |
| Given that PR II AC. So, from $\triangle O A C$, by Basic Proportionality Theorem, we have $\begin{equation*} \frac{C P}{P A}=\frac{O R}{R C} \tag{1} \end{equation*}$ <br> PQ II AB, so from $\triangle O A B$, we have $\begin{equation*} \frac{C Q}{Q B}=\frac{C P}{P A} \tag{2} \end{equation*}$ <br> From equations (1) and (2), we get $\frac{C Q}{Q B}=\frac{O R}{R C}$ <br> So, by the converse of the Basic Proportionality theorem, QRIIBC | M1. Using Basic Proportionality Theorem in triangle OAC we have <br> CP/PA $=O R / R C$. <br> M1. $\frac{C Q}{Q B}=\frac{C P}{P A}$ $\qquad$ <br> A1. COMPARING AND GETTING <br> QR II BC ----1 MARK USING CONVERSE OF BPT <br> So, by the converse of the Basic Proportionality theorem, QRIIBC |


| 1 (b) Prove that $\triangle A B C \sim \triangle P Q R$ |  |
| :---: | :---: |
| Answer | Guidance |
| PR II AC gives $<O R P=<O C A \ldots \ldots$ (1) <br> QR II BC gives $<O R P=O C B$ <br> (2) - (1) Gives $<P R Q=<A C B$ <br> PQ II AB Gives $<O Q P=<O B A$ <br> (4) <br> QR II BC Gives $<O Q R=<O B C$ <br> (5) <br> (4) - (3) Gives $<P Q R=<A B C$. <br> From (3) and (6), we get <br> $\Delta A B C \sim \triangle P Q R$ (By AA similarity criteria) | M1. $<P R Q=<A C B$ USING THE PROPERTY CORRESPONDING ANGLES ARE EQUAL and arriving the answer <br> M1. $\angle P Q R=\angle A B C$ SAME PROPERTY <br> A1. $\triangle A B C \sim \triangle P Q R$ (by AA similarity criteria) |

## Maths10AD1

| Item <br> identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | C/N/E* | Content Reference(s) | Marks |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Maths10AD1 | 1 |  | N | 10G1c Use the fact that: If in two <br> triangles, the corresponding angles are <br> equal, their corresponding sides are <br> proportional, and the triangles are <br> similar | 1 |

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## Item purpose

The question assesses the learner's understanding of the properties of similar triangles.

## Sources and diagrams



## Question

1 In the figure shown above, $Q R$ is parallel to $S T . Q R=a, Q S=b, S P=c$ and $\mathrm{ST}=\mathrm{x}$.

The correct relationship between $\mathrm{x}, \mathrm{a}, \mathrm{b}$ and c is given as
A. $x=\frac{a(b+c)}{c}$
B. $x=\frac{a(b+c)}{b}$
C. $x=\frac{a c}{b+c}$
D. $x=\frac{a(b-c)}{b}$

## Mark scheme

1 With reference to the figure shown above, the correct relationship between $\mathrm{x}, \mathrm{a}, \mathrm{b}$ and c is given as
A. $x=\frac{a(b+c)}{c}$
B. $x=\frac{a(b+c)}{b}$
C. $x=\frac{a c}{b+c}$
D. $x=\frac{a(b-c)}{b}$

| Answer | Guidance |
| :--- | :--- |
| C. $x=\frac{a c}{b+c}$ | A1 for the correct answer only <br> Do not penalise if only (C) or only the <br> answer $x=\frac{a c}{b+c}$ is written. |
| $\frac{S T}{Q R}=\frac{S P}{Q P} \Rightarrow \frac{x}{a}=\frac{c}{b+c}$ |  |
| $\Rightarrow x=\frac{a c}{b+c}$ |  |

## Maths10ASR11

| Item identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | C/N/E* | Content Reference(s) | Marks |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :---: |
| Maths10ASR11a |  | 2 | N | 10G1f To prove If a perpendicular is <br> drawn from the vertex of the right <br> angle of a right triangle to the <br> hypotenuse, the triangles on each <br> side of the perpendicular are similar <br> to the whole triangle and to each <br> other | 2 |  |
| Maths10ASR11b | 2 | 2 | E | 10G1c Use the fact that if the <br> corresponding angles are equal in two <br> triangles, their corresponding sides <br> are proportional | 4 |  |
| Total marks | $\mathbf{2}$ | $\mathbf{4}$ |  |  |  |  |

${ }^{*} \mathrm{C}=$ Calculator required, $\mathrm{N}=$ Calculator not allowed, $\mathrm{E}=$ Either

## Item purpose

The question assesses students' ability to establish properties for similarity of two triangles logically using different geometric criteria.

## Sources and diagrams



## Question(s)

1 In $\triangle P Q R, \angle P Q R=90^{\circ}, \mathrm{QS} \perp \mathrm{PR}$

1 (a) Prove that $\triangle P S Q \sim \Delta Q S R$.
1 (b) Find the values of $x, y$, and $z$.

## Mark scheme

1 (a) Prove that $\triangle P S Q \sim \Delta Q S R$.

| Answer | Guidance |
| :---: | :---: |
| In $\triangle P Q S$ and $\triangle P Q R$, |  |
| $\angle P S Q=\angle P Q R \ldots$. each $90^{\circ}$ | M1: To prove the similarity of |
| $\angle Q P S=\angle Q P R \ldots .$. common angle | $\triangle P Q S$ and $\triangle P Q R$ |
| Therefore, | ( Or $\triangle Q S R \sim \triangle P Q R$ ) |
|  | M2: To prove the similarity of $\triangle P S Q$ and $\triangle Q S R$. |
| Similarly, |  |
| $\triangle Q S R \sim \triangle P Q R \ldots$. AA test..... (ii) |  |
| From (i) and (ii) $\triangle P S Q \sim \triangle Q S R$. |  |

1 (b) Find the values of $x, y$, and $z$.

| Answer |  |
| :--- | :--- |
| Since $\triangle P S Q \sim \Delta Q S R$. | M1 A1: use similar triangle ratios to find $x$. |
| $\frac{P S}{Q S}=\frac{Q S}{S R} \ldots \ldots$ CSST | M1 A1: use Pythagoras to find $y, z$ (or use |
| $Q S^{2}=P S \times S R$ | proportionality again) |
| $x^{2}=10 \times 8$ |  |
| $x^{2}=80$ |  |
| $x=4 \sqrt{5}$ <br> In $\Delta P Q S$, <br> $z^{2}=10^{2}+x^{2} \ldots \ldots$ By Pythagoras <br> theorem <br> $=100+80=180$ <br> $z=6 \sqrt{5}$ <br> Similarly, In $\Delta Q S R$, <br> $y^{2}=8^{2}+x^{2}$ <br> $y^{2}=64+80$ <br> $y^{2}=144$ <br> $y=12$ |  |

## Maths10PR6

| Item identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | C/N/E* | Content Reference(s) | Marks |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Maths10PR6a | 3 | E | 10G1c Use the fact that: If in two <br> triangles, the corresponding angles are <br> equal, their corresponding sides <br> are proportional, and the triangles are <br> similar. | 3 |  |
| Maths10PR6b |  | 3 | E | 10G1c Use the fact that: If in two <br> triangles, the corresponding angles are <br> equal, their corresponding sides <br> are proportional, and the triangles are <br> similar. | 3 |
| Total marks |  | $\mathbf{6}$ |  |  | $\mathbf{6}$ |

${ }^{*} \mathrm{C}=$ Calculator required, $\mathrm{N}=$ Calculator not allowed, $\mathrm{E}=$ Either

## Item purpose

The question assesses the properties of similar triangles and applying them.

## Sources and diagrams



## Question(s)

1 In the figure shown above, $B A, F E$, and $C D$ are parallel lines.
Given that $E G=5 \mathrm{~cm}, G C=10 \mathrm{~cm}, A B=15 \mathrm{~cm}$ and $D C=18 \mathrm{~cm}$.

## Calculate:

1 (a) $E F$
1 (b) $A C$

## Mark scheme

| 1 (a) EF |  |
| :---: | :---: |
| Answer | Guidance |
| 9 cm | M1 In $\triangle E F G$ and $\triangle C D G$, we have <br> $\angle G F E=\angle G D C$ (alt. int angles; $E F \\| D C$ and <br> FD is tranversal) <br> $\angle E G F=\angle C G D$ (vert. opp. Angles) <br> $\triangle E F G \sim \triangle C D G$ by AA similarity criterion <br> M1 corresponding sides are in the same ratio <br> A1 $\frac{E F}{E G}=\frac{C D}{C G} \Rightarrow \frac{E F}{5}=\frac{18}{10} \Rightarrow E F=9 \mathrm{~cm}$. |
| 1 (b) $A C$ |  |
| Answer | Guidance |
| 25 cm | M1 In $\triangle C A B$ and $\triangle C E F$, we have <br> $\angle C A B=\angle C E F$ (corresponding angles; <br> $\mathrm{AB} \\| E F$ and <br> $A C$ is tranversal) <br> $\angle C=\angle C$ (common angle) <br> By AA similarity criterion, $\triangle C A B \sim \triangle C E F$ <br> M1 corresponding sides are in the same ratio $\begin{aligned} \frac{A C}{C E} & =\frac{A B}{E F} \Rightarrow \frac{A C}{15}=\frac{15}{9} \\ (C E & =G C+E G=10 \mathrm{~cm}+5 \mathrm{~cm}=15 \mathrm{~cm}) \\ A 1 A C & =25 \mathrm{~cm} \end{aligned}$ |

## Maths10ASR4

| Item identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | C/N/E* | Content Reference(s) | Mark |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Maths10ASR4 | 1 |  | C | 10G1e Triangles Applications of the <br> Similar triangles | 1 |

${ }^{*} \mathrm{C}=$ Calculator required, $\mathrm{N}=$ Calculator not allowed, $\mathrm{E}=$ Either

## Item purpose

The question assesses the ability of the student to apply the relation between the areas of similar triangles and the ratio of their sides.

## Sources and diagrams



## Question

1
In the above figure, $\triangle D P Q \sim \triangle D E F, \operatorname{ar}(\triangle D E F)=144 \mathrm{~cm}^{2}, \operatorname{ar}(\triangle D P Q)=$ $196 \mathrm{~cm}^{2} \mathrm{DP}=24.5 \mathrm{~cm}$, then find the length of $D E$.
(Total marks 3)

## Mark scheme

| 1 In the above figure, $\triangle D P Q \sim \triangle D E F, \operatorname{ar}(\triangle D E F)=144 \mathrm{~cm}^{2}, \operatorname{ar}(\triangle D P Q)=196 \mathrm{~cm}^{2}, D P=$ <br> 24.5 cm. | Guidance |
| :--- | :--- |
| Answer | M1 is taking the square root of the area <br> ratio for the length ratio. <br> A1 correct length ratio <br> A1 mark for the correct answer for DE |
| The area ratio is 196: 144 , so the length <br> ratio is $14: 12$ | Do not penalise for no units |

## Maths10AKP6

| Item identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | $\mathbf{C / N / E *}$ | Content Reference(s) | Marks |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Maths10AKP6 | 3 |  | N | 10G1e Use the fact that: If one angle of <br> a triangle is equal to one angle of <br> another triangle and the sides including <br> these angles are proportional, the two <br> triangles are similar | 3 |

${ }^{*} \mathrm{C}=$ Calculator required, $\mathrm{N}=$ Calculator not allowed, $\mathrm{E}=$ Either

## Item purpose

The question assesses the knowledge of solid geometry

## Sources and diagrams

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## Question

1 In the above figure, $\mathrm{AB} \perp B C, D E \perp A C$ and $G F \perp B C$.
Prove that $\triangle A D E \sim \triangle G C F$
(Total marks 3)

## Mark scheme

| Answer | Guidance |
| :---: | :---: |
| In $\triangle$ ADE and $\triangle \mathrm{ACB}$ | M1 for using the concept of similarity |
| Angle A = Angle A (common) Angle AED = Angle ABC (90 $)$ |  |
| $\triangle A D E \sim \triangle A C B \quad$ (AA) ------(i) | 1 mark |
| In $\triangle \mathrm{ACB}$ and $\triangle \mathrm{GCF}$ <br> Angle C =Angle C (common) |  |

Angle ABC $=$ Angle GFC $\left(90^{\circ}\right)$
$\triangle A C B \sim \triangle G C F \quad(\mathrm{AA})$---------(ii)
From (i) and (ii)

$$
\triangle A D E \sim \triangle G C F
$$

1 mark

1 mark

## Maths10ASR7

| Item identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | C/N/E* | Content Reference(s) | Marks |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Maths10ASR7a | 2 | E | 10G1g Be able to prove and use the <br> fact that: The ratio of the areas of two <br> similar triangles is equal to the ratio of <br> the squares of their corresponding <br> sides | 2 |  |
| Maths10ASR7b | 1 |  | E | 10G1g Be able to prove and use the <br> fact that: The ratio of the areas of two <br> similar triangles is equal to the ratio of <br> the squares of their corresponding <br> sides | 1 |
| Total marks | $\mathbf{1}$ | $\mathbf{2}$ |  |  | $\mathbf{3}$ |

${ }^{*} \mathrm{C}=$ Calculator required, $\mathrm{N}=$ Calculator not allowed, $\mathrm{E}=$ Either

## Item purpose

The question assesses the ability of students to apply BPT by doing necessary construction.

## Sources and diagrams



## Question(s)

1 In the above figure $A B||C D|| E F$.

$$
A C=12 \mathrm{~cm}, B D=9 \mathrm{~cm}, D F=6 \mathrm{~cm}, C E=x
$$

1 (a) Find $x$

1 (b) Find AE

## Mark scheme

1 (a) Find $x$

| Answer | Guidance |
| :---: | :---: |
| Construction: Join BE <br> In $\triangle A B E$ PC II AB , <br> By BPT, $\frac{E P}{P B}=\frac{E C}{C A} \ldots \ldots . \text { i) }$ <br> Similarly, <br> In $\triangle B E F, P D \\| E F$, $\frac{E P}{P B}=\frac{F D}{D B} .$ <br> From equations (i) and (ii), $\begin{aligned} & \frac{E C}{C A}=\frac{F D}{D B} \\ & \frac{x}{12}=\frac{6}{9} \\ & x=8 \mathrm{~cm} \end{aligned}$ | M1: <br> 1 mark for applying Basic Proportionality theorem correctly for $\triangle A B E$ and $\triangle B E F$ and for proving $\frac{E C}{C A}=\frac{F D}{D B}$ <br> A1: <br> 1 mark to find the answer correctly. <br> (If the relation $\frac{E C}{C A}=\frac{F D}{D B}$ is used without proving and found the correct answer student will get 1 mark. <br> Do not penalise if the unit(cm) is omitted |

## 1 (b) Find AE

| Answer | Guidance |
| :--- | :--- |
| AE $=\mathrm{AC}+\mathrm{CE}$ | A1: |
| $=12+8$ | 1 mark for calculating the length of $\mathrm{AE}=20$ |
| $=20 \mathrm{~cm}$ | cm. |
|  | Do not penalise if the unit(cm) is omitted |

## Maths10SR4

| Item <br> identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | C/N/E* | Content Reference(s) | Marks |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Maths10SR4 | 1 | N | 10G1h Be able to prove and use the <br> fact that: In a right triangle, the square <br> on the hypotenuse is equal to the sum <br> of the squares on the other two sides. | 1 |  |

## Item purpose

The question assesses the understanding of Pythagoras theorem

## Sources and diagrams



## Question(s)

1 A point $O$ in the interior of a rectangle PQRS is joined with each of vertices $P, Q, R$, and $S$.

Then $O P^{2}+O R^{2}$ is
A. $O Q \times O S$
B. $O Q^{2}+O S^{2}$
C. $O Q+O S$
D. $\frac{O Q^{2}}{O S^{2}}$

## Mark scheme

1 A point O in the interior of a rectangle PQRS is joined with each of vertices $P, Q, R$, and S . Then $\mathrm{OP}^{2}+\mathrm{OR}^{2}$ is
A. $O Q \times O S$
B. $O Q^{2} \times O S^{2}$
C. $O Q+O S$
D. $\frac{O Q^{2}}{O S^{2}}$

| Answer B. $O Q^{2} \times O S^{2}$ | Guidance |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
|  |  | A1 For the correct answer |

Create right-angled triangles with OP, OQ, OR, OS as hypotenuse, using points $\mathrm{A}, \mathrm{B}, \mathrm{C}, \mathrm{D}$ on the sides as shown. Then
$O P^{2}+O R^{2}=\left(O A^{2}+A P^{2}\right)+\left(O B^{2}+B R^{2}\right)$
$O S^{2}+O Q^{2}=\left(O C^{2}+C S^{2}\right)+\left(O A^{2}+A Q^{2}\right)$
$A P^{2}=C S^{2} ; \quad O B^{2}=A Q^{2} ; \quad B R^{2}=O C^{2}$
So $O P^{2}+O R^{2}=O S^{2}+O Q^{2}$

## Maths10PS6

| Item <br> identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | C/N/E* | Content Reference(s) | Marks |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Maths10PS6 | 1 | 1 | N | 10G2a Be able to prove and use the <br> fact that: The tangent at any point of a <br> circle is perpendicular to the radius <br> through the point of contact <br> 10G1h Be able to prove and use the <br> fact that: In a right triangle, the square <br> on the hypotenuse is equal to the sum <br> of the squares on the other two sides. | 2 |

${ }^{*} \mathrm{C}=$ Calculator required, $\mathrm{N}=$ Calculator not allowed, $\mathrm{E}=$ Either

## Item purpose

The question assesses the ability of the student that tangent at any point of a circle is perpendicular to the radius through the point of contact and applies the Pythagoras Theorem to determine the radius and hence the diameter of the circle.

## Sources and diagrams



## Question(s)

1
From an external point $P$, the length of the tangent $P A$ to a circle is 8 cm . The distance from the centre $O$ to the external point $P$ is 10 cm . Find the diameter of the circle.

## Mark scheme

1. From an external point $P$, the length of the tangent $P A$ to a circle is 8 cm . The distance from
the centre $O$ to the external point $P$ is 10 cm . Find the diameter of the circle.

| Answer | Guidance |
| :---: | :---: |
| 12(cm) | M1 for identifying the use of Pythagoras Theorem and radius being perpendicular to a tangent drawn from an external point and determining the value of radius. |
| OA is perpendicular to AP | A1 for the correct answer |
| Applying Pythagoras Theorem: |  |
| $O P^{2}=O A^{2}+A P^{2}$ | Alternatively, |
| $\begin{aligned} & \Rightarrow O A=\sqrt{100-64} \\ & \Rightarrow O A=\sqrt{36} \end{aligned}$ | M1 For using Pythagorean Triplets (as 6, 8, 10) to determine the radius value. |
| $\begin{aligned} & \Rightarrow O A=6 \mathrm{~cm}=\text { radius } \\ & \text { Diameter }=2 r \end{aligned}$ | A1 for directly writing the correct answer. |
| $\Rightarrow D=12 \mathrm{~cm}$ | Note: |
|  | A1 Consider 12 or 12 cm as the correct answer. |
|  | Do not penalise for omitting the units. |

## Maths10AKP9

| Item identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | C/N/E* | Content Reference(s) | Marks |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Maths10AKP9 |  | 2 | E | 10G1h Be able to prove and to use the <br> fact that: In a right triangle, the square <br> on the hypotenuse is equal to the sum <br> of the squares on the other two sides | 2 |

${ }^{*} \mathrm{C}=$ Calculator required, $\mathrm{N}=$ Calculator not allowed, $\mathrm{E}=$ Either

## Item purpose

The question assesses the knowledge of Pythagoras Theorem and its use

## Sources and diagrams

Source information if copied: book/journal, author, publisher, website link, etc.

## Question

1 Find the perimeter of an isosceles right triangle, the length of whose hypotenuse is 10 cm .

## Mark scheme

1 Find the perimeter of an isosceles right triangle, the length of whose hypotenuse is 10 cm.

| Answer | Guidance |
| :--- | :--- |
| Since, triangle is isosceles right triangle |  |
| $\mathrm{a}^{2}+\mathrm{a}^{2}=(10)^{2}$. |  |
| $2 \mathrm{a}^{2}=100$ | M1 for the concept of Pythagoras theorem |
| $\therefore \mathrm{a}^{2}=50$ |  |
| $\therefore \mathrm{a}=5 \sqrt{ } 2 \mathrm{~cm}$ |  |
| Perimeter of the triangle |  |
| $=10+5 \sqrt{ } 2+5 \sqrt{ } 2=10(\sqrt{ } 2+1) \mathrm{cm}$ | 1 mark for finding perimeter |

## Maths10PR7

| Item identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | $\mathbf{C} / \mathbf{N} /$ E* $^{*}$ | Content Reference(s) | Marks |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Maths10PR7a | 2 | 3 | C | 10M2a Calculate the surface areas and <br> volumes of combinations of any two of <br> the following: cubes, cuboids, <br> spheres, hemispheres, and right <br> circular cylinders/cones | 5 |
| Maths10PR7b | 1 | 2 | C | 10G1h Be able to prove and use the <br> fact that: In a right triangle, the square <br> on the hypotenuse is equal to the sum <br> of the squares on the other two sides | 3 |
| Total marks | $\mathbf{3}$ | $\mathbf{5}$ |  |  | $\mathbf{8}$ |

${ }^{*} \mathrm{C}=$ Calculator required, $\mathrm{N}=$ Calculator not allowed, $\mathrm{E}=$ Either

## Item purpose

The question assesses the application of Pythagoras theorem in the surface area of solids

## Sources and diagrams



Not to scale

## Question(s)

As shown in the diagram, Kaju and Seerat planned to place kidder's tent of the same height in their respective rooms.
Kaju's tent is a square-based pyramid, and Seerat's tent is conical in shape.

1 (a) Kaju plans to use green printed cloth for his tent, and Seerat uses a pink printed cloth for her tent. The base is the floor of the room, so the cloth is used for the sides only.
Find the difference in $m^{2}$ in the two cloths used by Kaju and Seerat.
Take $\pi=\frac{22}{7}$

1 (b) Kaju also plans to fix the light wire on the edges of his tent.
Find the total cost, to the nearest rupee, of the light wire at the rate of Rs 65 per metre.

## Mark scheme

1 (a) Kaju plans to use green printed cloth for his tent, and Seerat uses a pink printed cloth for her tent. The base is the floor of the room, so the cloth is used for the sides only.

Find the difference in $m^{2}$ in the two cloths used by Kaju and Seerat.

| Answer | Guidance |
| :---: | :---: |
| $14.84\left(\mathrm{~m}^{2}\right)$ <br> Allow the answer between 14.8 to 14.9 | M1 For Kaju: Quantity of cloth used <br> $=4 \times$ area of the side triangular faces $\begin{aligned} = & 4 \times \frac{1}{2} \times b \times s \\ b & =4 m \end{aligned}$ <br> $s=$ hypotenuse with height perpendicular <br> to the base which is half of the side of the square base <br> M1 Using Pythagoras theorem, $(2)^{2}+(2)^{2}=s^{2}$ $\Rightarrow s^{2}=8 \Rightarrow s=2.83 m$ <br> Area of cloth used $=4 \times \frac{1}{2} \times 4 \times 2.83=22.64 \mathrm{~m}^{2}$ <br> M1 For Seerat: Area of cloth used = CSA of cone $=\pi r l=\frac{22}{7} \times 2 \sqrt{\left(2^{2}+2^{2}\right)}=17.78 m^{2} .$ |


|  | A1 area of cloth used by Seerat $=17.78 \mathrm{~m}^{2}$ <br> A1 difference of areas $=22.64-17.78=4.86 \mathrm{~m}^{2}$ |
| :---: | :---: |
| 1 (b) Kaju also plans to fix the light wire on the edges of his tent. Find the total cost, to the nearest rupee, of the light wire at the rate of Rs 65 per metre. |  |
| Answer | Guidance |
| Rs 900 (allow reasonable leeway) | M1 edge = side of an isosceles triangle where height is 2.83 m and half of the side is 2 m <br> Using Pythagoras theorem, $(\text { edge })^{2}=(\sqrt{8})^{2}+(2)^{2}$ $e d g e=\sqrt{12}=3.46 \mathrm{~m}$ <br> Alternate method using height and half of the diagonal of the square base: <br> M1 total length of light wire $=4 \times$ edge $=4 \times 3.46$ $=13.84 \mathrm{~m}$ <br> The total cost of wire $=13.84 \times 65=900.66 . . \approx 900$ <br> A1 Rs 900 |

## Maths10AS3

| Item identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | C/N/E* | Content Reference(s) | Marks |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Maths10AS3 | 1 |  | C | 10G2a Be able to prove and use the <br> fact that: The tangent at any point of a <br> circle is perpendicular to the radius <br> through the point of contact. | 1 |

${ }^{*} \mathrm{C}=$ Calculator required, $\mathrm{N}=$ Calculator not allowed, $\mathrm{E}=$ Either

## Item purpose

The question assesses the application of the theorem the tangent at any point of a circle is perpendicular to the radius through the point of contact.

## Sources and diagrams



## Question(s)

1 PT is tangent to the circle of radius 7 cm . If $\mathrm{OP}=11 \mathrm{~cm}$, then find the length of the tangent, correct to 1 decimal place.
A. 4.0 cm
B. 8.5 cm
C. 13.0 cm
D. 18.0 cm

## Mark scheme

1. PT is tangent to the circle of radius 7 cm . If $\mathrm{OP}=11 \mathrm{~cm}$, then find the length of the tangent, correct to 1 decimal place.
14.0 cm
2.8 .5 cm
$3 \quad 13.0 \mathrm{~cm}$
$4 \quad 18.0 \mathrm{~cm}$

| Answer | Guidance |
| :--- | :--- |
| B. 6 cm | A1 Correct answer |
| $\mathrm{OA} \perp \mathrm{PA}$ |  |
| $\mathrm{OP}{ }^{2}=\mathrm{OA}^{2}+\mathrm{PA}^{2}$ |  |
| $11^{2}=7^{2}+\mathrm{PA}^{2}$ |  |
| $121-49=\mathrm{PA}^{2}=72$ |  |
| $\therefore \mathrm{PA}=8.5 \mathrm{~cm}$ |  |

## Math10MM8

| Item <br> identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | C/N/E* | Content Reference(s) | Marks |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Math10MM8 | 2 |  | N | 10G2a Be able to prove and use the <br> fact that: The tangent at any point of <br> a circle is perpendicular to the radius <br> through the point of contact. <br> 10G2b Be able to prove and use the <br> fact that: The lengths of tangents <br> drawn from an external point to a <br> circle are equal | 2 |
| Total <br> marks | $\mathbf{2}$ |  |  |  | $\mathbf{2}$ |

${ }^{*} \mathrm{C}=$ Calculator required, $\mathrm{N}=$ Calculator not allowed, $\mathrm{E}=$ Either

## Item purpose

The question assesses the ability of the student to understand that the tangent at any point of a circle is perpendicular to the radius through the point of contact, and the lengths of tangents drawn from an external point to a circle are equal.

## Sources and diagrams



Figure 1
Not drawn to scale. PQ and PR are the tangents to a circle of centre $O$.

## Question(s)

1. 

In figure 1 given above, O is the centre, PQ and PR are the two tangents, $R \mathrm{Q}$ is the chord. If $\angle R P Q=30^{\circ}$, then find $\angle R Q P$ and $\angle R S Q$.

## Mark scheme

1 In figure1given above, $O$ is the centre, $P Q$ and $P R$ are the two tangents, $R Q$ is the chord. If $\angle R P Q=30^{\circ}$, then find $\angle R Q P$ and $\angle R S Q$.

| Answer | Guidance |
| :---: | :---: |
| $\angle Q O P=180^{\circ}-30^{\circ}=150^{\circ}$ <br> In triangle ORQ <br> $\mathrm{OQ}=\mathrm{OR}$ (Radius) <br> $\angle O Q R=\angle O R Q=15^{\circ}$ (Angle sum property of a triangle) <br> $\angle O Q P=90^{\circ}$ (Tangent makes an angle of $90^{\circ}$ with the radius) $\begin{aligned} & \angle \mathrm{RQP}=90^{\circ}-15^{\circ}=75^{\circ} \\ & \angle \mathrm{RQP}=75^{\circ} \\ & \angle \mathrm{QOP}=180^{\circ}-30^{\circ}=150^{\circ} \\ & \angle \mathrm{RSQ}=75^{\circ} \text { (Angle at the centre is } \\ & \text { double) } \end{aligned}$ | M1 $\angle \mathrm{QOP}=180^{\circ}-30^{\circ}=150^{\circ}$ <br> In triangle ORQ <br> $\mathrm{OQ}=\mathrm{OR}$ (Radius) <br> $\angle O Q R=\angle O R Q=15^{\circ}$ (Angle sum property of a triangle) <br> $\angle O Q P=90^{\circ}$ (Tangent makes an angle of $90^{\circ}$ with the radius) <br> $\angle R Q P=90^{\circ}-15^{\circ}=75^{\circ}$ <br> $\angle R Q P=75^{\circ}$ <br> $\mathrm{A} 1-\angle \mathrm{RQP}=75^{\circ}$ <br> Do not penalise if degree symbol is omitted. <br> $\mathrm{M} 1 \angle \mathrm{QOP}=180^{\circ}-30^{\circ}=150^{\circ}$ <br> $\angle \mathrm{RSQ}=75^{\circ}$ (Angle at the centre is double) <br> $\mathrm{A} 1-\angle \mathrm{RSQ}=75^{\circ}$ |

Do not penalise if degree symbol is omitted.

## Maths10PR2

| Item identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | C/N/E | Content Reference(s) | Marks |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Maths10PR2 |  | 1 | C | 10G2a Be able to prove and use <br> the fact that: The tangent at any <br> point of a circle is perpendicular <br> to the radius through the point of <br> contact | 1 |

${ }^{*} \mathrm{C}=$ Calculator required, $\mathrm{N}=$ Calculator not allowed, $\mathrm{E}=$ Either

## Item purpose

The question assesses the relationship between the tangent and the radius of a circle.

## Sources and diagrams



## Question(s)

1
In the given diagram, $O T=4 \mathrm{~cm}$, is the radius of the circle with centre O , and a tangent PT is drawn from a point P such that $P T=15 \mathrm{~cm}$.

The length of $O P$ to correct two decimal places is
A. 11.00 cm
B. 10.44 cm
C. 15.52 cm
D. 19.00 cm

## Mark scheme

1. In the given diagram, $O T=4 \mathrm{~cm}$, is the radius of the circle with centre O , and a tangent PT is drawn from a point P such that $P T=15 \mathrm{~cm}$.

The length of $O P$ to correct two decimal places is
A. 11.00 cm
B. 10.44 cm
C. 15.52 cm
D. 19.00 cm

| Answer | Guidance |
| :--- | :--- |
| C. 15.52 cm | As the tangent from an external point is <br> perpendicular to the radius at the point of <br> contact and using the Pythagoras theorem <br> of right triangle OTP, $O P=\sqrt{15^{2}+4^{2}}=$ <br> $\sqrt{225+16}=\sqrt{241}=15.52$ |

## Maths10MM6

| Item identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | C/N/E* | Content Reference(s) | Marks |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Maths10MM6a | 1 | 1 | N | 10G2a Be able to prove and use <br> the fact that: The tangent at any <br> point of a circle is perpendicular to <br> the radius through the point of <br> contact | 2 |
| Maths10MM6b | 1 | 2 | N | 10G2b Be able to prove and use <br> the fact that: The lengths of <br> tangents drawn from an external <br> point to a circle are equal | 3 |
| Total marks | $\mathbf{2}$ | $\mathbf{3}$ |  |  | $\mathbf{5}$ |

${ }^{*} \mathrm{C}=$ Calculator required, $\mathrm{N}=$ Calculator not allowed, $\mathrm{E}=$ Either

## Item purpose

The question assesses the ability of the student to understand that the tangent at any point of a circle is perpendicular to the radius through the point of contact, and the lengths of tangents drawn from an external point to a circle are equal.

## Sources and diagrams



Fig.1a


Fig.1b

## Question(s)

1 (a)
Two concentric circles of radii a and $\mathrm{b}(\mathrm{a}>\mathrm{b})$ are given. Find the length of the chord of the larger circle which touches, the smaller circle.

1 (b) In figure 1 above, two circles touch each other externally at $C$, and $A B$ is a common tangent of circles, then find $\angle A C B$.
(3 marks)
(Total marks 5)

## Mark scheme

1(a) Two concentric circles of radii $a$ and $b(a>b)$ are given. Find the length of the chord of the larger circle which touches, the smaller circle.

| Answer | Guidance |
| :--- | :--- |
| $2 \sqrt{\mathrm{a}^{2}-\mathrm{b}^{2}}$ | $\mathrm{M} 1-$ tangent at any point of a circle is <br> perpendicular to the radius, so $d^{2}+b^{2}=a^{2}$ <br> using Pythagoras to find d, which is half the <br> chord length. <br> A1 chord $=2 \sqrt{\mathrm{a}^{2}-\mathrm{b}^{2}}$ |

1(b) In figure 1(b) given above, two circles touch each other externally at $C$, and $A B$ is the common tangent of circles, then find $\angle A C B$.

| Answer | Guidance |
| :--- | :--- |
| $\Rightarrow \angle A C B=90^{\circ}$ | M1 construct tangent |
| Use construction of common tangent at | M1 identify ANC and BNC as isosceles |
| the common point $\mathrm{C}-$ let N be where |  |
| common tangent intersects AB. | triangles (equal tangents) |
| $\mathrm{CN}=\mathrm{AN}$ and $\mathrm{CN}=\mathrm{BN}$ \{the lengths of |  |
| tangents drawn from an external point to |  |
| a circle are equal\} | A1 $\angle \mathrm{ACB}=90^{\circ}$ |
|  | Do not penalise if degree symbol is omitted. |

We also know that angle opposite to equal sides is equal.
Therefore $\angle \mathrm{NCA}=\angle \mathrm{NAC}$ and $\angle \mathrm{NCB}=$ $\angle N B C$
$\angle \mathrm{NCA}+\angle \mathrm{NCB}=\angle \mathrm{NAC}+\angle \mathrm{NBC}$
$\angle \mathrm{NCA}+\angle \mathrm{NCB}+\angle \mathrm{NAC}+\angle \mathrm{NBC}=180^{\circ}$
$\angle N C A+\angle N C B=90^{\circ}$

## Maths10MM7

| Item identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | $\mathbf{C} / \mathbf{N} / \mathrm{E}^{*}$ | Content Reference(s) | Marks |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Maths10MM7 |  | 2 | N | 10G2a Be able to prove and use the <br> fact that: The tangent at any point of <br> a circle is perpendicular to the <br> radius through the point of contact | 2 |

* $\mathrm{C}=$ Calculator required, $\mathrm{N}=$ Calculator not allowed, $\mathrm{E}=$ Either


## Item purpose

The question assesses the ability of the student to understand that the tangent at any point of a circle is perpendicular to the radius through the point of contact.

## Sources and diagrams



Figure 1
The diagram is not drawn to scale. PT is the tangent to a circle of centre O .

## Question(s)

In the given figure 1 above, PQ is a chord of a circle with center O , and PT is a tangent. If $\angle \mathrm{QPT}=60^{\circ}$, find $\angle P R Q$.
(2 marks)
(Total marks 2)

## Mark scheme

1 In the given figure 1 above, PQ is a chord of a circle with center O , and PT is a tangent. If $\angle Q P T=60^{\circ}$, find $\angle P R Q$.
Answer
Guidance

| $\angle \mathrm{OPT}=90^{\circ}---$ \{tangent at any point of a |  |
| :--- | :--- |
| circle is perpendicular to the radius $\}$ | $\mathrm{M} 1-\angle \mathrm{OPT}=90^{\circ}---\{$ tangent at any point of |
| a circle is perpendicular to the radius $\}$ |  |
| $\angle \mathrm{QPT}=60^{\circ}---$ \{given $\}$ | $\mathrm{A} 1 \angle \mathrm{OPT}=90^{\circ}$ |
| $\Rightarrow \angle \mathrm{OPQ}=30^{\circ}=\angle \mathrm{OQP}$ | $\mathrm{M} 1 \angle \mathrm{OPQ}=30^{\circ}=\angle \mathrm{OQP}$ |
| $\Rightarrow \angle \mathrm{POQ}=120^{\circ}\{$ Angle sum property of a | $\angle \mathrm{POQ}=120^{\circ}\{$ Angle sum property of a |
| triangle $\} \Rightarrow \angle \mathrm{PRQ}=120^{\circ}$ | triangle $\}$ |
|  | $\mathrm{A} 1-\angle \mathrm{PRQ}=120^{\circ}$ |
|  | Do not penalise if degree symbol is omitted. |

## Maths10ASR6

| Item identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | C/N/E* | Content Reference(s) | Marks |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Maths10ASR6 | 1 | 2 | E | 10G2a Use the fact that: The tangent at <br> any point of a circle is perpendicular to <br> the radius through the point of contact | 3 |

${ }^{*} \mathrm{C}=$ Calculator required, $\mathrm{N}=$ Calculator not allowed, $\mathrm{E}=$ Either

## Item purpose

The question assesses the ability of the student to apply the properties and theorems of circles.

## Sources and diagrams



## Question(s)

1
In the above figure, RQS is a line parallel to the tangent to the circle at $P . Q$ is the midpoint of the radius $O P$ if $R S=12 \mathrm{~cm}$, find the radius of the circle.

## Mark scheme

1 In the above figure, line I touches the circle with centre $O$ at point $P . Q$ is the mid-point of radius OP. RS is a chord through $Q$ such that chords $R S$ || line I. If $R S=12 \mathrm{~cm}$, find the radius of the circle.

| Answer | Guidance |
| :--- | :--- |
| Radius $=4 \sqrt{3} \mathrm{~cm}$ | M1 Identify sides as $6, r$, and $1 / 2 r$. |
| Let the radius of circle $\mathrm{OP}=r$ | A1 correct answer |

OP is perpendicular to the tangent I .
Therefore, OP is perpendicular to RS.
Therefore, $\mathrm{QS}=\frac{1}{2} R S=6 \mathrm{~cm}$.
(Perpendicular drawn from centre to the chord bisects the chord)

In $\triangle O Q S$,

$$
\begin{gathered}
O S^{2}=O Q^{2}+Q S^{2} \\
r^{2}=\left(\frac{r}{2}\right)^{2}+6^{2} \\
r^{2}-\frac{r^{2}}{4}=36 \\
\frac{3 r^{2}}{4}=36 \\
r^{2}=48 \\
r=4 \sqrt{3} \mathrm{~cm}
\end{gathered}
$$

## Maths10AD9

| Item <br> identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | $\mathbf{C / N / E *}$ | Content Reference(s) | Marks |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Maths10AD9 |  | 5 | C | 10G2a Be able to prove and use the <br> fact that: The tangent at any point of a <br> circle is perpendicular to the radius <br> through the point of contact <br> 10G2b Be able to prove and use the <br> fact that: The lengths of tangents drawn <br> from an external point to a circle are <br> equal | 5 |

${ }^{*} \mathrm{C}=$ Calculator required, $\mathrm{N}=$ Calculator not allowed, $\mathrm{E}=$ Either

## Item purpose

The question assesses the learner's ability to apply the theorems of tangents to a circle in solving problems related to a real-life context.

## Sources and diagrams



## Question(s)

1 In an amusement park, a triangular path circumscribing a circular pond centred at O with radius 8 m is to be constructed, as shown in the figure above.

Find the cost of fencing the triangular path at the rate of Rs 55 per meter.
(5 marks)
(Total marks 5)

## Mark scheme

1. In an amusement park, a triangular path circumscribing a circular pond centred at $O$ with radius 8 m is to be constructed, as shown in the figure above. Find the cost of fencing the triangular path at the rate of Rs 55 per meter.

$\therefore$ In $\triangle A B C, P B=Q B=12 \mathrm{~m}, R C=Q C=$ 16 m and $\mathrm{AP}=\mathrm{AR}=\mathrm{x}$ (say)
Also, the radius is perpendicular to the tangent at the point of contact.
$\therefore \operatorname{ar}(\triangle \mathrm{ABC})=\operatorname{ar}(\triangle \mathrm{AOB})+\operatorname{ar}(\triangle \mathrm{OBC})+$ $\operatorname{ar}(\triangle \mathrm{AOC})$
$=\frac{1}{2} \times 8 \times(28+12+x+16+x)=8(28+$
x) square meters

Also, semi perimeter 's' of $\triangle A B C=(28+$ x)

And by Heron's formula,
$\operatorname{ar}(\Delta \mathrm{ABC})=\sqrt{s(s-a)(s-b)(s-c)}$

Guidance
M1 applying the theorems of circles that length of tangents to a circle from an external point are equal and the radius is perpendicular to the tangent at the point of contact

M1 finding area of triangle $A B C$ as the sum of areas of triangles $A O B, B O C$ and $C O A$

M1 Finding area of a triangle using Heron's formula

M1 equating the two areas and to solve them to find the perimeter as 84 m

A1, the cost of fencing $=$ Rs. 4620

$$
\begin{align*}
& =\sqrt{(28+x) \times x \times 12 \times 16} \\
& =4 \sqrt{(28+x) \times x \times 3 \times 4} \\
& =4 \sqrt{(28+x) \times x \times 12} \text { square } \tag{2}
\end{align*}
$$

Do not penalise if the unit of length ( m ) is not written or (Rs) is not written
meters
Now, from equations (1) and (2), we get
$8(28+x)=4 \sqrt{(28+x) \times x \times 12}$
Taking square on both the sides, we get
$4(28+x)^{2}=12 x(28+x)$
$\Rightarrow(28+x)(28+x-3 x)=0$
$\Rightarrow x=-28$, or $x=14$
Since, length cannot be negative,
$\therefore \mathrm{x}=14$
Hence the perimeter of the triangular park $=2(28+x)=2 \times 42=84$ meters

And the cost of fencing $=$ Rs $55 \times 84$
= Rs 4620

## Maths10SR6

| Item <br> identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | C/N/E* | Content Reference(s) | Marks |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Maths10SR6 |  | 4 | N | 10G3a Construct the division of a <br> line segment in a given ratio (internally) | 4 |

## Item purpose

The question assesses understanding and skill in applying section formula

## Question(s)

1 The line segment joining the points $A(3 a-2,2+a)$ and (4-3a, $a-1)$ is trisected by the points $P$ and $Q$. If $P$ lies on the line $2 x-3 y+5=0$, find $a$

## Mark scheme

| $\|$1 The line segment joining the points $\mathrm{A}(3 \mathrm{a}-2,2+\mathrm{a})$ and $(4-3 \mathrm{a}, \mathrm{a}-1)$ is trisected by the <br> points P and Q . If P lies on the line $2 \mathrm{x}-3 \mathrm{y}+5=0$, find a <br> Answer <br> The ratio by which P divide AB is $1: 2$ <br> coordinates of P are given by <br> $\mathrm{P}\left(\frac{4-3 a+6 a-4}{3}, \frac{a-1+4+2 a}{3}\right)=\mathrm{P}\left(\frac{3 a}{3}, \frac{3 a+3}{3}\right)=$ <br> P 1. the ratio by which P divide AB is $1: 2$ <br> $\mathrm{So}(\mathrm{a}, \mathrm{a}+1)$ <br> So $2 \mathrm{a}-3(\mathrm{a}+1)+5=0$ <br> $-\mathrm{a}+2=0$ <br> $\mathrm{a}=2$ |
| :--- |

## Maths10AS8

| Item identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | C/N/E* | Content Reference(s) | Marks |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Maths10AS8a | 1 |  | E | 10M1b Solve problems based on areas <br> and perimeter/circumference of plane <br> figures involving triangles, simple <br> quadrilaterals, and circles. | 1 |
| Maths10AS8b |  | 2 | E | 10M1b Solve problems based on areas <br> and perimeter/circumference of plane <br> figures involving triangles, simple <br> quadrilaterals, and circles. | 2 |
| Total marks | $\mathbf{1}$ | $\mathbf{2}$ |  |  | $\mathbf{3}$ |

${ }^{*} \mathrm{C}=$ Calculator required, $\mathrm{N}=$ Calculator not allowed, $\mathrm{E}=$ Either

## Item purpose

The question assesses how a student is able to calculate the perimeter/circumference of plane figures involving triangles, simple quadrilaterals, and circles.

## Sources and diagrams

Source information if copied: book/journal, author, publisher, website link, etc.

## Question(s)

The area of a circular playground is $9856 \mathrm{~m}^{2}$.
1 (a) Find the radius of the circular field. (Using $\pi=\frac{22}{7}$ )
1 (b) Find the cost of fencing this ground at the rate of Rs 50 per m .

## Mark scheme

1(a) Find the radius of the circular field. (Using $\pi=\frac{22}{7}$ )

| Answer | Guidance |
| :--- | :--- |
| 56 m | A1 Correct answer - 1 mark |
| Area $=\pi r^{2}$ | Don't deduct marks for units. |
|  |  |


| $\begin{aligned} & \Rightarrow 9856=\frac{22}{7} \times r^{2} \\ & \Rightarrow r^{2}=3136 \\ & \therefore r=56 \mathrm{~m} \end{aligned}$ |  |
| :---: | :---: |
| 1 (b) Find the cost of fencing this ground at the rate of Rs 50 per m. |  |
| Answer | Guidance |
| Rs. 8800 |  |
| $\begin{aligned} & \text { Cost of fencing the ground } \\ & \quad=\text { Perimeter of the ground } \times \text { cost per } \\ & \text { m. } \\ & \quad=2 \pi r \times 50 \\ & \quad=2 \times \frac{22}{7} \times 56 \times 50=\text { Rs. } 8800 \end{aligned}$ | M1 - Writing the correct formula <br> A1 - finding the correct cost of fencing. <br> Do not deduct marks for units. |

## Maths10ASR2

| Item identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | C/N/E* | Content Reference(s) | Mark |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Maths10ASR2 | 1 |  | C | 10M1b Solve problems based on and <br> perimeter/circumference of plane <br> figures involving triangles, simple <br> quadrilaterals, and circles | 1 |

*C = Calculator required, $\mathrm{N}=$ Calculator not allowed, $\mathrm{E}=$ Either

## Item purpose

The question assesses the ability of the student to apply the concept of perimeter and quadrant of a circle.

## Sources and diagrams



## Question

1
What is the perimeter of a quadrant of a circle (OAB) whose diameter is 10 cm ? (Use $\pi=3.14$ )
A. 7.85 cm
B. 17.85 cm
C. 27.85 cm
D. 37.85 cm

## Mark scheme

1 What is the perimeter of a quadrant of a circle whose diameter is 10 cm ?
A. 7.85 cm
B. 17.85 cm
C. 27.85 cm
D. 37.85 cm

| Answer | Guidance |
| :--- | :--- |
| B. 17.85 cm | The perimeter of a quadrant $=2^{*}$ radii + <br> length of an arc of a quadrant. (No mark for <br> method) |
|  | A1 mark for the correct answer |

## Maths10AR3

| Item identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | C/N/E* | Content Reference(s) | Marks |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Maths10AR3 | 1 |  | C | 10M1b Solve problems based on areas <br> and perimeter/circumference of plane <br> figures | 1 |

${ }^{*} \mathrm{C}=$ Calculator required, $\mathrm{N}=$ Calculator not allowed, $\mathrm{E}=$ Either

## Item purpose

The question assesses the ability of the student to solve problems based on areas.

## Sources and diagrams

$\square$

## Question(s)

1 The area of a rhombus whose diagonals have lengths of 12 cm and 6.4 cm is
A. $768.0 \mathrm{~cm}^{2}$
B. $384 \mathrm{~cm}^{2}$
C. $38.4 \mathrm{~cm}^{2}$
D. $76.8 \mathrm{~cm}^{2}$

## Mark scheme

1 The area of a rhombus whose diagonals have lengths of 12 cm and 6.4 cm is
A. $768.0 \mathrm{~cm}^{2}$
B. $384 \mathrm{~cm}^{2}$
C. $38.4 \mathrm{~cm}^{2}$
D. $76.8 \mathrm{~cm}^{2}$

| Answer | Guidance |
| :--- | :--- |
| C. $38.4 \mathrm{~cm}^{2}$ | A1 correct answer |

## Maths10AD5

| Item <br> identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | C/N/E* | Content Reference(s) | Marks |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Maths10AD <br> 5 a |  | 4 | C | 10M1b Solve problems based on <br> areas and perimeter/circumference <br> of plane figures involving triangles, <br> simple quadrilaterals, and circles | 4 |
| Maths10AD <br> $5 b$ | 2 | C | 10M1b Solve problems based on <br> areas and perimeter/circumference <br> of plane figures involving triangles, <br> simple quadrilaterals, and circles | 2 |  |
| Total <br> marks |  | $\mathbf{6}$ |  |  | $\mathbf{6}$ |

${ }^{*} \mathrm{C}=$ Calculator required, $\mathrm{N}=$ Calculator not allowed, $\mathrm{E}=$ Either

## Item purpose

The question assesses the student's ability to apply the knowledge of finding areas and perimeters of plane figures in solving problems related to daily life contexts.

## Sources and diagrams




## Question(s)

1 "4-Clover Leaf" interchanges are the structured freeways that contain 'sectors of circles' with additional portions as shown in fig.i. Each leaf of this freeway is in the form of a quadrant of a circle of radius 98 ft (i.e., AB in figure ii is 98 ft ). A semicircle is drawn with a diameter equal to $B C$ as labeled in fig. ii. (Take $\pi=$ $\frac{22}{7}$ )

1(a) The lighter shaded region of all the leaves in figure i needs to be landscaped. Find the total area to be landscaped.

1(b) A mettled road is to be constructed along the outer edge of the clover leaves. Find the cost of construction of the road along one leaf shown in fig-ii at the rate of Rs. 50 per ft.
(Total marks 6)

## Mark scheme

1 (a) The lighter shaded region of all the leaves in figure (i) needs to be landscaped.
Find the total area to be landscaped.


| 1 (b) Mettled road is to be constructed along the outer edge of the clover leaves. Find <br> the cost of construction of the road along one leaf shown in figure ii at the rate of Rs. 50 <br> per foot. |  |
| :--- | :--- |
| Answer | Guidance |
| Rs 10,900 |  |
| Length of road along with one cloverleaf <br> $=$ length of outer arc BC (semi-circle on <br> BC as diameter) <br> $=\frac{1}{2} \times 2 \pi r$ <br> $=\frac{1}{2} \times 2 \times \frac{22}{7} \times 49 \sqrt{2}$ <br> $=218 \mathrm{ft}$. | M1 finding length of road along with one <br> cloverlas 218 ft |
| Cost of construction of road along one <br> clover leaf $=$ Rs $50 \times 218=$ Rs 10,900 | Do not penalise if Rs or unit of length is not |

## Maths10ASR10

| Item identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | C/N/E* | Content Reference(s) | Marks |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Maths10ASR10a | 1 | 2 | E | 10M1b Solve problems based on <br> areas and perimeter / circumference <br> of plane figures like circles. | 3 |
| Maths10ASR10b | 1 | 2 | E | 10M1b Solve problems based on <br> areas and perimeter / circumference <br> of plane figures like circles. | 3 |
| Total marks | $\mathbf{2}$ | $\mathbf{4}$ |  |  | $\mathbf{6}$ |

* $\mathrm{C}=$ Calculator required, $\mathrm{N}=$ Calculator not allowed, $\mathrm{E}=$ Either


## Item purpose

The question assesses the ability of students to derive formulae to establish relations for geometrical shapes in the context of a coordinate plane, such as to find the area of a given shape

## Sources and diagrams



## Question(s)

1 $A P B, A Q C, C S D, B R D$ are semicircles where $A B=B C=C D=7 \mathrm{~cm}$. (Use $\pi=\frac{22}{7}$ )

1 (a) Find the perimeter of the shaded region

1 (b) Find the area of the shaded region

## Mark scheme

| 1 (a) Find the perimeter of the shaded region |  |
| :--- | :--- |
| Answer | Guidance |
| Let radius of bigger semicircle $=\mathrm{R}=7 \mathrm{~cm}$  <br> Let radius of smaller semicircle $=\mathrm{r}=7 \mathrm{~cm}$ M1: Identify what the perimeter consists of. <br> M1: Apply formula for the circumference of  <br> at least one of the circles.  |  |
| Perimeter of shaded region |  |
| $=$ length of arc (APB + AQC + CSD + | A1: correct answer. |
| BRD) |  |
| $=\pi r+\pi R+\pi r+\pi R$ |  |
| $=2(\pi r+\pi R)$ |  |
| $=2 \pi(r+R)$ |  |
| $=2 \times \frac{22}{7}(3.5+7)$ |  |
| $=2 \times \frac{22}{7} \times(10.5)$ |  |
| $=66 \mathrm{~cm}$. |  |$\quad$|  |
| :--- |
| 1 |

1 (b) Find the area of the shaded region.

| Answer | Guidance |
| :--- | :--- |
| Area of the shaded region | M1: Identify what the shaded area consists <br> $=2$ (area of the bigger semicircle - area <br> of the smaller semicircle) |
| $=2\left(\frac{\pi R^{2}}{2}-\frac{\pi r^{2}}{2}\right)$ | M1: Apply formula for the area of at least <br> one of the circles. |
| $=\pi\left(R^{2}-r^{2}\right)$ |  |
| $=\frac{22}{7} \times(49-12.25)$ |  |
| $=115.5 \mathrm{~cm}^{2}$ | A1: Correct answer |
|  |  |

## Maths10MM3 5

| Item identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | C/N/E* | Content Reference(s) | Marks |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Maths10MM3_5a | 1 | 1 | C | 10M2a Calculate the surface <br> areas and volumes of <br> combinations of any two of the <br> following: cubes, cuboids, <br> spheres, hemispheres, and right <br> circular cylinders/cones. | 1 <br>  <br> Maths10MM3_5b 11 |
| Maths10MM3_5c | 1 |  | C |  |  |
| Maths10MM3_5d | 1 | 2 | C | $\mathbf{C}$ |  |
| Total marks | $\mathbf{4}$ | $\mathbf{3}$ |  |  | $\mathbf{7}$ |

*C = Calculator required, $\mathrm{N}=$ Calculator not allowed, $\mathrm{E}=$ Either

## Item purpose

The question assesses the ability of the student to differentiate between the surface area and volume and then apply the same to solve the questions.

## Sources and diagrams



## Question(s)

1
Kanupriya runs a bakery shop. The amount of mixture required to make one biscuit is $18 \mathrm{~cm}^{3}$. After the biscuit is cooked, it becomes a cylinder of radius 3 cm and height 0.7 cm and has some air trapped inside it.

Biscuits are packed in a cylindrical card box of height 14 cm . The arrangement of biscuits is shown above.

Based on this information, answer the following questions:

1 (a) How many biscuits will be there in a box?

1 (b) Find the volume of one biscuit after it is cooked.
A. $17.8 \mathrm{~cm}^{3}$
B. $18.7 \mathrm{~cm}^{3}$
C. $19.8 \mathrm{~cm}^{3}$
D. $21.2 \mathrm{~cm}^{3}$

1 (c) Find the volume of air trapped in the biscuit.
A. $0.7 \mathrm{~cm}^{3}$
B. $1.5 \mathrm{~cm}^{3}$
C. $1.8 \mathrm{~cm}^{3}$
D. $3.2 \mathrm{~cm}^{3}$

1 (d) How much space is vacant in the box after biscuits are packed?
(Total marks 7)

## Mark scheme

| 1(a) How many biscuits will be there in a box? |  |
| :--- | :--- |
| Answer | Guidance |
| In a layer, 7 biscuits are arranged whose <br> height is 0.7 cm. <br> Total layer in box $=14 / 0.7=20$ <br> Number of biscuits in the box $=20 \times 7=$ <br> 140 | M1 A1 -20 layers $\times 7$ biscuits $=140$ |
| 1(b) Find the volume of one biscuit after it is cooked. <br> A. $17.8 \mathrm{~cm}^{3}$ <br> B. $18.7 \mathrm{~cm}^{3}$ <br> C. $19.8 \mathrm{~cm}^{3}$ <br> D. $21.2 \mathrm{~cm}^{3}$ |  |
| Answer | Guidance |
| C. $19.8 \mathrm{~cm}^{3}\left(\right.$ Volume of cylinder $\left.=\pi r^{2} h\right)$ | A1 - $19.8 \mathrm{~cm}^{3}$ |


|  |  |
| :---: | :---: |
| 1(c) Find the volume of air trapped in the <br> A. $0.7 \mathrm{~cm}^{3}$ <br> B. $1.5 \mathrm{~cm}^{3}$ <br> C. $1.8 \mathrm{~cm}^{3}$ <br> D. $3.2 \mathrm{~cm}^{3}$ | iscuit. |
| Answer | Guidance |
| $\text { C. } 1.8 \mathrm{~cm}^{3}$ <br> Volume of air trap= Volume of biscuit-Volume of sphere $=19.8-18=$ $1.8 \mathrm{~cm}^{3}$ | $\mathrm{A} 1-1.8 \mathrm{~cm}^{3}$ <br> Correct answer only |
| 1(d) How much space is vacant in the box after biscuits are packed? |  |
| Answer | Guidance |
| Volume of box $=\pi R^{2} h=\frac{22}{7} \times 9 \times 9 \times$ $14=3564 \mathrm{~cm}^{3}$ <br> Volume of 140 biscuits $=140 \times 19.8=$ $2772 \mathrm{~cm}^{3}$ <br> Vacant Volume $=3564-2772=792 \mathrm{~cm}^{3}$ | M1 - To find the volume of a box <br> M1 - To find the volume of 140 biscuits $\mathrm{A} 1-792 \mathrm{~cm}^{3}$ <br> Note Follow through with candidate values for credit. |

## Maths10AKP1

| Item identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | C/N/E* | Content Reference(s) | Marks |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Maths10AKP1 | 1 |  | E | 10M2a Calculate the surface areas <br> and volumes of combinations of any <br> two of the following: cubes, cuboids, <br> spheres, hemispheres, and right <br> circular cylinders/cones | 1 |

${ }^{*} \mathrm{C}=$ Calculator required, $\mathrm{N}=$ Calculator not allowed, $\mathrm{E}=$ Either

## Item purpose

The question assesses the knowledge of solid geometry

## Sources and diagrams

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## Question(s)

1 The area of a circular coin is $3.14 \mathrm{~cm}^{2}$. the radius of it will be
A. 0.01 cm
B. 0.1 cm
C. 1 cm
D. 10 cm

## Mark scheme

1 The area of the coin is $3.14 \mathrm{~cm}^{2}$. the radius of it will be (use $\pi=3.14$ )
A. 0.01 cm
B. 0.1 cm
C. 1 cm
D. 10 cm

| Answer | Guidance |
| :--- | :--- |
| 1 cm | Area of coin = area of circle $=3.14 \mathrm{~cm}^{2}$ |
|  | $\pi r^{2}=3.14$ |
|  | $3.14 r^{2}=3.14$ |
|  | $r^{2}=1$ |
|  | Radius $=1 \mathrm{~cm}$ |

## Maths10AKP12

| Item identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | C/N/E* | Content Reference(s) | Marks |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Maths10AKP12 | 1 |  | E | 10M2a Calculate the surface areas <br> and volumes of combinations of any <br> two of the following: cubes, cuboids, <br> spheres, hemispheres, and right <br> circular cylinders/cones, | 1 |

${ }^{*} \mathrm{C}=$ Calculator required, $\mathrm{N}=$ Calculator not allowed, $\mathrm{E}=$ Either

## Item purpose

The question assesses the knowledge of solid geometry

## Sources and diagrams

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## Question(s)

1 The area of a circular cap is $25 \pi \mathrm{~cm}^{2}$. The circumference of the cap will be
A. 0.0314 cm
B. 0.314 cm
C. 3.14 cm
D. 31.4 cm

## Mark scheme

1 The area of a circular cap is $25 \pi \mathrm{~cm}^{2}$. The circumference of the cap will be
A. 0.0314 cm
B. 0.314 cm
C. 3.14 cm
D. 31.4 cm

| Answer | Guidance |
| :--- | :--- |
| 31.4 cm | 1 mark |

## Maths10SR2

| Item <br> identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | C/N/E* | Content Reference(s) | Marks |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Maths10SR2 | 1 |  | E | 9M2a Calculate the surface areas and <br> volumes of cubes, cuboids, spheres | 1 |

## Item purpose

The question assesses the knowledge of finding the volume of a sphere

## Question(s)

1 What is the volume of the greatest sphere which can be cut out from a cube of? volume $216 \mathrm{~cm}^{3}$ ( $\pi=3.14$ )
A. $37.68 \mathrm{~cm}^{3}$
B. $56.52 \mathrm{~cm}^{3}$
C. $113.04 \mathrm{~cm}^{3}$
D. $452.16 \mathrm{~cm}^{3}$

## Mark scheme

1 What is the volume of the greatest sphere which can be cut out from a cube of volume $216 \mathrm{~cm}^{3}(\pi=3.14)$
A. $37.68 \mathrm{~cm}^{3}$
B. $56.52 \mathrm{~cm}^{3}$
C. $113.04 \mathrm{~cm}^{3}$
D. $452.16 \mathrm{~cm}^{3}$

| Answer | Guidance |
| :--- | :--- |
| Radius of the largest sphere $=3 \mathrm{~cm}$ | Full mark only for the answer |
| Volume of the sphere $=113.04 \mathrm{~cm}^{3}$ | A1 for the answer |

## Maths10SR8

| Item identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | C/N/E* | Content Reference(s) | Marks |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Maths10SR8a | 3 |  | C | 10M2a Calculate the volumes of <br> combinations of any two of the <br> following: cubes, cuboids, spheres, <br> hemispheres, and right circular <br> cylinders/cones | 3 |
| Maths10SR8b | 3 |  | C | 10M2a Calculate the surface areas <br> and volumes of combinations of any <br> two of the following: cubes, <br> cuboids, spheres, hemispheres, <br> and right circular cylinders/cones | 3 |
| Total marks | $\mathbf{6}$ |  |  |  | $\mathbf{6}$ |

${ }^{*} \mathrm{C}=$ Calculator required, $\mathrm{N}=$ Calculator not allowed, $\mathrm{E}=$ Either

## Item purpose

The question assesses the ability to calculate volumes and surface areas

## Sources and diagrams

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## Question(s)

1 A jackfruit is in the shape of a cylinder with two hemispherical ends. If the total lengtr jack fruit is 60 cm and diameter is 25 cm
1 (a) Find the volume of the jack fruit (take $\pi=3.14$ )

1 (b) A person orders a jackfruit through Amazon. Amazon wants to pack the jack fruit in a cuboidal container. What is the volume of the smallest such box?
(Total marks 6)

## Mark scheme

| 1 (a) Find the volume of the jack fruit | (take $\pi=3.14)$ |  |
| :--- | :--- | :---: |
| Answer | Guidance |  |
| $\begin{array}{l}\text { Volume of the jack fruit = volume of } \\ \text { cylinder }+ \text { volume of sphere } \\ =\pi r^{2} h+\frac{4}{3} \pi r^{3}=\pi r^{2}\left(h+\frac{2}{3} r\right) \\ =3.14 \times 12.5 \times 12.5\left(35+\frac{2}{3} \times 12.5\right) \\ =21,260.42 \mathrm{~cm}^{3}\end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{l}\text { M1. Identifying or writing the volume of the } \\ \text { jackfruit }\end{array}$ |  |
| Volume of the jack fruit = volume of cylinder |  |  |
| + volume of sphereM1. finding volume of |  |  |
| hemispherical ends |  |  |\(\left.\} \begin{array}{l}=3.14 \times 12.5 \times 12.5\left(35+\frac{2}{3} \times 12.5\right) <br>

A1 Volume of the jackfruit=21,260.42 \mathrm{~cm}^{3} <br>
(Any value lying between 21260 and 21261 <br>
acceptable)\end{array}\right]\)

## Maths10PR3

| Item <br> identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | C/N/E* | Content Reference(s) | Marks |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Maths10PR3 | 1 | 1 | C | 10M2a Calculate the surface areas and <br> volumes of combinations of any two of <br> the following: cubes, cuboids, <br> spheres, hemispheres, and right <br> circular cylinders/cones, and the <br> frustum of a cone. | 2 |

${ }^{*} \mathrm{C}=$ Calculator required, $\mathrm{N}=$ Calculator not allowed, $\mathrm{E}=$ Either

## Item purpose

The question assesses the knowledge in the conversion of units in volume.

## Sources and diagrams

Source information if copied: book/journal, author, publisher, website link, etc.

## Question(s)

The area of the base of a rectangular tank is $7200 \mathrm{~cm}^{2}$ and the volume of water contained in it is $3 \mathrm{~m}^{3}$. Find the height of water in the tank.
(2 marks)
(Total marks 2)

Mark scheme
1 The area of the base of a rectangular tank is $7200 \mathrm{~cm}^{2}$ and the volume of water contained in it is $3 \mathrm{~m}^{3}$. Find the height of water in the tank.

| Answer | Guidance |
| :--- | :--- |
| 4.16 m or 416.67 cm | M1 A1 height $=\frac{3 \times 100 \times 100 \times 100}{7200}=416.67 \mathrm{~cm}$ |
|  | Allow $4.1-4.2 \mathrm{~m}$ or $416-417 \mathrm{~cm}$. |

## Maths10AS7

| Item <br> identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | C/N/E* | Content Reference(s) | Marks |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Maths10AS7 |  | 3 | E | 10M2a Calculate the surface areas <br> and volumes of combinations of any <br> two of the following: cubes, cuboids, <br> spheres, hemispheres, and right <br> circular cylinders/cones | 3 |
| Total marks |  | $\mathbf{3}$ |  |  | $\mathbf{3}$ |

${ }^{*} \mathrm{C}=$ Calculator required, $\mathrm{N}=$ Calculator not allowed, $\mathrm{E}=$ Either

## Item purpose

The question assesses that the students know how to calculate the volume of a given solid and apply it in real-world situations.

## Sources and diagrams

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## Question(s)

1 Ramesh has recently built his house and installed a cylindrical water tank.

The dimensions of the tank are as follows: Radius 50 cm and Height 175 cm

If water is filled in the tank at the rate of 11 litres per minute, how long will it take for the tank to be completely filled?
(Total marks 3)

## Mark scheme

1 Ramesh has recently built his house and installed a cylindrical water tank.
The dimensions of the tank are as follows: Radius 50 cm and Height 175 cm
If water is filled in the tank at the rate of 11 litres per minute, how long will it take for the tank to be completely filled?

| Answer | Guidance |
| :--- | :--- |

125 minutes

Volume of water in the overhead tank

$$
\begin{aligned}
& =\pi r^{2} h=\frac{22}{7} \times \frac{1}{2} \times \frac{1}{2} \times \frac{7}{4} \\
& =\frac{11}{8} \times 1000 \text { litres }
\end{aligned}
$$

Time taken to fill the tank completely

$$
=\frac{11}{8} \times 1000 \times \frac{1}{11}=125
$$

$\min$

M1 - writing the correct formula for sum finding the volume

M1 - Finding the correct volume.
A1 - finding time taken

$$
0-2-0.0
$$

## Maths10AKP8

| Item <br> identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | C/N/E* | Content Reference(s) | Marks |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| MathsAKP8 | 4 | C | 10M2a Calculate the surface areas and <br> volumes of combinations of any two of <br> the following: cubes, cuboids, spheres, <br> hemispheres, and right circular <br> cylinders/cones | 4 |  |

${ }^{*} \mathrm{C}=$ Calculator required, $\mathrm{N}=$ Calculator not allowed, $\mathrm{E}=$ Either

## Item purpose

The question assesses the knowledge of solid geometry

## Sources and diagrams



## Question(s)

1 A toy is in the form of a cylinder with hemispherical ends.

If the whole length of the toy is 90 cm and its diameter is 42 cm , find the cost of painting the toy at the rate of 70 paise per square cm .

## Mark scheme

| 1. A toy is in the form of a cylinder with hemispherical ends. If the whole length of the toy is 90 cm and its diameter is 42 cm , find the cost of painting the toy at the rate of 70 paise per square cm. |  |
| :---: | :---: |
| Answer | Guidance |
| Length of the cylinder $=(90-42) \mathrm{cm}=48$ cm <br> Area to be painted = C.S. A of cylinder + C.S.A of 2 hemispheres $\begin{aligned} & =2 \pi r h+4 \pi r^{2}=2 \pi r(h+2 r) \\ & =2 \times \frac{22}{7} \times 21(48+2 \times 21) \\ & =2 \times 22 \times 3(90) \mathrm{cm}^{2} \end{aligned}$ <br> Cost of painting the toy $=\frac{132 \times 90 \times 70}{100}$ $\text { = Rs. } 8316$ | M1 for the correct understanding of the toy 1 mark <br> 1 mark for the correct formula 1 mark for the correct answer for total SA of toy <br> 1 mark for correct amount calculated |

## Maths10GS8

| Item <br> identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | C/N/E* | Content Reference(s) | Marks |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Maths10GS8 | 4 | E | 10M2a Calculate the surface areas and <br> volumes of combinations of any two of <br> the following: cubes, cuboids, spheres, <br> hemispheres, and right circular <br> cylinders/cones | 4 |  |
| Total marks |  | $\mathbf{4}$ |  |  | $\mathbf{4}$ |

${ }^{*} \mathrm{C}=$ Calculator required, $\mathrm{N}=$ Calculator not allowed, $\mathrm{E}=$ Either

## Item purpose

The question assesses the volume of combinations of cylinder and sphere.

## Sources and diagrams



Not to scale

## Question(s)

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By measuring the amount of water, it holds, a child finds its volume to be 345 cu cm .

Check whether he is correct, taking the above as the inside measurements and $\pi=3.14$.

## Mark scheme

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Check whether he is correct, taking the above as the inside measurements and $\pi=$ 3.14.

| Answer | Guidance |
| :---: | :---: |
| Volume of the cylindrical part $=\pi r^{2} h$ $\begin{aligned} & =3.14 \times 1 \times 1 \times 8 \\ & =3.14 \times 8 \\ & =25.12 \mathrm{cu} \mathrm{~cm} . \end{aligned}$ | M1 to calculate the volume of the cylindrical part <br> M2 to calculate the volume of the spherical part |
| Volume of the spherical part $=\frac{4}{3} \pi r^{3}$ $\begin{aligned} & =\frac{4}{3} \times 3.14 \times(4.25)^{3} \\ & =321.4 \mathrm{cu} \mathrm{~cm} . \end{aligned}$ | M3 to calculate the total volume of water in the vessel. <br> A1 to write the correct answer. |
| Total volume of water in the vessel $\begin{aligned} & =(25.12+321.4) \mathrm{cu} \mathrm{~cm} \\ & =346.52 \mathrm{cu} \mathrm{~cm} \end{aligned}$ |  |
| So, the child's answer is not correct. |  |

## Maths10AR7

| Item <br> identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | C/N/E* | Content Reference(s) | Marks |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Maths10AR |  | 4 | C | 10M2a Calculate the surface <br> areas and volumes of <br> combinations of any two of the <br> following: cubes, cuboids, <br> spheres, hemispheres, and right <br> circular cylinders/cones | 4 |

* $\mathrm{C}=$ Calculator required, $\mathrm{N}=$ Calculator not allowed, $\mathrm{E}=$ Either


## Item purpose

The question assesses the ability of the student to calculate the volume and surface areas of solid figures and a combination of different solids.

## Sources and diagrams



## Question(s)

1 A medicine capsule is in the shape of a cylinder with two hemispherical ends, as shown in the diagram.

The length of the capsule is 14 mm , and the thickness is 5 mm .
Find its surface area (take $\pi=22 / 7$ )

## Mark scheme

1 A medicine capsule is in the shape of a cylinder with two hemispherical ends. The length of the capsule is 14 mm , and the thickness is 5 mm . Find its surface area (take $\pi=22 / 7$ )

| Answer | Guidance |
| :---: | :---: |
| C.S.A of capsule $=$ C.S.A of 2 hemispheres <br> + C.S.A of cylinder | M1 identify SA as cylinder + sphere M1 use correct formulae for both shapes |
| Radius of cylinder= radius of hemisphere | A1 for the correct value of SA for at least one of the cylinders and sphere |
| $=5 / 2=2.5 \mathrm{~mm} \quad \text { half of thickness }$ | A1 correct answer |
| C.S.A of cylinder=2 $\boldsymbol{\pi} \mathbf{r h}$ $=2 \times 22 \times 9 \times 5$ | Do not penalise if the unit is not written The C.S.A of cylinder and hemispheres can be kept as fractions or in decimal. |
| $\begin{gathered} 7 \times 2 \\ =990 / 7=141.43 \end{gathered}$ |  |
| $\begin{aligned} \text { C.S.A of } 2 \text { hemispheres } & =2 \times 2 \pi r^{2} \\ & =2 \times 2 \times 22 \times 5 \times 5 \end{aligned}$ |  |
| $\begin{array}{r} 7 \times 2 \times 2 \\ =550 / 7=78.57 \end{array}$ |  |
| $\begin{aligned} \text { C.S.A of capsule } & =141.43+78.57=220.00 \text { or } \\ & =990 / 7+550 / 7=220 \end{aligned}$ |  |

## Maths10AD3

| Item <br> identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | C/N/E* | Content Reference(s) | Marks |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Maths10AD3 | 1 |  | N | 10M2b Problems involving converting <br> one type of metallic solid into another <br> and other mixed problems. (Problems <br> with combination of not more than two <br> different solids) | 1 |

${ }^{*} \mathrm{C}=$ Calculator required, $\mathrm{N}=$ Calculator not allowed, $\mathrm{E}=$ Either

## Item purpose

The question assesses knowledge of comparison of the volume of a cone in relation to another cone.

## Sources and diagrams

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## Question(s)

1 Two cones of equal heights have their radii in the ratio 3: 2. The ratio of their volumes will be equal to
A. $3: 2$
B. $9: 4$
C. $27: 8$
D. $81: 16$
(Total marks 1)

## Mark scheme

1 Two cones of equal heights have their radii in the ratio 3: 2 . The ratio of their volumes will be equal to
A. 3: 2
B. $9: 4$
C. $27: 8$
D. $81: 16$

| Answer | Guidance |
| :--- | :--- |
| B. 9:4 | $\frac{\frac{1}{3} \pi R^{2} h}{\frac{1}{3} \pi r^{2} h}=9: 4$ |
|  | A1 for the correct answer only. |
|  | Do not penalise if only B. or 9: 4 is written |
|  |  |

## Maths10PS1

| Item <br> identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | C/N/E* | Content Reference(s) | Marks |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Maths10PS1 | 1 |  | N | 10N1a Use the Fundamental theorem <br> of Arithmetic to find the (unique) prime <br> factorisation of numbers | 1 |

${ }^{*} \mathrm{C}=$ Calculator required, $\mathrm{N}=$ Calculator not allowed, $\mathrm{E}=$ Either

## Item purpose

The question assesses the ability of the student to identify a terminating decimal expansion from the given rational numbers using prime factorisation of numbers.

## Sources and diagrams

Source information if copied: book/journal, author, publisher, website link, etc.

## Question(s)

1
Which among the given rational numbers represents a terminating decimal expansion?
A. $\frac{2}{11}$
B. $\frac{8}{21}$
C. $\frac{1}{13^{3}}$
D. $\frac{3}{2^{4} \times 5^{3}}$

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D. $\frac{3}{2^{4} \times 5^{3}}$

| Answer | Guidance |
| :--- | :--- |
| D. $\frac{3}{2^{4} \times 5^{3}}$ | A1 for the correct answer |
| Prime factors of the numerator are only 2 <br> or 5 |  |

## Maths10GS1

| Item <br> identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | C/N/E* | Content Reference(s) | Marks |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Maths10GS1 | 1 |  | E | 10N1a Use the Fundamental Theorem <br> of arithmetic to find the (unique) prime <br> factorisation of numbers | 1 |

${ }^{*} \mathrm{C}=$ Calculator required, $\mathrm{N}=$ Calculator not allowed, $\mathrm{E}=$ Either

## Item purpose

The question assesses the prime factorisation of numbers.

## Sources and diagrams

Source information if copied: book/journal, author, publisher, website link, etc.

## Question(s)

1 Express 255 as a product of prime factors.

Mark scheme

| 1 Express 255 as a product of prime factors. |  |
| :--- | :--- |
| Answer | Guidance |
| $255=3 \times 5 \times 17$ | A1 Correct answer - 1 mark |

## Maths10SR1

| Item <br> identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | C/N/E* | Content Reference(s) | Marks |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Maths10SR1 |  | 1 | E | 10N1a Use the Fundamental Theorem <br> of Arithmetic to find the (unique) prime <br> factorisation of numbers <br> 10N1c Apply 10N1a to solve problems <br> related to real-life contexts. | 1 |

## Item purpose

The question assesses the skill in applying the fundamental theorem of arithmetic and finding hcf and Icm

## Question(s)

1 Three cubical warehouses of volume $165 \mathrm{~m}^{3}, 195 \mathrm{~m}^{3}$, and $285 \mathrm{~m}^{3}$ are to be used for storage.

What is the volume of the greatest cubical box that can be kept in the warehouse so that no space is left vacant?
A. $6 \mathrm{~m}^{3}$
B. $15 \mathrm{~m}^{3}$
C. $5 \mathrm{~m}^{3}$
D. $3 \mathrm{~m}^{3}$

## Mark scheme

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B. $15 \mathrm{~m}^{3}$
C. $5 \mathrm{~m}^{3}$
D. $3 \mathrm{~m}^{3}$

| Answer | Guidance |
| :--- | :--- |
| Required volume $=$ HCF $(165,195,285)$ <br> $=15 \mathrm{~m}^{3}$ | A1 for the answer |

## Maths10AS9

| Item <br> identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | C/N/E* | Content Reference(s) | Marks |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Maths10AS9 | 2 | E | 10N1a Use the Fundamental <br> Theorem of Arithmetic to find the <br> (unique) prime factorisation <br> of numbers | 2 |  |
| Total marks |  | $\mathbf{2}$ |  |  | $\mathbf{2}$ |

${ }^{*} \mathrm{C}=$ Calculator required, $\mathrm{N}=$ Calculator not allowed, $\mathrm{E}=$ Either

## Item purpose

The question assesses the prime factorization of a number.

## Sources and diagrams

Source information if copied: book/journal, author, publisher, website link, etc.

## Question(s)

Find the sum of exponents of prime factors in the prime factorization of 21600

## Mark scheme

| 1. Find the sum of exponents of prime factors in the prime factorization of 21600 |  |
| :--- | :--- |
| Answer | Guidance |
| 10 | M1 - finding the prime factors |
| $5^{2}$ A1 - finding the correct sum. <br> Sum of exponents $=10$ Total marks $=2$ marks |  |

## Maths10SR5

| Item <br> identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | C/N/E* | Content Reference(s) | Marks |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Maths10SR5 | 2 | E | 10N1a Use the Fundamental theorem <br> of Arithmetic to find the (unique) prime <br> factorisation of numbers | 2 |  |

## Item purpose

The question assesses skill in finding Icm of number

## Question(s)

1 LED light arrangements are made in a marriage function.
Yellow lights will flicker every 3 seconds, red lights will flicker every 4 seconds, and green lights will flicker every 5 seconds.

How many times all the three lights will flicker together in 30 minutes

## Mark scheme

1 LED light arrangements are made in a marriage function.
Yellow lights will flicker every 3 seconds, red lights will flicker every 4 seconds, and green lights will flicker every 5 seconds.
How many times all the three lights will flicker together in 30 minutes

| Answer | Guidance |
| :--- | :--- |
| 30 times | M1 to find the LCM of 3, 4, and 5 seconds |
|  | A1 30 times |
| Lcm $(3,4,5)=60$ |  |
| The three lights will flicker together after |  |
| every 1 min |  |
| The number of times the lights will flicker |  |
| in $30 \min =30$ |  |

## Maths10AKP5

| Item identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | C/N/E* | Content Reference(s) | Marks |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Maths10AKP5 |  | 3 | E | 10N1a Use the Fundamental theorem <br> of Arithmetic to find the (unique) prime <br> factorisation of numbers | 3 |

* $\mathrm{C}=$ Calculator required, $\mathrm{N}=$ Calculator not allowed, $\mathrm{E}=$ Either


## Item purpose

The question assesses the knowledge of solid geometry
Sources and diagrams

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## Question(s)

1 There are 156, 208 and 260 students in a group A, B, and C respectively. Buses are hired for an educational trip. Find the minimum number of buses to be hired if all buses have the same number of students.
(3 marks)
(Total marks 3)

## Mark scheme

1 There are 156, 208 and 260 students in a group A, B, and C respectively. Buses are hired for an educational trip. Find the minimum number of buses to be hired if all buses have the same number of students.

| Answer | Guidance |
| :--- | :--- |
| Since all buses have equal no. of <br> students. <br> The number of students could be a <br> common factor of the numbers 156, 208 <br> and 260 <br> Since the number of buses have to be <br> minimum. | M1 Students should state why HCF is <br> required to find for the concept |
| So, the number of students should be |  |
| HCF of 156,208 and 260. | A1 correct HCF |
| $156=2^{2} \times 3 \times 13$ |  |
| $208=2^{4} \times 13$ |  |
| $260=2^{2} \times 5 \times 13$ | A1 correct final answer |
| $\therefore$ HCF $=2^{2} \times 13=52$ |  |
| So, 52 students would be in each bus |  |

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\therefore number of buses = (156+208+260) \div52
    = 624 \div52
    = 12
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## Maths10MM1

| Item identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | $\mathbf{C} / \mathbf{N} / \mathrm{E}^{*}$ | Content Reference(s) | Marks |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Maths10MM1 | 1 |  | N | 10N1c Apply 10N1a and 10N1b to <br> solve problems related to real-life <br> contexts | 1 |

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## Item purpose

The question assesses the ability of the student to relate the questions with real-life situations and solve them.

## Sources and diagrams

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## Question(s)

1 Shilpi wants to organize a party. She has 36 kiwis and 60 oranges at home and decided to distribute them equally among all. She decides to add 42 apples also. In this case, how many maximum guests can she invite?
A. 6
B. 12
C. 120
D. 180

## Mark scheme

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A. 6
B. 12
C. 120
D. 180

| Answer | Guidance |
| :--- | :--- |
| A. 6 | A1 6 |
| HCF of 36,60 and 42 is 6 | Correct Answer only. |

## Maths10MM2

| Item identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | $\mathbf{C / N / E *}$ | Content Reference(s) | Marks |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Maths10MM2 | 1 |  | N | 10N1c Apply 10N1a and 10N1b to <br> solve problems related to real-life <br> contexts. | 1 |

${ }^{*} \mathrm{C}=$ Calculator required, $\mathrm{N}=$ Calculator not allowed, $\mathrm{E}=$ Either

## Item purpose

The question assesses the ability of students to relate the questions to a real-life situation.

## Sources and diagrams

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## Question(s)

1 Shweta wants to organize a party. She has 336 guavas and 54 oranges at home and decided to distribute them equally among all. How many maximum guests can she invite?
A. 6
B. 9
C. 56
D. 3024

## Mark scheme

1. Shweta wants to organize a party. She has 336 guavas and 54 oranges at home and decided to distribute them equally among all. How many maximum guests can she invite?
A. 6
B. 9
C. 56
D. 3024

| Answer | Guidance |
| :---: | :--- |
| A. 6 | A1 6 |


| $336=56 \times 6,54=9 \times 6$, so 6 is HCF | Correct Answer only. |
| :--- | :--- |

## Maths10PR5

| Item identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | C/N/E* | Content Reference(s) | Marks |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Maths10PR5a | 2 | 1 | E | 10N1c Apply 10N1a and 10N1b to <br> solve problems related to real-life <br> contexts. | 3 |
| Maths10PR5b | 2 |  | E | 10N1c Apply 10N1a and 10N1b to <br> solve problems related to real-life <br> contexts. | 2 |
| Total marks | $\mathbf{4}$ | $\mathbf{1}$ |  |  | $\mathbf{5}$ |

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## Item purpose

The question assesses the knowledge and application of HCF in a real-life situation.

## Sources and diagrams

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## Question(s)

1 (a) She wants to stack them in such a way that each stack has the same number of books of a single subject.

Find the minimum number of stacks possible in this arrangement.

1 (b) Her friend, Sona, brings 70 Science books and arranges them in the same manner with the same number of books in each stack as they were for English and Mathematics.

How many science books are left over after they are arranged in stacks of the same number as for English and mathematics?

## Mark scheme

1 (a) Radha has 30 English books and 54 mathematics books.
She wants to stack them in such a way so that each stack has the same number of books on a single subject.

Find the minimum number of stacks possible in this arrangement.

| Answer | Guidance |
| :---: | :---: |
| 14 | $\begin{gathered} \text { M1 } 30=2 \times 3 \times 5 \\ 54=2 \times 3 \times 3 \times 3 \\ H C F=2 \times 3=6 \end{gathered}$ <br> A1 no. of stacks in English $=30 \div 6=5$ <br> No. of stacks in Mathematics $=54 \div 6=9$ <br> A1 Total stacks $=5+9=14$ |
| 1 (b) Her friend, Sona, brings 70 Science books and arranges them in the same manner with the number of books same in each stack as they were for English and Mathematics How many Science books are left over after they are arranged in the stacks of the same number as for English and Mathematics? |  |
| Answer | Guidance |
| 4 | M1 70 $\div 6=11 r 4$ <br> A1 4 Science books are remaining. |

## Maths10PR1

| Item <br> identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | C/N/E* | Content Reference(s) | Marks |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Maths10PR1 | 1 | E | 10N1c Apply 10N1a and 10N1b to <br> solve problems related to real-life <br> contexts. | 1 |  |

${ }^{*} \mathrm{C}=$ Calculator required, $\mathrm{N}=$ Calculator not allowed, $\mathrm{E}=$ Either

## Item purpose

The question assesses the knowledge and application of LCM in a real-life situation.

## Sources and diagrams

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## Question(s)

There are five bells placed at different swings in a park, which toll at intervals of $2,3,5,6$, and 10 minutes, respectively. They all toll together when the park is open for visitors at 10:00 AM.
How many more times do they all toll together till the park is closed at 8:00 PM?
A. 10
B. 20
C. 30
D. 60

## Mark scheme

1 How many more times do they all toll together till the park is closed at 8:00 PM?
A. 10
B. 20
C. 30
D. 60

| Answer | Guidance |
| :--- | :--- |
| B. 20 | LCM of $2,3,5,6,10$ is 30. <br> Five bells will toll together after every 30 <br> minutes. 10:00 AM to 8:00 PM is 10 hours. |

## Math10MM9

| Item <br> identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | $\mathbf{C / N / E}$ | Content Reference(s) | Marks |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Math10MM9 |  | 2 | N | 10N1c Apply 10N1a and 10N1b to <br> solve problems related to real-life <br> contexts. | 2 |

*C = Calculator required, $\mathrm{N}=$ Calculator not allowed, $\mathrm{E}=$ Either

## Item purpose

The question assesses the ability of the students to relate the questions with a real-life situation and differentiate between LCM and HCF.

## Sources and diagrams

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## Question(s)

1 The traffic lights at three different road crossings change after every $48 \mathrm{sec}, 72$ sec and 108 sec respectively. If they all change simultaneously at 9:20:00 hrs, when will they again change simultaneously?

## Mark scheme

1 The traffic lights at three different road crossings change after every $48 \mathrm{sec}, 72 \mathrm{sec}$, and 108 sec respectively. If they all change simultaneously at 9:20:00 hrs, when will they again change simultaneously?

| Answer | Guidance |
| :--- | :--- |
| L.C.M of $(48,72,108)$ is 432 seconds <br> $=7$ min 12 sec | M1- Find the correct LCM |
| At 9:20:00 hrs, if all the three signals <br> change simultaneously, again, they will <br> change simultaneously after 7 min 12 <br> sec. That is at 9:27:12 hrs. | A1- LCM $(48,72,108)=432$ |
|  | M1-432sec $=7 \min 12$ sec |
| $9 \mathrm{hr} 20 \mathrm{~min}+7 \min 12 \mathrm{sec}=9: 27: 12 \mathrm{hrs}$ |  |

A1- They will again change simultaneously at 9:27:12 hrs.

## Maths10MM10

| Item identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | $\mathbf{C} /{\mathrm{N} / \mathrm{E}^{*}}$ | Content Reference(s) | Marks |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Maths10MM10 |  | 2 | N | 10N1c Apply 10N1a and 10N1b to <br> solve problems related to real-life <br> contexts. | 2 |

${ }^{*} \mathrm{C}=$ Calculator required, $\mathrm{N}=$ Calculator not allowed, $\mathrm{E}=$ Either

## Item purpose

The question assesses the ability of the student to relate their questions to a real-life situation and differentiate between LCM and HCF.

## Sources and diagrams

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## Question(s)

1 In a conference, the number of participants in the Army, Navy, and Airforce are 60,84 and 108, respectively. Find the minimum number of rooms required if the same number of participants are to be seated in each room and all of them being in the same department.
(2 marks)
(Total marks 2)

## Mark scheme

1 In a conference, the number of participants in the Army, Navy, and Airforce are 60,84 and 108, respectively. Find the minimum number of rooms required if the same number of participants are to be seated in each room and all of them being in the same department.

| Answer | Guidance |
| :--- | :--- |
| HCF of 60,84 and $108=12$ | M1- Find the correct HCF |
| Number of rooms required $=$ Total | A1 $-\operatorname{HCF}(60,84,108)=12$ |
| number of participants $/$ HCF $=\{(60+84+$ |  |
| $108) / 12\}=21$ |  |


|  | M1- Number of rooms required $=$ Total <br> number of participants $/ \mathrm{HCF}=\{60+84+$ <br> $108) / 12\}$ <br> A1- Number of rooms required $=21$ |
| :--- | :--- |

## Maths10ASR5

| Item identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | C/N/E* | Content Reference(s) | Marks |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Maths10ASR5 | 2 | E | 10N1c Apply 10N1a and 10N1b to <br> solve problems related to real-life <br> contexts | 2 |  |

${ }^{*} \mathrm{C}=$ Calculator required, $\mathrm{N}=$ Calculator not allowed, $\mathrm{E}=$ Either

## Item purpose

The question assesses the ability of the student to relate the real-life situation to the concept of HCF.

## Sources and diagrams

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## Question

$1 \quad$ Bhargav has 455 erasers and 210 pencils. He wants to distribute them in groups, each with the same combination of erasers and pencils, with none left over.

What is the greatest number of groups Bhargav can distribute?
(Total marks 2)

## Mark scheme

1. Bhargav has 455 erasers and 210 pencils. He wants to distribute them in groups, each with the same combination of erasers and pencils, with none left over. What is the greatest number of groups Bhargav can distribute?

| Answer | Guidance |
| :--- | :--- |


| Answer: 35. | 1 mark for correctly expressing 455 and 210 <br> into the product form of prime numbers. |
| :--- | :--- |
| $455=5 \times 7 \times 13$ |  |
| $210=2 \times 3 \times 5 \times 7$ |  |
| Therefore, | 1 mark for correctly calculating HCF. <br> HCF $(455,210)=5 \times 7=35$ <br> (Note: If HCF is calculated directly without <br> showing the prime factorisation then also 2 <br> marks will be credited.) |
| The greatest number of group in which <br> Bhargav can distribute pencils and <br> erasers is 35. |  |

## Maths10AD8

| Item <br> identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | C/N/E* | Content Reference(s) | Marks |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Maths10AD8 | 4 | E | 10N1c Apply 10N1a and 10N1b to <br> solve problems related to real-life <br> contexts | 4 |  |

${ }^{*} \mathrm{C}=$ Calculator required, $\mathrm{N}=$ Calculator not allowed, $\mathrm{E}=$ Either

## Item purpose

The question assesses the analysing and applying the concept of LCM and HCF of given numbers to solve problems related to real-life contexts.

## Sources and diagrams

| Type of Books |  |
| :--- | :--- |
| Hindi story | 117 |
| English story | 135 |

## Question(s)

1 People of a society thought of donating books to an orphanage. The details of books they could collect are tabulated above. The books are to be stacked in such a manner that each stack has the same number of books, all of the same language, and with as small a number of stacks as possible.

Find the number of books that can be placed in each stack for this purpose.
Also, find the number of stacks of each type of book formed in his arrangement.
(Total marks 4)

## Mark scheme

1 Find the number of books that can be placed in each stack for this purpose. Also, find the number of stacks of each type of books formed in his arrangement.

| Answer | Guidance |
| :--- | :--- |
| No. of books in each stack $=9$ | M1 for correctly identifying that in the given <br> situation HCF is to be obtained. |
| No. of stacks of Hindi story books $=13$ |  |

No. of stacks of English storybooks $=15$

To find the number of books in each stack, we find $\operatorname{HCF}(117,135)$
By Euclid's Algorithm, we have:
$135=117 \times 1+18$
$117=18 \times 6+9$
$18=9 \times 2+0$
Here, the remainder is zero, and at this stage, the divisor is 9 .
$\Rightarrow \operatorname{HCF}(117,135)=9$

## Alternatively

HCF $(117,135)$ can be obtained by factorisation method as follows:
$117=3 \times 3 \times 13=3^{2} \times 13$
$135=3 \times 3 \times 3 \times 5=3^{3} \times 5$
$\operatorname{HCF}(117,135)=3^{2}=9$

Hence the Number of books in each stack $=9$ so that the area covered is the least.

Also, the number of Stacks of Hindi storybooks
$=\frac{117}{9}=13$
And number of Stacks of English story books $=\frac{135}{9}=15$

M1 for applying Euclid's division algorithm to 135 and 117

OR
M1 for finding the prime factorisation of 117 and 135

A1 for finding the number of books in each stack is 9

A1 for finding the number of stacks of Hindi storybooks and English storybooks as 13 and 15, respectively.

## Maths10AS1

| Item <br> identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | C/N/E* | Content Reference(s) | Marks |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Maths10AS1 | 1 |  | E | 10N1d Prove that a decimal which is <br> not recurring or terminating cannot be a <br> rational number | 1 |

${ }^{*} \mathrm{C}=$ Calculator required, $\mathrm{N}=$ Calculator not allowed, $\mathrm{E}=$ Either

## Item purpose

The question assesses the decimal representation of a rational number.

## Sources and diagrams

Source information if copied: book/journal, author, publisher, website link, etc.

## Question(s)

1. The decimal representation of $\frac{7}{62500}$ will terminate after how many places of decimals?
A. 4
B. 5
C. 6
D. 3

## Mark scheme

1 The decimal representation of $\frac{7}{62500}$ will terminate after how many places of decimals?
A. 4
B. 5
C. 6
D. 3

| Answer |  | Guidance |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| C. 6 |  | A1 Correct answer - 1 mark |
|  | $\frac{7}{62500}=\frac{7}{5^{6} 2^{2}}=\frac{7 \times 2^{4}}{10^{6}}$ |  |

## Maths10AD2

| Item <br> identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | C/N/E* | Content Reference(s) | Marks |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Maths10AD2 | 1 |  | N | 10N1d Prove that a decimal which is <br> not recurring or terminating cannot be a <br> rational number | 1 |

${ }^{*} \mathrm{C}=$ Calculator required, $\mathrm{N}=$ Calculator not allowed, $\mathrm{E}=$ Either

## Item purpose

The question assesses understanding of decimal expansions of rational numbers.

## Sources and diagrams

Source information if copied: book/journal, author, publisher, website link, etc.

## Question(s)

1 The decimal expansion of the rational number $\frac{11323}{250}$ will terminate after
A. one decimal place
B. two decimal places
C. three decimal places
D. four decimal places
(Total marks 1)

## Mark scheme

1. The decimal expansion of the rational number $\frac{11323}{250}$ will terminate after
A. one decimal place
B. two decimal places
C. three decimal places
D. four decimal places

| Answer | Guidance |
| :--- | :--- |
| C. Three decimal places | A1 for the correct answer only <br> Do not penalise if only C. or only answer <br> 'three places of decimal' is written |

## Maths10ASR1

| Item identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | C/N/E* | Content Reference(s) | Mark |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Maths10ASR1 | 1 |  | E | 10N1d Decimal expansion of rational <br> number is either terminating or non- <br> terminating but recurring | 1 |

${ }^{*} \mathrm{C}=$ Calculator required, $\mathrm{N}=$ Calculator not allowed, $\mathrm{E}=$ Either

## Item purpose

The question assesses the ability of the student to identify the rational number between given two irrational numbers.

## Sources and diagrams

Source information if copied: book/journal, author, publisher, website link etc.

## Question(s)

Which of these rational number lie between $\sqrt{2}$ and $\sqrt{3}$ ?
A. 0.25
B. $1 . \overline{23}$
C. $1.5214 \ldots$
D. $1 . \overline{64}$

## Mark scheme

1 Which of the rational number lie between $\sqrt{2}$ and $\sqrt{3}$ ?
A. 0.25
B. $1 . \overline{23}$
C. $1.5214 \ldots$
D. $1 . \overline{64}$

Answer:
D. 1.64

Guidance
A1 For the correct answer.

## Maths10AKP4

| Item identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | C/N/E* | Content Reference(s) | Marks |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Maths10AKP4a | 1 |  | N | 10S1a Calculate mean, median and <br> mode of grouped data | 1 |
| Maths10AKP4b | 2 | 2 | C | 10S1a Calculate mean, median and <br> mode of grouped data | 4 |
| Total marks | $\mathbf{1}$ | $\mathbf{4}$ |  |  | $\mathbf{5}$ |

${ }^{*} \mathrm{C}=$ Calculator required, $\mathrm{N}=$ Calculator not allowed, $\mathrm{E}=$ Either

## Item purpose

The question assesses the knowledge of different types of measures of central tendency in reallife

## Sources and diagrams:

| Age (in <br> years) | $5-14$ | $15-24$ | $25-34$ | $35-44$ | $45-54$ | $55-64$ |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Number of <br> cases | 6 | 11 | 21 | 23 | 14 | 5 |

## Question(s)

1 The Indian Council of Medical Research wants to analyse the age group of people affected by a certain disease. The above table shows the age distribution of patients with a certain disease admitted to a hospital.
Based on the above, answer the questions:

1 (a) The most highly affected age group is:
i. $\quad 15-24$
ii. $25-34$
iii. 35-44
iv. 55-64

1 (b) Find the mean age of the people.

## Mark scheme

1 (a) The highly affected age-group is
i) $15-24$
ii) $25-34$
iii) $35-44$
iv) $55-64$

| Answer | Guidance |
| :--- | :--- |
| iii) 35-44 | M1 Students should know that the highest <br> frequency indicates the answer |
| 1 |  |

1 (b) Find the mean age of the patients with this disease.

| Answer 35.375 | Guidance |
| :---: | :---: |
| Mean age of the people $10 \times 6+20 \times 11+30 \times 21+40 \times 23+50 \times 14+60 \times 5$ | M1 midpoints of age groups as 10, 20, etc. (5283l04 years old ends on $15^{\text {th }}$ birthday) |
| 80 | $\overline{\bar{M}} 1$ scalculating midpoint $x$ frequencies A1 accuracy of at least groups (or correct statement of the full list - as shown here) A1 correct answer |

## Maths10SR9

| Item identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | C/N/E* | Content Reference(s) | Marks |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Maths10SR9a | 3 |  | C | 10S1a Calculate mean, median and <br> mode of grouped data (bimodal <br> situation to be avoided). | 3 |
| Maths10SR9b | 1 |  | C | 10S1a Calculate mean, median and <br> mode of grouped data (bimodal <br> situation to be avoided). | 1 |
| Total marks | $\mathbf{4}$ |  |  |  | $\mathbf{4}$ |

${ }^{*} \mathrm{C}=$ Calculator required, $\mathrm{N}=$ Calculator not allowed, $\mathrm{E}=$ Either

## Item purpose

The question assesses the knowledge of finding median and mode

## Sources and diagrams

| Height | $140-145$ | $150-155$ | $155-160$ | $160-165$ | $165-170$ | $170-175$ |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Number of <br> students | 5 | 15 | 25 | 30 | 15 | 10 |

## Question(s)

1 The above table gives the heights of 100 students in cm of a class.

1(a) Find the median height of the students

1(b) Find the modal class of the given data

## Mark scheme

| 1 (a) find median heights of the students |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Answ |  |  |  |  |  |  | Guidance |
| Cum .freq |  | 20 | 45 | 75 | 90 | 100 | M1 for the cumulative frequency table calculation <br> M1. Identifying the correct formula -1 mark <br> Median $=160+\frac{(50-45) 5}{30}$ <br> A1. median $=160.83$ |
| Median class: 160-165$\begin{aligned} \text { Median } & =160+\frac{(50-45) 5}{30} \\ & =160+0.83 \\ & =160.83 \end{aligned}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1 (b) Find the Mode of the data |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Answer Modal class:160-165 |  |  |  |  |  |  | Guidance |
| 160-165 has the largest frequency |  |  |  |  |  |  | A1 correct answer |

## Maths10AD6

| Item identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | $\mathbf{C / N / E *}$ | Content Reference(s) | Marks |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Maths10AD6a | 3 |  | C | 10S1a Calculate mean, median and <br> mode of grouped data (bimodal <br> situation to be avoided). | 3 |
| Maths10AD6b | 3 |  | C | 10S1a Calculate mean, median and <br> mode of grouped data (bimodal <br> situation to be avoided). | 3 |
| Total marks | $\mathbf{6}$ |  |  |  | $\mathbf{6}$ |

${ }^{*} \mathrm{C}=$ Calculator required, $\mathrm{N}=$ Calculator not allowed, $\mathrm{E}=$ Either

## Item purpose

The question assesses understanding of finding the average of the given grouped data and change in average with respect to change in the given observations

## Sources and diagrams

| Length (in mm) | Number of baby corns |
| :--- | :--- |
| $30-39$ | 5 |
| $40-49$ | 2 |
| $50-59$ | 6 |
| $60-69$ | 8 |
| $70-79$ | 9 |
| $80-89$ | 11 |
| $90-99$ | 6 |
| $100-109$ | 3 |

## Question(s)

1 Rosy, a farmer, grew fifty baby corn by developing the method of organic farming in her field. On harvesting, she measured the lengths of the baby corns (to the nearest mm ) and grouped the results as tabulated above:

1 (a) Find the average length of baby corns using the direct method.

1 (b) Find the modal length of baby corn.
(Total marks 6)

## Mark scheme

1 (a) Find the average length of baby corns using the direct method.

| Answer |  |  |  | Guidance |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 72.06 mm |  |  |  | M1 For finding the values of $x_{i} f_{i}$ in the table. <br> M1 Applying the correct formula of finding mean using the direct method. |
| Length (in mm) | Number of baby corns (fi) | Class <br> Marks <br> (xi) |  |  |
| 30-39 | 5 | 34.5 | 172.5 |  |
| 40-49 | 2 | 44.5 | 89 |  |
| 50-59 | 6 | 54.5 | 327 | A1 for correct average as 72.06 mm only. |
| 60-69 | 8 | 64.5 | 516 |  |
| 70-79 | 9 | 74.5 | 670.5 | Do not penalise if the unit of length ' mm ' is not written. |
| 80-89 | 11 | 84.5 | 929.5 |  |
| 90-99 | 6 | 94.5 | 576 | Give only A1 for the correct answer if any other method of finding mean is applied, and do not give the method mark in such a case. |
| $\begin{aligned} & 100- \\ & 109 \end{aligned}$ | 3 | 104.5 | 313.5 |  |


| The mean is given as$\bar{x}$ $=\frac{\sum x_{i} f_{i}}{\sum f_{i}}$ <br>  $=\frac{3603}{50}$ <br>  $=72.06 \mathrm{~mm}$ |
| :--- |
| 1 (b) Find the modal length of baby corn. |
| Answer |


| 82.36 mm |  |  | M1 Writing continuous class intervals and identifying the modal class as 79.5-89.5 <br> M1 Applying correct formula of mode |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Length (in mm) | Length (in mm) (Continuous class intervals) | Number of baby corns |  |
| 30-39 | 29.5-39.5 | 5 |  |
| 40-49 | 39.5-49.5 | 2 |  |
| 50-59 | 49.5-59.5 | 6 |  |
| 60-69 | 59.5-69.5 | 8 | Do not penalise if the unit of length ' mm ' is |
| 70-79 | 69.5-79.5 | $9 \boldsymbol{f}_{\mathbf{0}}$ | not written. |
| 80-89 | 79.5-89.5 | $11 f_{1}$ |  |
| 90-99 | 89.5-99.5 | $6 f_{2}$ |  |
| $\begin{aligned} & 100- \\ & 109 \end{aligned}$ | 99.5-109.5 | 3 |  |
| Mode is g $\begin{aligned} \mathrm{z} & =\mathrm{I}+\left(\frac{}{2 f_{1}}\right. \\ & =79.5+ \\ & =79.5+ \\ & =82.36 \end{aligned}$ | iven as: $\begin{aligned} & \left.\frac{f_{1}-f_{0}}{f_{1}-f_{0}-f_{2}}\right) \times \mathrm{h} \\ & +\frac{11-9}{22-9-6} \times 10 \\ & +2.86 \\ & 5 \mathrm{~mm} \end{aligned}$ |  |  |

## Maths10ASR12

| Item identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | C/N/E* | Content Reference(s) | Marks |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Maths10ASR12 | 3 |  | C | 10S1a Calculate mean, median and <br> mode of grouped data | 3 |

${ }^{*} \mathrm{C}=$ Calculator required, $\mathrm{N}=$ Calculator not allowed, $\mathrm{E}=$ Either

## Item purpose

The question assesses the ability of the student to calculate the median for different sets of data related to real-life contexts.

| Age (Years) | No of persons |
| :---: | :---: |
| Less than 10 | 3 |
| Less than 20 | 10 |
| Less than 30 | 22 |
| Less than 40 | 40 |
| Less than 50 | 54 |
| Less than 60 | 71 |

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## Question(s)

1
The above table shows the ages of persons who visited a museum on a certain day.

Find the median age of the person visiting the museum.

## Mark scheme

1 The above table shows the ages of persons who visited a museum on a certain day.
Find the median age of the person visiting the museum.

| Answer |  | Guidance |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Classes | No of <br> persons | Cumulative <br> frequency | M1: using cumulative frequencies <br> M1: use of the median formula <br> A1: the correct answer |
| $0-10$ | 3 | 3 |  |
| $10-20$ | 7 | 10 |  |
| $20-30$ | 12 | 22 |  |
| $30-40$ | 18 | 40 |  |
| $40-50$ | 14 | 54 |  |
| $50-60$ | 17 | 71 |  |$\quad$| (No marks will be deducted for not writing |
| :--- |
| (he unit for the final answer) |

$\mathrm{N}=71, \frac{n}{2}=\frac{71}{2}=35.5$
Median class: 30-40
$l=30, h=10, f=18, c f=22$

Median $=l+\left(\frac{\frac{n}{2}-c f}{f}\right) \times h$

$$
\begin{aligned}
& =30+\left(\frac{35.5-22}{18}\right) \times 10 \\
& =30+7.5 \\
& =37.5
\end{aligned}
$$

The median age of the person visiting the museum is 37.5 years.

## Maths10PR8

| Item identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | C/N/E* | Content Reference(s) | Marks |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Maths10PR8a | 2 | 2 | C | 10S1a Calculate mean, median and <br> mode of grouped data (bimodal <br> situation to be avoided) | 4 |
| Maths10PR8b |  | 2 | C | 10S1a Calculate mean, median and <br> mode of grouped data (bimodal <br> situation to be avoided) | 2 |
| Maths10PR8c | 1 |  | C | 10S2b Calculate probabilities of <br> an event in simple problems | 1 |
| Total marks | $\mathbf{3}$ | $\mathbf{4}$ |  |  | $\mathbf{7}$ |

${ }^{*} \mathrm{C}=$ Calculator required, $\mathrm{N}=$ Calculator not allowed, $\mathrm{E}=$ Either

## Item purpose

The question assesses the data interpretation and probability.

## Sources and diagrams

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## Question(s)

1 Given below is a table of marks obtained by 85 students in a class in a Mathematics assessment.

| Marks obtained by a <br> student | Number of students |
| :--- | :--- |
| Below 10 | 5 |
| Below 20 | 9 |
| Below 30 | 17 |
| Below 40 | 29 |
| Below 50 | 45 |
| Below 60 | 60 |
| Below 70 | 70 |
| Below 80 | 78 |
| Below 90 | 83 |
| Below 100 | 85 |

1 (a) Find the mean marks

1 (b) Find the median marks
(2 marks)

1 (c) Find the probability of students who secured at least 60 marks
(Total marks 7)

## Mark scheme

| 1 (a) Find the mean marks. |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Answer | Guidance |  |  |  |
| 47.91 | M 2 |  |  |  |
|  | Marks | Mid value $\left(x_{i}\right)$ | $f_{i} x_{i}$ | $f_{i} x_{i}$ |
|  | 0-9 | 4.5 | 5 | 22.5 |
|  | 10-19 | 14.5 | 4 | 58 |
|  | 20-29 | 24.5 | 8 | 196 |
|  | 30-39 | 34.5 | 12 | 414 |
|  | 40-49 | 44.5 | 16 | 712 |
|  | 50-59 | 54.5 | 15 | 817.5 |
|  | 60-69 | 64.5 | 10 | 645 |
|  | 70-79 | 74.5 | 8 | 596 |
|  | 80-89 | 84.5 | 5 | 422.5 |
|  | 90-99 | 94.5 | 2 | 189 |
|  | $\text { M1 A1 mean }=\frac{\sum f_{i} x_{i}}{\sum f_{i}}=\frac{4072.5}{85}=47.91$ <br> Using the assumed mean method will give the same answer <br> Taking assumed mean $a=54.5, h=10$ $\begin{aligned} \text { Mean } & =a+\frac{\sum f_{i} d_{i}}{\sum f_{i}} \times h=545+\frac{-56}{85} \times 10 \\ & =54.5-6.59=47.91 \end{aligned}$ |  |  |  |


|  | 4 marks <br> Deduct 1 mark if use mid-values as 5,15 etc. |
| :---: | :---: |
| 1 (b) Find the median marks. |  |
| Answer | Guidance |
| 48.75 | M1 for median class; $\frac{N+1}{2}=\frac{86}{2}=43$ <br> Median class $=40-50$ <br> Median $=l+$ $\begin{aligned} & \frac{\frac{N}{2}-c f \text { of previous class to the median class }}{\text { freq of median class }} \times h \\ & =40+\frac{43-29}{16} \times 10=40+\frac{14}{16} \times 10=40+\frac{135}{16} \end{aligned}$ <br> A1 $40+8.75=48.75$ <br> Accept using $42.5^{\text {th }}$ value as median (gives 48.44) |
| 1 (c) Find the probability of students who secured at least 60 marks. |  |
| Answer | Guidance |
| $0.29$ <br> Allow $0.29-0.30$ | $\text { A1 Probability }=\frac{10+8+5+2}{85}=\frac{25}{85}=0.294$ |

## Maths10AKP2

| Item identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | C/N/E* | Content Reference(s) | Marks |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Maths10AKP2 |  | 3 | C | 10S1a Calculate mean, median, and <br> mode of grouped data (bimodal <br> situation to be avoided | 3 |

${ }^{*} \mathrm{C}=$ Calculator required, $\mathrm{N}=$ Calculator not allowed, $\mathrm{E}=$ Either

## Item purpose

The question assesses the concept of finding mean in real-life situations

## Sources and diagrams

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## Question(s)

1 The mean of 25 observations is 48 . If the mean of the first 13 observations is 42 and that of the last 13 observations is 53 , find the $13^{\text {th }}$ observation.
(Total marks 3)

## Mark scheme

| 1 The mean of 25 observations is 48 . If the mean of the first 13 observations is 42 and <br> that of the last 13 observations is 53 , find the $13^{\text {th }}$ observation |  |
| :--- | :--- |
| Answer | Guidance |
| Mean of 25 observations $=48$ <br> So, total values of 25 observations $=48 \times$ <br> 25 | M1 can use the formula to find Mean $=$ sum <br> of obs/ no. of obs. <br> A1 using the same concept |
| Mean of first 13 observations $=42 \times 13=$ <br> 546 |  |
| Mean of last 13 observations $=53 \times 13=$ <br> 689 <br> $\therefore 13^{\text {th }}$ observation $=$ mean of first 13 <br> observations + mean of last 13 <br> observations - mean of 25 observations <br> $=546+689-1200$ <br> $=35$ <br> Hence the $13^{\text {th }}$ observation is 35 |  |

## Maths10AKP3

| Item identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | C/N/E* | Content Reference(s) | Marks |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Maths10AKP3 |  | 3 | C | 10S1a Calculate mean, median, and <br> mode of grouped data (bimodal <br> situation to be avoided | 3 |

${ }^{*} \mathrm{C}=$ Calculator required, $\mathrm{N}=$ Calculator not allowed, $\mathrm{E}=$ Either

## Item purpose

The question assesses the concept of finding mean in real-life situations

## Sources and diagrams

| No. of Accident | No. of drivers |
| :--- | :--- |
| 0 | 46 |
| 1 | p |
| 2 | q |
| 3 | 25 |
| 4 | 10 |
| 5 | 5 |
| Total | 200 |

## Question(s)

1 The mean of the above distribution is 1.46 ; find the values of $p$ and $q$.

## Mark scheme

1 The mean of the above distribution is 1.46 ; find the values of $p$ and $q$

| Answe |  |  | Guidance |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| X | f | $f x$ | M1 using the concept of finding the sum of frequencies <br> 1 mark and equating with total $f$ |
| 0 | 46 | 0 |  |
| 1 | p | p |  |
| 2 | $q=(114-$ <br> p) | $\begin{aligned} & 2(114-p)=228- \\ & 2 p \end{aligned}$ |  |
| 3 | 25 | 75 |  |
| 4 | 10 | 40 |  |
| 5 | 5 | 25 |  |
| Total | $\sum f=200$ | $368-\mathrm{p}$ |  |
| $46+p+q+25+10+5=200$ |  |  |  |


| $86+\mathrm{p}+\mathrm{q}=200$ |
| :---: |
| $\mathrm{p}+\mathrm{q}=114$ |
| $\mathrm{p}=114-\mathrm{q}$ |
| Mean $=\frac{\sum f x}{\sum f}$ |
| $1.46=\frac{368-p}{200}$ |
| $1.46 \times 200=368-\mathrm{p}$ |
| $292=368-\mathrm{p}$ |
| $\mathrm{p}=368-292=76$ |
| $\mathrm{q}=114-\mathrm{p}$ |
| $\mathrm{q}=114-76=38$ |
| hence $\mathrm{p}=76$ and $\mathrm{q}=38$ |

## Maths10SM7

| Item identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | C/N/E* | Content Reference(s) | Marks |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Maths10SM7a | 1 | 1 | N | 10S2a Calculate probabilities <br> based on scenarios involving <br> equally likely outcomes | 2 |
| Maths10SM7b | 1 |  | N | 10S2a Calculate probabilities <br> based on scenarios involving <br> equally likely outcomes | 1 |
| Total marks | $\mathbf{2}$ | $\mathbf{1}$ |  |  | $\mathbf{3}$ |

${ }^{*} \mathrm{C}=$ Calculator required, $\mathrm{N}=$ Calculator not allowed, $\mathrm{E}=$ Either

## Item purpose

The question assesses the estimated probability of an event

## Sources and diagrams

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## Question(s)

1 In the large box full of doughnuts, 13 of the 52 doughnuts are chocolate, and the rest are strawberry doughnuts.

Leena takes a doughnut from the box at random.

1(a) Find the probability that Leena's doughnut is chocolate.
Give your answer as a fraction in its lowest terms.

1(b) Find the probability that Leena's doughnut is not chocolate.

## Mark scheme

1 (a) Find the probability that Leena's doughnut is chocolate.
Give your answer as a fraction in its lowest terms.

| Answer | Guidance |
| :---: | :---: |
| $\begin{align*} & \frac{13}{52} \quad(1) \\ & =1 / 4 \tag{1} \end{align*}$ | M1 for correct probability in any form A1 for expressing it in the lowest form. $1 / 4$ gets both marks |
| 1 (b) Find the probability that Leena's doughnut is not chocolate. |  |
| Answer | Guidance |
| $\begin{aligned} & 52-13=39 \\ & P(E)=\frac{39}{52} \\ &=3 / 4 \end{aligned}$ | A1 for calculating complementary probability. <br> (Accept 39/52) |

## Maths10PS4

| Item <br> identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | C/N/E* | Content Reference(s) | Marks |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Maths10PS4 | 1 |  | N | 10S2a Calculate probabilities based on <br> scenarios involving equally likely <br> outcomes | 1 |

* $\mathrm{C}=$ Calculator required, $\mathrm{N}=$ Calculator not allowed, $\mathrm{E}=$ Either


## Item purpose

The question assesses the ability of the student to determine the probability of the complement of an event.

## Sources and diagrams

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## Question(s)

1 If $R$ is the event that it will rain tomorrow, such that $P(R)=0.03$, then $P(\bar{R})=$
A. 0.07
B. 0.09
C. 0.79
D. 0.97

## Mark scheme

1. If $R$ is the event that it will rain tomorrow, such that $P(R)=0.03$, then $P(\bar{R})=$
A. 0.07
B. 0.09
C. 0.79
D. 0.97

| Answer | Guidance |
| :--- | :--- |
| D. 0.97 | A1 for the correct answer |
|  |  |

## Maths10AS4

| Item Identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | C/N/E* | Content Reference(s) | Marks |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Maths10AS4 | 1 |  | E | 10S2a Calculate probabilities based <br> on scenarios involving equally <br> likely outcomes | 1 |

${ }^{*} \mathrm{C}=$ Calculator required, $\mathrm{N}=$ Calculator not allowed, $\mathrm{E}=$ Either

## Item purpose

The question assesses how to calculate probabilities of equally likely events.

## Sources and diagrams

Source information if copied: book/journal, author, publisher, website link, etc.

## Question(s)

1. Cards numbered 7 to 40 were put in a box. Anish selects a card at random. What is the probability that the selected card is a multiple of 7 ?
A. $\frac{7}{34}$
B. $\frac{5}{34}$
C. $\frac{6}{35}$
D. $\frac{7}{35}$

## Mark scheme

Cards numbered 7 to 40 were put in a box. Anish selects a card at random. What is the probability that the selected card is a multiple of 7 ?
A. $\frac{7}{34}$
B. $\frac{5}{34}$
C. $\frac{6}{35}$

| D. $\frac{7}{35}$ |  |
| :--- | :--- |
| Answer | Guidance |
| B. $\frac{5}{34}$ | A1 Correct answer -1 mark |
| Total possible outcomes $=34$ |  |
| Favourable outcomes (Card is a |  |
| multiple of 7 ) $=5(7,14,21,28,35)$ |  |
| P(card being a multiple of 7$)=$ |  |
| $\frac{\text { Favouable outcomes }}{\text { Total possibleoutcomes }}=\frac{5}{34}$ |  |
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## Maths10AKP7

| Item identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | C/N/E* | Content Reference(s) | Marks |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Maths10AKP7a | 1 |  | N | 10S2a Calculate probabilities based on <br> scenarios involving equally likely <br> outcomes. | 1 |
| Maths10AKP7b | 1 |  | E | 10S2a Calculate probabilities based on <br> scenarios involving equally likely <br> outcomes. | 1 |
| Maths10AKP7c |  | 1 | E | 10S2a Calculate probabilities based on <br> scenarios involving equally likely <br> outcomes. | 1 |
| Maths10AKP7d |  | 1 | E | 10S2a Calculate probabilities based on <br> scenarios involving equally likely <br> outcomes. | 1 |
| Total marks | $\mathbf{2}$ | $\mathbf{2}$ |  |  | $\mathbf{4}$ |

${ }^{*} \mathrm{C}=$ Calculator required, $\mathrm{N}=$ Calculator not allowed, $\mathrm{E}=$ Either

## Item purpose

The question assesses the concept of drawing an event and finding the probability of it

## Sources and diagrams

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## Question(s)

From a well-shuffled deck of playing cards if a card is drawn at random. Based on a standard deck of cards, answer the following questions:

1 (a) What is the probability for the card to be a face card?

1 (b) Which of the following cannot be the probability of an event?
i. $\frac{-5}{7}$
ii. 0
iii. 19\%
iv. 1

1 (c) If all cards of diamond are removed from the deck, find the probability that a card drawn at random from the deck is a red jack

1 (d) What is the probability that the card drawn is a jack or an ace?
(Total marks 4)

## Mark scheme

| 1 (a) What is the probability for the card to be a face card? |  |
| :--- | :--- |
| Answer | Guidance |
| Since there are 12 face cards <br> Therefore, P(a face card $)=\frac{12}{52}$ | 1 mark |
| 1 (b) Which of the following cannot be the probability of an event? <br> i) $\frac{-5}{7}$ <br> ii) 0 <br> iii) $19 \%$ <br> iv) 1 | Answer Guidance <br> i) $\frac{-5}{7}$ Since Probability cannot be less than 0 <br> 1 mark <br> Ic)  |

1 (c) If all cards of diamond are removed from the deck, find that a card drawn at random from the deck, is a red jack

| Answer | Guidance |
| :--- | :--- |
| Since, Total diamond card $=13$ <br> Therefore, after removing all diamond <br> cards <br> Since, 1 red jack is there <br> Therefore, P (a red jack) $=\frac{\mathbf{1}}{\mathbf{3 9}}$ |  |
| 1 (d) What is the probability that the card drawn is a jack or an ace |  |
| Answer | 1 mark |
| There are 4 aces and 4 jack cards <br> Therefore, $\mathrm{P}\left(\mathrm{a} \mathrm{jack} \mathrm{or} \mathrm{a} \mathrm{face} \mathrm{card)}=\frac{\mathbf{8}}{\mathbf{5 2}}\right.$ | 1 mark |

## Maths10GS2

| Item <br> identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | C/N/E* | Content Reference(s) | Marks |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Maths10GS2 | 1 |  | E | 10S2a Calculate probabilities based on <br> scenarios involving equally likely <br> outcomes | 1 |

${ }^{*} \mathrm{C}=$ Calculator required, $\mathrm{N}=$ Calculator not allowed, $\mathrm{E}=$ Either

## Item purpose

The question assesses probabilities involving equally likely outcomes.

## Sources and diagrams

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## Question(s)

1 A card is drawn at random from a pack of well-shuffled 52 cards. What is the probability that the card drawn is not an ace?
A. $\frac{1}{13}$
B. $\frac{4}{13}$
C. $\frac{9}{13}$
D. $\frac{12}{13}$

## Mark scheme

1 A card is drawn at random from a pack of well-shuffled 52 cards. What is the probability that the card drawn is not an ace?

| Answer | Guidance |
| :--- | :--- |
| $\mathrm{P}($ not an ace $)=\frac{12}{13}$ | A1 Correct answer -1 mark |

## Maths10SR3

| Item <br> identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | C/N/E* | Content Reference(s) | Marks |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Maths10SR3 | 1 |  | N | 10S2a Calculate probabilities based on <br> scenarios involving equally likely <br> outcomes | 1 |

## Item purpose

The question assesses the knowledge of finding the probability of an event

## Question(s)

1 What is the probability of choosing a black card or a ten from a deck of playing cards?
A. $1 / 2$
B. $\frac{7}{13}$
C. $\frac{1}{13}$
D. $\frac{2}{13}$

## Mark scheme

1 What is the probability of choosing a black card or a ten from a deck of playing cards?
A. $1 / 2$
B. $\frac{7}{13}$
C. $\frac{1}{13}$
D. $\frac{2}{13}$

| Answer | Guidance |
| :--- | :--- |
| A. $\frac{7}{13}$ | A1 for the answer |

## Maths10NK4

| Item <br> identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | C/N/E* | Content Reference(s) | Marks |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Maths9NK4 |  | 1 | N | 10S2a Calculate probabilities based on <br> scenarios involving equally likely <br> outcomes. | 1 |

${ }^{*} \mathrm{C}=$ Calculator required, $\mathrm{N}=$ Calculator not allowed, $\mathrm{E}=$ Either

## Item purpose

The question assesses the understanding of the probability of events in real-life applications

## Sources and diagrams

Source information if copied:

## Question(s)

1 T-shirts marked with numbers 2 to 101 are placed in a box. Sarita is fond of numbers which are perfect squares.

When her turn comes, she randomly takes out a T-shirt from this box; what is the probability of getting her favourite T-shirt?
A. $9 / 100$
B. $3 / 10$
C. $1 / 10$
D. $19 / 100$

## Mark Scheme

1 t-shirt marked with numbers 2 to 101 is placed in a box. Sarita is fond of numbers which are perfect squares. When her turn comes, she randomly takes out a T-shirt from this box; what is the probability of getting her favourite T-shirt?

| A. $9 / 100$ <br> B. $3 / 10$ <br> C. $1 / 10$ <br> D. $19 / 100$ |  |
| :--- | :--- |
| Answer | Guidance |
| A. $9 / 100$ | M1 - Perfect squares $-4,9,16,25,36,49,64,81,100$ <br> (9 of them) <br> Number of T shirts $(101-2=99)+1=100$ <br> P(perfect square) $=9 / 100$ <br> A1 - 1 mark for correct answer |

## Maths10SM4

| Item identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | C/N/E* | Content Reference(s) | Marks |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Maths10SM4 | 1 | 1 | E | 10S2a Calculate probabilities based on <br> scenarios involving equally likely <br> outcomes. | 2 |

${ }^{*} \mathrm{C}=$ Calculator required, $\mathrm{N}=$ Calculator not allowed, $\mathrm{E}=$ Either

## Item purpose

The question assesses the estimation of the probability of an event.

## Question(s)

A bag contains 10 cards. Each card is labelled with a different number from 1 to 10 . A card is chosen from the bag at random.

Write down the probability that the chosen card is of a prime number.
(Total marks 1)

## Mark scheme

1. A bag contains 10 cards. Each card is labelled with a different number from 1 to 10 . A card is chosen from the bag at random.

Write down the probability that the chosen card is of a prime number.

| Answer | Guidance |
| :--- | :--- |
| $\frac{2}{5}$ | M1 for attempting to identify primes (2, 3, 5, <br> and 7) <br> A1 for the correct answer <br>  |

## Maths10DP6

| Item <br> identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | $\mathbf{C / N / E *}$ | Content Reference(s) | Marks |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Maths9DP6a | 1 | 1 | E | 10S2a Calculate probabilities based <br> on scenarios involving equally likely <br> outcomes. | 2 |
| Maths9DP6b | 1 | 1 | E | 10S2a Calculate probabilities based <br> on scenarios involving equally likely <br> outcomes. | 2 |
| Total marks | $\mathbf{2}$ | $\mathbf{2}$ |  |  | $\mathbf{4}$ |

${ }^{*} \mathrm{C}=$ Calculator required, $\mathrm{N}=$ Calculator not allowed, $\mathrm{E}=$ Either

## Item purpose

This question assesses the ability of the student to estimate probability from the given observations.

Sources and diagrams


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## Question(s)

1
Diwali Fest is an annual South Asian arts \& culture festival produced by the Diwali Celebration Society. In the Diwali fest, a game is played with a fair spinner, shown above. The numbers on the spinner are $2,5,7,9,12,16$. Sometimes the owner will invite a player who does not win with the spinner to throw the dice as a free bonus.

1(a) What is the probability that a player will get a special prize because the spinner stops on a perfect square?
(2 marks)

1(b) If the player gets a chance to throw a dice, what is the probability of getting a multiple of 2 on the dice?
(2 marks)
(Total marks 4)

## Mark scheme

| 1 (a) What is the probability that a player will get a special prize if the spinner stops on <br> a perfect square? Show your working. |  |
| :--- | :--- |
| Answer | Guidance |
| $2 / 6$ OR $1 / 3$ (1) |  |
| OR 0.33 (1) | M1 identifying perfect squares (4 and 9) |
| 1 (b) If the player gets a chance to throw a dice, what is the probability of getting a <br> multiple of 2 on dice? Show your working. |  |
| Answer | Guidance |
| 3/6 OR $1 ⁄ 2(1)$ | M1 identifying outcomes 2, 4 and 6 |
| OR $0.5(1)$ | A1 giving an answer as a fraction or decimal |

## Maths10AKP11

| Item identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | C/N/E* | Content Reference(s) | Marks |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Maths10AKP11 | 1 |  | E | 10S2b calculate probabilities of <br> an event in simple problems | 1 |

${ }^{*} \mathrm{C}=$ Calculator required, $\mathrm{N}=$ Calculator not allowed, $\mathrm{E}=$ Either

## Item purpose

The question assesses the knowledge of probability

## Sources and diagrams

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## Question(s)

1 A number $x$ is chosen at random from the numbers $-2,-1,0,1,2$. Then the probability of $x^{2}<2$.
A. $\frac{1}{5}$.
B. $\frac{2}{5}$.
C. $\frac{3}{5}$.
D. $\frac{4}{5}$.

## Mark scheme

1 A number $x$ is chosen at random from the numbers
$-2,-1,0,1,2$. Then the probability of $x^{2}<2$.
A. $\frac{1}{5}$.
B. $\frac{2}{5}$.
C. $\frac{3}{5}$.
D. $\frac{4}{5}$.

| Answer | Guidance |
| :--- | :--- |
| $\frac{\mathbf{3}}{\mathbf{5}}$ | (1 mark) |

## Maths10ASR3

| Item identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | C/N/E* | Content Reference(s) | Mark |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Maths10ASR3 | 1 |  | E | 10S2b Calculate probabilities of an <br> event in simple problems. | 1 |

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## Item purpose

The question assesses the ability of the student to find the probability of an event when two coins are tossed.

## Sources and diagrams

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## Question(s)

1 Two fair coins are tossed together. What is the probability of getting at least one head?
A. $25 \%$
B. $50 \%$
C. $75 \%$
D. $100 \%$

## Mark scheme

1 Two fair coins are tossed together. What is the probability of getting at least one head?
A. $25 \%$
B. $50 \%$
C. $75 \%$
D. $100 \%$

| Answer | Guidance |
| :--- | :--- |
| C. $75 \%$ | A1 mark for the correct answer |

## Maths10PR4

| Item <br> identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | C/N/E* | Content Reference(s) | Marks |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Maths10PR4 | 1 |  | E | 10S2b Calculate probabilities of <br> an event in simple problems | 1 |

${ }^{*} \mathrm{C}=$ Calculator required, $\mathrm{N}=$ Calculator not allowed, $\mathrm{E}=$ Either

## Item purpose

The question assesses the knowledge of probability

## Sources and diagrams

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## Question(s)

1 A coin is tossed, and a die is rolled simultaneously.
What is the probability of getting a head or an even number in the event?
A. 0.25
B. 0.5
C. 0.75
D. 1

## Mark scheme

1. A coin is tossed, and a die is rolled simultaneously.

What is the probability of getting a head or an even number in the event?
A. 0.25
B. 0.5
C. 0.75
D. 1

| Answer | Guidance |
| :--- | :--- |
| C. 0.75 | Sample space $=\{\mathrm{H} 1, \mathrm{H} 2, \mathrm{H} 3, \mathrm{H} 4, \mathrm{H} 5, \mathrm{H} 6$, |
|  | T1, T2, T3, T4, T5, T6 $\}=12$ outcomes |
|  | Favourable outcomes are H1, H2, H3, H4, |
|  | $\mathrm{H} 5, \mathrm{H} 6, \mathrm{~T} 2, \mathrm{~T} 4, \mathrm{~T} 6=9$ outcomes |
| probability $=\frac{9}{12}=\frac{3}{4}=0.75$ |  |
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## Maths10SK3

| Item <br> identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | C/N/E* | Content Reference(s) | Marks |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Maths10SK3 | 1 |  | N | 10T1a Calculate and use the <br> trigonometric ratios of an acute angle of <br> a right-angled triangle | 1 |

${ }^{*} \mathrm{C}=$ Calculator required, $\mathrm{N}=$ Calculator not allowed, $\mathrm{E}=$ Either

## Item purpose

The question assesses the knowledge of trigonometric ratios.

## Sources

Source information: book/journal, author, publisher, website link, etc.

## Question(s)

1
In right-angled $\triangle A B C, A B=13 \mathrm{~cm}, B C=5 \mathrm{~cm}$ and $A C=12 \mathrm{~cm}$, what is the value of CosB
A. $5 / 12$
B. $5 / 13$
C. $12 / 13$
D. $13 / 12$

## Mark scheme

1 In right-angled $\triangle A B C, A B=13 \mathrm{~cm}, B C=5 \mathrm{~cm}$ and $A C=12 \mathrm{~cm}$, what is the value of $\operatorname{Cos} B$
A. $5 / 12$
B. $5 / 13$
C. $12 / 13$
D. $13 / 12$

| Answer | Guidance |
| :--- | :--- |
| B. $5 / 13$ | Cos B $=\mathrm{B} / \mathrm{H}$ <br> $=5 / 13$ |

## Maths10SS1

| Item identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | C/N/E* | Content Reference(s) | Marks |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Maths10SS1a | 3 | E | 10T1a Calculate and use the <br> trigonometric ratios of an acute <br> angle of a right-angled triangle | 3 |  |
| Maths10SS1b | 2 |  | C | 10T1a Calculate and use the <br> trigonometric ratios of an acute <br> angle of a right-angled triangle | 2 |
| Total marks | $\mathbf{2}$ | $\mathbf{3}$ |  |  | $\mathbf{5}$ |

${ }^{*} \mathrm{C}=$ Calculator required, $\mathrm{N}=$ Calculator not allowed, $\mathrm{E}=$ Either

## Item purpose

The question assesses the ability to calculate and use the trigonometric ratios of an acute angle of a right-angled triangle.

## Sources and diagrams



## Question(s)

1 The rod of the TV disc antenna is fixed at the right angle to wall AB and a rod $C D$ supports the disc, as shown in Figure. If $A C=1.5 \mathrm{~m}$ long and $C D=3 \mathrm{~m}$.

1 (a) Find the length of the rod AD.

1 (b) Compute the value of $\operatorname{Sec} \theta+\operatorname{cosec} \theta$.

## Mark scheme

1 (a) The rod of the TV disc antenna is fixed at the right angle to wall AB, and a rod CD supports the disc as shown in Figure. If $A C=1.5 \mathrm{~m}$ long and $C D=3 \mathrm{~m}$,

Find the length of the rod CD.

| Answer | Guidance |
| :--- | :--- |
| 2.6 m or 2.59 m |  |
| Using Pythagoras Theorem | M1 To find the length of $A D$ by applying <br> Pythagoras theorem |
| $A D^{2}+A C^{2}=D C^{2}$ |  |
| $A D^{2}+(1.5)^{2}=(3)^{2}$ |  |
| $A D^{2}=9-2.25=6.75$ |  |
| $A D=6.75=2.6 \mathrm{~m}$ (Approx.) | $A 1 A D=6.75=2.6 \mathrm{~m}$ (Approx.) <br> Marks can be given for 2.59 m or 2.59 or 2.6 <br> also (without units also full marks are to be <br> allotted) |

1 (b) Compute the value of $\operatorname{Sec} \theta+\operatorname{cosec} \theta$

| Answer | Guidance |
| :--- | :--- |
| $\frac{41}{13}$ | M1 $\quad \operatorname{Sec} \theta=\frac{C D}{A D}=\frac{3}{2.6}$ |
|  | M1 $\quad \operatorname{cosec} \theta=\frac{C D}{A C}=\frac{3}{1.5}$ |
|  | A1 $\frac{3}{2.6}+\frac{3}{1.5}=\frac{41}{13}$ |

## Maths10PS9

| Item identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | C/N/E* | Content Reference(s) | Marks |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Maths10PS9a | 1 | 1 | N | 10T1a Calculate and use the <br> trigonometric ratios of an acute angle <br> of a right-angled triangle. <br> 10T1c Know and use the <br> relationships between the ratios | 2 |
| Maths10PS9b |  | 2 |  | 10T1a Calculate and use the <br> trigonometric ratios of an acute angle <br> of a right-angled triangle | 2 |
| Total marks | $\mathbf{1}$ | $\mathbf{2}$ |  |  | $\mathbf{4}$ |

${ }^{*} \mathrm{C}=$ Calculator required, $\mathrm{N}=$ Calculator not allowed, $\mathrm{E}=$ Either

## Item purpose

The question assesses the ability of the student to apply the trigonometric ratios of an acute angle of a right-angled triangle, verify the result and calculate its value as per the ratios asked.

## Sources and diagrams

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## Question(s)

1 A rectangular-shaped gardening block measures 12 m by 5 m and angle CAD $=\theta$ (theta) .
1 (a) Determine the value of $12 \tan \theta$.
1 (b) Determine the value of $\frac{1-\tan ^{2} \theta}{1+\tan ^{2} \theta}$.

## Mark scheme

1 (a) Determine the value of $12 \tan \theta$.
$\left.\begin{array}{|l|l|}\hline \text { Answer } & \text { Guidance } \\ \hline 5 & \begin{array}{l}\text { M1 for determining the correct value of } \tan \theta \\ \operatorname{A1} \text { for getting the correct answer. }\end{array} \\ 12 \tan \theta=12 \times \frac{\text { opposite side }}{\text { adjacent side }}=\frac{C D}{A D}=\frac{5}{12} & \begin{array}{l}\text { Alternatively, } \\ \text { A } 1 \text { for directly writing the answer } \\ \text { Note: } \\ \text { A1 for answering the trigonometric ratios } \\ \text { without writing their adjacent/opposite sides. }\end{array} \\ \text { Do not penalise for not writing the sides of } \\ \text { the ratios. Accept the ratio as numbers }\end{array}\right]$

1 (b) Determine the value of $\frac{1-\tan ^{2} \theta}{1+\tan ^{2} \theta}$.

| Answer | Guidance |
| :--- | :--- |
| $\frac{119}{169}$ or 0.704 | M1 for writing the correct values of the <br> square of the trigonometric ratios and <br> simplification. |
| Tan $^{2} \theta=\left(\frac{5}{12}\right)^{2}=\frac{25}{144}$ | A1 for the correct answer. |
| Thus, | Note: <br>  <br> $\Rightarrow\left[1-\left(\frac{5}{12}\right)^{2}\right] \div\left[1+\left(\frac{5}{12}\right)^{2}\right]$ <br> $\Rightarrow \frac{1-\frac{25}{144}}{1+\frac{25}{144}}$ <br> $\Rightarrow \frac{144-25}{144+25}$ <br> $\Rightarrow \frac{119}{169}$ or 0.704 |

## Maths10AS5

| Item identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | C/N/E* | Content Reference(s) | Marks |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Maths10AS5a | 3 | N | 10T1b Know and use the values of <br> the trigonometric ratios of $30^{\circ}$, <br> $45^{\circ}$ and $60^{\circ}$ | 3 |  |
| Maths10AS5b | 1 |  | N | 10 T 1 b Know and use the values of <br> the trigonometric ratios of $30^{\circ}$, <br> $45^{\circ}$ and $60^{\circ}$ | 1 |
| Total marks | $\mathbf{1}$ | $\mathbf{3}$ |  |  | $\mathbf{4}$ |

${ }^{*} \mathrm{C}=$ Calculator required, $\mathrm{N}=$ Calculator not allowed, $\mathrm{E}=$ Either

## Item purpose

The question assesses that the students know the trigonometric values of some specific angles.

## Sources and diagrams

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## Question(s)

1 If $\sin (A-B)=1 / 2$ and $\cos (A+B)=1 / 2$, where $(A+B) \leq 90^{\circ}$ and $A>B$.

1 (a) Find the values of $A$ and $B$.

1 (b) Find the value of $\tan 2 \mathrm{~A}$.

## Mark scheme

| 1(a) Find the values of $A$ and B. |  |
| :---: | :---: |
| Answer $A=45^{\circ} ; B=15^{0}$ $\begin{align*} \sin (A-B)=1 / 2 & \Rightarrow \sin (A-B)=\sin 30^{\circ} \\ & \Rightarrow A-B=30 \quad \cdots---(i) \tag{i} \end{align*}$ $\begin{align*} \cos (A+B)=1 / 2 & \Rightarrow \cos (A+B)=\cos 60^{\circ} \\ & \Rightarrow A+B=60 \quad-\cdots---(i i) \tag{ii} \end{align*}$ <br> Solving (i) and (ii) $A=45^{\circ} ; B=15^{\circ}$ | Guidance <br> M1 - forming the first equation <br> M1 - forming the second equation <br> A1 - finding the values of $A$ and $B$ <br> Do not deduct marks if the degree sign is missing. <br> Total part (a) = 3 marks |
| 1 (b) Find the value of tan 2 A |  |
| Answer | Guidance |
| $\tan 2 \mathrm{~A}=\tan 30^{\circ}=\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$ | A1 Correct answer - 1 mark Total part (b) = 1 mark |

## Maths10SK2

| Item <br> identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | $\mathbf{C / N / E ^ { * }}$ | Content Reference(s) | Marks |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Maths10SK2 | 1 |  | N | 10 T 1 b Know and use the values of the <br> trigonometric ratios of $30^{\circ}, 45^{\circ}$ and $60^{\circ}$ | 1 |

* $\mathrm{C}=$ Calculator required, $\mathrm{N}=$ Calculator not allowed, $\mathrm{E}=$ Either


## Item purpose

The question assesses the knowledge of trigonometry

## Sources and diagrams

Source information: book/journal, author, publisher, website link, etc.

## Question(s)

1 The value of $\theta$, for which $\operatorname{Sin} 2 \theta=1 / 2 ; 0^{\circ}<\theta<90^{\circ}$ is
A. $15^{\circ}$
B. $30^{\circ}$
C. $45^{\circ}$
D. $60^{\circ}$

Mark scheme
1 The value of $\theta$, for which $\operatorname{Sin} 2 \theta=1 / 2 ; 0^{\circ}<\theta<90^{\circ}$ is
A. $15^{\circ}$
B. $30^{\circ}$
C. $45^{\circ}$
D. $60^{\circ}$

| Answer | Guidance |
| :---: | :--- |
| A. $15^{\circ}$ | $\operatorname{Sin} 2 \theta=1 / 2$ |
|  | $2 \theta=30^{\circ}$ |
|  | $\theta=15^{\circ}$ |

## Maths10GS4

| Item <br> identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | $\mathbf{C / N / E}$ | Content Reference(s) | Marks |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Maths10GS4 | 1 |  | E | 10T1b Know and use the values of the <br> trigonometric ratios of $30^{\circ}, 45^{\circ}$ and $60^{\circ}$ | 1 |

${ }^{*} \mathrm{C}=$ Calculator required, $\mathrm{N}=$ Calculator not allowed, $\mathrm{E}=$ Either

## Item purpose

The question assesses how to use the values of the trigonometric ratios.

## Sources and diagrams

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## Question(s)

1 Evaluate in the simplest form: $\cos 60^{\circ} \cdot \cos 30^{\circ}-\sin 60^{\circ} . \sin 30^{\circ}$

## Mark scheme

| 1 Evaluate in the simplest form: $\cos 60^{\circ} \cdot \cos 30^{\circ}-\sin 60^{\circ} \cdot \sin 30^{\circ}$ |  |
| :--- | :--- |
| Answer | Guidance |
| $\cos 60^{\circ} \cdot \cos 30^{\circ}-\sin 60^{\circ} . \sin 30^{\circ}$ | A1 Correct Answer - 1 mark |
| $=\frac{1}{2} \times \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}-\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \times \frac{1}{2}=0$ |  |
|  |  |

## Maths10SS2

| Item <br> identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | C/N/E* $^{\text {Content Reference(s) }}$ | Marks |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Maths10SS2 | 2 |  | E | 10T1b Know and use the values of <br> the trigonometric ratios of $30^{\circ}, 45^{\circ}$ <br> and 60 | 2 |

${ }^{*} \mathrm{C}=$ Calculator required, $\mathrm{N}=$ Calculator not allowed, $\mathrm{E}=$ Either

## Item purpose

The question assesses the ability to know and use the values of the trigonometric ratios of $30^{\circ}$, $45^{\circ}$ and $60^{\circ}$

## Sources and diagrams

## Question(s)

1
Evaluate $\sin ^{2} 60^{\circ}-2 \tan 45^{\circ}-\cos ^{2} 30^{\circ}$
(Total marks 2)

## Mark scheme

| 1 Evaluate $\sin ^{2} 60^{\circ}-2 \tan 45^{\circ}-\cos ^{2} 30^{\circ}$ |  |
| :--- | :--- |
| Answer | Guidance |
| -2 | M1 |
|  | To substitute correct values of the $t$ ratios |
|  | $\left(\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}\right)^{2}-2(1)-\left(\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}\right)^{2}$ |
|  | A1 $=-2$ |

## Maths10PS5

| Item <br> identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | $\mathbf{C / N / E}$ * | Content Reference(s) | Marks |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Maths10PS5 | 1 | 1 | N | 10T1b Know and use the values of <br> the trigonometric ratios of $30^{\circ}, 45^{\circ}$ <br> and $60^{\circ}$ <br> 10 T 3 a Simple problems on heights <br> and distances. Problems should not <br> involve more than two right triangles. <br> Angles of elevation or depression <br> should be only $30^{\circ}, 45^{\circ}, 60^{\circ}$. | 2 |

${ }^{*} \mathrm{C}=$ Calculator required, $\mathrm{N}=$ Calculator not allowed, $\mathrm{E}=$ Either

## Item purpose

The question assesses the ability of the student to determine the height of a pole when distance and an angle are given by using the value of Tan $45^{\circ}$.

## Sources and diagrams

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## Question(s)

1 A flagpole casts its shadow that is 25 m long, on the ground. The angle made by the tip of the flagpole and the tip of its shadow on the ground is $45^{\circ}$. Find the height of the flagpole.

## Mark scheme

| 1. A flagpole casts its shadow that is 25 m long on the ground. The angle made by the <br> tip of the flagpole and the tip of its shadow on the ground is $45^{\circ}$. Find the height of the <br> flagpole. | Guidance |
| :--- | :--- |
| Answer | M1 for correctly identifying the trigonometric <br> ratio and its value <br> A1 for the correct answer. |
| 25 (metres) | Alternatively, <br> Tan $45^{\circ}=\frac{\text { opposite side }}{\text { Adjacent side }}=\frac{\text { Height of the flag pole }}{25}$ |
| Height of the flagpole writing the correct answer. $=25 \mathrm{~m}$ | Consider 25 or 25 m as the correct answer. |
| Ho flat penalise for omitting the units. |  |

## Maths10AR4

| Item <br> identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | $\mathbf{C / N / E *}$ | Content Reference(s) | Marks |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Maths10AR4 | 1 |  | C | 10T1c Know and use the relationships <br> between the ratios. <br> 10G1h Be able to prove, and to use <br> the fact that: In a right triangle, the <br> square on the hypotenuse is equal to <br> the sum of the squares on the other <br> two sides. | 1 |

${ }^{*} \mathrm{C}=$ Calculator required, $\mathrm{N}=$ Calculator not allowed, $\mathrm{E}=$ Either

## Item purpose

The question assesses the ability of the student to use the trigonometric ratio in a real-life situation

## Sources and diagrams

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## Question(s)

1 If $\tan A=3 / 4$, then $\operatorname{Cos} A$ equals to
A. $4 / 5$
B. $3 / 5$
C. $4 / 3$
D. $3 / 4$

## Mark scheme

1 If $\tan A=3 / 4$, then $\operatorname{Cos} A$ equals
A. $4 / 5$
B. $3 / 5$
C. $4 / 3$
D. $3 / 4$

| Answer | Guidance |
| :--- | :--- |
| A. $4 / 5$ | A1 correct answer |

## Maths10AR6

| Item <br> identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | C/N/E* | Content Reference(s) | Marks |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Maths10AR6a2 |  | C | 10T2a Be able to prove, and to use <br> the identity $\sin ^{2} \mathrm{~A}+\cos ^{2} \mathrm{~A} \equiv 1$ <br> 10T1c Know and use the <br> relationships between the ratios. | 2 |  |
| Maths10AR6b | 4 | C | 10T3a Simple problems on heights <br> and distances. | 4 |  |
| Total marks $\mathbf{2}$ | $\mathbf{4}$ |  |  | $\mathbf{6}$ |  |

${ }^{*} \mathrm{C}=$ Calculator required, $\mathrm{N}=$ Calculator not allowed, $\mathrm{E}=$ Either

## Item purpose

The question assesses the ability of the student to know and use basic trigonometric identities, determine all trigonometric ratios with respect to a given acute angle (of a right triangle), and uses them in finding heights of different structures or distance from them

## Sources and diagrams



## Question(s)

1(a) Prove that
$\frac{1}{1-\sin x}-\frac{1}{1+\sin x}=2 \tan x \sec x$
(2 marks)

1(b) In the diagram above, $B C$ is perpendicular to $A D$, and $B D$ is 10 m , $\angle A C B=45^{\circ}$ and $\angle B C D=30^{\circ}$. Find $A B$.

## Mark scheme

## Point based



1 (b) In the diagram above, BC is perpendicular to $\mathrm{AD}, \mathrm{BD}$ is $10 \mathrm{~m}, \angle A C B=45^{\circ}$ and $\angle B C D=30^{\circ}$. Find AB.

| Answer | Guidance |
| :--- | :--- |
|  | M1 A1 using tan 30 to find $B C$ |
|  | M1 A1 using tan 45 to find $A B$ (follow- |
| through from their $B C$, i.e., $A B=$ their $B C$ |  |
| gets the marks) |  |


|  |
| :--- |
| From the given data |
| Tan $30^{\circ}=10 / B C$ |
| $\mathrm{BC}=10 \sqrt{ } 3 \mathrm{~m}$ |
| In $\mathrm{ABC}, \angle \mathrm{ACB}=45^{\circ}$ |
| Tan $45^{\circ}=\mathrm{AB} / \mathrm{BC}$ |
| $1=\mathrm{AB} / \mathrm{BC}$ |
| $\mathrm{AB}=10 \sqrt{3 m}$ |
| The height of the building is $10 \sqrt{ } 3 \mathrm{~m}$. |

## Maths10SS3

| Item <br> identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | $\mathbf{C / N / E ^ { * }}$ | Content Reference(s) | Marks |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Maths10SS3 | 3 | N | 10T1c Know and use the <br> relationships between the ratios. | 3 |  |

* $\mathrm{C}=$ Calculator required, $\mathrm{N}=$ Calculator not allowed, $\mathrm{E}=$ Either


## Item purpose

The question assesses the ability to know and use the relationships between the ratios.

## Sources and diagrams

Source information: book/journal, author, publisher, website link, etc.

## Question(s)

1 If $k+1=\sec ^{2} \theta(1+\sin \theta)(1-\sin \theta)$, find the value of $k$.

## Mark scheme

| 1 If $k+1=\sec ^{2} \theta(1+\sin \theta)(1-\sin \theta)$, find the value of $k$. |  |
| :--- | :--- |
| Answer | Guidance |

## Maths10SK5

| Item <br> identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | $\mathbf{C / N / E *}$ | Content Reference(s) | Marks |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Maths10SK5 | 2 | N | 10 T 2 a Be able to prove, and to use the <br> identity $\sin ^{2} \mathrm{~A}+\cos ^{2} \mathrm{~A} \equiv 1$ | 2 |  |

${ }^{*} \mathrm{C}=$ Calculator required, $\mathrm{N}=$ Calculator not allowed, $\mathrm{E}=$ Either

## Item purpose

The question assesses the knowledge of coordinate geometry

## Sources and diagrams

Source information: book/journal, author, publisher, website link, etc.

## Question(s)

1 Simplify the following expression. Show your working.

$$
\frac{\sin ^{3} \theta+\cos ^{3} \theta}{\sin \theta+\cos \theta}
$$

## Mark scheme

1 Simplify the following expression. Show your workings.
$\frac{\sin ^{3} \theta+\cos ^{3} \theta}{\sin \theta+\cos \theta}$

| Answer | Guidance |
| :--- | :--- |
| $(1-\sin \theta \cos \theta)$ | $\mathrm{M} 1 \frac{(\sin \theta+\cos \theta)\left(\sin 2 \theta-\sin \theta \cos \theta+\cos ^{2} \theta\right)}{\sin \theta+\cos \theta}$ |
|  | $\mathrm{A} 1 \frac{(\sin \theta+\cos \theta)(1-\sin \theta \cos \theta)}{\sin \theta+\cos \theta}$ |
|  | $(1-\sin \theta \cos \theta)$ |

## Maths10AR2

| Item <br> identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | C/N/E* | Content Reference(s) | Marks |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Maths10AR2 | 1 |  | C | 10T3a Simple problems on heights <br> and distances. Problems should <br> not involve more than two right <br> triangles. Angles of elevation or <br> depression should be only 30, | 1 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |

${ }^{*} \overline{\mathrm{C}}=$ Calculator required, $\mathrm{N}=$ Calculator not allowed, $\mathrm{E}=$ Either

## Item purpose

The question assesses the ability of the student to find the distance between the two points in a plane

## Sources and diagrams

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## Question(s)

1 The distance between the points $(12,1)$ and $(4,-5)$ is
A. 9
B. 10
C. -10
D. 8

## Mark scheme

1 The distance between the points $(12,1)$ and $(4,-5)$ is
A. 9
B. 10
C. -10
D.

| Answer | Guidance |
| :--- | :--- |
| B. 10 | A1 Correct answer |

## Maths10RK7

| Item identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | C/N/E* | Content Reference(s) | Marks |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Maths10RK7 <br> a | 3 |  | E | 10T3a Simple <br> problems on heights and <br> distances. Problems should not <br> involve more than two right <br> triangles. Angles of elevation or <br> depression should be only 30, <br> $45^{\circ}, 60^{\circ}$ | 3 |
| Maths10RK7 <br> b | 3 |  | E | $10 \mathrm{T3a} \mathrm{Simple}$ <br> problems on heights and <br> distances. Problems should not <br> involve more than two right <br> triangles. Angles of elevation or <br> depression should be only 30, |  |
| Total | $\mathbf{6}$ |  |  |  | $60^{\circ}$ |

* $\mathrm{C}=$ Calculator required, $\mathrm{N}=$ Calculator not allowed, $\mathrm{E}=$ Either


## Item purpose

The question assesses the knowledge and application of trigonometric problems of height and distances in a real-life situation.

## Sources and diagrams

1 a .


1 b.


## Question(s)

1 (a) A laser rangefinder shows that the top of a tower is 200 meters from a point on the ground. It is at an angle of elevation of $30^{\circ}$. Find the height of the tower.
(3 marks)
1 (b) The rooftop of your house is 8 m above the ground. The base of a tree is 30 m away (along the ground) at the ground level of your house. From the nearest point of the rooftop of your house, the top of the tree is at an angle of elevation of $45^{\circ}$. Find the height of the tree.
(3 marks)
(Total marks 6)

## Mark Scheme

| 1 (a) A laser rangefinder shows that the top of a tower is 200 meters from a point on the |  |
| :--- | :--- |
| ground. It is at an angle of elevation of $30^{\circ}$. Find the height of the tower. |  |
| Answer | Guidance <br> 100 m <br> tet C be the point on the ground; A be the <br> tower. <br> M1: $\mathrm{In} \mathrm{ABC}, \sin 30=\mathrm{AB} / 200$ |



## Maths10RM3

| Item identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | C/N/E* | Content Reference(s) | Marks |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Maths10RM3 |  | 1 | E | 10T3a Simple problems on heights and <br> distances | 1 |

${ }^{*} \mathrm{C}=$ Calculator required, $\mathrm{N}=$ Calculator not allowed, $\mathrm{E}=$ Either

## Item purpose

The question assesses students' ability to determine all trigonometric ratios with respect to a given acute angle (of a right triangle) and use them in solving problems in daily life contexts like finding heights of different structures or distance from them.

## Sources and diagrams



## Question

1 Find the value of $Đ C$ from the figure given above
A. $90^{\circ}$
B. $45^{\circ}$
C. $30^{\circ}$
D. $60^{\circ}$

## Mark scheme

1 Find the value of $Đ C$ from the figure given above
A. $90^{\circ}$
B. $45^{\circ}$
C. $30^{\circ}$
D. $60^{\circ}$

| Answer | Guidance |
| :--- | :--- |
| D. $60^{\circ}$ | A1 for the correct answer |

## Maths10RK8

| Item <br> identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | C/N/E* | Content Reference(s) | Marks |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Maths10RK <br> 8 | 2 | 1 | N | 10T3a Simple problems on heights <br> and distances. Problems should not <br> involve more than two right <br> triangles. Angles of elevation or <br> depression should be only $30^{\circ}, 45^{\circ}$, <br> $60^{\circ}$ | 3 |

${ }^{*} \mathrm{C}=$ Calculator required, $\mathrm{N}=$ Calculator not allowed, $\mathrm{E}=$ Either

## Item purpose

The question assesses the ability to solve simple problems on heights and distances.

## Sources and diagrams



## Question(s)

The line segment joining $A(2,1)$ and $B(5,-8)$ is trisected at the points $P$ and $Q$.
If $P$ is closer to point $A$ and lies on the line $2 x-y+k=0$, find the value of $k$.

## Mark scheme

| 1. The line segment joining $A(2,1)$ and $B(5,-8)$ is trisected at the points $P$ and $Q$. <br> If $P$ is closer to point $A$ and lies on the line $2 x-y+k=0$, find the value of $k$ |  |
| :---: | :---: |
| Answer | Guidance |
| $\mathrm{k}=-8$ | M1 <br> For point $P$ $\begin{aligned} & m_{1}: m_{2}=\mathrm{AP}: \mathrm{PB}=1: 2 \\ & \left(x_{1}, y_{1}=(5,-8)\right)=A(2,1) \operatorname{and}\left(x_{2}, y_{2}\right) \end{aligned}$ <br> A1 <br> Point $\mathrm{P}=\left[\frac{1 X 5+2 X 2}{1+2}, \frac{1 X-8+2 X 1}{1+2}\right]$ $=(3,-2)$ <br> A1 <br> $P(3,-2)$ lies on line $2 x-y+k=0$ $\mathrm{k}=-8$ |

## Maths10RM6

| Item identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | C/N/E* | Content Reference(s) | Marks |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Maths10RM6a | 2 | C | 10T3 Heights and distances, angles <br> of elevation and depression | 2 |  |
| Maths10RM6b | 2 | C | 10T3a Simple problems on heights <br> and distances. | 2 |  |
| Maths10RM6c | 2 | C | 10T3a Simple problems on heights <br> and distances. | 2 |  |
| Total marks |  | $\mathbf{6}$ |  |  | $\mathbf{6}$ |

${ }^{*} \mathrm{C}=$ Calculator required, $\mathrm{N}=$ Calculator not allowed, $\mathrm{E}=$ Either

## Item purpose

The question assesses the students' ability to use trigonometric ratios with respect to a given acute angle in solving problems in daily life contexts like finding heights of different structures or distance from them.

## Sources and diagrams



## Question(s)

1 Ravi got a clinometer from his school's maths lab and started measuring various angles of elevation in his surroundings. He saw a corporate building on which the company logo is painted on a wall of the building.
From a point $P$ on the ground level, 24 metres from the base of the building, the angle of elevation of the roof of the building is $45^{\circ}$. The angle of elevation of C , the centre of the logo, is $30^{\circ}$.

1(a) What is the height of the centre of the logo from the ground?
(2 marks)
1(b) What is the distance between the roof and the centre of the logo?
(2 marks)
1(c) If the point of observation $P$ is moved 16 m towards the base of the building, find the angle of elevation of the logo on the building.
(2 marks)
(Total marks 6)

## Mark scheme

| (a) What is the height of the centre of the logo from the ground? <br> Answer <br> Tan $30^{\circ}=\frac{h}{x}$ <br> $P \frac{h}{24}=\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$ <br> $H=8 \sqrt{3}=8 \times 1.73=13.84 \mathrm{~m}$ |  |
| :--- | :--- |
| Muidance |  |
| 1 M1 for trigonometric ratio What is the distance between the roof and the centre of the logo? |  |
| Answer |  |
| Height of centre of logo $=13.84 \mathrm{~m}$ | Guidance |
| Let the height of the roof be $H$ | M1 for subtraction |


| Tan $45^{\circ}=\frac{H}{x}$ <br> $\mathrm{P} \frac{H}{24}=1$ <br> $\mathrm{H}=24 \mathrm{~m}$ <br> the distance between the roof and the <br> centre of the logo $=24-13.84=10.16 \mathrm{~m}$ |  |
| :--- | :--- |
| 1 (c) If the point of observation P is moved 16m towards the base of the building, find <br> the angle of elevation of the logo on the building. |  |
| Answer |  |
| Distance of point P from the base of <br> building $=24-16=8 \mathrm{~m}$ | Guidance |
| Tan $\phi^{\circ}=\frac{H}{x}$ |  |
| Tan $\phi^{\circ}=\frac{8 \sqrt{3}}{8}=\sqrt{3}$ | M1 for angle |
| $\phi=60^{\circ}$ |  |

## Maths10RM7

| Item identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | C/N/E* | Content Reference(s) | Marks |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Maths10RM7a |  | 3 | C | 10T3a Simple problems on heights <br> and distances. Problems should not <br> involve more than two right triangles. <br> Angles of elevation or depression <br> should be only $30^{\circ}, 45^{\circ}, 60^{\circ}$ | 3 |
| Maths10RM7b |  | 2 | C | 10T3a Simple problems on heights <br> and distances. Problems should not <br> involve more than two right triangles. <br> Angles of elevation or depression <br> should be only $30^{\circ}, 45^{\circ}, 60^{\circ}$ | 2 |
| Total marks |  | 5 |  |  | 5 |

${ }^{*} \mathrm{C}=$ Calculator required, $\mathrm{N}=$ Calculator not allowed, $\mathrm{E}=$ Either

## Item purpose

The question assesses students' ability to apply the distance formula, midpoint formula.

## Sources and diagrams



## Question(s)

1 Two friends Seema and Aditya study at a boarding school in Shimla. During Christmas vacations, both decided to go to their hometowns represented by Town A and Town B, respectively, in the figure given below. Town A and Town B are connected by trains from the same station $C$ (in the given figure) in Shimla.

1(a) Who will travel a larger distance to reach their hometown?

1(b) On the day, they plan to meet at a location situated at a point $D$ which is at the mid-point of the line joining the point represented by Town A and Town B. Find the coordinates of $D$.
(2 marks)
(Total marks 5)

## Mark scheme

| 1 (a) Who will travel a larger distan | their hometown? |
| :---: | :---: |
| Answer | Guidance |
| Coordinates of A $(1,7)$ <br> Coordinates of town B $(4,2)$ <br> Coordinates of station C $(-4,4)$ <br> Distance AC = $\begin{aligned} & \sqrt{(1+4)^{2}}+(7-4)^{2} \\ & \quad=\sqrt{5^{2}+3^{2}}=\sqrt{34} \end{aligned}$ <br> Distance $B C=\sqrt{(4+4)^{2}+(4-2)}$ $=\sqrt{64+4}=\sqrt{68}$ <br> Aditya will travel more distance | M1 for writing coordinates <br> M1 for calculating AC <br> M1 for calculating BC and specifying that Aditya will travel more distance. |
| 1 (b) On the day, they plan to meet at a location situated at a point $D$ which is at the midpoint of the line joining the point represented by Town $A$ and Town B. Find the coordinates of $D$ |  |
| Answer | Guidance |
| $D$ is the mid-point of $A B$ $\begin{aligned} & =\left(\frac{1+4}{2} \cdot \frac{7+4}{2}\right) \\ & =(2.5,5.5) \end{aligned}$ | M1 for mid-point and formula M1 for the correct value |

## Maths10SS4

| Item <br> identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | C/N/E* | Content Reference(s) | Marks |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Maths10SS4 |  | 4 | C | 10T3a Uses distance formula to <br> calculate distance between two <br> points. | 4 |

${ }^{*} \mathrm{C}=$ Calculator required, $\mathrm{N}=$ Calculator not allowed, $\mathrm{E}=$ Either

## Item purpose

The question assesses applying the distance formula in real-life situations

## Sources and diagrams



## Question(s)

1 Two friends Ravi and Arjun work in the same office at Chandigarh. Both decided to go to their hometowns represented by $A$ and $B$ respectively in the figure given above during the Christmas vacations.

Town $A$ and Town $B$ are connected by trains from the same station $C$ in Chandigarh and a bus station at D.

Ravi and Arjun met at the bus station D and then went together to board the train from station $C$ for their respective hometowns.

Who travelled further and by how much?

## Mark scheme

| 1. Ravi and Arjun met at the bus station $D$ and then went together to board the train from station C for their respective hometowns. Who travelled more distance and by how much? |  |
| :---: | :---: |
| Answer | Guidance |
| Ravi by 3.1 units $A(-3,2), B(1,3), C(4,0), D(-2,-3)$ <br> Distance travelled by Ravi $\begin{aligned} \mathrm{DC}+\mathrm{CA} & =\sqrt{36+9}+\sqrt{49+4} \\ =6.7 & +7.3 \text { units } \\ = & 14.0 \text { units } \end{aligned}$ <br> Distance travelled by Arjun $\begin{aligned} & D C+C B= \sqrt{36+9}+\sqrt{9+9} \\ &= \sqrt{45}+\sqrt{18} \\ &= 6.7+4.2 \text { units } \\ &= 10.9 \text { units } \\ & 14.0-10.9=3.1 \text { units } \end{aligned}$ <br> Ravi travelled more by 3.1 units <br> (Or ignore DC for both as they travel together) | M1 identifies coordinates of (at least) A, B, C <br> M1 use distance formula <br> A1 calculate at least one distance correctly <br> A1 correct answer (Ravi by 3.1 units) <br> No marks are to be allotted for the last step if Ravi or 3.1 is missing. <br> (Without units also full marks are to be allotted) |

## Maths10SK6

| Item <br> identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | $\mathbf{C / N / E *}$ | Content Reference(s) | Marks |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Maths10SK6 |  | 4 | N | 10T3a Heights and distances, angles of <br> elevation and depression | 4 |

* $\mathrm{C}=$ Calculator required, $\mathrm{N}=$ Calculator not allowed, $\mathrm{E}=$ Either


## Item purpose

The question assesses the knowledge of trigonometric ratios.

## Sources and diagrams

Source information: book/journal, author, publisher, website link, etc.

## Question(s)

1 A tree stands vertically on the bank of a river. From a point on the other bank directly opposite the tree, the angle of elevation of the top of the tree is $60^{\circ}$.

From a point, 20 m behind this point O , the same bank, the angle of elevation of the tree is 30 .

Find the height of the tree and the width of the river. Take $\sqrt{ } 3=1.73$

## Mark scheme

1 A tree stands vertically on the bank of a river. From a point on the other bank directly opposite the tree, the angle of elevation of the top of the tree is $60^{\circ}$.
From a point, 20 m behind this point O , the same bank, the angle of elevation of the tree is 30 . Find the height of the tree and width of the river (take $\sqrt{ } 3=1.73$ )

| Answer | Guidance |
| :--- | :--- |
| height ${ }^{\text {of }}$ tree $=17.3 \mathrm{~m}$ | M 1 figure |
|  | $\mathrm{M} 1 \ln \triangle \mathrm{PBQ}$ |
|  | $\mathrm{PQ} / \mathrm{AQ}=\tan 60^{\circ}$ |
| $\mathrm{h}=\mathrm{x} \sqrt{ } 3$ |  |
|  | $\mathrm{M} 1 \ln \triangle \mathrm{PBQ}$ |
|  | $\mathrm{PQ} / \mathrm{BQ}=\tan 30^{\circ}$ |


|  | $h=(x+20) / \sqrt{3}$ |
| :--- | :--- |
| $x=10 \mathrm{~m}$ |  |
| A1 height of tree $=10 \sqrt{ } 3=17.3 \mathrm{~m}$ |  |

## Maths10SK10

| Item identity | AO1 <br> marks | AO2 <br> marks | C/N/E* | Content Reference(s) | Marks |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Maths10SK10a | 2 |  | C | 9C1a Use standard notations and plot <br> points in the plane. Its uses in real-life | 2 |
| Maths10SK10b |  | 1 | C | 9C1a Use standard notations and plot <br> points in the plane. Its uses in real-life | 1 |
| Total marks | $\mathbf{2}$ | $\mathbf{1}$ |  |  | $\mathbf{3}$ |

${ }^{*} \mathrm{C}=$ Calculator required, $\mathrm{N}=$ Calculator not allowed, $\mathrm{E}=$ Either

## Item purpose

The question assesses the knowledge of coordinate geometry

## Sources and diagrams



## Question(s)

1 Ajay, Bhigu, and Colin have been friends since childhood. They always want to sit in a row in the classroom, but the teacher does not allow them and rotate the seats by row every day.

Bhigu is very good at maths, and he does a distance calculation every day. He considers the centre of class as the origin and marks their position on the paper in a coordinate system.

One day Bhigu makes the above diagram of their seating position.
What is the distance of point $A$ from the origin?

1(b) What is the distance between $B$ and $C$ ?

## Mark scheme

| 1 (a) What is the distance of point A from the origin? |  |
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| Answer $2 \sqrt{2}$ | Guidance |
| $O A=\sqrt{2^{2}+2^{2}}=2 \sqrt{2}$ | M1 use of distance formula <br> A1 correct answer |
| 1 (b) What is the distance between B and C? |  |
| Answer $2 \sqrt{5}$ | Guidance |
| BC $=\sqrt{(-1-3)^{2}+(-2-0)^{2}}$ <br> $=\sqrt{4^{2}}+4^{2}=2 \sqrt{5}$ | A1 correct answer |

