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**FORM 5****MATHEMATICS SCHEME A****TIME: 20 minutes****Non Calculator Paper**

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Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Class: \_\_\_\_\_

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### INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

- Answer all questions. There are 20 questions to answer.
- Each question carries 1 mark.
- Calculators, protractors and other mathematical instruments are not allowed.
- You are not required to show your working. However space for working is provided if you need it.

No.	Question	Space for Working
1	Work out. $4^2 - 2^4 =$ _____	
2	Write down the <b>two prime numbers</b> between 30 and 40. _____	
3	<b>Subtract</b> 499 from 1000. _____	
4	If the first of January is a Thursday, what day will the first of February be? _____	
5	Work out the number of <b>minutes</b> in one day. _____ minutes	
6	An aeroplane leaves Malta International Airport at quarter to nine and arrives at Gatwick airport at 11.35 (Malta time). How long does the flight take? _____ hours _____ minutes	
7	A train travels at a speed of 120 km/h. How long does it take the train to travel 400 km? _____ hours _____ minutes	
8	The mean of two numbers is 21. The range is 6. Work out the value of the <b>larger</b> number. _____	

No.	Question	Space for Working
9	Write down the <b>largest</b> possible <b>even</b> number using each of the digits 8, 3, 2 and 1 only once.  _____	
10	Work out the value of $2^3 \times \sqrt{2\frac{1}{4}}$  _____	
11	Work out the value of $20^2 - 19^2$  _____	
12	$a$ , $b$ and $c$ are three different <b>fractions</b> . Write three possible values of $a$ , $b$ and $c$ such that $a + b + c = 1$  $a = \text{_____}, b = \text{_____}, c = \text{_____}$	
13	Work out $20 \times 7.28 + 30 \times 7.28 + 50 \times 7.28$  _____	
14	The distance of the earth from the sun is $1.488 \times 10^{11}$ metres. Change this distance to <b>kilometres</b> . Give your answer in <b>standard form</b> .  _____ km	
15	Work out the <b>difference</b> between 10% of €143 and 10% of €93.  Difference = € _____	

No.	Question	Space for Working
16	Write down the next number as a <b>decimal number</b> .  25%, $\frac{1}{2}$ , 0.75, 1, _____	
17	Write down the <b>two roots</b> of the equation  $3x^2 = 48$  $x =$ _____, _____	
18	The sides of a rectangle are 8 cm and 6 cm long. Work out the length of a <b>diagonal</b> of the rectangle.  _____ cm	
19	A pool is filled at the rate of 18 litres per minute. Write this rate in <b>millilitres per second</b> .  _____ ml/s	
20	3 burgers and 7 drinks cost €13. 8 burgers and 4 drinks cost €9. What is the <b>total cost</b> of 1 burger and 1 drink?  € _____	

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MATHEMATICS SCHEME A

TIME: 1h 40min

MAIN PAPER

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	Main	NC	Total

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**Calculators are allowed but the necessary working must be shown.  
 Answer all questions.**

- 1 Mr and Ms Borg are buying a washing machine during a sale.

Work out the **percentage reduction**.

**SALE**

Washing Machine

**Was €400**

**Now €320**



Percentage reduction = \_\_\_\_\_ %

3 marks

- 2 These four numbers are written in **standard form**.

$7.6 \times 10^3$        $1.57 \times 10^6$        $9.8 \times 10^{-3}$        $4.9 \times 10^{-2}$

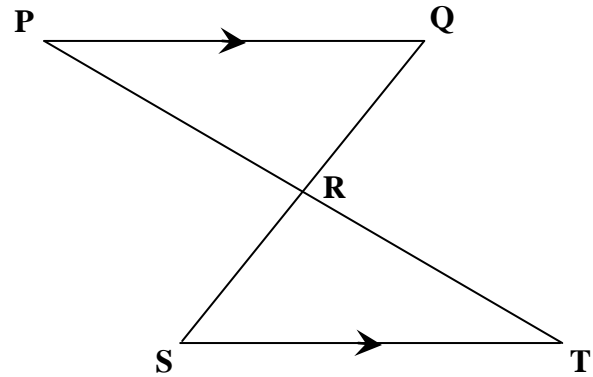
- (i) Write down the **largest** number. \_\_\_\_\_
- (ii) Write down the **smallest** number. \_\_\_\_\_
- (iii) Write  $4.9 \times 10^{-2}$  as an **ordinary number**. \_\_\_\_\_
- (iv) **Multiply**  $7.6 \times 10^3$  by  $1.57 \times 10^6$ . Give your answer in **standard form**.

\_\_\_\_\_

4 marks

- 3 (i) Two triangles are **congruent**. **Underline** the statement that is **true**.
- A. The areas of the two triangles are **always** equal.
- B. The areas of the two triangles are **sometimes** equal.
- C. The areas of the two triangles are **never** equal.

- (ii) In the diagram the straight lines PRT and QRS intersect at R. PQ is **parallel** and **equal** to ST. Prove that R is the midpoint of PT.



4 marks

- 4 The heights of six boys are 1.53 m, 1.49 m, 1.60 m, 1.65 m, 1.90 m and 1.43 m.

- (i) Work out the **mean** height of the six boys.

Mean = \_\_\_\_\_ metres

- (ii) Five other boys join the six boys to form a football team. The mean of these five boys is 1.55 m. Work out the **mean** of the eleven boys. Give your answer correct to **2 decimal places**.

Mean = \_\_\_\_\_ metres

5 marks

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- 5 (i) The angles of a triangle are  $x^\circ$ ,  $y^\circ$  and  $z^\circ$ . Write a **formula** for  $x$  in terms of  $y$  and  $z$ .

$$x = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$$

- (ii) The formula

$$c = \sqrt{a^2 + b^2}$$

is used to find the length of the hypotenuse,  $c$ , in a right-angled triangle.

- (a) Work out the value of  $c$  when  $a = 12$  cm and  $b = 35$  cm.

$$c = \underline{\hspace{2cm}} \text{ cm}$$

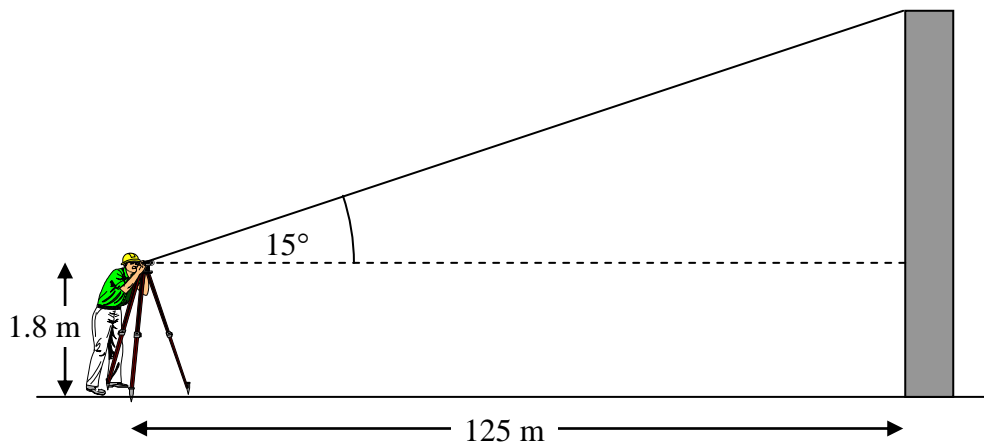
- (b) Make  $a$  the **subject** of the formula.

$$a = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$$

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5 marks

- 6 A surveyor is 125 metres from the foot of a building. He measures the angle of elevation of the top of the building as  $15^\circ$ . The sighting device is 1.8 metres above the ground.



- (i) Work out the **height** of the building, correct to **1 decimal place**.

height = \_\_\_\_\_ metres

- (ii) The surveyor moves 30 metres closer to the building. Work out the new **angle of elevation**, correct to the **nearest degree**.

Angle of elevation = \_\_\_\_\_ $^\circ$

6 marks



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7 Simplify  $\frac{1}{2x} + \frac{x-3}{x^2-2x}$

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4 marks

8 The functions  $f$  and  $g$  are defined by

$$f(x) = 3x^2 + 2x \text{ and } g(x) = 3x + 2$$

(i) Find the value of  $x$  for which  $f(1) = g(x)$ .

$$x = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$$

(ii) Determine  $g^{-1}(x)$ .

$$g^{-1}(x) = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$$

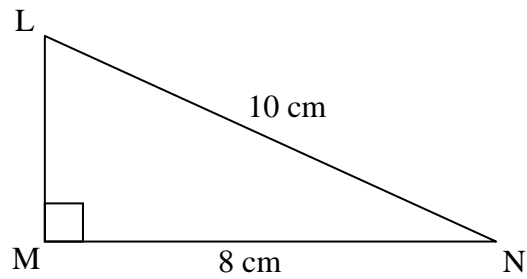
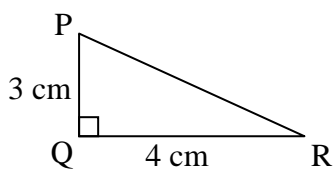
(iii) Find the values of  $x$  given that  $f(x) = g(x)$ .

$$x = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$$

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8 marks

- 9 (i) Explain why triangles PQR and LMN are similar.



- (ii) A water company manufactures two **similar** bottles. The smaller bottle has a volume of 250 ml and the larger bottle has a volume of 2 litres. The height of the smaller bottle is 20 cm. Work out the **height** of the larger bottle.



Height = \_\_\_\_\_ cm

7 marks

- 10** The mass,  $M$ , of a solid sphere is **directly proportional** to the **cube** of its radius. A sphere with radius 2 cm has a mass of 100 grams. Work out

(i) the **mass** of a sphere whose radius is 1.2 cm

Mass = \_\_\_\_\_ grams

(ii) the **radius** of a sphere having a mass of 34.3 grams.

Radius = \_\_\_\_\_ cm

7 marks

- 11** (i) Mark says: "For any number  $n$ , then  $n^2$  will always be positive." Is Mark correct? Give a reason for your answer.

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(ii) Maria says: "The square root of a number is always smaller than the number." Is Maria correct? Give a reason for your answer.

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(iii) Solve: 
$$\begin{aligned}x^2 + y^2 &= 9 \\ x - y + 3 &= 0\end{aligned}$$

$x =$  \_\_\_\_\_,  $y =$  \_\_\_\_\_

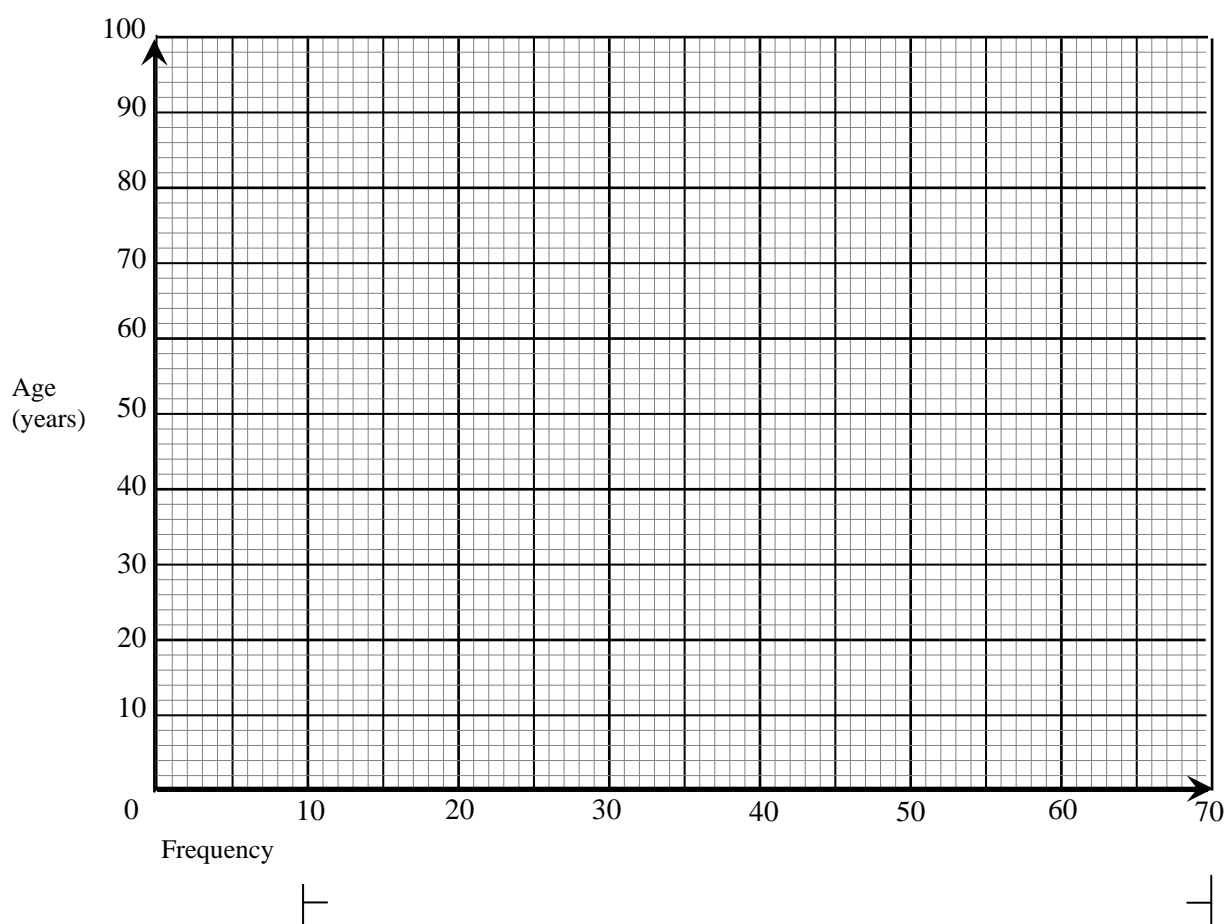
8 marks

**12** The table below shows the ages of people in a basketball club.

(i) Complete the cumulative frequency table, below on the right.

Age (years)	Frequency	Age (y years)	Cumulative Frequency
10–19	12	< 10	0
20–29	20	<20	12
30–39	32	<30	
40–49	15	<40	
50–59	12	<50	
60–69	5	<60	
<b>Total</b>	<b>96</b>	<70	

(ii) On the graph paper (below) draw the **cumulative frequency graph**.



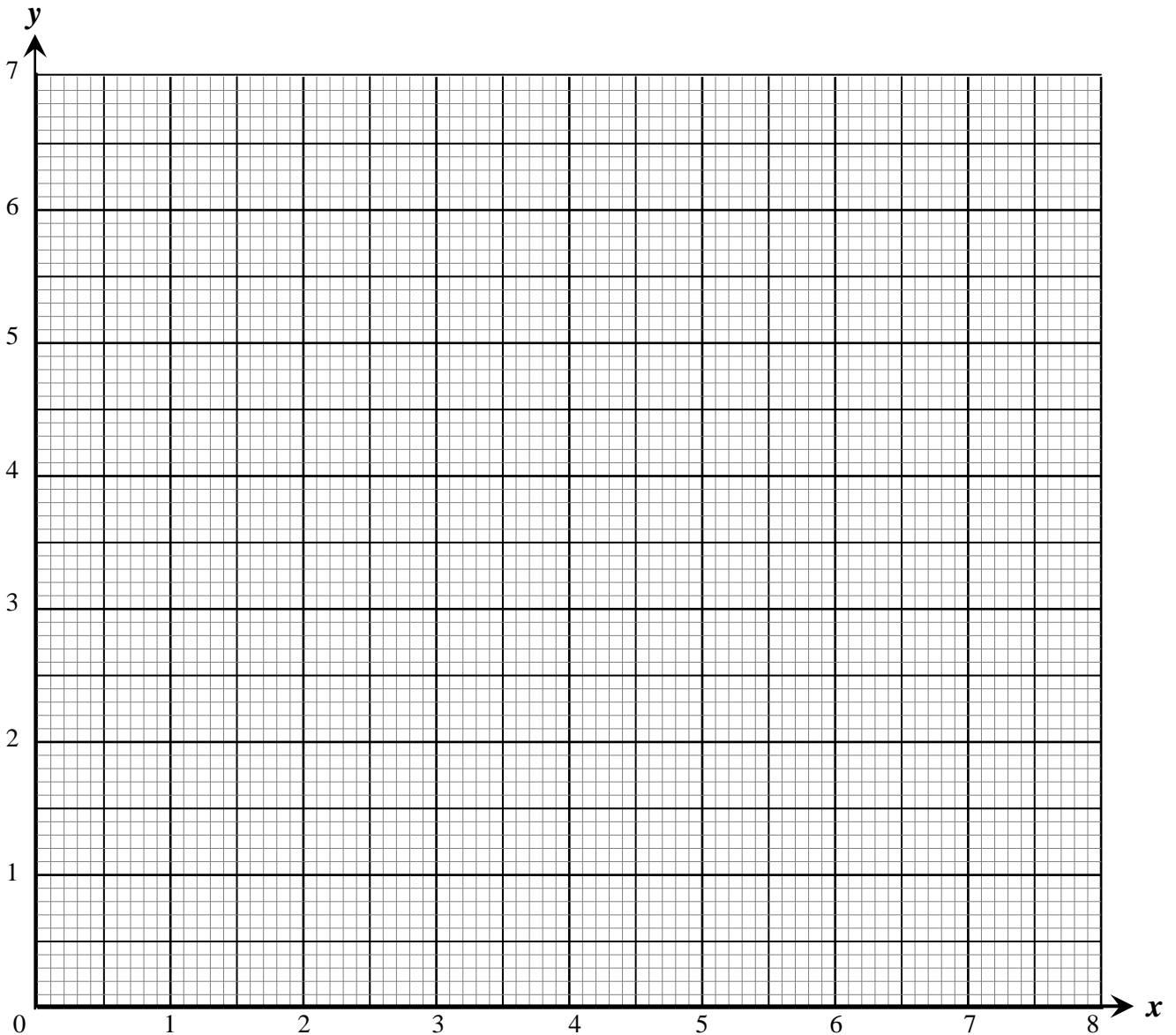
(iii) Use the graph to complete the **box plot**.

10 marks

- 13 (i) Complete the table for  $y = \frac{12}{x} + x - 6$ .

$x$	1	1.5	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
$y$	7		2	1					

- (ii) On the graph paper (below) draw the graph of  $y = \frac{12}{x} + x - 6$  for values of  $x$  from 1 to 8.



**13** (iii) Use the graph to

(a) find the minimum value of  $\frac{12}{x} + x - 6$

\_\_\_\_\_

(b) find the roots of the equation  $\frac{12}{x} + x - 8.5 = 0$

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

9 marks

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**END OF PAPER**