

GCSE (9-1) Mathematics
J560/05 Paper 5 (Higher Tier)

Question Set 1

1. (a) Simplify fully.

$$\frac{3a^8 \times 2a^5}{a^2} = \frac{3a^8 \times 2a^{8+3}}{a^2} = 3a^8 \times 2a^3 = \boxed{6a^{11}}$$

(a) **$6a^{11}$** [3]

- (b) Solve.

$$\frac{6x - 10}{5} = 1 \quad (\times 5)$$

$$6x - 10 = 5$$

$$6x = 5 + 10$$

$$\frac{6x}{6} = \frac{15}{6}$$

$$\boxed{x = \frac{5}{2}}$$

(b) $x = \frac{5}{2}$ [3]

2. (a) A sunflower grows at a rate of 4 cm each day.

How many days does it take to grow from a height of 80 cm to more than 1.06 m?

$$\text{day} = x \quad \text{rate} = 4 \text{ cm/day} \quad 1.06 \text{ m} = 106 \text{ cm}$$

$$4x > 106 - 80 = 26$$

$$\frac{4x}{4} > \frac{26}{4}$$

$$x > 6.5 \text{ days}$$

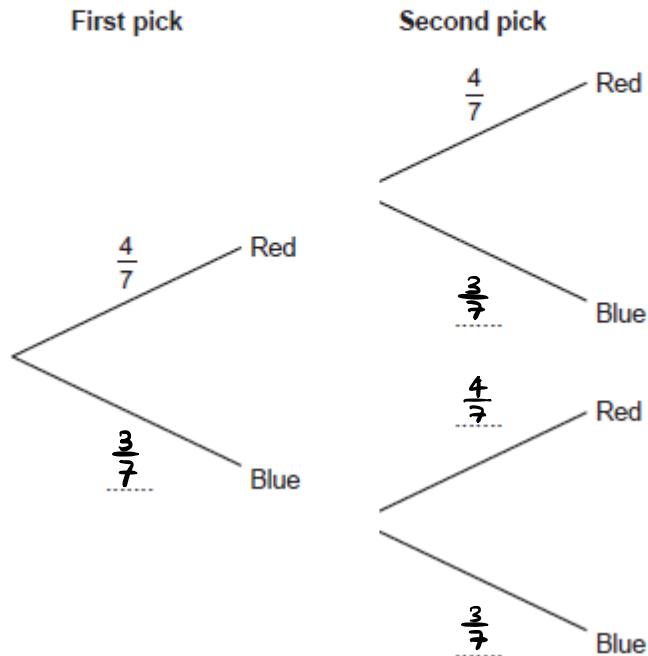
(a) **7 days** [3]

- (b) If the sunflower grows at a faster rate, how would this affect your answer to part (a)?

..... **The number of days required would decrease** [1]

3. A bag contains 4 red counters and 3 blue counters only.
Jack picks a counter at random and then replaces it.
Jack then picks a second counter at random.

(a) Complete the tree diagram.



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(b) Work out the probability that Jack picks two red counters.

$$\frac{4}{7} \times \frac{4}{7} = \boxed{\frac{16}{49}}$$

$$\frac{16}{49}$$

(b) [2]

4. Mrs Mills buys 4 packs of treats for her cats, Fluff and Tigger.

She gives Fluff $\frac{1}{6}$ of a pack each day.

She gives Tigger $\frac{1}{5}$ of a pack each day.

For how many complete days will the 4 packs of treats last?

$$\text{per day: } \frac{1}{6} + \frac{1}{5} = \frac{5+6}{30} = \frac{11}{30}$$

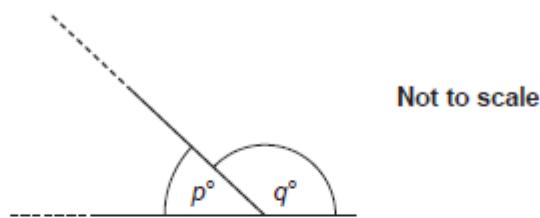
$$4 \text{ packs} \Rightarrow 4 \times 30 \Rightarrow \frac{120}{30}$$

$$120 \div 11 = \underbrace{10.9\dot{0}}_{\text{days}}$$

10 days

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5. An interior angle of an isosceles triangle is p° and an exterior angle is q° .



It is given that $q = 5p$.

- (a) Write the ratio $p : q$ in its simplest form.

$$p : 5p = 1 : 5$$

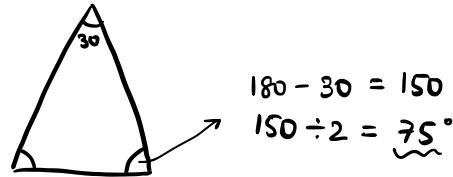
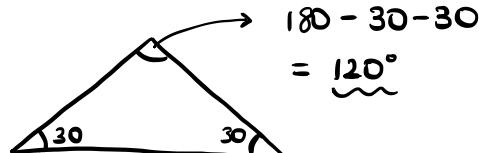
$$(a) \underline{1} : \underline{5} \quad [2]$$

- (b) Work out the two different possible sets of angles for the isosceles triangle.

$$p + 5p = 180$$

$$6p = 180$$

$$\underline{\underline{p = 30^\circ}}$$



(b) Triangle 1: $\underline{\underline{30^\circ}}, \underline{\underline{30^\circ}}, \underline{\underline{120^\circ}}$

Triangle 2: $\underline{\underline{30^\circ}}, \underline{\underline{75^\circ}}, \underline{\underline{75^\circ}}$

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6. (a) Write $\frac{1}{6}$ as a recurring decimal.

$$\frac{1 \times 15}{6 \times 15} = \frac{15}{90} = \frac{16-1}{90} \quad \text{or}$$

$$\Rightarrow 1.6 \Rightarrow 0.\overline{16}$$

$$6 \overline{)106} \Rightarrow 0.\overline{16}$$

$$(a) \dots \quad [2]$$

- (b) Elsa divides a two-digit number by another two-digit number.
She gets the answer $0.1\dot{6}$.

She says that there is only one possible pair of numbers that will give this answer.
Is she correct? Show how you decide.

$$\begin{array}{r} 100x = 15.555\dots \\ - 10x = 1.555\dots \\ \hline 90x = 14 \\ x = \frac{14}{90} \end{array}$$

$$\left[\begin{array}{l} \frac{14}{90} \div 2 \Rightarrow \frac{7}{45} \xrightarrow{\text{not two-digit}} \\ \frac{14}{90} \times 2 \Rightarrow \frac{28}{810} \xrightarrow{\text{not two-digit}} \end{array} \right]$$

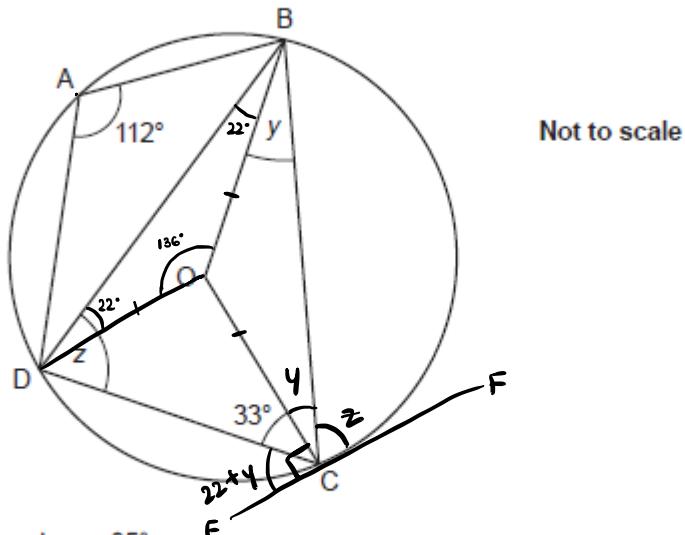
\therefore so $\frac{14}{90}$ is the only possible pair of numbers

Yes, she is correct

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7. A, B, C and D are points on the circumference of a circle, centre O.

Angle BAD = 112° and angle DCO = 33° .



- (a) Show that angle $y = 35^\circ$.
Give reasons for each stage of your working.

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$$112 \times 2 = 224 \quad 360 - 224 = 136 = \angle DOB$$

$$\overline{DO} = \overline{BO} \text{ thus } \angle BDO = \angle OBD = \frac{180 - 136}{2} = 22$$

The tangent (\overline{EF}) is perpendicular to \overline{OC} radius

$$\angle DBC = \angle DCE = 22 + y$$

$$22 + y + 33 = 90$$

$$y + 55 = 90$$

$$\boxed{y = 35^\circ}$$

- (b) Work out angle z .
Give reasons for your answer.

$$\angle BDC = \angle BCF = z \quad y = 35$$

$$\angle OCF = 90^\circ = y + z = 35 + z$$

$$\boxed{z = 55^\circ}$$

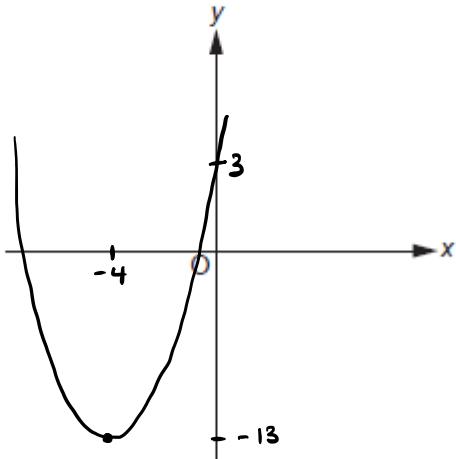
Angle $z = 55^\circ$ because according to alternate segment theorem $\angle BDC = \angle BCF = z^\circ$ and the angle between the tangent (\overline{EF}) and the radius (\overline{OC}) is 90° . [3]
which is equal to $y + z$

8. (a) Write $x^2 + 8x + 3$ in the form $(x+a)^2 - b$. $(x+a)^2 = x^2 + 2ax + a^2$

$$\begin{aligned}
 & x^2 + 2 \times 4x + 3 \quad a=4 \\
 & = x^2 + 2 \times 4x + 4^2 - 4^2 + 3 \\
 & = (x+4)^2 - 16 + 3 \\
 & = (x+4)^2 - 13
 \end{aligned}$$

(a) $(x+4)^2 - 13$ [3]

- (b) Sketch the graph of $y = x^2 + 8x + 3$.
Show clearly the coordinates of any turning points and the y-intercept.



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y-intercept : $y = 0^2 + 8 \times 0 + 3 \quad x=0$

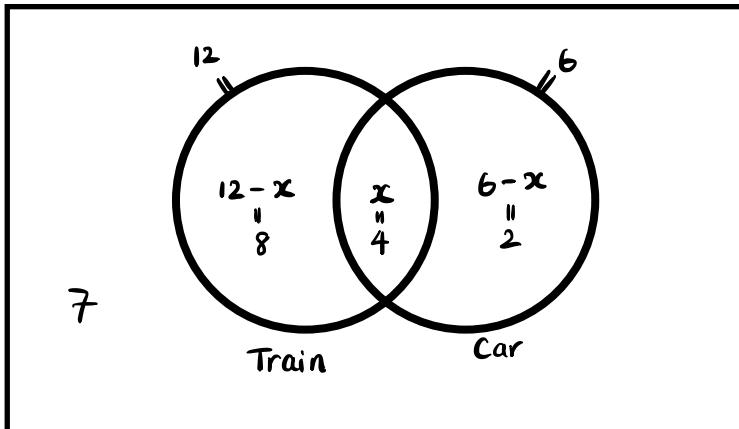
$y = 3$

9. 21 people travelled to a meeting.

- 12 used a train.
- 6 used a car.
- 7 did not use a train or a car.
- Some used a train and a car.

Two people are chosen at random from those who used a train.

Find the probability that both these people also used a car.



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21

$$(12 - x) + x + (6 - x) + 7 = 21$$

$$25 - x = 21$$

$$25 - 21 = x$$

$$\underline{\underline{x = 4}}$$

$$\frac{4}{12} \times \frac{3}{11} = \boxed{\frac{1}{11}}$$

$$\frac{1}{11}$$

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Total Marks for Question Set 1: 51



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