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**Pearson Edexcel Level 1/Level 2 GCSE (9–1)**

**Wednesday 6 November 2024**

Morning (Time: 1 hour 30 minutes)

Paper  
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**1MA1/1H**

**Mathematics**

**PAPER 1 (Non-Calculator)**

**Higher Tier**



**You must have:** Ruler graduated in centimetres and millimetres, protractor, pair of compasses, pen, HB or B pencil, eraser, Formulae Sheet (enclosed). Tracing paper may be used.

Total Marks

## Instructions

- Use **black** ink or ball-point pen.
- If pencil is used for diagrams/sketches/graphs it must be dark (HB or B).
- **Fill in the boxes** at the top of this page with your name, centre number and candidate number.
- Answer **all** questions.
- Answer the questions in the spaces provided  
– *there may be more space than you need.*
- You must **show all your working**.
- Diagrams are **NOT** accurately drawn, unless otherwise indicated.
- **Calculators may not be used.**

## Information

- The total mark for this paper is 80
- The marks for **each** question are shown in brackets  
– *use this as a guide as to how much time to spend on each question.*

## Advice

- Read each question carefully before you start to answer it.
- Try to answer every question.
- Check your answers if you have time at the end.

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**Answer ALL questions.**

**Write your answers in the spaces provided.**

**You must write down all the stages in your working.**

**1** Work out  $818.4 \div 1.2$

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**(Total for Question 1 is 3 marks)**



- 2 The table shows the probabilities that a biased dice will land on 3, on 4, on 5 and on 6

<b>Number on dice</b>	1	2	3	4	5	6
<b>Probability</b>			0.10	0.30	0.05	0.25

Karim assumes that the probabilities that the dice will land on 1 and on 2 are the same.

Karim rolls the biased dice 500 times.

- (a) Assuming Karim is right, work out an estimate for the number of times the dice will land on 2

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(3)

Karim is wrong.

The probability that the dice will land on 2 is greater than the probability that the dice will land on 1

- (b) How does this information affect your answer to part (a)?

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**(Total for Question 2 is 4 marks)**

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3 (a) Work out  $3\frac{1}{2} - 1\frac{1}{6}$

Give your answer as a mixed number.

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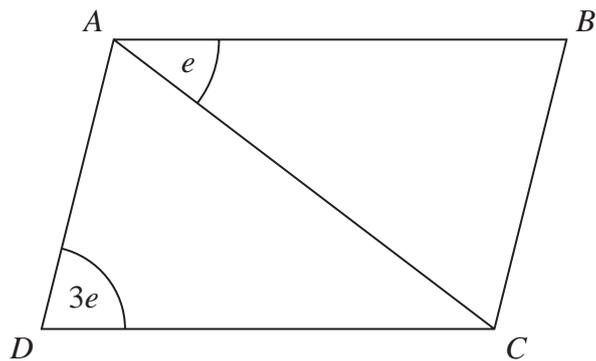
(b) Show that  $5\frac{1}{4} \div 2\frac{1}{3} = 2\frac{1}{4}$

(3)

(Total for Question 3 is 5 marks)



4  $ABCD$  is a parallelogram.



All angles are measured in degrees.

Find an expression, in terms of  $e$ , for the size of angle  $CAD$ .

Give a reason for each stage of your working.

(Total for Question 4 is 3 marks)



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5 A car travelled 4.96 miles at an average speed of 30.4 miles per hour.

(a) Work out an estimate for the time taken by the car.  
Give your answer in minutes.

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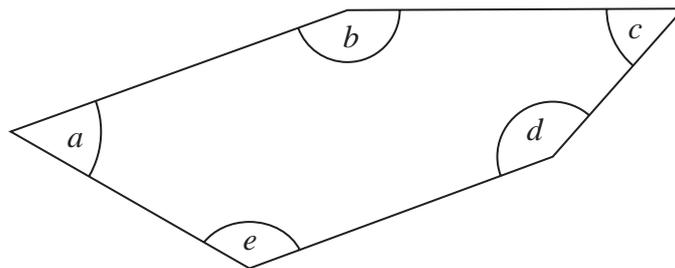
(b) Is your answer to part (a) an underestimate or an overestimate?  
Give a reason for your answer.

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(1)

(Total for Question 5 is 4 marks)



6 Here is a pentagon.



Angle  $a =$  angle  $c$

Angle  $b = 155^\circ$

Angle  $d$  is three times the size of angle  $c$

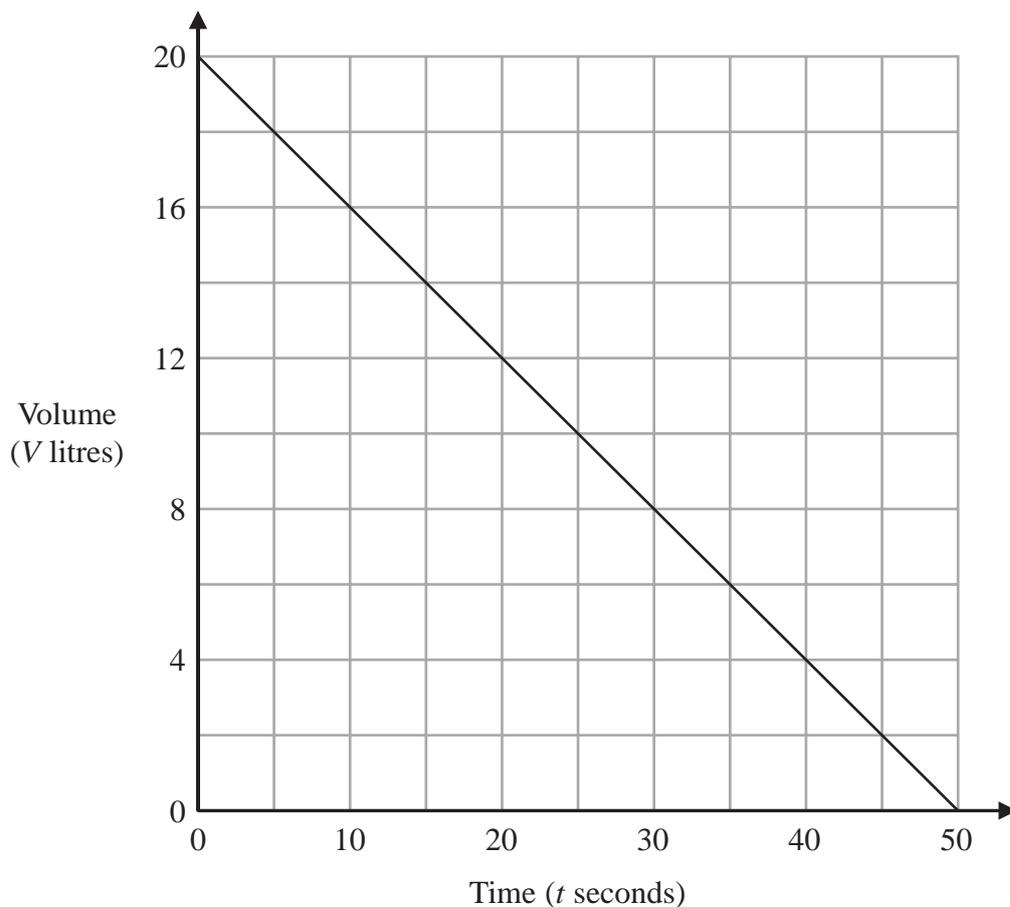
Angle  $e$  is two times the size of angle  $c$

Work out the size of angle  $a$

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(Total for Question 6 is 4 marks)



7 The graph shows the volume of water,  $V$  litres, in a tank at time  $t$  seconds.



What does the gradient of this graph represent?

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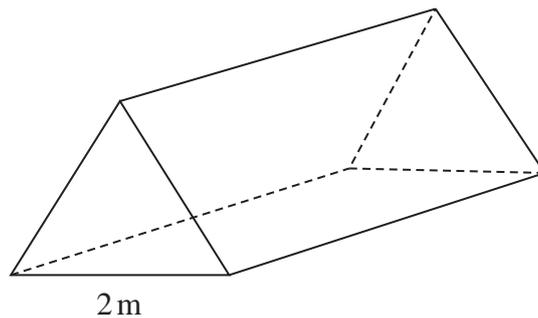
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(Total for Question 7 is 1 mark)



- 8 The diagram shows a solid triangular prism on a horizontal floor.



$$\text{pressure} = \frac{\text{force}}{\text{area}}$$

The face in contact with the floor is a rectangle of width 2 m.

The pressure on the floor due to the prism is  $80 \text{ newtons/m}^2$

The force exerted by the prism on the floor is 720 newtons.

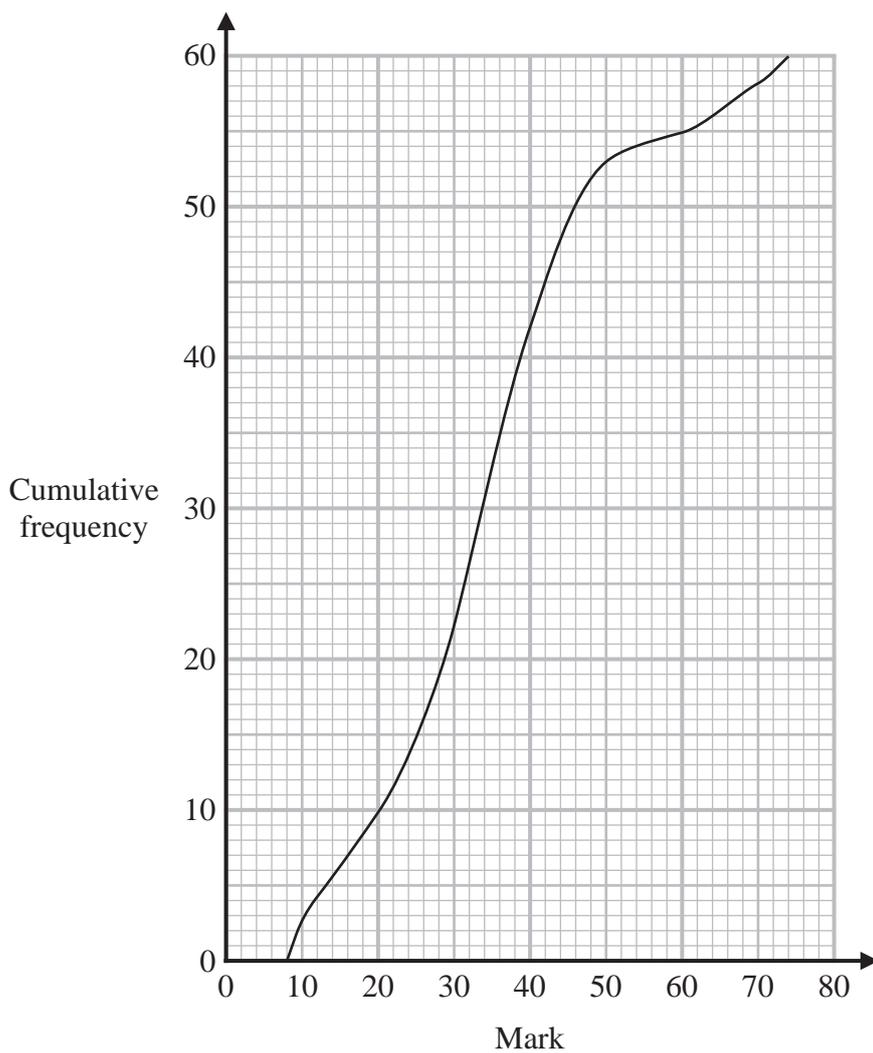
Work out the length of the prism.

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(Total for Question 8 is 3 marks)



- 9 The cumulative frequency graph gives information about the marks that 60 students got in a test.



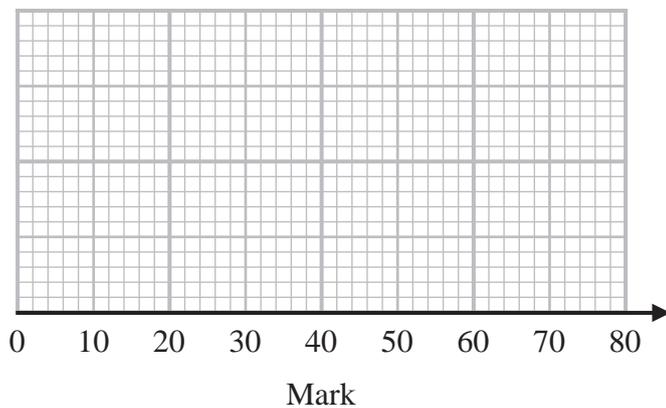
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For these 60 students  
 the highest mark was 74  
 the lowest mark was 8

- (a) On the grid below, draw a box plot for the distribution of the marks.



(3)



The pass mark for the test was 40

Sian says,

“30% of the 60 students passed the test.”

(b) Is Sian correct?

You must show how you get your answer.

(3)

(Total for Question 9 is 6 marks)

10 (a) Work out  $25^{\frac{1}{2}} \times 8^{\frac{1}{3}}$

(2)

(b) Find the value of  $\left(\frac{1}{32}\right)^{\frac{3}{5}}$

(2)

(Total for Question 10 is 4 marks)



11 Kate was asked to factorise  $x^2 + 5x + 6$  in the form  $(x + a)(x + b)$

Kate says,

“The sum of  $a$  and  $b$  must be 6 and the product of  $a$  and  $b$  must be 5”

(a) Explain what is wrong with Kate’s statement.

(1)

(b) Factorise fully  $2m^2 - 2$

(2)

(c) Factorise fully  $ax + bx - ay - by$

(2)

(Total for Question 11 is 5 marks)

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12 **A**, **B** and **C** are three solid spheres.

Sphere **A** has a volume of  $64 \text{ cm}^3$

Sphere **B** has a volume of  $125 \text{ cm}^3$

The radius of sphere **C** is 50% of the radius of sphere **B**.

Work out the ratio of the surface area of sphere **A** to the surface area of sphere **C**.

Give your answer in the form  $a:b$  where  $a$  and  $b$  are integers.

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(Total for Question 12 is 4 marks)

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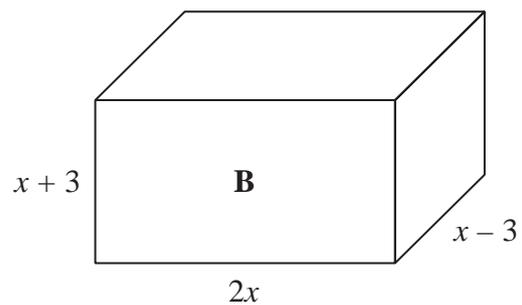
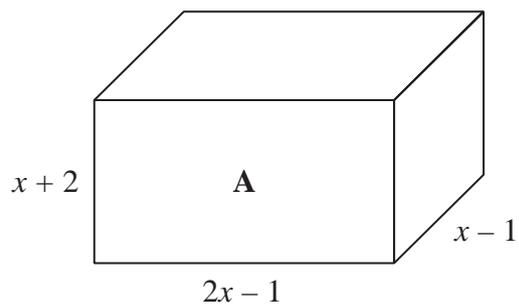
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13 Here are two cuboids.



All lengths are measured in centimetres.

The volume of cuboid A is  $142 \text{ cm}^3$  greater than the volume of cuboid B.

Work out the value of  $x$ .

$$x = \dots\dots\dots$$

(Total for Question 13 is 5 marks)

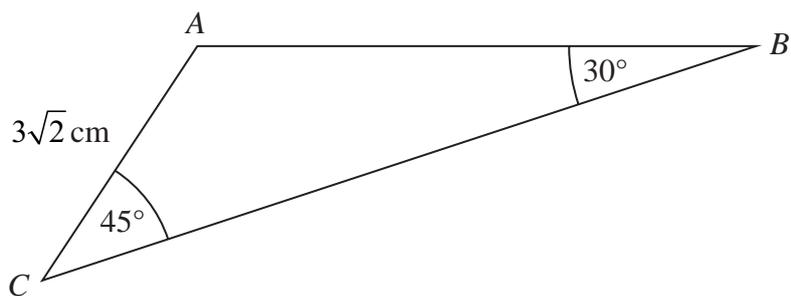
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14  $ABC$  is a triangle.



Work out the length of  $AB$ .

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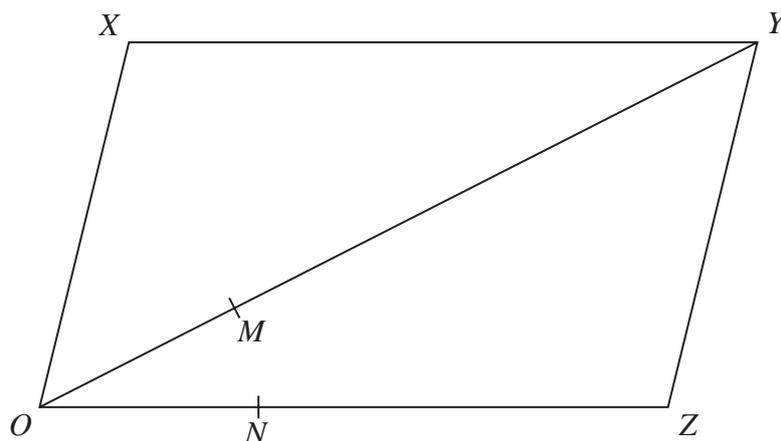
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15  $OXYZ$  is a parallelogram.



$$\vec{OY} = \mathbf{a} \text{ and } \vec{OZ} = \mathbf{b}$$

$M$  is the point on  $OY$  such that  $OM:MY = 1:3$

$N$  is the point on  $OZ$  such that  $ON:NZ = 1:2$

Work out the ratio  $XN:MN$

You must show all your working.

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16 (a) Rationalise the denominator of  $\frac{15}{\sqrt{5}}$

Give your answer in its simplest form.

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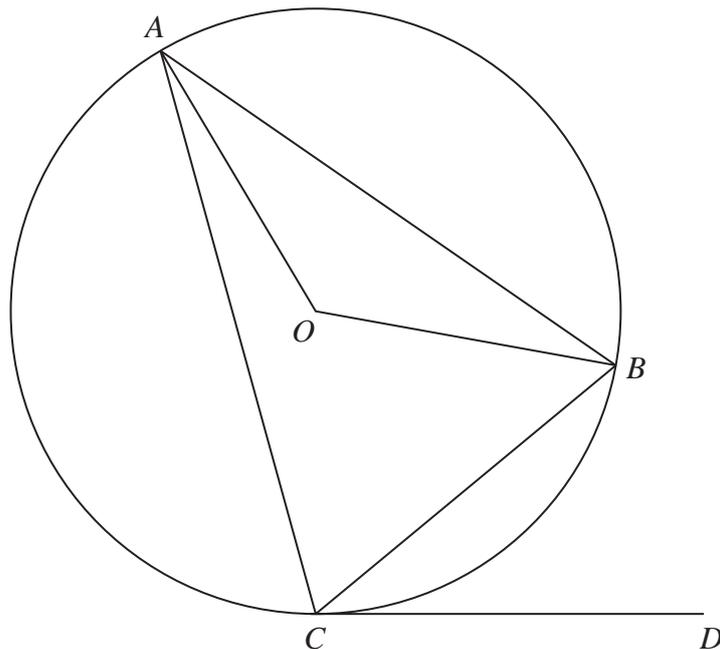
(b) Write  $\frac{\sqrt{75} - 2}{1 + 2\sqrt{3}}$  in the form  $\frac{a - b\sqrt{3}}{c}$  where  $a$ ,  $b$  and  $c$  are integers.

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(Total for Question 16 is 6 marks)



17  $A$ ,  $B$  and  $C$  are points on a circle, centre  $O$ .



$CD$  is a tangent to the circle.

Angle  $BCD = 40^\circ$

Angle  $OAB = 3 \times$  angle  $OAC$

Work out the size of angle  $ACD$ .

Write down any circle theorems that you use.

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(Total for Question 17 is 4 marks)



18  $f(x) = \frac{5x - 3}{4}$

(a) Find  $f^{-1}(x)$

$$f^{-1}(x) = \dots\dots\dots (2)$$

For all values of  $x$

$$g(x) = (x - 1)^2 \text{ and } h(x) = 1 - 2x$$

(b) Work out the value of  $gh(5)$

$$gh(5) = \dots\dots\dots (2)$$

**(Total for Question 18 is 4 marks)**

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- 19** In the semi-finals of a chess tournament,  
player **A** will play player **B**  
and player **C** will play player **D**.

The two winners will then play each other in the final.

The probability that player **A** will win against player **B** is 0.6

The probability that player **A** will win against player **C** is 0.5

The probability that player **A** will win against player **D** is 0.3

The probability that player **C** will win against player **D** is 0.2

Work out the probability that player **A** will win the chess tournament.

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(Total for Question 19 is 4 marks)



20 C is the circle with equation  $x^2 + y^2 = 4$

Find an equation of the tangent to C at the point  $(p, 1)$  where  $p > 0$

Give your answer in the form  $y + \sqrt{a}x = b$  where  $a$  and  $b$  are integers.

You must show all your working.

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