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**MATHEMATICS – ORDINARY LEVEL**

**PAPER 2 ( 300 marks )**

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**MONDAY, 11 JUNE – MORNING, 9:30 to 12:00**

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Attempt **FIVE** questions from **Section A** and **ONE** question from **Section B**.  
Each question carries 50 marks.

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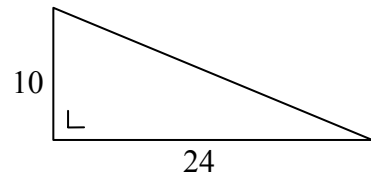
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**SECTION A**  
**Attempt FIVE questions from this section.**

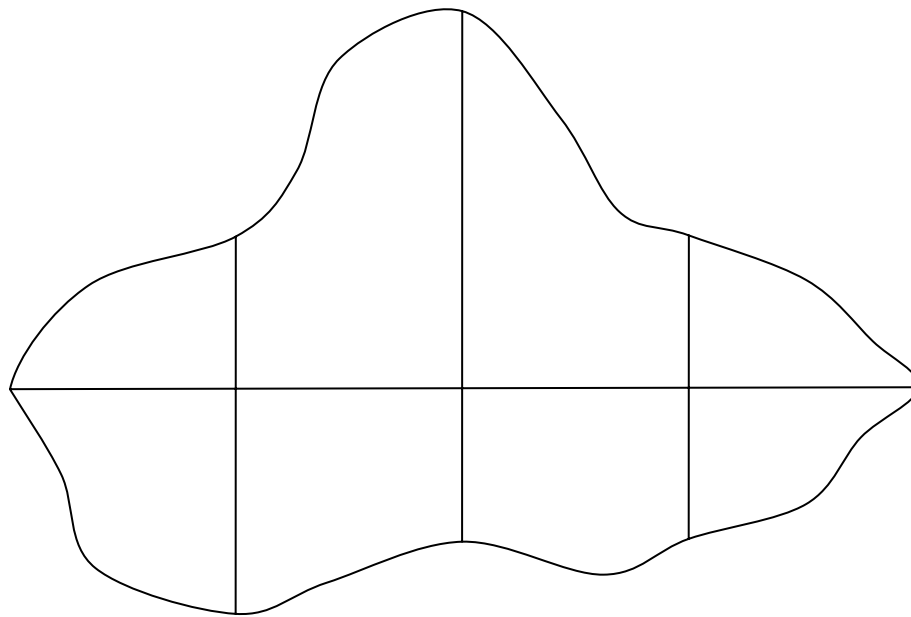
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1. (a) The right-angled triangle shown in the diagram has sides of length 10 cm and 24 cm.



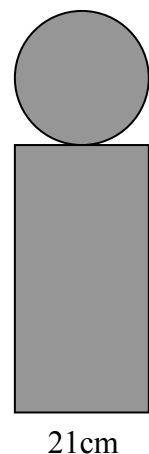
- (i) Find the length of the third side.
- (ii) Find the length of the perimeter of the triangle.

- (b) In order to estimate the area of the irregular shape below, a horizontal line is drawn across the widest part of the shape and three offsets (perpendicular lines) are drawn at equal intervals along this line.



- (i) Measure the horizontal line and the offsets, in centimetres. Make a rough sketch of the shape in your answerbook and record the measurements on it.
- (ii) Use Simpson's Rule with these measurements to estimate the area of the shape.
- (c) A team trophy for the winners of a football match is in the shape of a sphere supported on a cylindrical base, as shown. The diameter of the sphere and of the cylinder is 21 cm.

- (i) Find the volume of the sphere, in terms of  $\pi$ .
- (ii) The volume of the trophy is  $6174\pi \text{ cm}^3$ . Find the height of the cylinder.

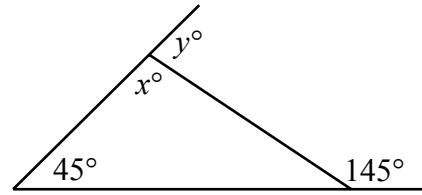


2. (a) Find the co-ordinates of the mid-point of the line segment joining the points  $(2, -3)$  and  $(6, 9)$ .
- (b) The line  $L$  intersects the  $x$ -axis at  $(-4, 0)$  and the  $y$ -axis at  $(0, 6)$ .
- (i) Find the slope of  $L$ .
- (ii) Find the equation of  $L$ .
- The line  $K$  passes through  $(0, 0)$  and is perpendicular to  $L$ .
- (iii) Show the lines  $L$  and  $K$  on a co-ordinate diagram.
- (iv) Find the equation of  $K$ .
- (c)  $a(-4, 3)$ ,  $b(6, -1)$  and  $c(2, 7)$  are three points.
- (i) Find the area of the triangle  $abc$ .
- (ii)  $abcd$  is a parallelogram in which  $[ac]$  is a diagonal. Find the co-ordinates of the point  $d$ .
3. (a) The circle  $C$  has centre  $(0, 0)$  and radius 4.
- (i) Write down the equation of  $C$ .
- (ii) Verify that the point  $(3, 2)$  lies inside the circle  $C$ .
- (b) The line  $x - 3y = 0$  intersects the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 10$  at the points  $a$  and  $b$ .
- (i) Find the co-ordinates of  $a$  and the co-ordinates of  $b$ .
- (ii) Show that  $[ab]$  is a diameter of the circle.
- (c) The circle  $K$  has equation  $(x - 5)^2 + (y + 1)^2 = 34$ .
- (i) Write down the radius of  $K$  and the co-ordinates of the centre of  $K$ .
- (ii) Verify that the point  $(10, -4)$  is on the circle.
- (iii)  $T$  is a tangent to the circle at the point  $(10, -4)$ .  
 $S$  is another tangent to the circle and  $S$  is parallel to  $T$ .  
 Find the co-ordinates of the point at which  $S$  is a tangent to the circle.

4. (a) In the diagram, two sides of the triangle are produced.

(i) Find  $x$ .

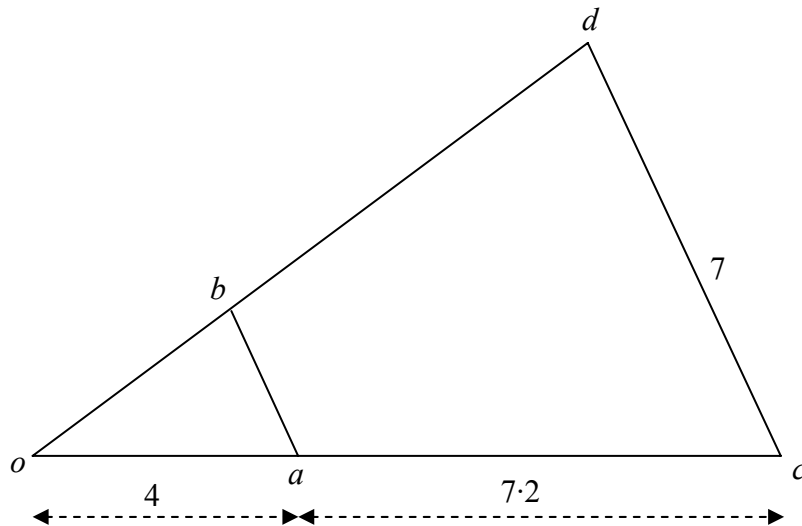
(ii) Find  $y$ .



(b) Prove that the products of the lengths of the sides of a triangle by the corresponding altitudes are equal.

(c) The triangle  $ocd$  is the image of the triangle  $oab$  under an enlargement with centre  $o$ .

$|oa| = 4$ ,  $|ac| = 7.2$  and  $|cd| = 7$ .



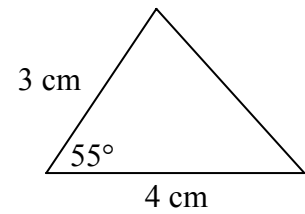
(i) Find the scale factor of the enlargement.

(ii) Find  $|ab|$ .

(iii) The area of the triangle  $oab$  is 4.5 square units. Find the area of the triangle  $ocd$ .

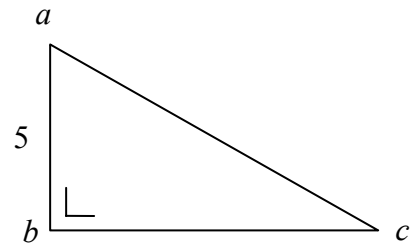
5. (a) Calculate the area of the triangle shown.

Give your answer correct to one decimal place.



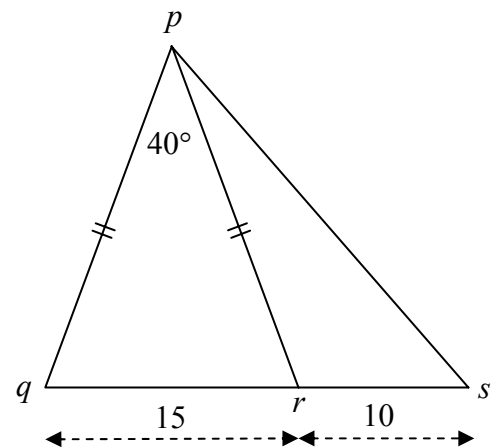
- (b) In the right-angled triangle  $abc$ ,  
 $|ab| = 5$  cm.  
 The area of the triangle is  $15$  cm<sup>2</sup>.

- (i) Find  $|bc|$ .  
 (ii) Find  $|\angle cab|$ , correct to the nearest degree.  
 (iii) Find  $|\angle bca|$ , correct to the nearest degree.



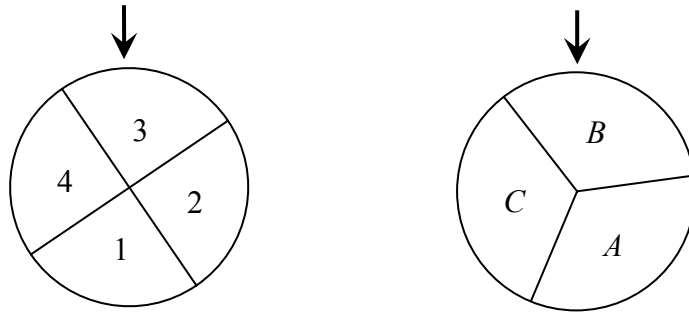
- (c) In the triangle  $pqr$ ,  
 $|pq| = |pr|$ ,  $|qr| = 15$  cm and  $|\angle rpq| = 40^\circ$ .

- (i) Find  $|pr|$ , correct to the nearest centimetre.  
 (ii)  $s$  is a point on  $qr$  such that  $|rs| = 10$  cm.  
 Find  $|ps|$ , correct to the nearest centimetre.



6. (a) One letter is chosen at random from the letters of the word EUCLID.
- (i) Find the probability that the letter chosen is D.
  - (ii) Find the probability that the letter chosen is a vowel.

- (b) The diagram shows two wheels.  
The first wheel is divided into four equal segments numbered 1, 2, 3 and 4.  
The second wheel is divided into three equal segments labelled  $A$ ,  $B$  and  $C$ .



A game consists of spinning the two wheels and noting the segments that stop at the arrows. For example, the outcome shown is (3,  $B$ ).

- (i) Write down all the possible outcomes.
  - (ii) What is the probability that the outcome is (2,  $C$ )?
  - (iii) What is the probability that the outcome is an odd number with the letter  $A$ ?
  - (iv) What is the probability that the outcome includes the letter  $C$ ?
- (c)
- (i) How many different three-digit numbers can be formed from the digits 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, if each of the digits can be used only once in each number?
  - (ii) How many of the numbers are less than 400?
  - (iii) How many of the numbers are divisible by 5?
  - (iv) How many of the numbers are less than 400 and divisible by 5?

7. (a) Find the median of the numbers

5, 11, 3, 16, 8.

- (b) The table below shows the time, in minutes, that customers were waiting to be served in a restaurant.

Time (minutes)	< 5	< 10	< 15	< 20	< 25
Number of customers	5	20	70	110	120

- (i) Draw the cumulative frequency curve (ogive).
- (ii) Use your curve to estimate the median waiting time.
- (iii) Use your curve to estimate the interquartile range.
- (c) The age of each person living in one street was recorded during a census. The information is summarised in the following table:

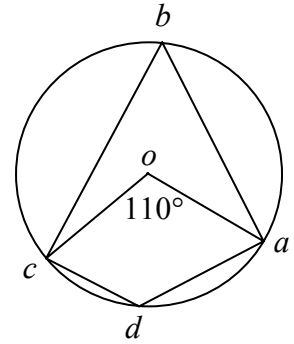
Age (in years)	0 - 20	20 - 30	30 - 50	50 - 80
Number of people	16	12	32	12

- (i) How many people were living in the street?
- (ii) Using mid-interval values, calculate the mean age.
- (iii) What is the greatest number of people who could have been aged under 40 years?

**SECTION B**  
**Attempt ONE question from this section.**

8. (a) The points  $a, b, c$  and  $d$  lie on a circle, centre  $o$ .  
 $|\angle aoc| = 110^\circ$ .

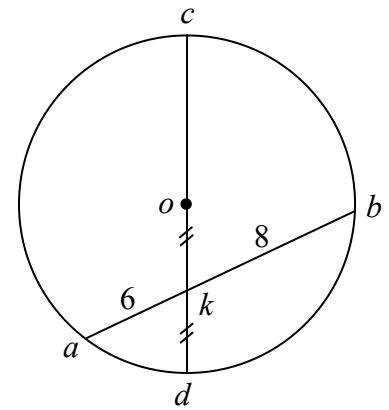
- (i) Find  $|\angle abc|$ .  
(ii) Find  $|\angle cda|$ .



- (b) Prove that if  $[ab]$  and  $[cd]$  are chords of a circle and the lines  $ab$  and  $cd$  meet at the point  $k$  inside the circle, then  $|ak| \cdot |kb| = |ck| \cdot |kd|$ .

- (c)  $[ab]$  and  $[cd]$  are chords of the circle, centre  $o$ .  
 $[ab]$  bisects  $[od]$  at the point  $k$ .  
 $|ak| = 6$  and  $|kb| = 8$ .

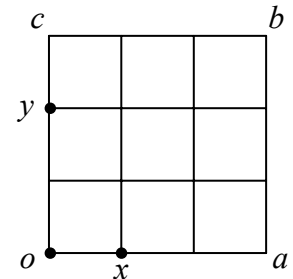
Find the length of the radius of the circle.



9. (a)  $oabc$  is a square divided into nine equal squares.  
 $o$  is the origin and  $x$  and  $y$  are the points shown.

Copy the diagram and on it show

- (i) the point  $r$  such that  $\vec{r} = \vec{x} + \vec{y}$   
(ii) the point  $s$  such that  $\vec{s} = 2\vec{x} + \vec{y}$ .



- (b) Let  $\vec{p} = 2\vec{i} - \vec{j}$  and  $\vec{q} = -3\vec{i} + 4\vec{j}$ .

- (i) Find  $|\vec{p}|$ .  
(ii) Express  $5\vec{p} - \vec{q}$  in terms of  $\vec{i}$  and  $\vec{j}$ .  
(iii) Express  $\vec{pq}$  in terms of  $\vec{i}$  and  $\vec{j}$ .  
(iv) Calculate  $\vec{p} \cdot \vec{q}$ , the dot product of  $\vec{p}$  and  $\vec{q}$ .

- (c) Let  $\vec{u} = 2\vec{i} + 5\vec{j}$  and  $\vec{v} = 8\vec{i} + 10\vec{j}$ .

- (i) Find the scalars  $h$  and  $k$  such that  $\vec{u} + h\vec{v} = k\vec{i}$ .  
(ii) Using your values for  $h$  and  $k$ , verify that  $\vec{u}^\perp + h\vec{v}^\perp = k\vec{i}^\perp$ .

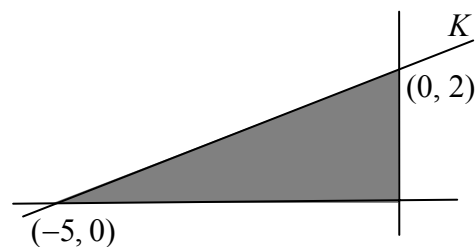


10. (a) Find the sum to infinity of the geometric series

$$2 + \frac{2}{5} + \frac{2}{25} + \dots$$

- (b) (i) Expand  $(1 + 2x)^3$  fully.
- (ii) Given that  $(1 + 2x)^3 + (1 - 2x)^3 = 2(a + bx^2)$ , for all  $x$ , find the value of  $a$  and the value of  $b$ .
- (c) (i) €2000 is invested at 4% per annum compound interest. Find the value of the investment at the end of six years, correct to the nearest euro.
- (ii) An investment account earns 4% per annum compound interest. At the beginning of each year for six consecutive years €2000 is invested in the account. Using the formula for the sum of the first  $n$  terms of a geometric series, find the total value of the investment account at the end of the six years, correct to the nearest euro.

11. (a) The line  $K$  cuts the  $x$ -axis at  $(-5, 0)$  and the  $y$ -axis at  $(0, 2)$ .



- (i) Find the equation of  $K$ .
- (ii) Write down the three inequalities that together define the region enclosed by  $K$ , the  $x$ -axis and the  $y$ -axis.
- (b) A developer is planning a holiday complex of cottages and apartments. Each cottage will accommodate 3 adults and 5 children and each apartment will accommodate 2 adults and 2 children. The other facilities in the complex are designed for a maximum of 60 adults and a maximum of 80 children.
- (i) Taking  $x$  as the number of cottages and  $y$  as the number of apartments, write down two inequalities in  $x$  and  $y$  and illustrate these on graph paper.
- (ii) If the rental income per night will be €65 for a cottage and €40 for an apartment, how many of each should the developer include in the complex to maximise potential rental income?
- (iii) If the construction costs are €200 000 for a cottage and €120 000 for an apartment, how many of each should the developer include in the complex to minimise construction costs?