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# GCSE MATHEMATICS

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Higher Tier

Paper 3 Calculator

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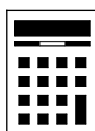
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Time allowed: 1 hour 30 minutes

## Materials

For this paper you must have:

- a calculator
- mathematical instruments
- the Formulae Sheet (enclosed).



## Instructions

- Use black ink or black ball-point pen. Draw diagrams in pencil.
- Fill in the boxes at the top of this page.
- Answer **all** questions.
- You must answer the questions in the spaces provided. Do not write outside the box around each page or on blank pages.
- If you need extra space for your answer(s), use the lined pages at the end of this book. Write the question number against your answer(s).
- Do all rough work in this book. Cross through any work you do not want to be marked.

## Information

- The marks for questions are shown in brackets.
- The maximum mark for this paper is 80.
- You may ask for more answer paper, graph paper and tracing paper. These must be tagged securely to this answer book.

## Advice

In all calculations, show clearly how you work out your answer.

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Answer **all** questions in the spaces provided.

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- 1** The first four terms of a linear sequence are

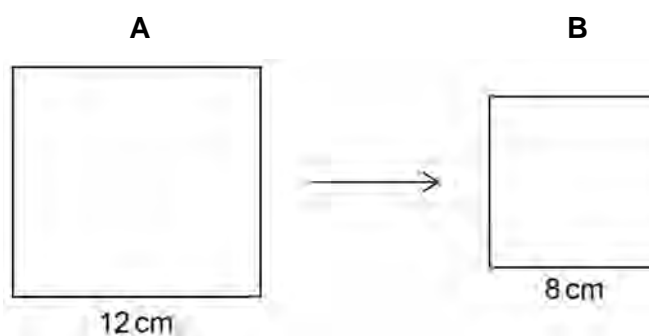
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Write down the expression for the  $n$ th term.

[1 mark]

Answer \_\_\_\_\_

- 2** Square A is enlarged to square B.



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Write down the scale factor of the enlargement as a fraction.

[1 mark]

Answer \_\_\_\_\_



- 3 The length of a line is 8 cm to the nearest centimetre.

Complete the error interval.

[2 marks]

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Answer \_\_\_\_\_ cm  $\leq$  length < \_\_\_\_\_ cm

- 4 At what point does the graph  $y = x^3 - 1$  cross the  $y$  axis?

[1 mark]

Answer ( \_\_\_\_\_ , \_\_\_\_\_ )

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- 8 Circle the largest number.

[1 mark]

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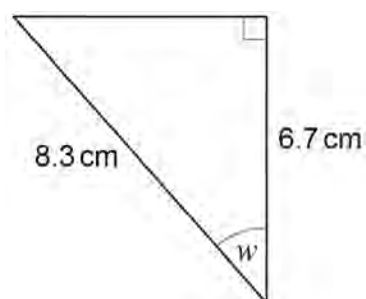
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- 9 Use trigonometry to work out the size of angle  $w$ .

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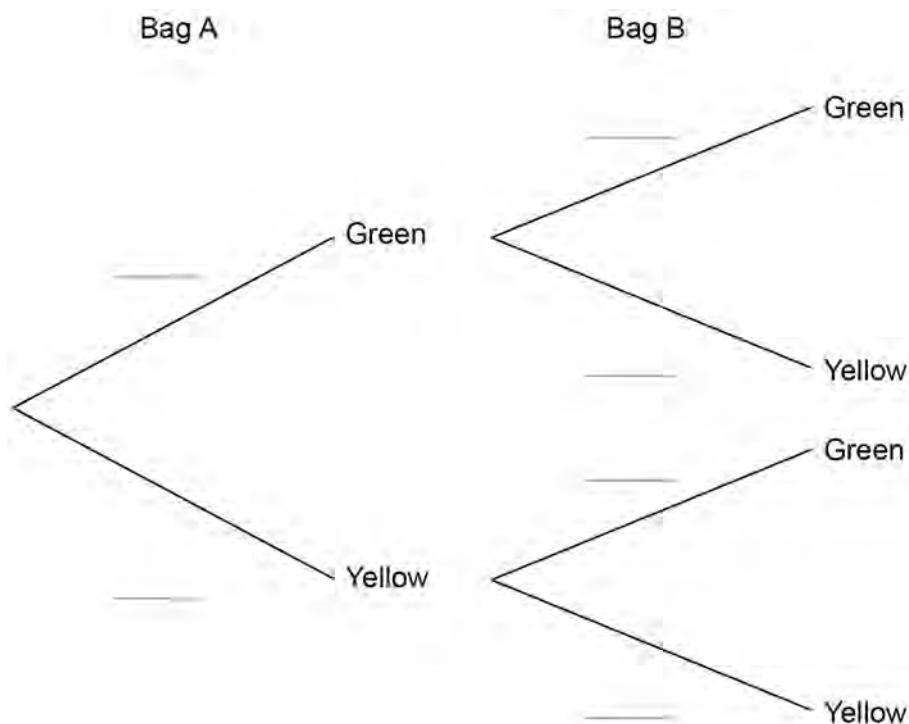
$w =$  \_\_\_\_\_  $^{\circ}$



- 10** Two bags contain only green discs and yellow discs.  
 Bag A contains 1 green disc and 4 yellow discs.  
 Bag B contains 3 green discs and 7 yellow discs.  
 One disc is picked at random from each bag.

- 10 (a)** Complete the tree diagram with the correct probabilities.

**[2 marks]**



- 10 (b)** Work out the probability that **both** discs are green.

**[2 marks]**

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Answer \_\_\_\_\_



11 Solve these simultaneous equations.

$$7x + 2y = 100$$

$$3x + 2y = 48$$

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

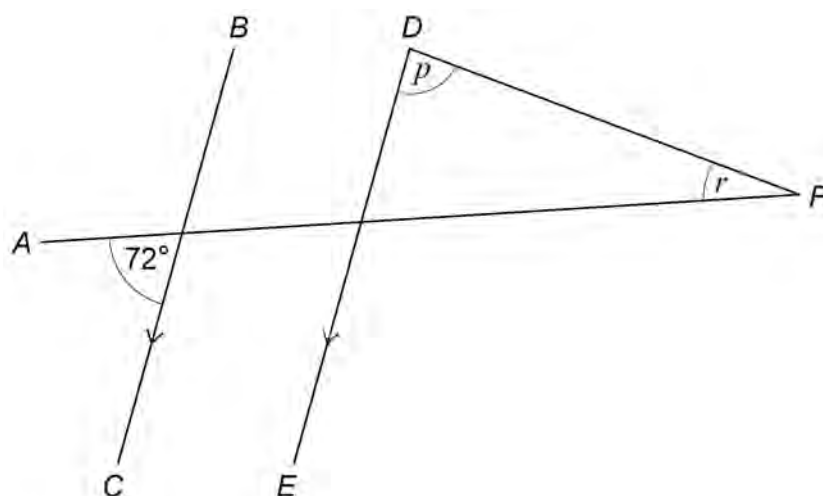




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$AF$ ,  $BC$ ,  $DE$  and  $DF$  are straight lines.

$BC$  and  $DE$  are parallel.



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$p$  is three times  $r$ .

Work out the size of angle  $p$ .

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$p = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}^\circ$

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- 13** 100 people were asked about the distance they travel from home to work.  
The table shows information about the results.

Distance, $d$ (miles)	Frequency
$0 \leq d < 5$	21
$5 \leq d < 10$	24
$10 \leq d < 20$	37
$20 \leq d < 40$	18

- 13 (a)** Write down the **greatest** possible number of people who work from home.

[1 mark]

Answer \_\_\_\_\_

- 13 (b)** One person is chosen at random.

Work out the probability that the person travels **at least** 10 miles.

[1 mark]

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Answer \_\_\_\_\_



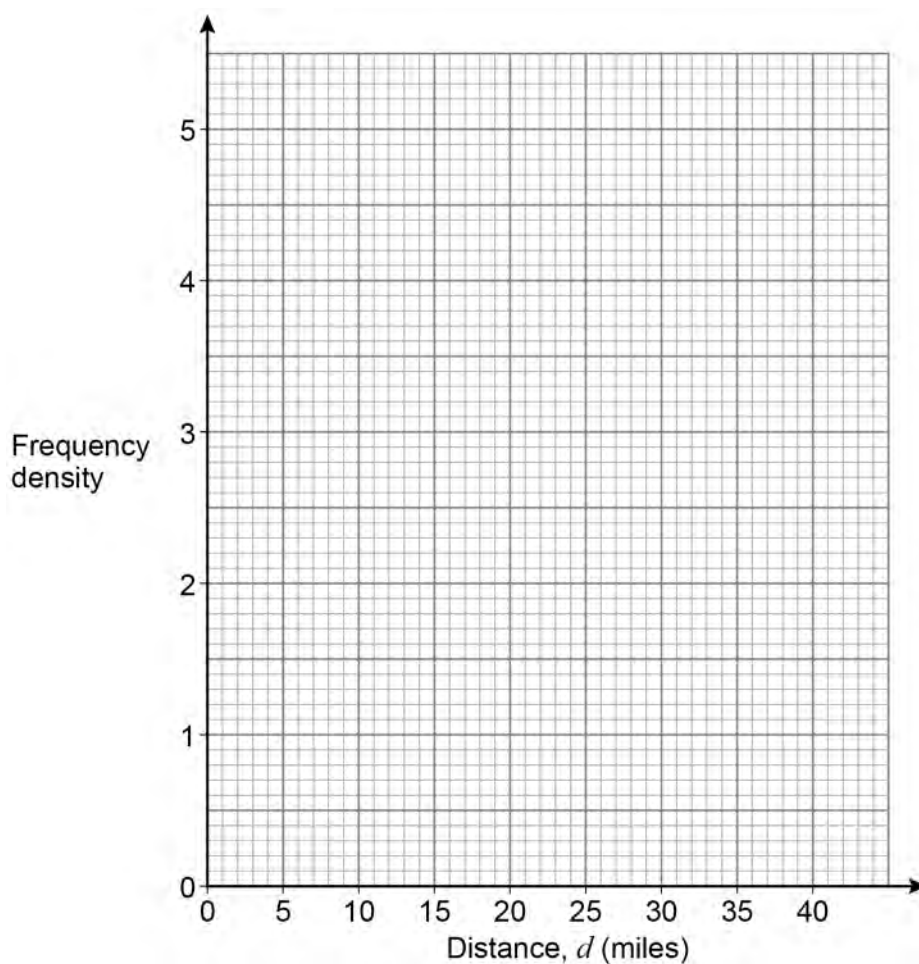
13 (c) The table is repeated.

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Distance, $d$ (miles)	Frequency
$0 \leq d < 5$	21
$5 \leq d < 10$	24
$10 \leq d < 20$	37
$20 \leq d < 40$	18

Draw a histogram to represent the results.

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- 14 A solid trophy consists of a stand and a player.

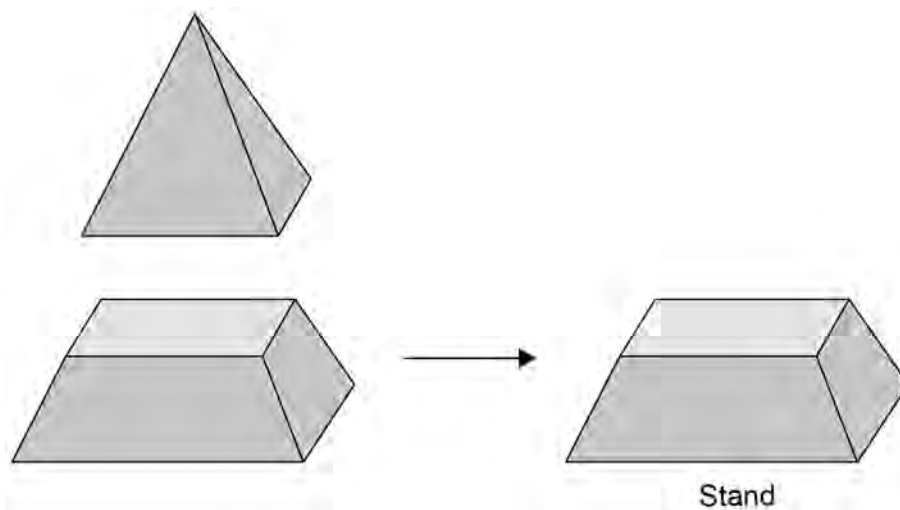


Trophy

The stand is made by removing a small pyramid from a large pyramid.

**Large pyramid** Square base, edge 8 cm Perpendicular height 16 cm

**Small pyramid** Square base, edge 5 cm Perpendicular height 10 cm



$$\text{Volume of a pyramid} = \frac{1}{3} \times \text{area of base} \times \text{perpendicular height}$$



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- 14 (a)** Show that the volume of the **stand** is  $258 \text{ cm}^3$

**[2 marks]**

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- 14 (b)** The trophy is made from a metal of density  $7.5 \text{ grams per cm}^3$   
The **total** mass of the trophy is  $2340 \text{ grams}$ .

Work out the volume of the **player**.

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Answer \_\_\_\_\_  $\text{cm}^3$

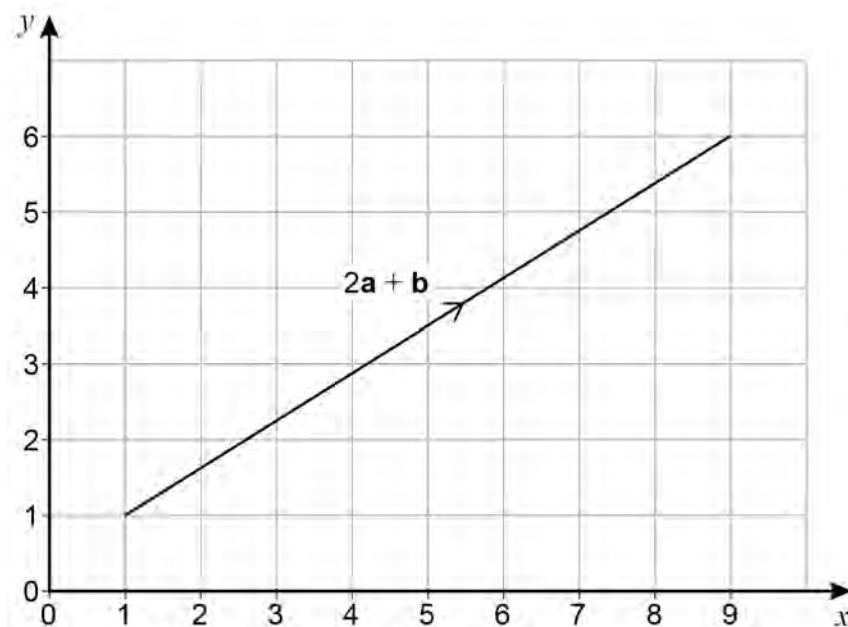
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$$\mathbf{a} = \begin{pmatrix} m \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} \quad \mathbf{b} = \begin{pmatrix} -4 \\ p \end{pmatrix}$$

The diagram shows the vector  $2\mathbf{a} + \mathbf{b}$



Work out the values of  $m$  and  $p$ .

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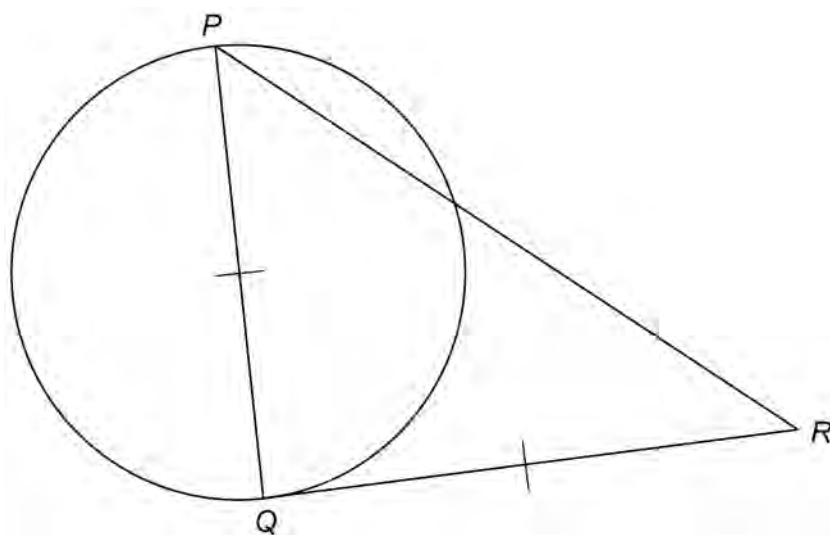


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 $PQ$  is a diameter of a circle. $QR$  is a tangent to the circle.

$$PQ = QR$$

$$PR = 10 \text{ cm}$$

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accuratelyWork out the **radius** of the circle.

Give your answer as a decimal.

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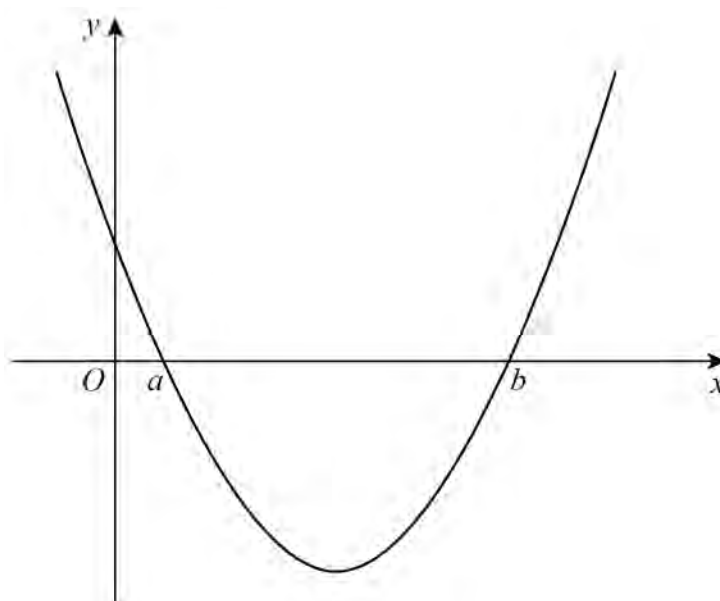
Answer \_\_\_\_\_ cm



17

Here is a sketch of the quadratic graph  $y = f(x)$

The graph crosses the  $x$ -axis at  $x = a$  and  $x = b$



Write an expression for the  $x$ -coordinate of the turning point.

[1 mark]

Answer \_\_\_\_\_





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18 Simplify  $\frac{2(x+4)^5}{(x+4)^3}$

Give your answer in the form  $ax^2 + bx + c$  where  $a$ ,  $b$  and  $c$  are integers.

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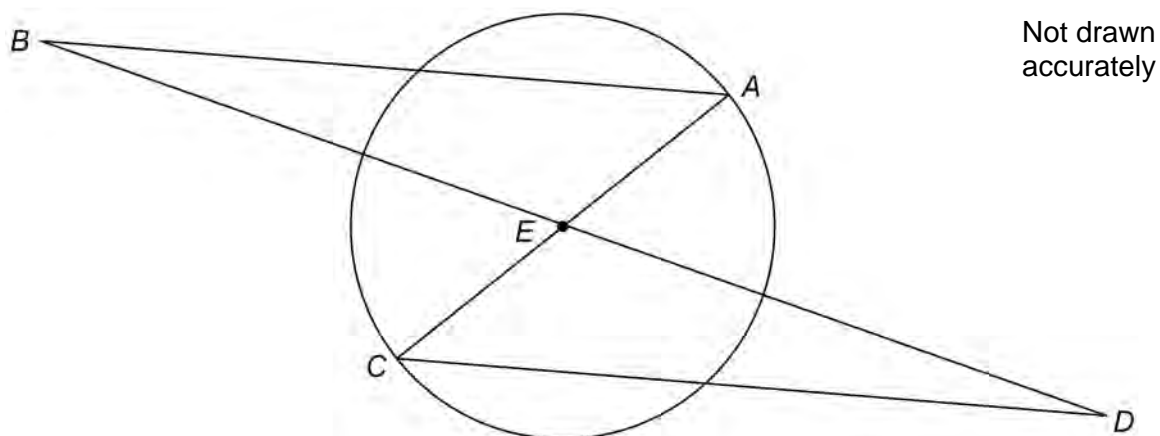


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$AC$  is a diameter of a circle, centre  $E$ .

$E$  is the midpoint of  $BD$ .

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Prove that triangle  $ABE$  is congruent to triangle  $CDE$ .

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Solve  $2x(x + 10) = 5x - 18$ **[4 marks]***Do not write  
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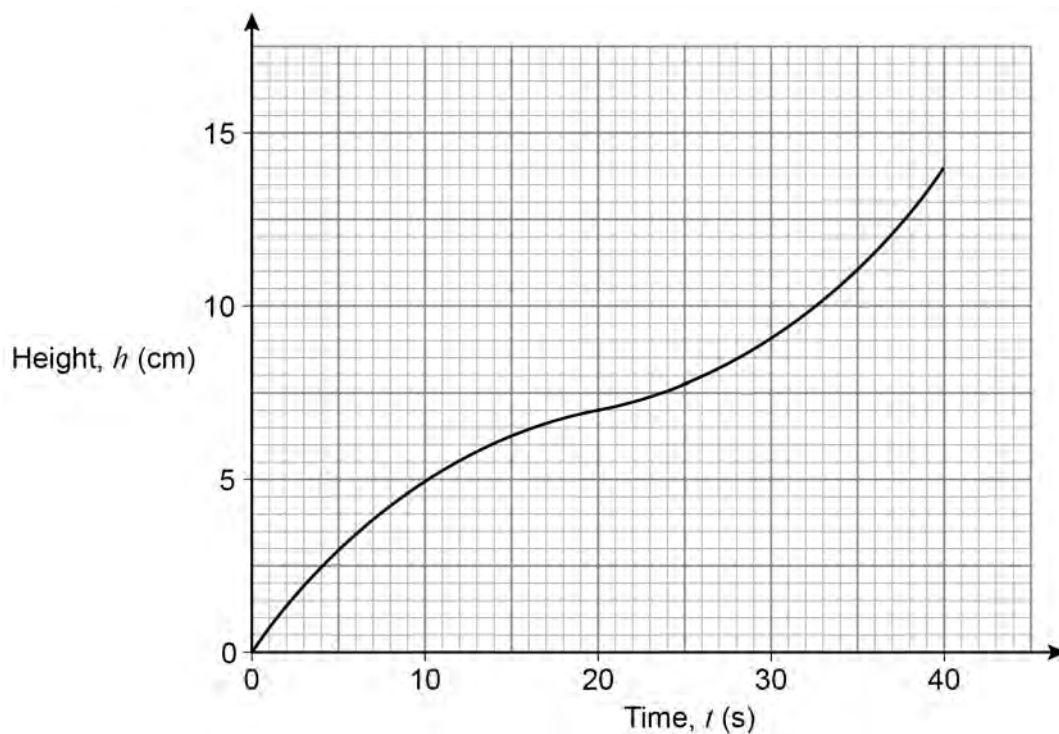
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Water flows from a tap at a constant rate.

A container is filled with water from the tap in 40 seconds.

The graph shows the height,  $h$  centimetres, of the water after time,  $t$  seconds.

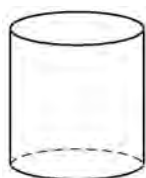


21 (a) The container is one of these shapes.

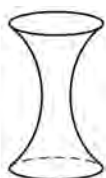
Circle the letter of the correct shape.

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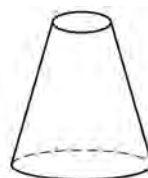
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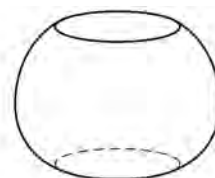
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- 21 (b)** By drawing a tangent on the graph,  
estimate the rate at which the height is increasing when  $t = 10$

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Answer \_\_\_\_\_ cm/s

- 22** Write  $\frac{7}{2a^2} - \frac{3}{5a}$  as a single fraction in its simplest form.

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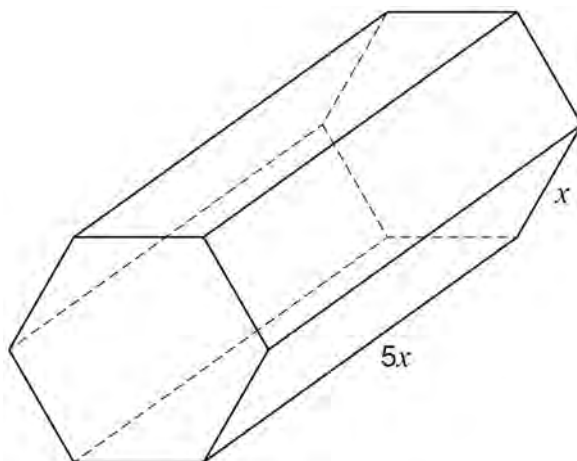
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A chocolate box in the shape of a prism is being designed.

All lengths are in centimetres.

The cross section is a regular hexagon with side  $x$

The length is  $5x$



An expression for the area of the cross section, in  $\text{cm}^2$ , is  $\frac{3\sqrt{3}}{2}x^2$

The **total** surface area of the box must be less than  $650 \text{ cm}^2$

Work out the largest possible **integer** value of  $x$ .

You **must** show your working.

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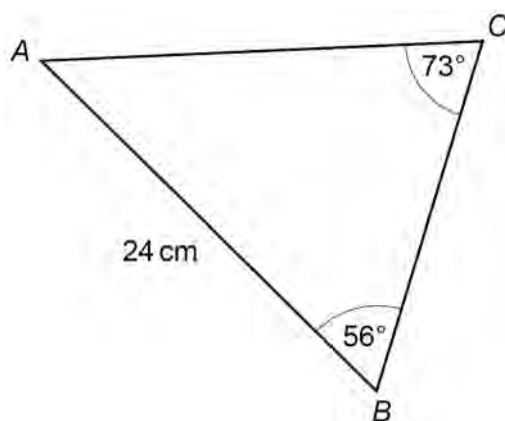
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Work out the area of triangle  $ABC$ .**[4 marks]**Not drawn  
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Answer \_\_\_\_\_  $\text{cm}^2$ 

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 $a$  is three quarters of  $c$ 

$$6b = 5c$$

Work out the ratio  $a : b : c$ Give your answer in its simplest form, where  $a$ ,  $b$  and  $c$  are integers.**[3 marks]**

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Answer \_\_\_\_\_ : \_\_\_\_\_ : \_\_\_\_\_







- 27 (a)** The graph of  $y = x^3$  is translated to the graph of  $y = (x - 2)^3$

Write down the translation vector.

[1 mark]

Answer  $\left( \begin{array}{c} \phantom{0} \\ \phantom{0} \end{array} \right)$

- 27 (b)** The graph of  $y = 5x + 4$  is reflected in the  $y$ -axis.

Write down the equation of the reflected graph.

[1 mark]

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