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**MATHEMATICS**  
**Unit Decision 1**

**MD01**

Wednesday 18 January 2006 1.30 pm to 3.00 pm

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- 1 (a) Draw a bipartite graph representing the following adjacency matrix. (2 marks)

	<i>U</i>	<i>V</i>	<i>W</i>	<i>X</i>	<i>Y</i>	<i>Z</i>
<i>A</i>	1	0	1	0	1	0
<i>B</i>	0	1	0	1	0	0
<i>C</i>	0	1	0	0	0	1
<i>D</i>	0	0	0	1	0	0
<i>E</i>	0	0	1	0	1	1
<i>F</i>	0	0	0	1	1	0

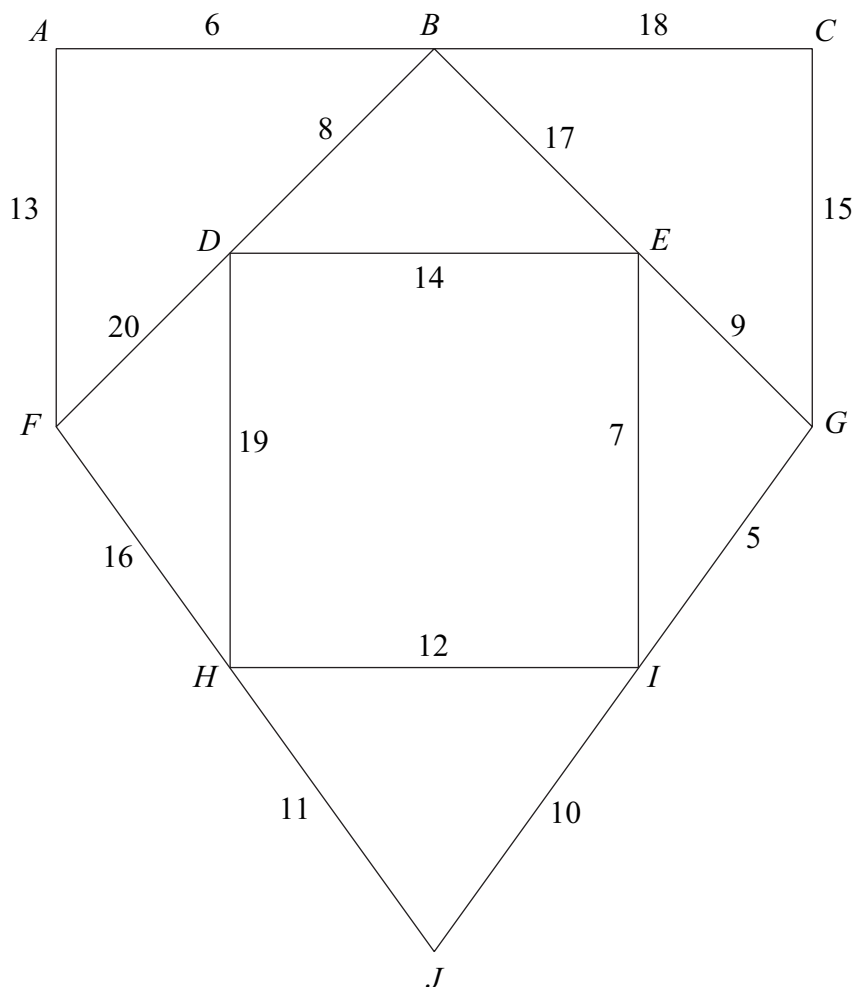
- (b) Given that initially *A* is matched to *W*, *B* is matched to *X*, *C* is matched to *V*, and *E* is matched to *Y*, use the alternating path algorithm, from this initial matching, to find a complete matching. List your complete matching. (5 marks)

- 2 Use the quicksort algorithm to rearrange the following numbers into ascending order. Indicate clearly the pivots that you use.

18 23 12 7 26 19 16 24

(5 marks)

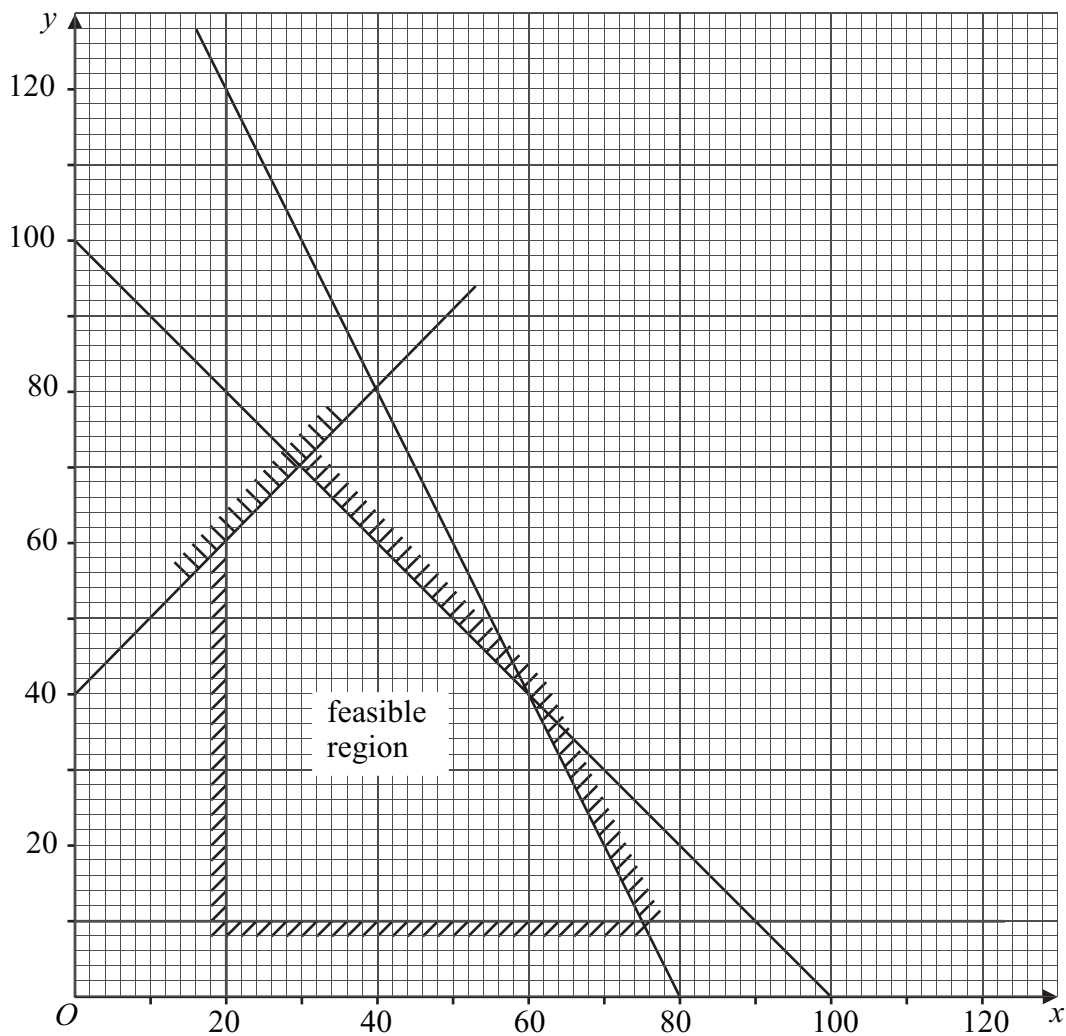
- 3 (a) (i) State the number of edges in a minimum spanning tree of a network with 10 vertices. (1 mark)
- (ii) State the number of edges in a minimum spanning tree of a network with  $n$  vertices. (1 mark)
- (b) The following network has 10 vertices:  $A, B, \dots, J$ . The numbers on each edge represent the distances, in miles, between pairs of vertices.



- (i) Use Kruskal's algorithm to find the minimum spanning tree for the network. (5 marks)
- (ii) State the length of your spanning tree. (1 mark)
- (iii) Draw your spanning tree. (2 marks)

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4 The diagram shows the feasible region of a linear programming problem.



(a) On the feasible region, find:

(i) the maximum value of  $2x + 3y$ ;

(2 marks)

(ii) the maximum value of  $3x + 2y$ ;

(2 marks)

(iii) the minimum value of  $-2x + y$ .

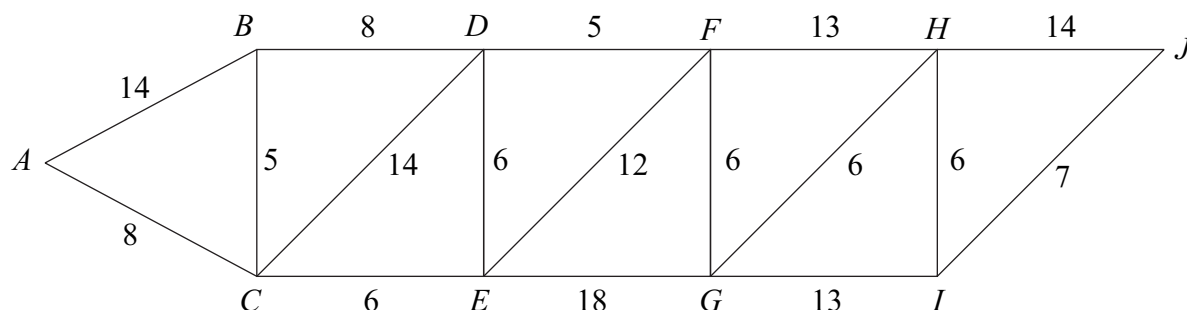
(2 marks)

(b) Find the 5 inequalities that define the feasible region.

(6 marks)

5 [Figure 1, printed on the insert, is provided for use in this question.]

The network shows the times, in minutes, to travel between 10 towns.



- (a) Use Dijkstra's algorithm on **Figure 1** to find the minimum time to travel from *A* to *J*.  
(6 marks)
- (b) State the corresponding route.  
(1 mark)

6 Two algorithms are shown.

**Algorithm 1**

Line 10 Input *P*  
 Line 20 Input *R*  
 Line 30 Input *T*  
 Line 40 Let  $I = (P * R * T) / 100$   
 Line 50 Let  $A = P + I$   
 Line 60 Let  $M = A / (12 * T)$   
 Line 70 Print *M*  
 Line 80 Stop

**Algorithm 2**

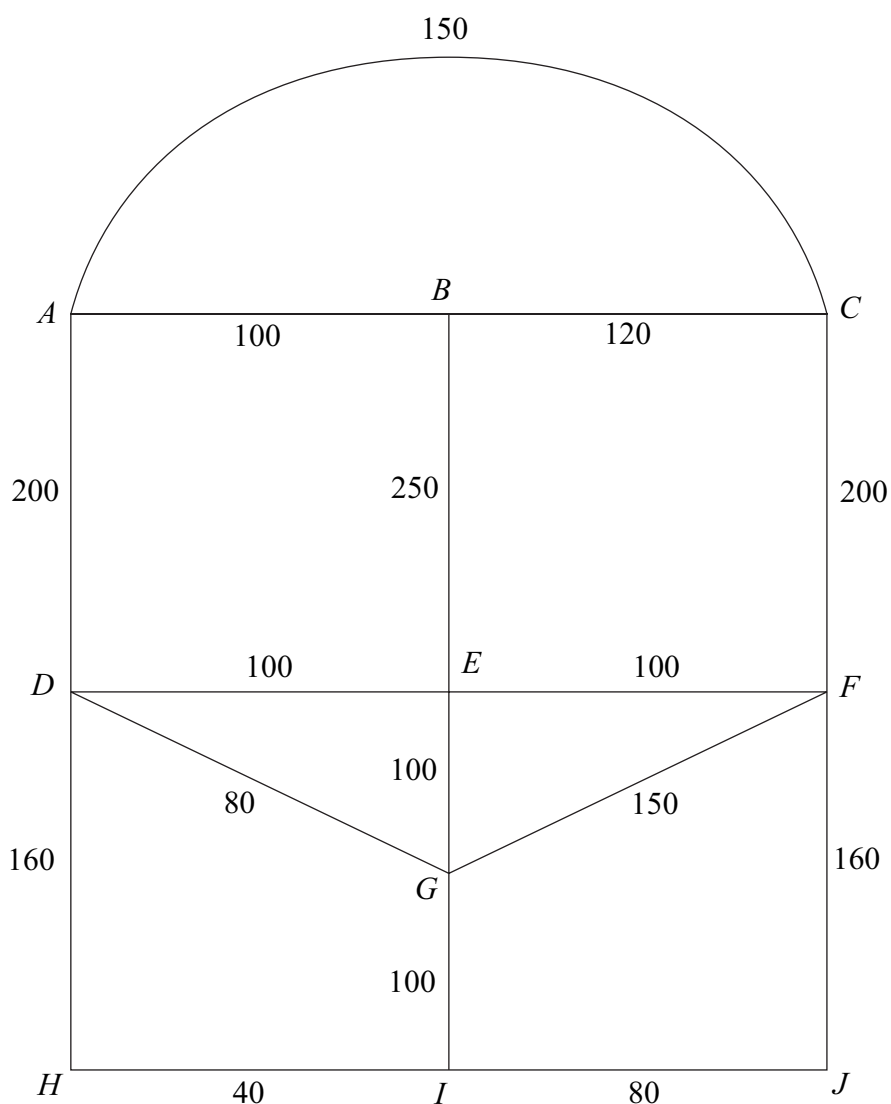
Line 10 Input *P*  
 Line 20 Input *R*  
 Line 30 Input *T*  
 Line 40 Let  $A = P$   
 Line 50  $K = 0$   
 Line 60 Let  $K = K + 1$   
 Line 70 Let  $I = (A * R) / 100$   
 Line 80 Let  $A = A + I$   
 Line 90 If  $K < T$  then goto Line 60  
 Line 100 Let  $M = A / (12 * T)$   
 Line 110 Print *M*  
 Line 120 Stop

In the case where the input values are  $P = 400$ ,  $R = 5$  and  $T = 3$ :

- (a) trace **Algorithm 1**;  
(3 marks)
- (b) trace **Algorithm 2**.  
(4 marks)

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- 7 Stella is visiting Tijuana on a day trip. The diagram shows the lengths, in metres, of the roads near the bus station.



Total = 2090

Stella leaves the bus station at  $A$ . She decides to walk along all of the roads at least once before returning to  $A$ .

- Explain why it is not possible to start from  $A$ , travel along each road only once and return to  $A$ . (1 mark)
- Find the length of an optimal 'Chinese postman' route around the network, starting and finishing at  $A$ . (5 marks)
- At each of the 9 places  $B, C, \dots, J$ , there is a statue. Find the number of times that Stella will pass a statue if she follows her optimal route. (2 marks)

- 8 Salvadore is visiting six famous places in Barcelona: La Pedrera ( $L$ ), Nou Camp ( $N$ ), Olympic Village ( $O$ ), Park Guell ( $P$ ), Ramblas ( $R$ ) and Sagrada Familia ( $S$ ). Owing to the traffic system the time taken to travel between two places may vary according to the direction of travel.

The table shows the times, in minutes, that it will take to travel between the six places.

<b>To</b> <b>From</b>	<b>La Pedrera</b> ( $L$ )	<b>Nou Camp</b> ( $N$ )	<b>Olympic Village</b> ( $O$ )	<b>Park Guell</b> ( $P$ )	<b>Ramblas</b> ( $R$ )	<b>Sagrada Familia</b> ( $S$ )
<b>La Pedrera</b> ( $L$ )	—	35	30	30	37	35
<b>Nou Camp</b> ( $N$ )	25	—	20	21	25	40
<b>Olympic Village</b> ( $O$ )	15	40	—	25	30	29
<b>Park Guell</b> ( $P$ )	30	35	25	—	35	20
<b>Ramblas</b> ( $R$ )	20	30	17	25	—	25
<b>Sagrada Familia</b> ( $S$ )	25	35	29	20	30	—

- (a) Find the total travelling time for:
- the route  $LNOL$ ; (1 mark)
  - the route  $LONL$ . (1 mark)
- (b) Give an example of a Hamiltonian cycle in the context of the above situation. (1 mark)
- (c) Salvadore intends to travel from one place to another until he has visited all of the places before returning to his starting place.
- Show that, using the nearest neighbour algorithm starting from Sagrada Familia ( $S$ ), the total travelling time for Salvadore is 145 minutes. (3 marks)
  - Explain why your answer to part (c)(i) is an upper bound for the minimum travelling time for Salvadore. (2 marks)
  - Salvadore starts from Sagrada Familia ( $S$ ) and then visits Ramblas ( $R$ ). Given that he visits Nou Camp ( $N$ ) before Park Guell ( $P$ ), find an improved upper bound for the total travelling time for Salvadore. (3 marks)

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- 9 A factory makes three different types of widget: plain, bland and ordinary. Each widget is made using three different machines:  $A$ ,  $B$  and  $C$ .

Each plain widget needs 5 minutes on machine  $A$ , 12 minutes on machine  $B$  and 24 minutes on machine  $C$ .

Each bland widget needs 4 minutes on machine  $A$ , 8 minutes on machine  $B$  and 12 minutes on machine  $C$ .

Each ordinary widget needs 3 minutes on machine  $A$ , 10 minutes on machine  $B$  and 18 minutes on machine  $C$ .

Machine  $A$  is available for 3 hours a day, machine  $B$  for 4 hours a day and machine  $C$  for 9 hours a day.

The factory must make:

more plain widgets than bland widgets;

more bland widgets than ordinary widgets.

At least 40% of the total production must be plain widgets.

Each day, the factory makes  $x$  plain,  $y$  bland and  $z$  ordinary widgets.

Formulate the above situation as 6 inequalities, in addition to  $x \geq 0$ ,  $y \geq 0$  and  $z \geq 0$ , writing your answers with simplified integer coefficients. (8 marks)

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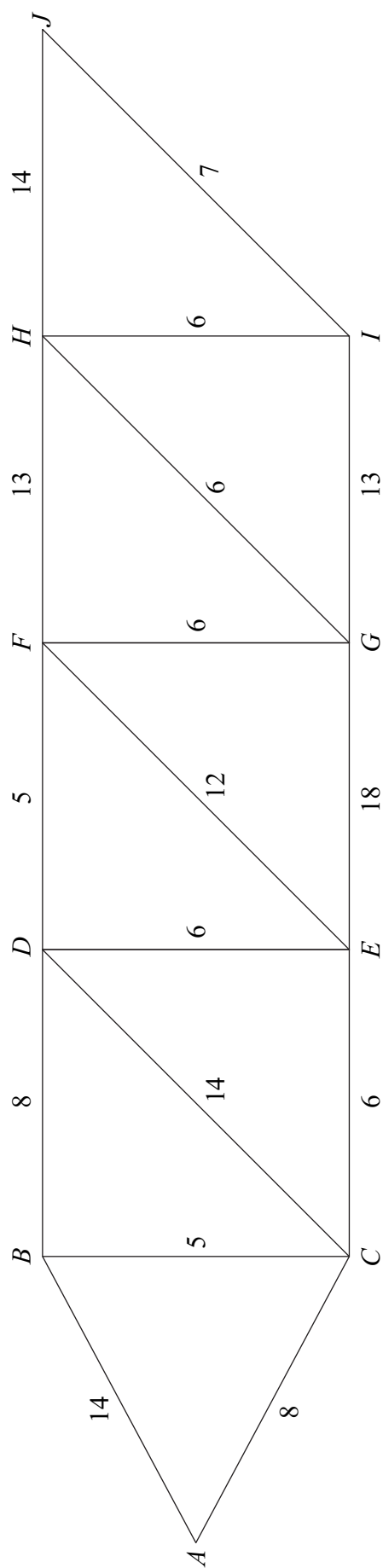
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Figure 1 (for Question 5)



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- 1 Five people,  $A$ ,  $B$ ,  $C$ ,  $D$  and  $E$ , are to be matched to five tasks, 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5. The table shows which tasks each person can do.

Person	Tasks
$A$	1, 3, 5
$B$	2, 4
$C$	2
$D$	4, 5
$E$	3, 5

- (a) Show this information on a bipartite graph. (2 marks)
- (b) Initially  $A$  is matched to task 3,  $B$  to task 4,  $C$  to task 2 and  $E$  to task 5.

Use an alternating path from this initial matching to find a complete matching.

(4 marks)

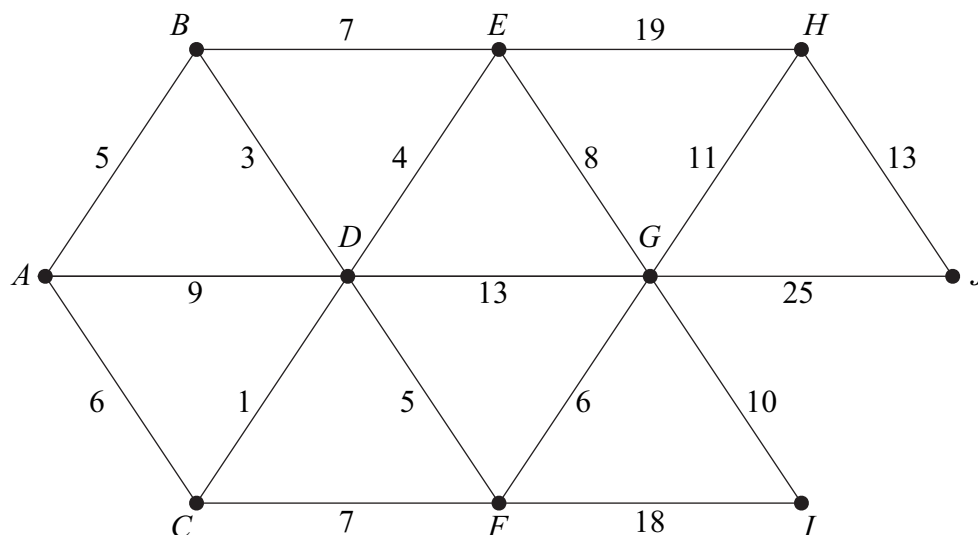
- 2 (a) Use a shuttle sort to rearrange the following numbers into ascending order.

18    2    12    7    26    19    16    24 (5 marks)

- (b) State the number of comparisons and swaps (exchanges) for each of the first three passes. (3 marks)

3 [Figure 1, printed on the insert, is provided for use in **part (b)** of this question.]

The diagram shows a network of roads. The number on each edge is the length, in kilometres, of the road.

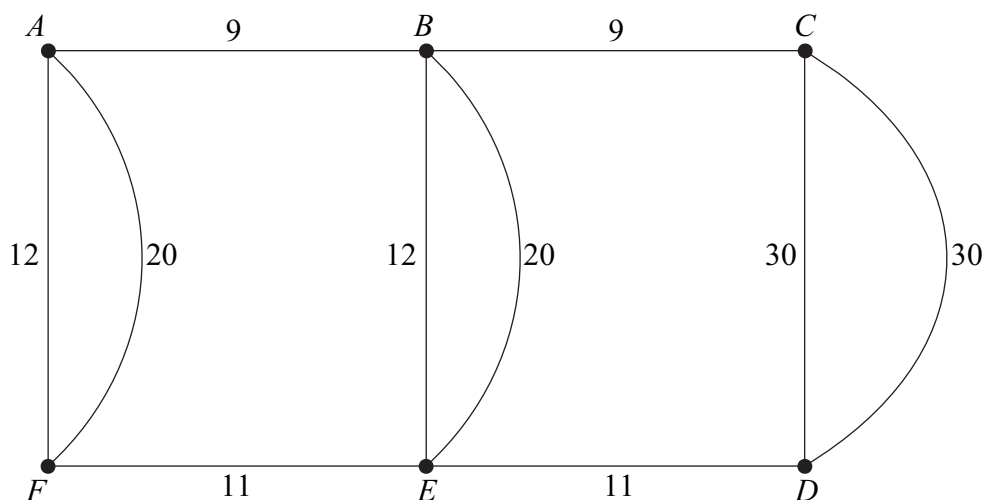


- (a) (i) Use Prim's algorithm, starting from  $A$ , to find a minimum spanning tree for the network. (5 marks)
- (ii) State the length of your minimum spanning tree. (1 mark)
- (b) (i) Use Dijkstra's algorithm on **Figure 1** to find the shortest distance from  $A$  to  $J$ . (6 marks)
- (ii) A new road, of length  $x$  km, is built connecting  $I$  to  $J$ . The minimum distance from  $A$  to  $J$  is reduced by using this new road. Find, and solve, an inequality for  $x$ . (2 marks)

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- 4 The diagram shows a network of roads connecting 6 villages. The number on each edge is the length, in miles, of the road.



Total length of the roads = 164 miles

- (a) A police patrol car based at village  $A$  has to travel along each road at least once before returning to  $A$ . Find the length of an optimal ‘Chinese postman’ route for the police patrol car. *(6 marks)*
- (b) A council worker starts from  $A$  and travels along each road at least once before finishing at  $C$ . Find the length of an optimal route for the council worker. *(2 marks)*
- (c) A politician is to travel along all the roads at least once. He can start his journey at any village and can finish his journey at any village.
- (i) Find the length of an optimal route for the politician. *(2 marks)*
- (ii) State the vertices from which the politician could start in order to achieve this optimal route. *(1 mark)*

5 [Figure 2, printed on the insert, is provided for use in this question.]

(a) Gill is solving a travelling salesperson problem.

(i) She finds the following upper bounds: 7.5, 8, 7, 7.5, 8.5.

Write down the best upper bound.

(1 mark)

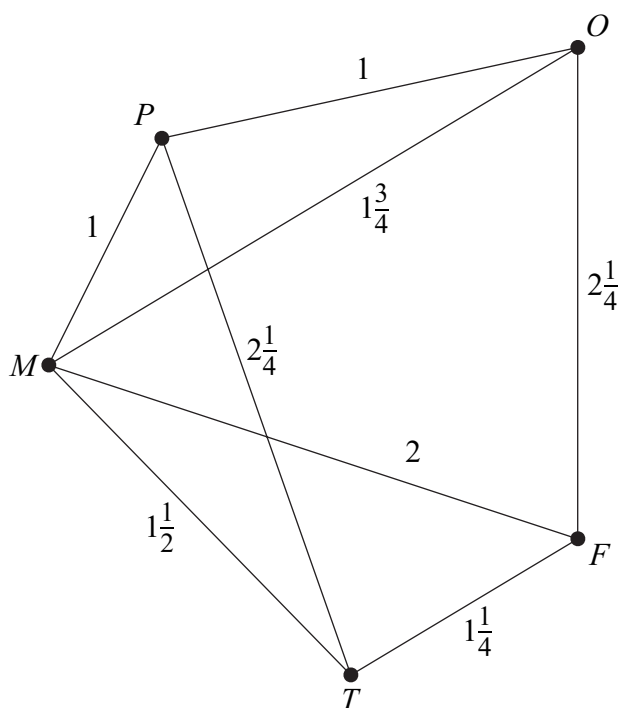
(ii) She finds the following lower bounds: 6.5, 7, 6.5, 5, 7.

Write down the best lower bound.

(1 mark)

(b) George is travelling by plane to a number of cities. He is to start at  $F$  and visit each of the other cities at least once before returning to  $F$ .

The diagram shows the times of flights, in hours, between cities. Where no time is shown, there is no direct flight available.



- (i) Complete **Figure 2** to show the minimum times to travel between all pairs of cities. (2 marks)
- (ii) Find an upper bound for the minimum total flying time by using the route  $FTPOMF$ . (1 mark)
- (iii) Using the nearest neighbour algorithm starting from  $F$ , find an upper bound for the minimum total flying time. (4 marks)
- (iv) By deleting  $F$ , find a lower bound for the minimum total flying time. (5 marks)

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6 [Figure 3, printed on the insert, is provided for use in this question.]

Ernesto is to plant a garden with two types of tree: palms and conifers.

He is to plant at least 10, but not more than 80 palms.

He is to plant at least 5, but not more than 40 conifers.

He cannot plant more than 100 trees in total.

Each palm needs 20 litres of water each day and each conifer needs 60 litres of water each day. There are 3000 litres of water available each day.

Ernesto makes a profit of £2 on each palm and £1 on each conifer that he plants and he wishes to maximise his profit.

Ernesto plants  $x$  palms and  $y$  conifers.

- (a) Formulate Ernesto's situation as a linear programming problem. *(5 marks)*
- (b) On **Figure 3**, draw a suitable diagram to enable the problem to be solved graphically, indicating the feasible region and the direction of the objective line. *(7 marks)*
- (c) Find the maximum profit for Ernesto. *(2 marks)*
- (d) Ernesto introduces a new pricing structure in which he makes a profit of £1 on each palm and £4 on each conifer.

Find Ernesto's new maximum profit and the number of each type of tree that he should plant to obtain this maximum profit. *(2 marks)*

7 A connected graph  $G$  has  $m$  vertices and  $n$  edges.

- (a) (i) Write down the number of edges in a minimum spanning tree of  $G$ . *(1 mark)*
  - (ii) Hence write down an inequality relating  $m$  and  $n$ . *(2 marks)*
- (b) The graph  $G$  contains a Hamiltonian cycle. Write down the number of edges in this cycle. *(1 mark)*
- (c) In the case where  $G$  is Eulerian, draw a graph of  $G$  for which  $m = 6$  and  $n = 12$ . *(2 marks)*

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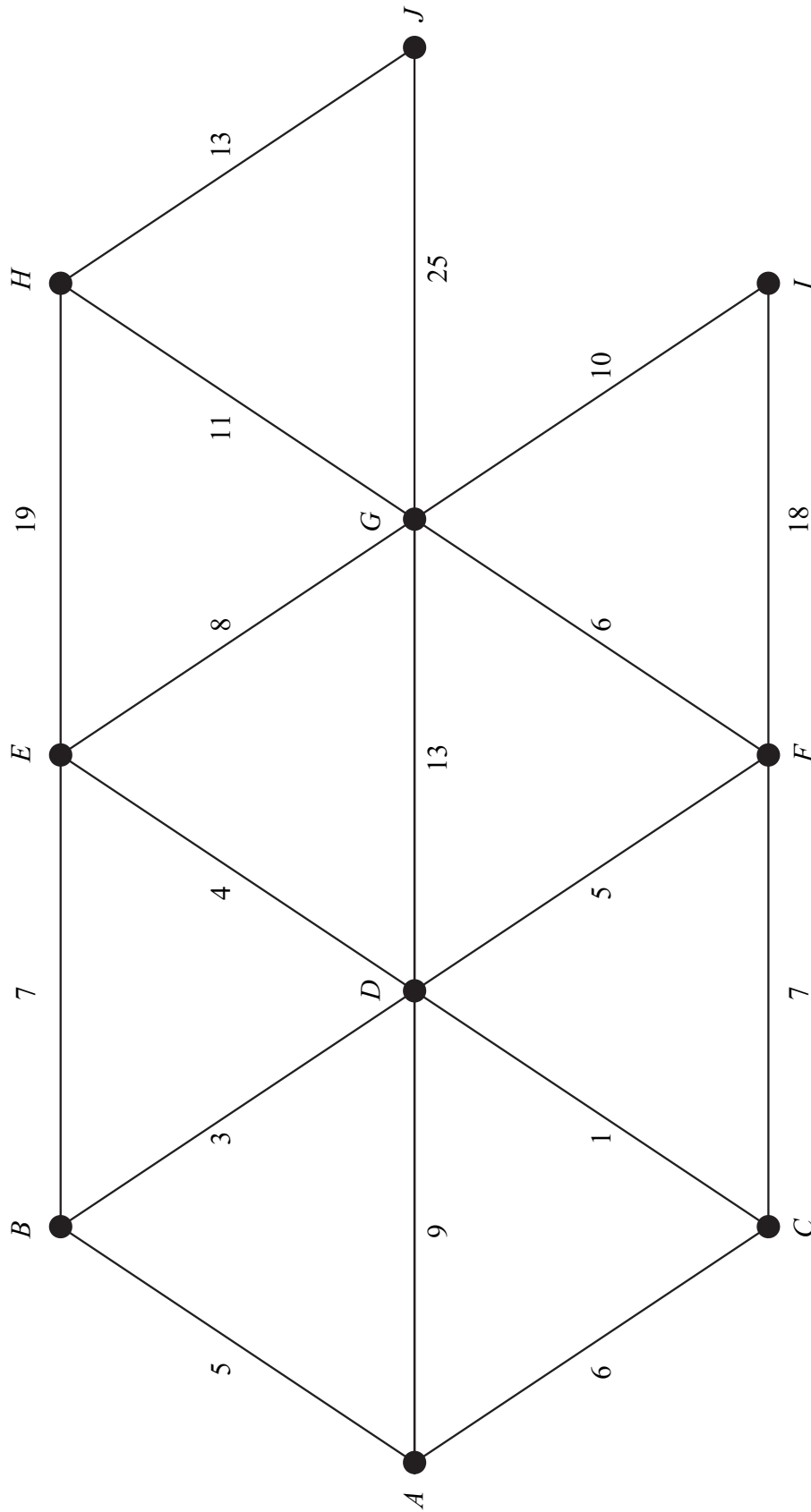
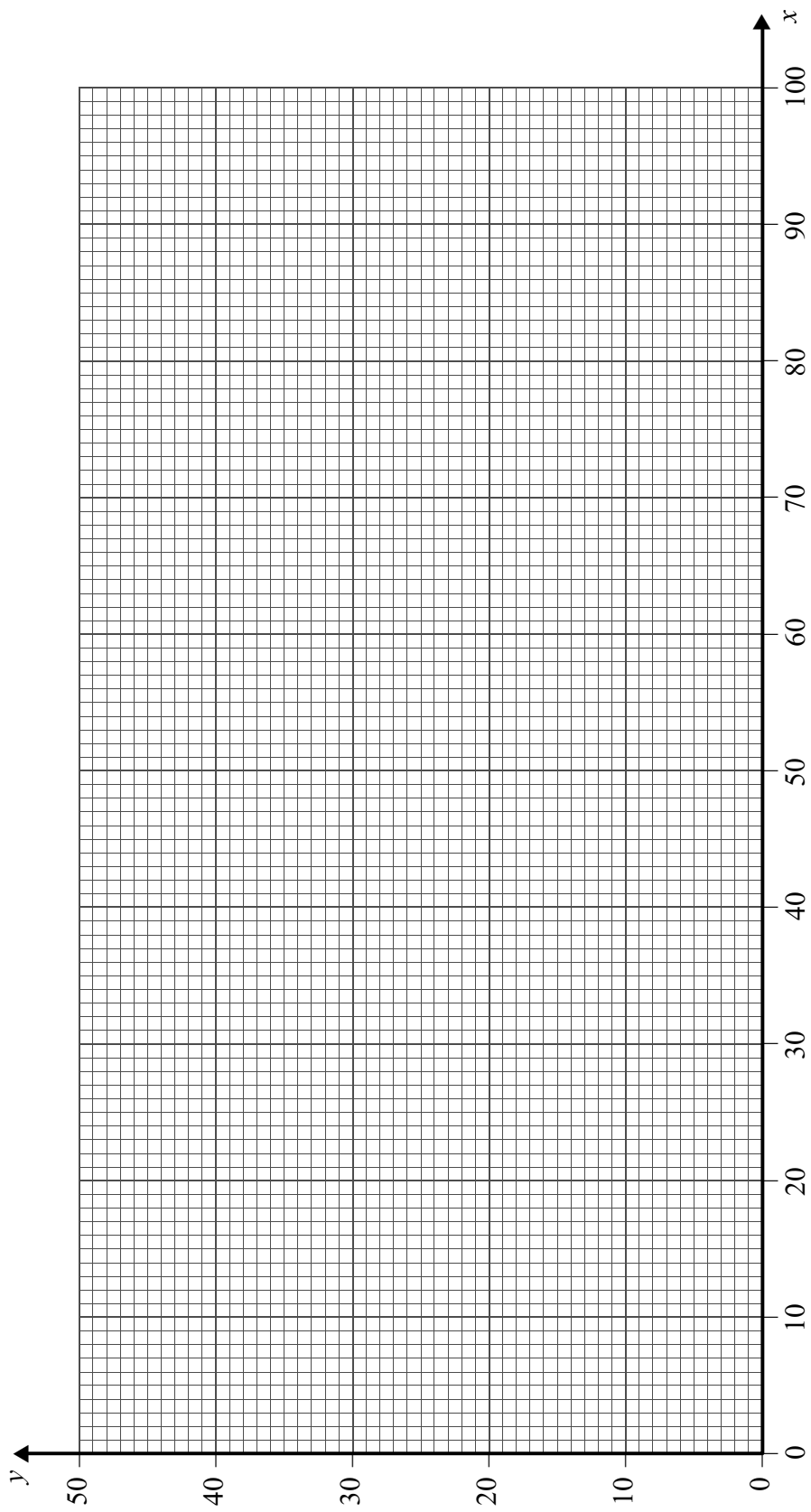


Figure 2 (for use in Question 5)

	<i>M</i>	<i>P</i>	<i>O</i>	<i>T</i>	<i>F</i>
<i>M</i>	–	1	$1\frac{3}{4}$	$1\frac{1}{2}$	2
<i>P</i>	1	–	1	$2\frac{1}{4}$	
<i>O</i>	$1\frac{3}{4}$	1	–		$2\frac{1}{4}$
<i>T</i>	$1\frac{1}{2}$	$2\frac{1}{4}$		–	$1\frac{1}{4}$
<i>F</i>	2		$2\frac{1}{4}$	$1\frac{1}{4}$	–

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**Figure 3 (for use in Question 6)**

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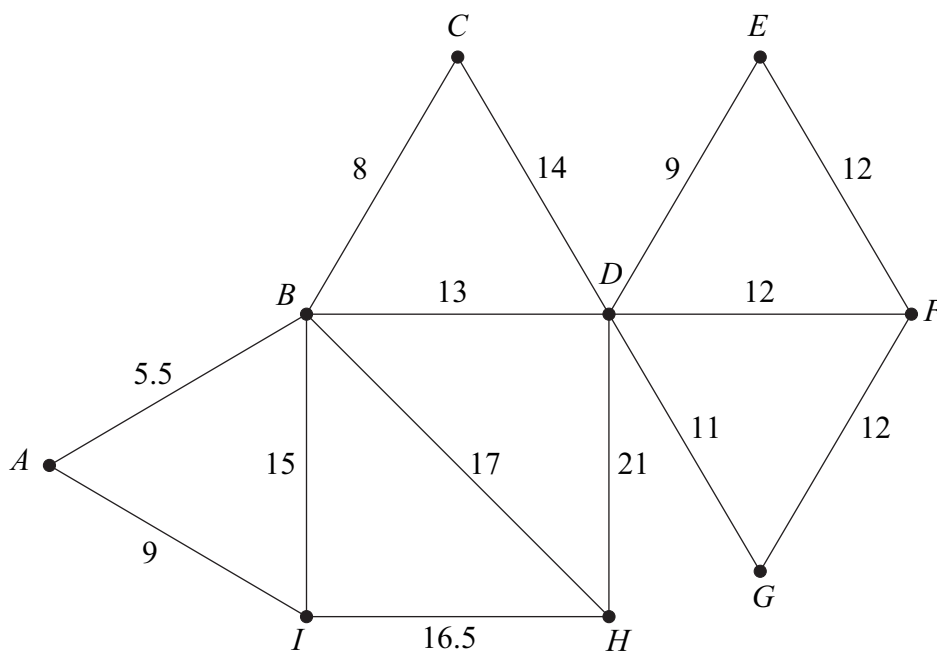
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Answer **all** questions.

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1 The following network shows the lengths, in miles, of roads connecting nine villages.



- Use Prim's algorithm, starting from  $A$ , to find a minimum spanning tree for the network. *(5 marks)*
- Find the length of your minimum spanning tree. *(1 mark)*
- Draw your minimum spanning tree. *(3 marks)*
- State the number of other spanning trees that are of the same length as your answer in part (a). *(1 mark)*

2 Five people  $A$ ,  $B$ ,  $C$ ,  $D$  and  $E$  are to be matched to five tasks  $R$ ,  $S$ ,  $T$ ,  $U$  and  $V$ .

The table shows the tasks that each person is able to undertake.

Person	Tasks
$A$	$R, V$
$B$	$R, T$
$C$	$T, V$
$D$	$U, V$
$E$	$S, U$

- (a) Show this information on a bipartite graph. (2 marks)
- (b) Initially,  $A$  is matched to task  $V$ ,  $B$  to task  $R$ ,  $C$  to task  $T$ , and  $E$  to task  $U$ .

Demonstrate, by using an alternating path from this initial matching, how each person can be matched to a task. (4 marks)

3 Mark is driving around the one-way system in Leicester. The following table shows the times, in minutes, for Mark to drive between four places:  $A$ ,  $B$ ,  $C$  and  $D$ . Mark decides to start from  $A$ , drive to the other three places and then return to  $A$ .

Mark wants to keep his driving time to a minimum.

From \ To	$A$	$B$	$C$	$D$
$A$	–	8	6	11
$B$	14	–	13	25
$C$	14	9	–	17
$D$	26	10	18	–

- (a) Find the length of the tour  $ABCD A$ . (2 marks)
- (b) Find the length of the tour  $ADCBA$ . (1 mark)
- (c) Find the length of the tour using the nearest neighbour algorithm starting from  $A$ . (4 marks)
- (d) Write down which of your answers to parts (a), (b) and (c) gives the best upper bound for Mark's driving time. (1 mark)

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- 4 (a) A student is using a bubble sort to rearrange seven numbers into ascending order.

Her correct solution is as follows:

Initial list	18	17	13	26	10	14	24
After 1st pass	17	13	18	10	14	24	26
After 2nd pass	13	17	10	14	18	24	26
After 3rd pass	13	10	14	17	18	24	26
After 4th pass	10	13	14	17	18	24	26
After 5th pass	10	13	14	17	18	24	26

Write down the number of comparisons and swaps on each of the five passes.

*(6 marks)*

- (b) Find the maximum number of comparisons and the maximum number of swaps that might be needed in a bubble sort to rearrange seven numbers into ascending order.

*(2 marks)*

5 A student is using the following algorithm with different values of  $A$  and  $B$ .

Line 10	Input $A, B$
Line 20	Let $C = 0$ and let $D = 0$
Line 30	Let $C = C + A$
Line 40	Let $D = D + B$
Line 50	If $C = D$ then go to Line 110
Line 60	If $C > D$ then go to Line 90
Line 70	Let $C = C + A$
Line 80	Go to Line 50
Line 90	Let $D = D + B$
Line 100	Go to Line 50
Line 110	Print $C$
Line 120	End

- (a) (i) Trace the algorithm in the case where  $A = 2$  and  $B = 3$ . (3 marks)
- (ii) Trace the algorithm in the case where  $A = 6$  and  $B = 8$ . (3 marks)
- (b) State the purpose of the algorithm. (1 mark)
- (c) Write down the final value of  $C$  in the case where  $A = 200$  and  $B = 300$ . (1 mark)

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6 [Figure 1, printed on the insert, is provided for use in this question.]

Dino is to have a rectangular swimming pool at his villa.

He wants its width to be at least 2 metres and its length to be at least 5 metres.

He wants its length to be at least twice its width.

He wants its length to be no more than three times its width.

Each metre of the width of the pool costs £1000 and each metre of the length of the pool costs £500.

He has £9000 available.

Let the width of the pool be  $x$  metres and the length of the pool be  $y$  metres.

(a) Show that one of the constraints leads to the inequality

$$2x + y \leq 18 \quad (1 \text{ mark})$$

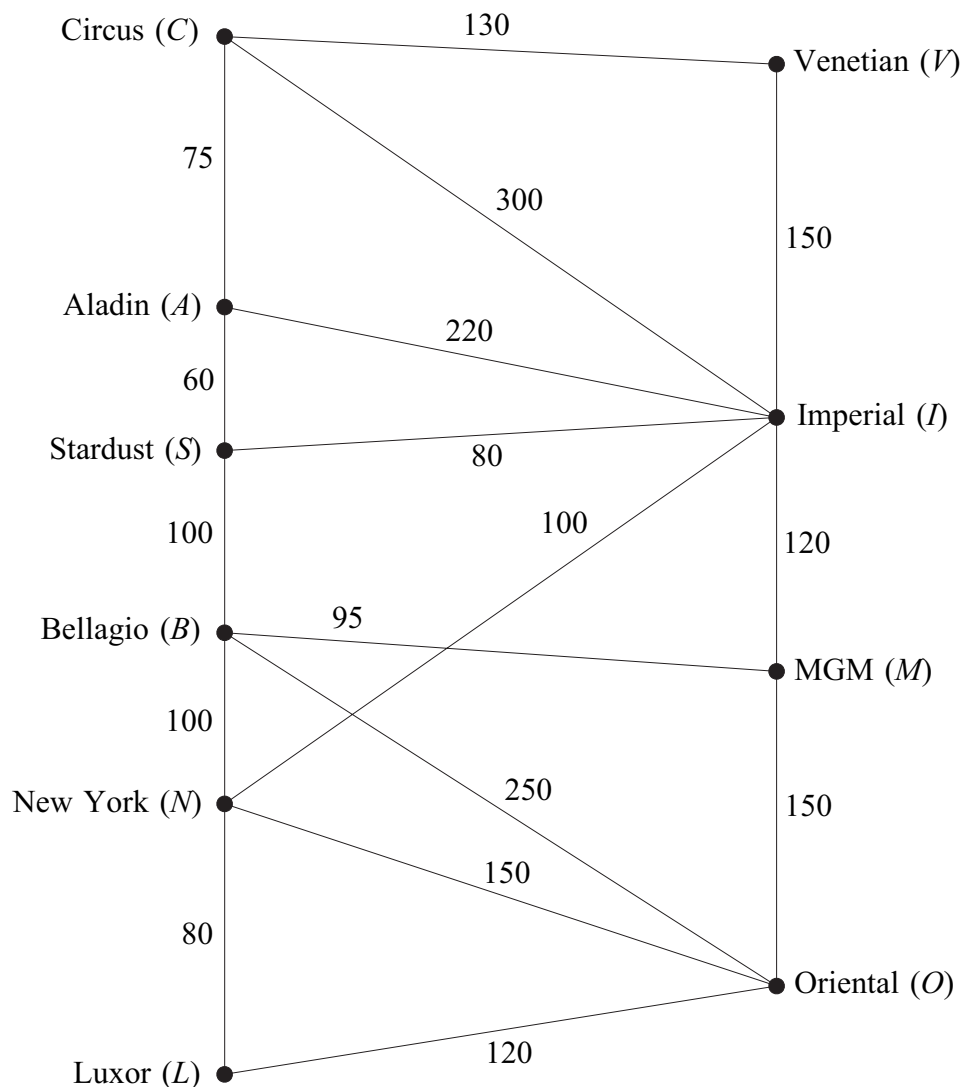
(b) Find four further inequalities. (3 marks)

(c) On **Figure 1**, draw a suitable diagram to show the feasible region. (6 marks)

(d) Use your diagram to find the maximum width of the pool. State the corresponding length of the pool. (3 marks)

7 [Figure 2, printed on the insert, is provided for use in this question.]

The network shows the times, in seconds, taken by Craig to walk along walkways connecting ten hotels in Las Vegas.



The total of all the times in the diagram is 2280 seconds.

- (a) (i) Craig is staying at the Circus ( $C$ ) and has to visit the Oriental ( $O$ ).

Use Dijkstra's algorithm on **Figure 2** to find the minimum time to walk from  $C$  to  $O$ . (6 marks)

- (ii) Write down the corresponding route. (1 mark)

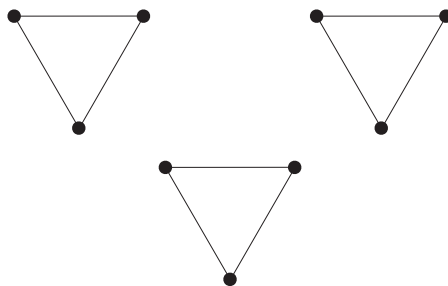
- (b) (i) Find, by inspection, the shortest time to walk from  $A$  to  $M$ . (1 mark)

- (ii) Craig intends to walk along all the walkways. Find the minimum time for Craig to walk along every walkway and return to his starting point. (6 marks)

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- 8 (a) The diagram shows a graph  $G$  with 9 vertices and 9 edges.



- (i) State the minimum number of edges that need to be added to  $G$  to make a connected graph. Draw an example of such a graph. *(2 marks)*
- (ii) State the minimum number of edges that need to be added to  $G$  to make the graph Hamiltonian. Draw an example of such a graph. *(2 marks)*
- (iii) State the minimum number of edges that need to be added to  $G$  to make the graph Eulerian. Draw an example of such a graph. *(2 marks)*
- (b) A complete graph has  $n$  vertices and is Eulerian.
- (i) State the condition that  $n$  must satisfy. *(1 mark)*
- (ii) In addition, the number of edges in a Hamiltonian cycle for the graph is the same as the number of edges in an Eulerian trail. State the value of  $n$ . *(1 mark)*

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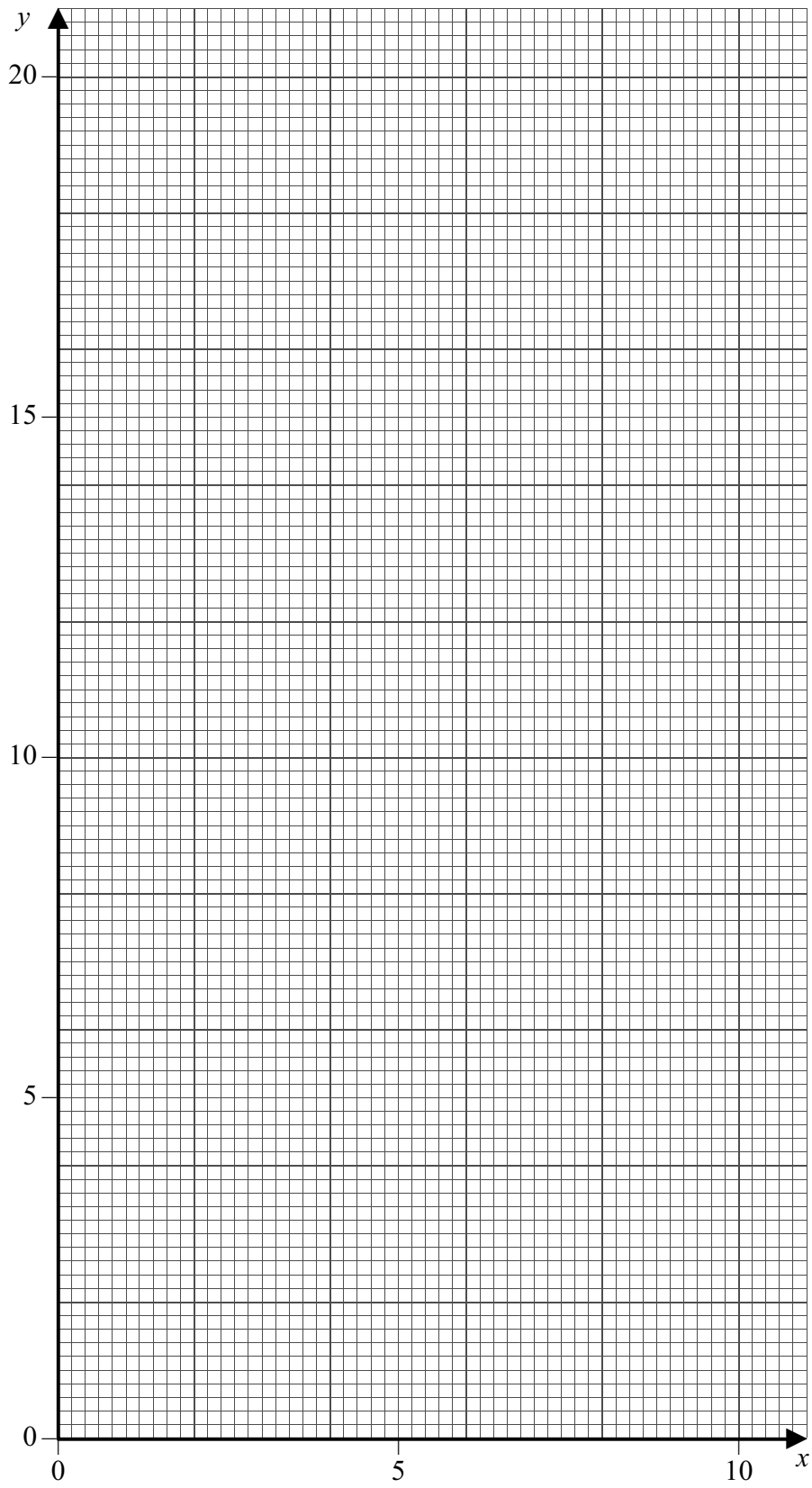
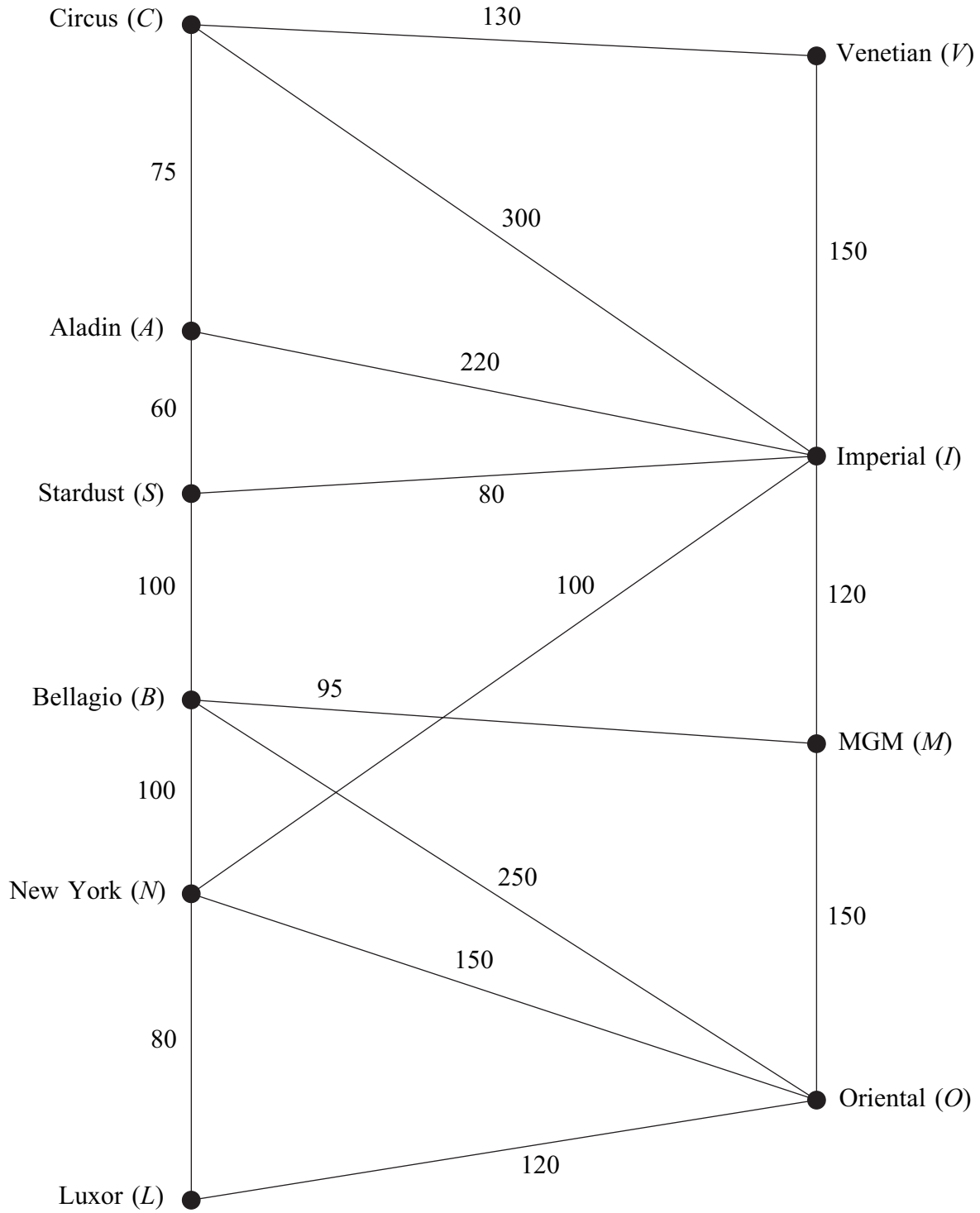
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Thursday 7 June 2007 9.00 am to 10.30 am

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Answer **all** questions.

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- 1 Six people,  $A$ ,  $B$ ,  $C$ ,  $D$ ,  $E$  and  $F$ , are to be matched to six tasks, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6. The following adjacency matrix shows the possible matching of people to tasks.

	Task 1	Task 2	Task 3	Task 4	Task 5	Task 6
$A$	0	1	0	1	0	0
$B$	1	0	1	0	1	0
$C$	0	0	1	0	1	1
$D$	0	0	0	1	0	0
$E$	0	1	0	0	0	1
$F$	0	0	0	1	1	0

- (a) Show this information on a bipartite graph. (2 marks)
- (b) At first  $F$  insists on being matched to task 4. Explain why, in this case, a complete matching is impossible. (1 mark)
- (c) To find a complete matching  $F$  agrees to be assigned to either task 4 or task 5.

Initially  $B$  is matched to task 3,  $C$  to task 6,  $E$  to task 2 and  $F$  to task 4.

From this initial matching, use the maximum matching algorithm to obtain a complete matching. List your complete matching. (6 marks)

- 2 (a) Use a Shell sort to rearrange the following numbers into ascending order, showing the new arrangement after each pass.

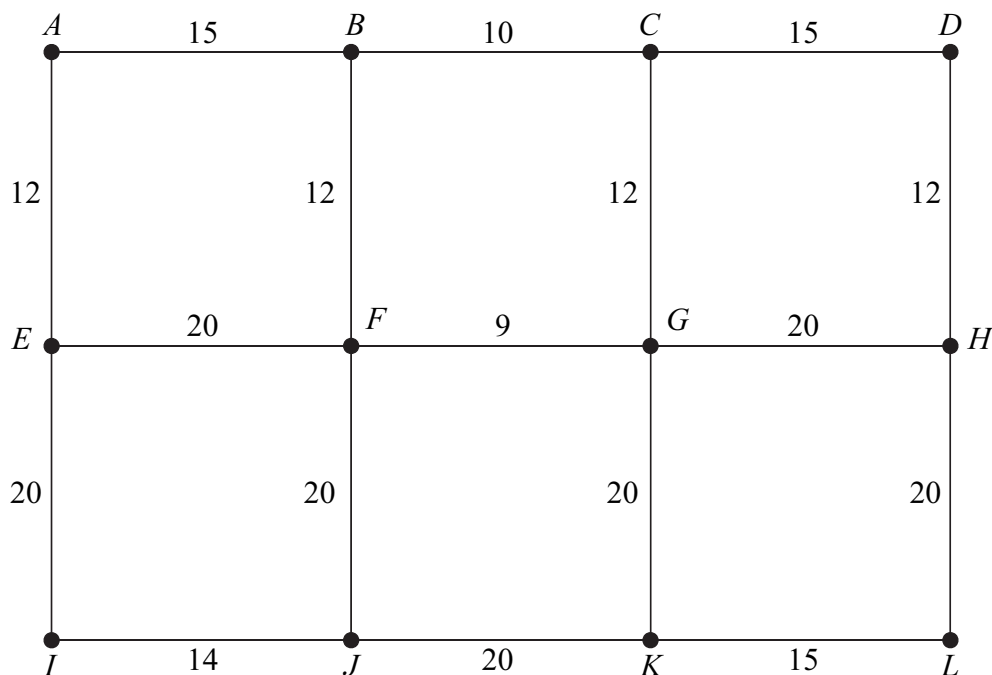
28    22    20    17    14    11    6    5 (5 marks)

- (b) (i) Write down the number of comparisons on the first pass. (1 mark)
- (ii) Write down the number of swaps on the first pass. (1 mark)
- (c) Find the total number of comparisons needed to rearrange the original list of 8 numbers into ascending order using a shuttle sort.

(You do not need to perform a shuttle sort.) (1 mark)

3 [Figure 1, printed on the insert, is provided for use in this question.]

The following network represents the footpaths connecting 12 buildings on a university campus. The number on each edge represents the time taken, in minutes, to walk along a footpath.



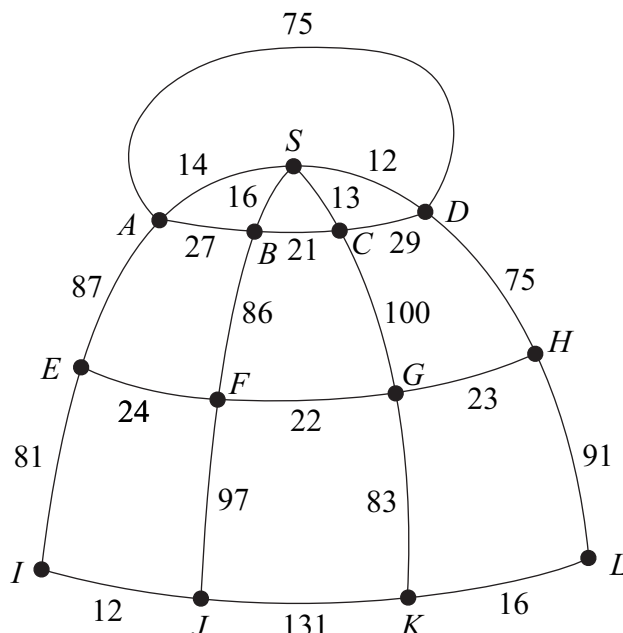
- (a) (i) Use Dijkstra's algorithm on **Figure 1** to find the minimum time to walk from  $A$  to  $L$ . (7 marks)
- (ii) State the corresponding route. (1 mark)
- (b) A new footpath is to be constructed. There are two possibilities:
- from  $A$  to  $D$ , with a walking time of 30 minutes; or
- from  $A$  to  $I$ , with a walking time of 20 minutes.

Determine which of the two alternative new footpaths would reduce the walking time from  $A$  to  $L$  by the greater amount. (3 marks)

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- 4 The diagram shows the various ski-runs at a ski resort. There is a shop at  $S$ . The manager of the ski resort intends to install a floodlighting system by placing a floodlight at each of the 12 points  $A, B, \dots, L$  and at the shop at  $S$ .

The number on each edge represents the distance, in metres, between two points.



Total of all edges = 1135

- (a) The manager wishes to use the minimum amount of cabling, which must be laid along the ski-runs, to connect the 12 points  $A, B, \dots, L$  and the shop at  $S$ .
- Starting from the shop, and showing your working at each stage, use Prim's algorithm to find the minimum amount of cabling needed to connect the shop and the 12 points. (5 marks)
  - State the length of your minimum spanning tree. (1 mark)
  - Draw your minimum spanning tree. (3 marks)
  - The manager used Kruskal's algorithm to find the same minimum spanning tree. Find the seventh and the eighth edges that the manager added to his spanning tree. (2 marks)
- (b) At the end of each day a snow plough has to drive at least once along each edge shown in the diagram in preparation for the following day's skiing. The snow plough must start and finish at the point  $L$ .

Use the Chinese Postman algorithm to find the minimum distance that the snow plough must travel. (6 marks)

**5** [Figure 2, printed on the insert, is provided for use in this question.]

The Jolly Company sells two types of party pack: excellent and luxury.

Each excellent pack has five balloons and each luxury pack has ten balloons.

Each excellent pack has 32 sweets and each luxury pack has 8 sweets.

The company has 1500 balloons and 4000 sweets available.

The company sells at least 50 of each type of pack and at least 140 packs in total.

The company sells  $x$  excellent packs and  $y$  luxury packs.

- (a) Show that the above information can be modelled by the following inequalities.

$$x + 2y \leq 300, \quad 4x + y \leq 500, \quad x \geq 50, \quad y \geq 50, \quad x + y \geq 140 \quad (4 \text{ marks})$$

- (b) The company sells each excellent pack for 80p and each luxury pack for £1.20. The company needs to find its minimum and maximum total income.

- (i) On **Figure 2**, draw a suitable diagram to enable this linear programming problem to be solved graphically, indicating the feasible region and an objective line. *(8 marks)*
- (ii) Find the company's maximum total income and state the corresponding number of each type of pack that needs to be sold. *(2 marks)*
- (iii) Find the company's minimum total income and state the corresponding number of each type of pack that needs to be sold. *(2 marks)*

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- 6 (a) Mark is staying at the Grand Hotel ( $G$ ) in Oslo. He is going to visit four famous places in Oslo: Aker Brygge ( $A$ ), the National Theatre ( $N$ ), Parliament House ( $P$ ) and the Royal Palace ( $R$ ).

The figures in the table represent the walking times, in seconds, between the places.

	<b>Grand Hotel (<math>G</math>)</b>	<b>Aker Brygge (<math>A</math>)</b>	<b>National Theatre (<math>N</math>)</b>	<b>Parliament House (<math>P</math>)</b>	<b>Royal Palace (<math>R</math>)</b>
<b>Grand Hotel (<math>G</math>)</b>	–	165	185	65	160
<b>Aker Brygge (<math>A</math>)</b>	165	–	155	115	275
<b>National Theatre (<math>N</math>)</b>	185	155	–	205	125
<b>Parliament House (<math>P</math>)</b>	65	115	205	–	225
<b>Royal Palace (<math>R</math>)</b>	160	275	125	225	–

Mark is to start his tour from the Grand Hotel, visiting each place once before returning to the Grand Hotel. Mark wishes to keep his walking time to a minimum.

- (i) Use the nearest neighbour algorithm, starting from the Grand Hotel, to find an upper bound for the walking time for Mark's tour. *(4 marks)*
- (ii) By deleting the Grand Hotel, find a lower bound for the walking time for Mark's tour. *(5 marks)*
- (iii) The walking time for an optimal tour is  $T$  seconds. Use your answers to parts (a)(i) and (a)(ii) to write down a conclusion about  $T$ . *(1 mark)*

- (b) Mark then intends to start from the Grand Hotel ( $G$ ), visit three museums, Ibsen ( $I$ ), Munch ( $M$ ) and Viking ( $V$ ), and return to the Grand Hotel. He uses public transport. The table shows the minimum travelling times, in minutes, between the places.

<b>From \ To</b>	<b>Grand Hotel (<math>G</math>)</b>	<b>Ibsen (<math>I</math>)</b>	<b>Munch (<math>M</math>)</b>	<b>Viking (<math>V</math>)</b>
<b>Grand Hotel (<math>G</math>)</b>	–	20	17	30
<b>Ibsen (<math>I</math>)</b>	15	–	32	16
<b>Munch (<math>M</math>)</b>	26	18	–	21
<b>Viking (<math>V</math>)</b>	19	27	24	–

- (i) Find the length of the tour  $GIMVG$ . (1 mark)
- (ii) Find the length of the tour  $GVMIG$ . (1 mark)
- (iii) Find the number of different possible tours for Mark. (1 mark)
- (iv) Write down the number of different possible tours for Mark if he were to visit  $n$  museums, starting and finishing at the Grand Hotel. (1 mark)

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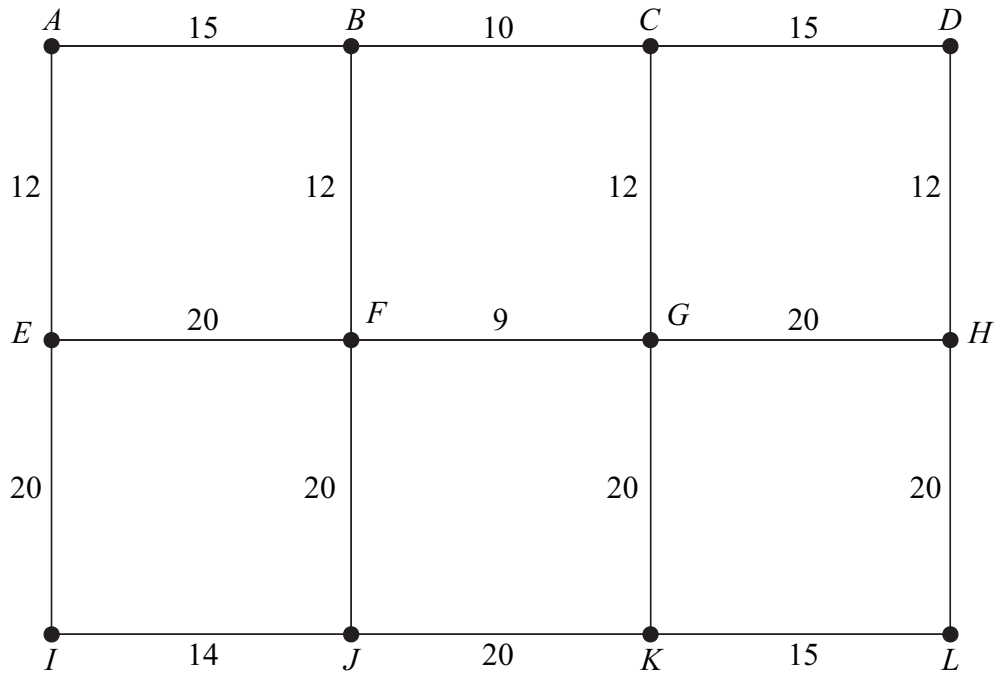
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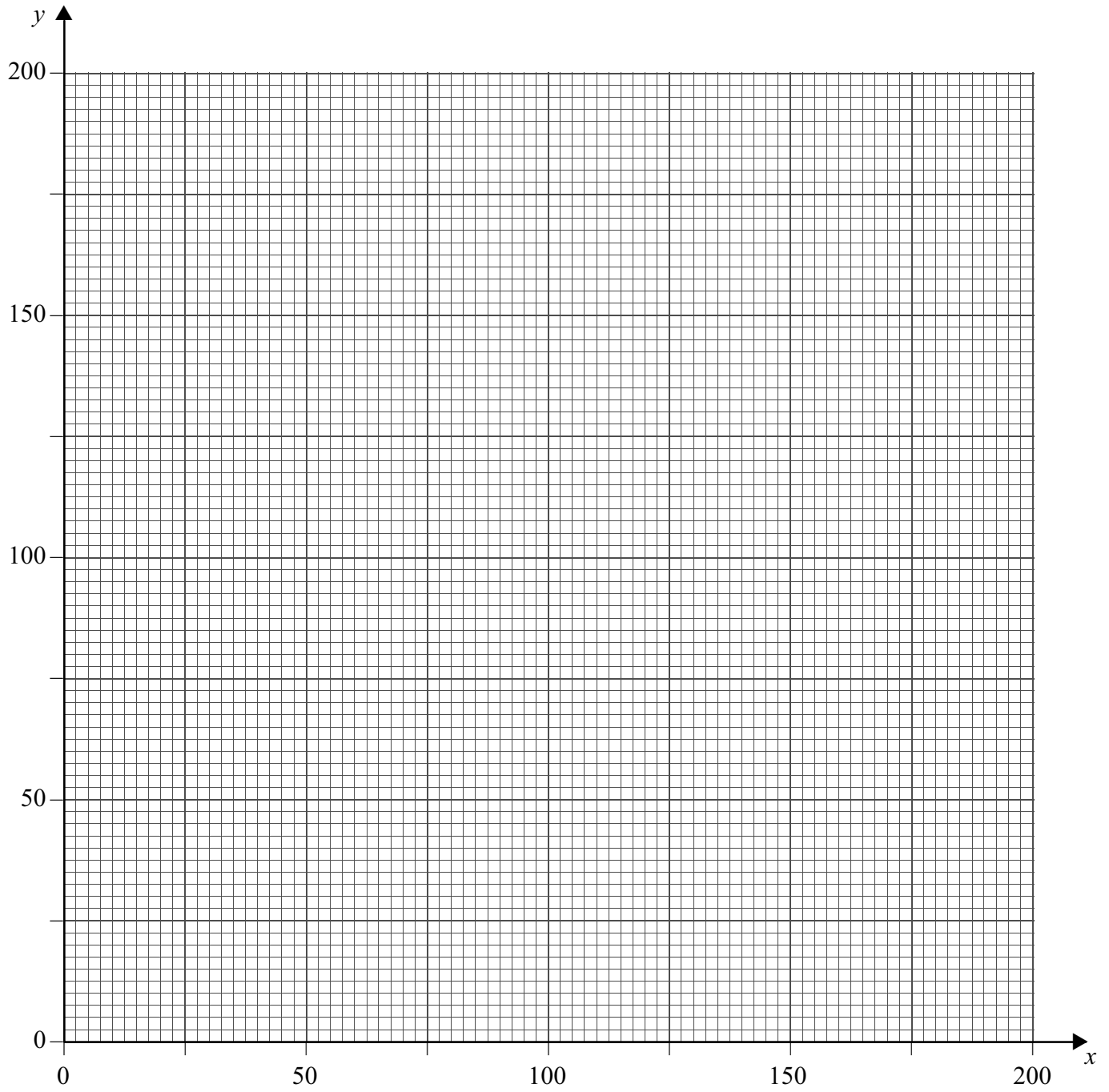
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Tuesday 15 January 2008 9.00 am to 10.30 am

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Answer **all** questions.

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- 1 Five people,  $A$ ,  $B$ ,  $C$ ,  $D$  and  $E$ , are to be matched to five tasks,  $J$ ,  $K$ ,  $L$ ,  $M$  and  $N$ . The table shows the tasks that each person is able to undertake.

Person	Task
$A$	$J, N$
$B$	$J, L$
$C$	$L, N$
$D$	$M, N$
$E$	$K, M$

- (a) Show this information on a bipartite graph. (2 marks)
- (b) Initially,  $A$  is matched to task  $N$ ,  $B$  to task  $J$ ,  $C$  to task  $L$ , and  $E$  to task  $M$ .

Complete the alternating path  $D-M \dots$ , from this initial matching, to demonstrate how each person can be matched to a task. (3 marks)

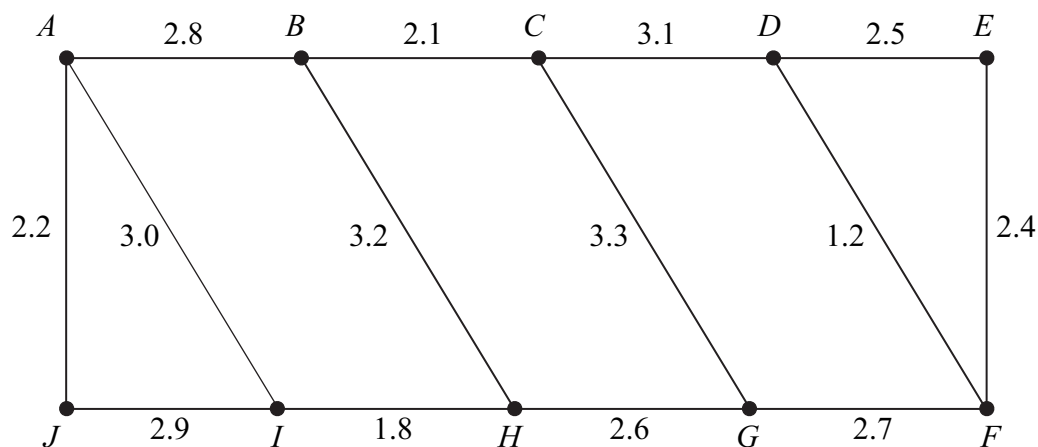
- 2 [Figure 1, printed on the insert, is provided for use in this question.]

The feasible region of a linear programming problem is represented by

$$\begin{aligned} x + y &\leq 30 \\ 2x + y &\leq 40 \\ y &\geq 5 \\ x &\geq 4 \\ y &\geq \frac{1}{2}x \end{aligned}$$

- (a) On **Figure 1**, draw a suitable diagram to represent these inequalities and indicate the feasible region. (5 marks)
- (b) Use your diagram to find the maximum value of  $F$ , on the feasible region, in the case where:
- (i)  $F = 3x + y$ ; (2 marks)
- (ii)  $F = x + 3y$ . (2 marks)

- 3 The diagram shows 10 bus stops,  $A, B, C, \dots, J$ , in Geneva. The number on each edge represents the distance, in kilometres, between adjacent bus stops.



The city council is to connect these bus stops to a computer system which will display waiting times for buses at each of the 10 stops. Cabling is to be laid between some of the bus stops.

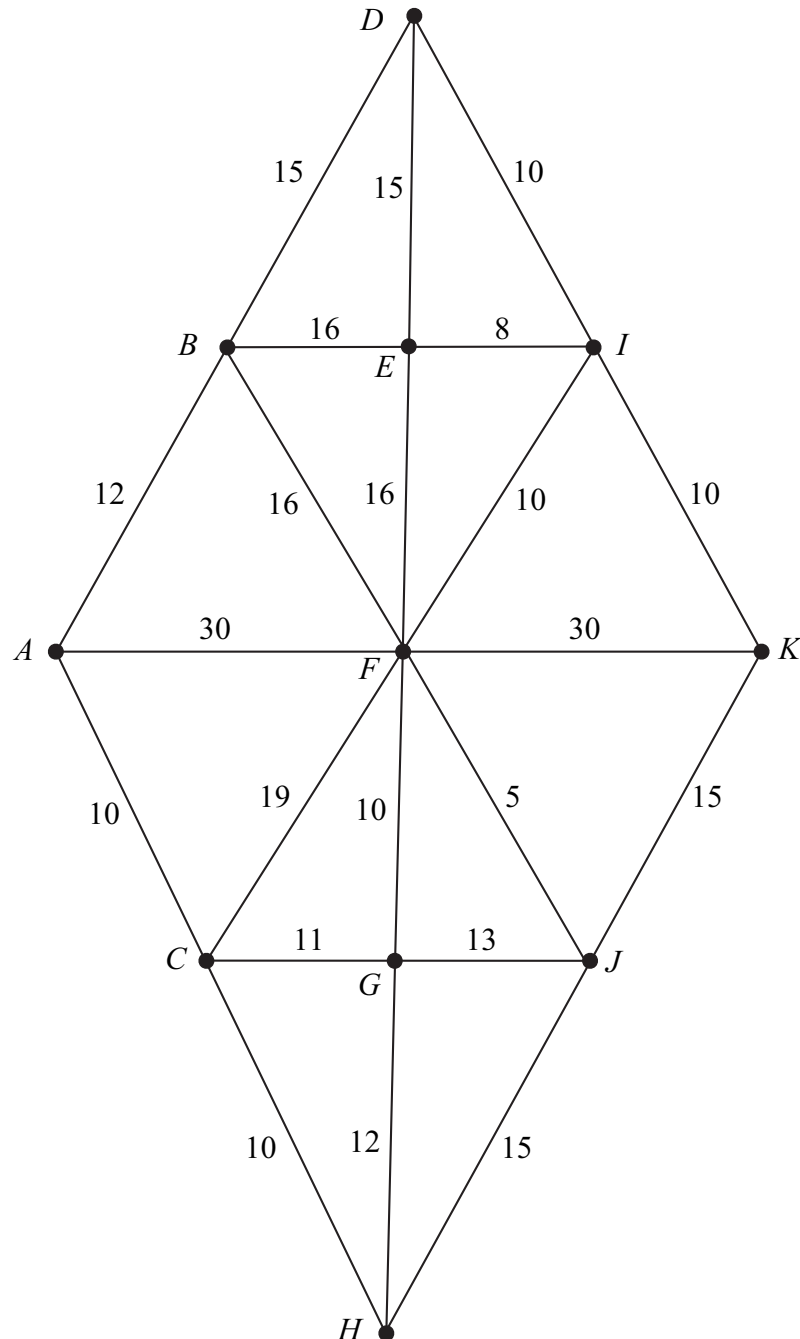
- Use Kruskal's algorithm, showing the order in which you select the edges, to find a minimum spanning tree for the 10 bus stops. *(5 marks)*
- State the minimum length of cabling needed. *(1 mark)*
- Draw your minimum spanning tree. *(2 marks)*
- If Prim's algorithm, starting from  $A$ , had been used to find the minimum spanning tree, state which edge would have been the final edge to complete the minimum spanning tree. *(2 marks)*

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4 [Figure 2, printed on the insert, is provided for use in this question.]

The network shows 11 towns. The times, in minutes, to travel between pairs of towns are indicated on the edges.



The total of all of the times is 308 minutes.

- (a) (i) Use Dijkstra's algorithm on **Figure 2** to find the minimum time to travel from  $A$  to  $K$ . (6 marks)
- (ii) State the corresponding route. (1 mark)
- (b) Find the length of an optimum Chinese postman route around the network, starting and finishing at  $A$ . (The minimum time to travel from  $D$  to  $H$  is 40 minutes.) (5 marks)

5 [Figure 3, printed on the insert, is provided for use in this question.]

(a) James is solving a travelling salesperson problem.

(i) He finds the following upper bounds: 43, 40, 43, 41, 55, 43, 43.

Write down the best upper bound.

(1 mark)

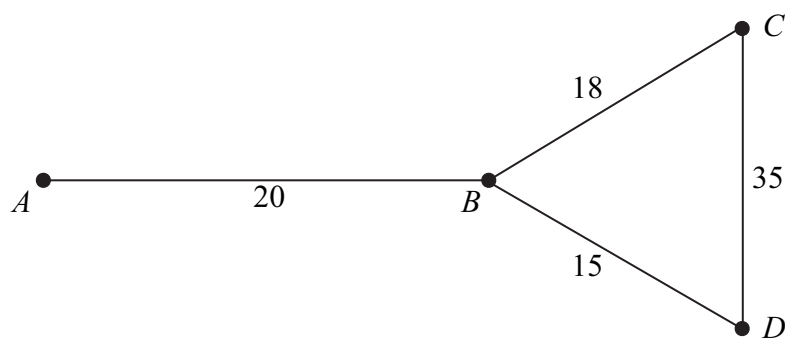
(ii) James finds the following lower bounds: 33, 40, 33, 38, 33, 38, 38.

Write down the best lower bound.

(1 mark)

(b) Karen is solving a different travelling salesperson problem and finds an upper bound of 55 and a lower bound of 45. Write down an interpretation of these results. (1 mark)

(c) The diagram below shows roads connecting 4 towns,  $A$ ,  $B$ ,  $C$  and  $D$ . The numbers on the edges represent the lengths of the roads, in kilometres, between adjacent towns.



Xiong lives at town  $A$  and is to visit each of the other three towns before returning to town  $A$ . She wishes to find a route that will minimise her travelling distance.

(i) Complete **Figure 3**, on the insert, to show the shortest distances, in kilometres, between **all** pairs of towns. (2 marks)

(ii) Use the nearest neighbour algorithm on **Figure 3** to find an upper bound for the minimum length of a tour of this network that starts and finishes at  $A$ . (3 marks)

(iii) Hence find the actual route that Xiong would take in order to achieve a tour of the same length as that found in part (c)(ii). (2 marks)

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- 6 A student is solving cubic equations that have three different positive integer solutions.

The algorithm that the student is using is as follows:

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Line 10    Input  $A, B, C, D$ 
Line 20    Let  $K = 1$ 
Line 30    Let  $N = 0$ 
Line 40    Let  $X = K$ 
Line 50    Let  $Y = AX^3 + BX^2 + CX + D$ 
Line 60    If  $Y \neq 0$  then go to Line 100
Line 70    Print  $X$ , "is a solution"
Line 80    Let  $N = N + 1$ 
Line 90    If  $N = 3$  then go to Line 120
Line 100   Let  $K = K + 1$ 
Line 110   Go to Line 40
Line 120   End
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- (a) Trace the algorithm in the case where the input values are:

(i)  $A = 1, B = -6, C = 11$  and  $D = -6$ ; (4 marks)

(ii)  $A = 1, B = -10, C = 29$  and  $D = -20$ . (4 marks)

- (b) Explain where and why this algorithm will fail if  $A = 0$ . (2 marks)



7 The numbers 17, 3, 16 and 4 are to be sorted into ascending order.

The following four methods are to be compared: bubble sort, shuttle sort, Shell sort and quick sort (with the first number used as the pivot).

A student uses each of the four methods and produces the correct solutions below. Each solution shows the order of the numbers after each pass.

Solution 1            17    3    16    4  
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                           3    4    16    17

Solution 2            17    3    16    4  
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Solution 3            17    3    16    4  
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Solution 4            17    3    16    4  
                           3    16   4    17  
                           3    4    16    17  
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- (a) Write down which of the four solutions is the bubble sort, the shuttle sort, the Shell sort and the quick sort. *(3 marks)*
- (b) For each of the four solutions, write down the number of comparisons and swaps (exchanges) on the first pass. *(8 marks)*

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- 8 Each day, a factory makes three types of hinge: basic, standard and luxury. The hinges produced need three different components: type  $A$ , type  $B$  and type  $C$ .

Basic hinges need 2 components of type  $A$ , 3 components of type  $B$  and 1 component of type  $C$ .

Standard hinges need 4 components of type  $A$ , 2 components of type  $B$  and 3 components of type  $C$ .

Luxury hinges need 3 components of type  $A$ , 4 components of type  $B$  and 5 components of type  $C$ .

Each day, there are 360 components of type  $A$  available, 270 of type  $B$  and 450 of type  $C$ .

Each day, the factory must use at least 720 components in total.

Each day, the factory must use at least 40% of the total components as type  $A$ .

Each day, the factory makes  $x$  basic hinges,  $y$  standard hinges and  $z$  luxury hinges.

In addition to  $x \geq 0$ ,  $y \geq 0$ ,  $z \geq 0$ , find five inequalities, each involving  $x$ ,  $y$  and  $z$ , which must be satisfied. Simplify each inequality where possible. (8 marks)

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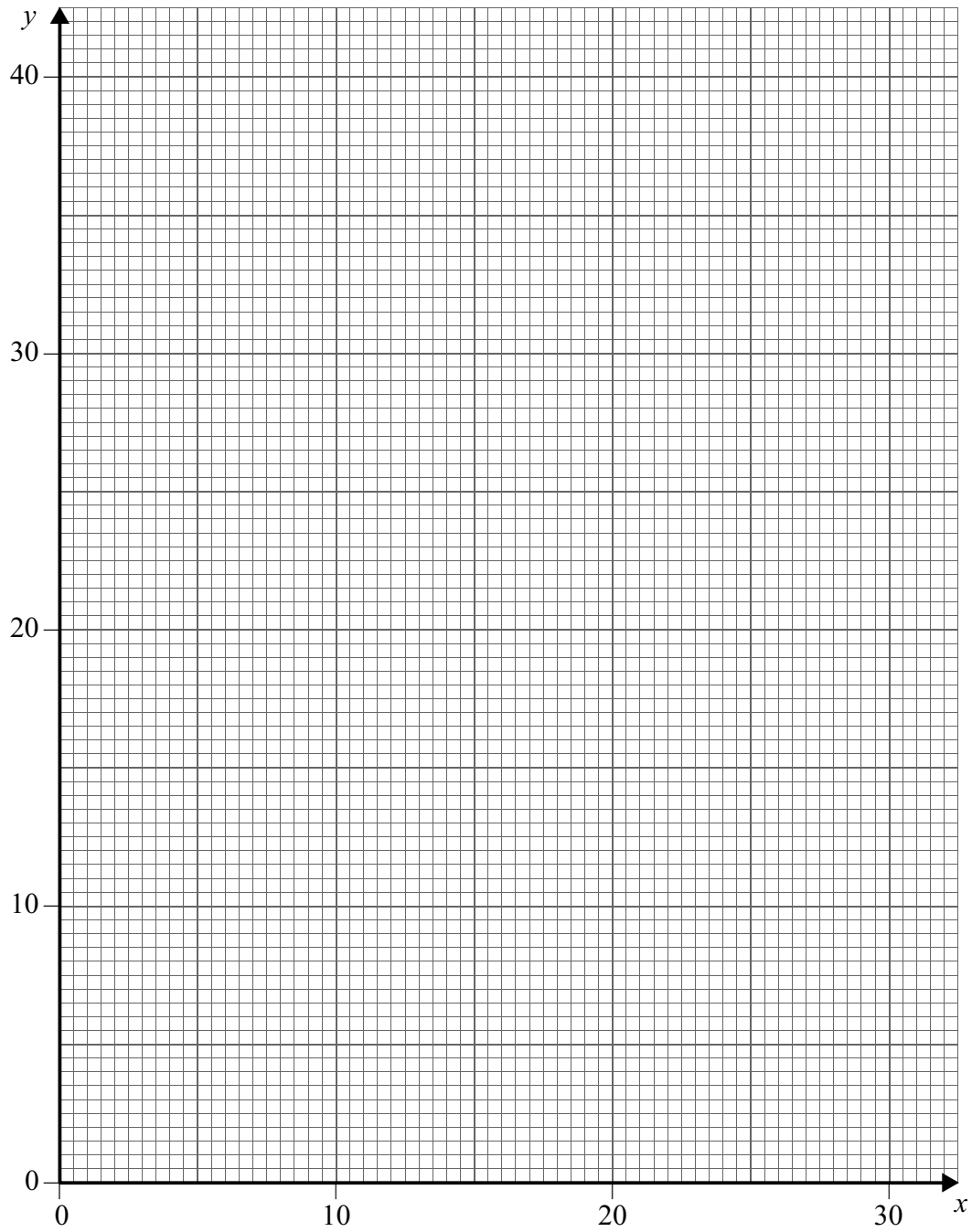
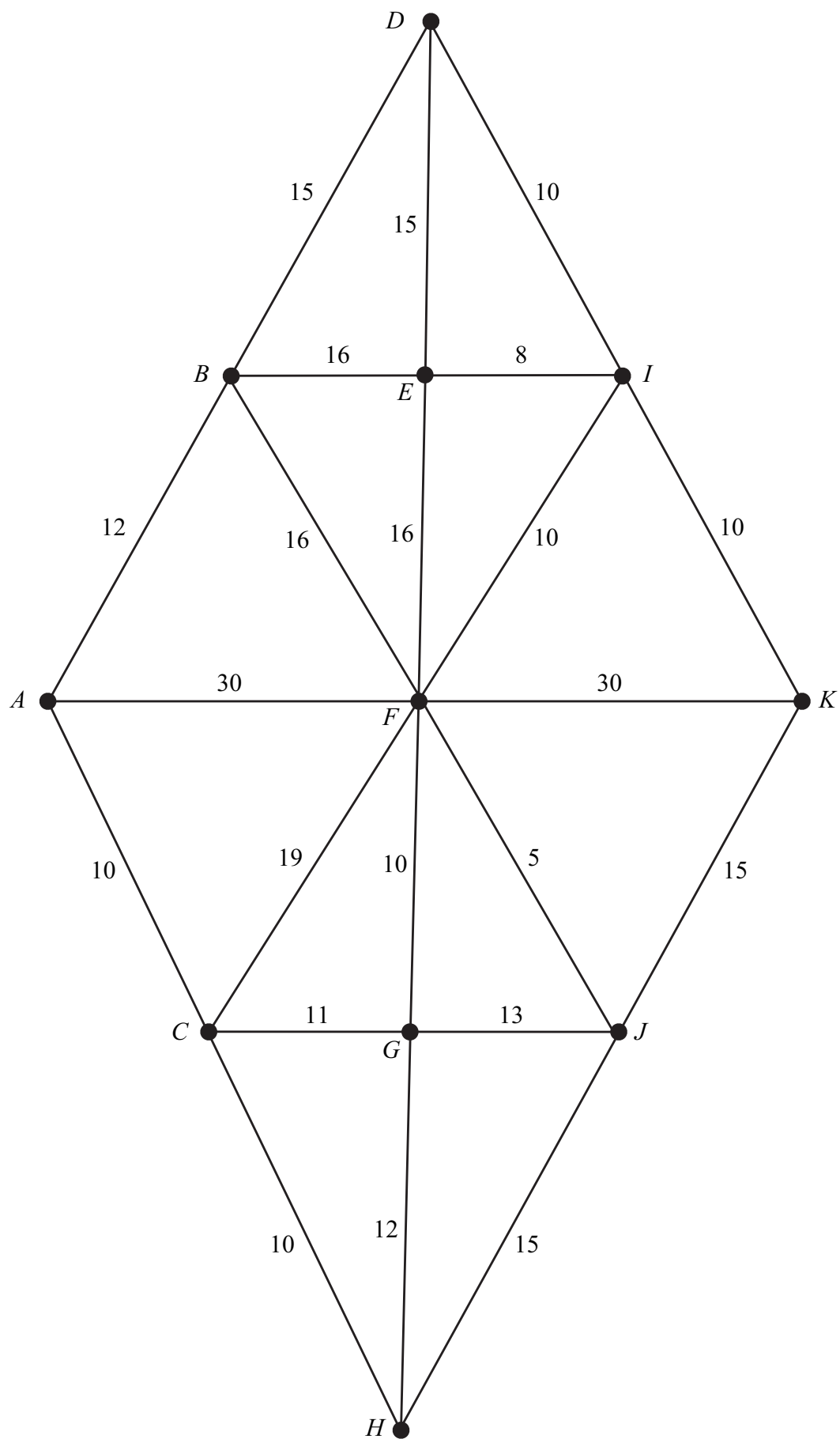
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**Figure 3 (for use in Question 5)**

	<i>A</i>	<i>B</i>	<i>C</i>	<i>D</i>
<i>A</i>	—		38	
<i>B</i>		—		
<i>C</i>	38		—	
<i>D</i>				—

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Friday 6 June 2008 1.30 pm to 3.00 pm

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Answer **all** questions.

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- 1 Six people,  $A$ ,  $B$ ,  $C$ ,  $D$ ,  $E$  and  $F$ , are to be matched to six tasks, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6.

The following adjacency matrix shows the possible matching of people to tasks.

	Task 1	Task 2	Task 3	Task 4	Task 5	Task 6
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$B$	0	1	0	1	0	0
$C$	0	1	0	0	0	1
$D$	0	0	0	1	0	0
$E$	1	0	1	0	1	0
$F$	0	0	0	1	1	0

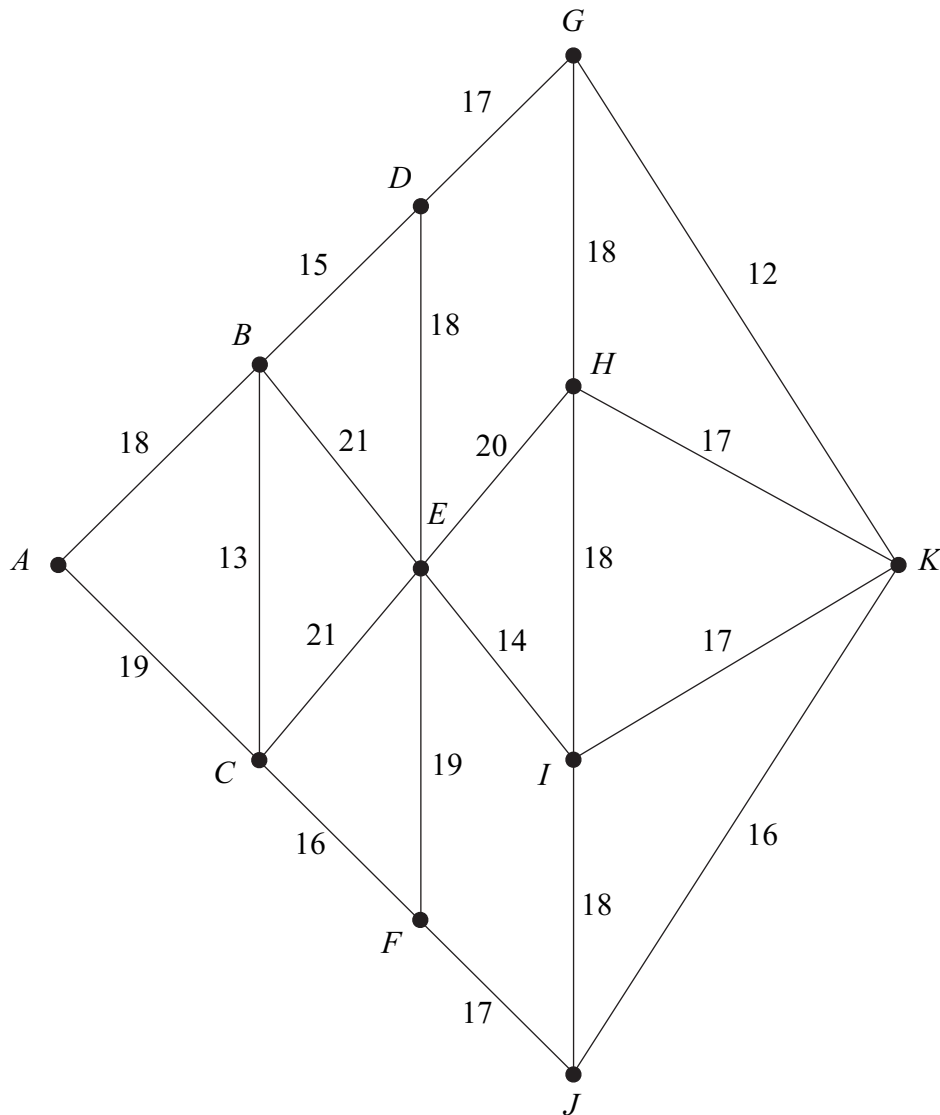
- (a) Show this information on a bipartite graph. (2 marks)
- (b) Initially,  $A$  is matched to task 3,  $B$  to task 4,  $C$  to task 2 and  $E$  to task 5. From this initial matching, use the maximum matching algorithm to obtain a complete matching. List your complete matching. (5 marks)
- 2 (a) Use a quick sort to rearrange the following letters into alphabetical order. You must indicate the pivot that you use at each pass.

P      B      M      N      J      K      R      D (5 marks)

- (b) (i) Find the maximum number of swaps needed to rearrange a list of 8 numbers into ascending order when using a **bubble** sort. (1 mark)
- (ii) A list of 8 numbers was rearranged into ascending order using a **bubble** sort. The maximum number of swaps was needed. What can be deduced about the original list of numbers? (1 mark)



- 3 (a) (i) State the number of edges in a minimum spanning tree of a network with 11 vertices. (1 mark)
- (ii) State the number of edges in a minimum spanning tree of a network with  $n$  vertices. (1 mark)
- (b) The following network has 11 vertices,  $A, B, \dots, K$ . The number on each edge represents the distance, in miles, between a pair of vertices.



- (i) Use Prim's algorithm, starting from  $A$ , to find a minimum spanning tree for the network. (5 marks)
- (ii) Find the length of your minimum spanning tree. (1 mark)
- (iii) Draw your minimum spanning tree. (2 marks)

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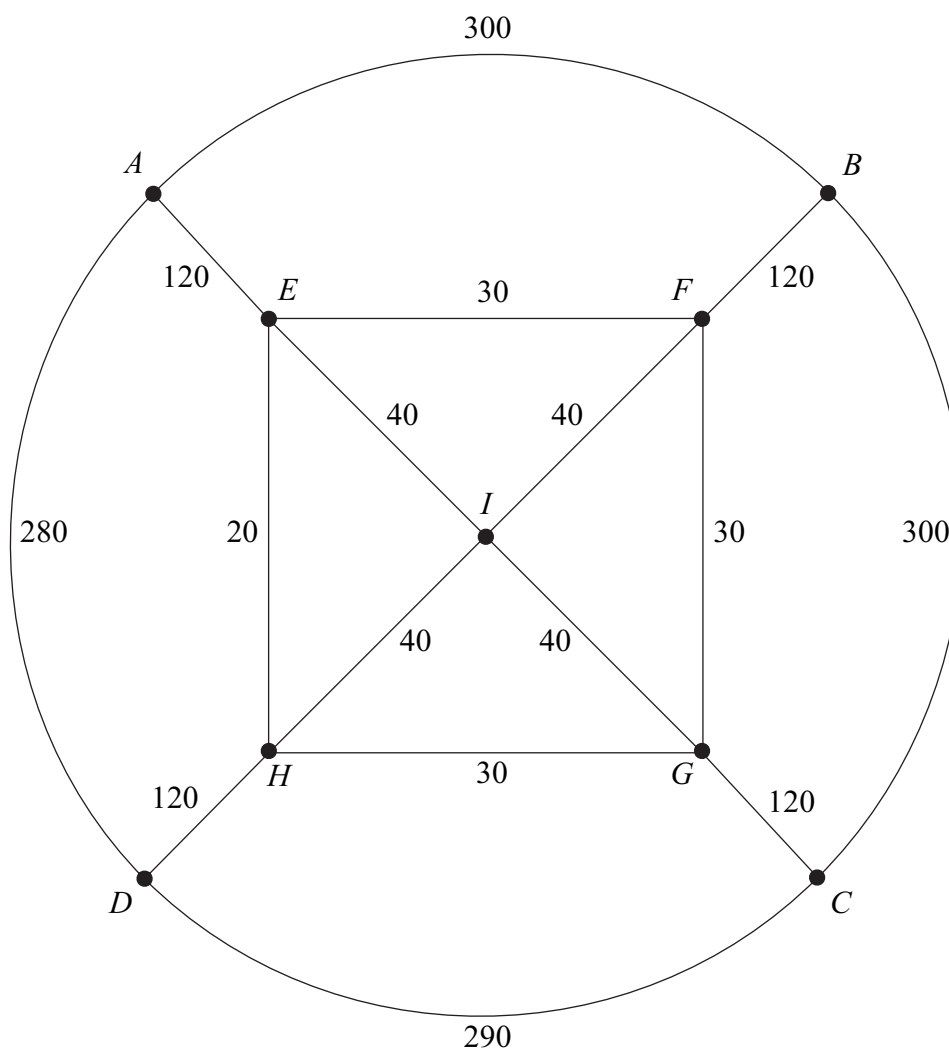
- 4 David, a tourist, wishes to visit five places in Rome: Basilica ( $B$ ), Coliseum ( $C$ ), Pantheon ( $P$ ), Trevi Fountain ( $T$ ) and Vatican ( $V$ ). He is to start his tour at one of the places, visit each of the other places, before returning to his starting place.

The table shows the times, in minutes, to travel between these places. David wishes to keep his travelling time to a minimum.

	$B$	$C$	$P$	$T$	$V$
$B$	–	43	57	52	18
$C$	43	–	18	13	56
$P$	57	18	–	8	48
$T$	52	13	8	–	51
$V$	18	56	48	51	–

- (a) (i) Find the total travelling time for the tour  $TPVBCT$ . (1 mark)
- (ii) Find the total travelling time for David's tour using the nearest neighbour algorithm starting from  $T$ . (4 marks)
- (iii) Explain why your answer to part (a)(ii) is an upper bound for David's minimum total travelling time. (2 marks)
- (b) (i) By deleting  $B$ , find a lower bound for the total travelling time for the minimum tour. (5 marks)
- (ii) Explain why your answer to part (b)(i) is a lower bound for David's minimum total travelling time. (2 marks)
- (c) Sketch a network showing the edges that give the lower bound found in part (b)(i) and comment on its significance. (2 marks)

- 5 The diagram shows a network of sixteen roads on a housing estate. The number on each edge is the length, in metres, of the road. The total length of the sixteen roads is 1920 metres.



Total Length = 1920 metres

- (a) Chris, an ice-cream salesman, travels along each road at least once, starting and finishing at the point  $A$ . Find the length of an optimal ‘Chinese postman’ route for Chris. (6 marks)
- (b) Pascal, a paperboy, starts at  $A$  and walks along each road at least once before finishing at  $D$ . Find the length of an optimal route for Pascal. (2 marks)
- (c) Millie is to walk along all the roads at least once delivering leaflets. She can start her journey at any point and she can finish her journey at any point.
- (i) Find the length of an optimal route for Millie. (2 marks)
- (ii) State the points from which Millie could start in order to achieve this optimal route. (1 mark)

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6 [Figure 1, printed on the insert, is provided for use in this question.]

A factory makes two types of lock, standard and large, on a particular day.

On that day:

- the maximum number of standard locks that the factory can make is 100;
- the maximum number of large locks that the factory can make is 80;
- the factory must make at least 60 locks in total;
- the factory must make more large locks than standard locks.

Each standard lock requires 2 screws and each large lock requires 8 screws, and on that day the factory must use at least 320 screws.

On that day, the factory makes  $x$  standard locks and  $y$  large locks.

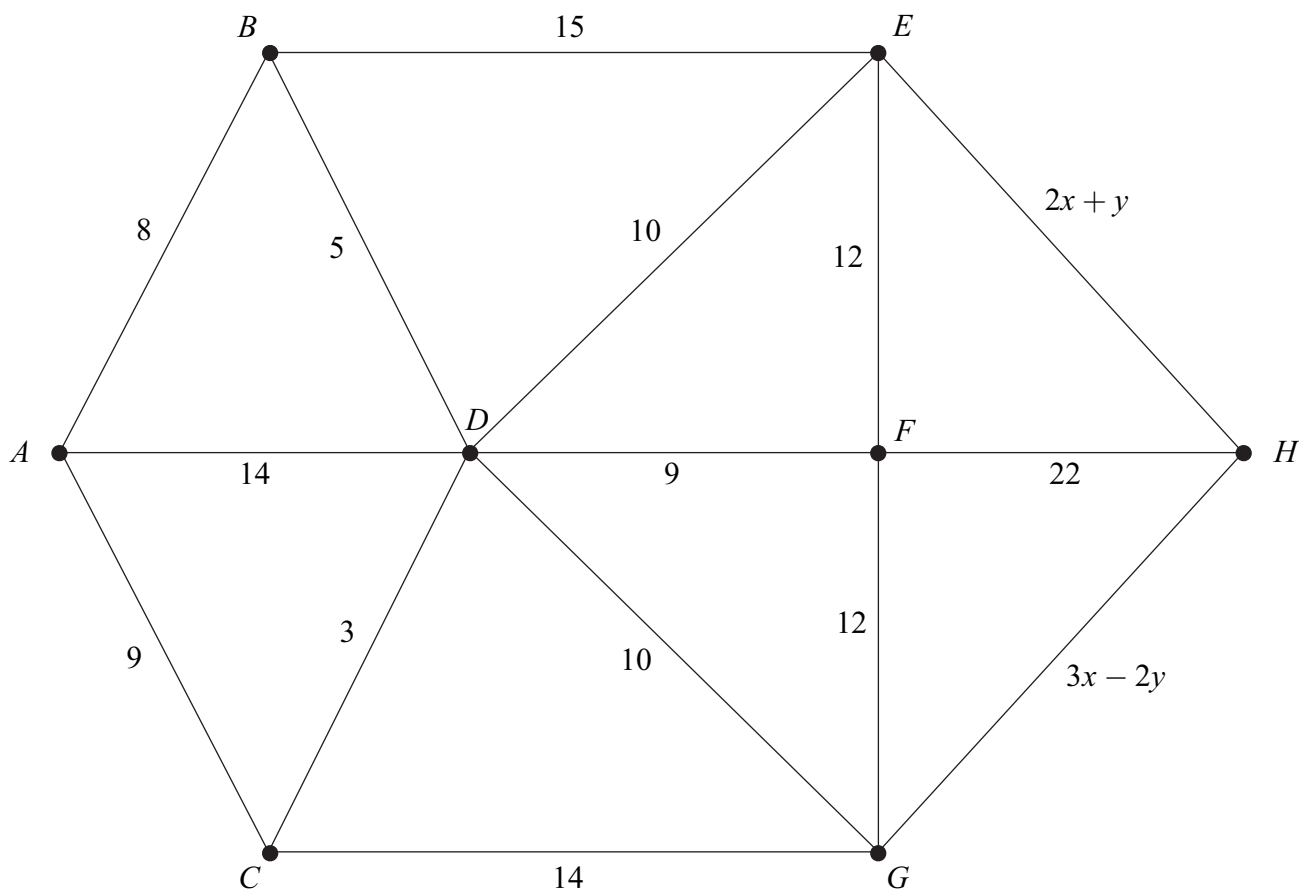
Each standard lock costs £1.50 to make and each large lock costs £3 to make.

The manager of the factory wishes to minimise the cost of making the locks.

- (a) Formulate the manager's situation as a linear programming problem. *(5 marks)*
- (b) On **Figure 1**, draw a suitable diagram to enable the problem to be solved graphically, indicating the feasible region and the direction of the objective line. *(6 marks)*
- (c) Find the values of  $x$  and  $y$  that correspond to the minimum cost. Hence find this minimum cost. *(4 marks)*

7 [Figure 2, printed on the insert, is provided for use in this question.]

The following network has eight vertices,  $A, B, \dots, H$ , and edges connecting some pairs of vertices. The number on each edge is its weight. The weights on the edges  $EH$  and  $GH$  are functions of  $x$  and  $y$ .



Given that there are three routes from  $A$  to  $H$  with the same minimum weight, use Dijkstra's algorithm on **Figure 2** to find:

- (a) this minimum weight; (6 marks)
- (b) the values of  $x$  and  $y$ . (3 marks)

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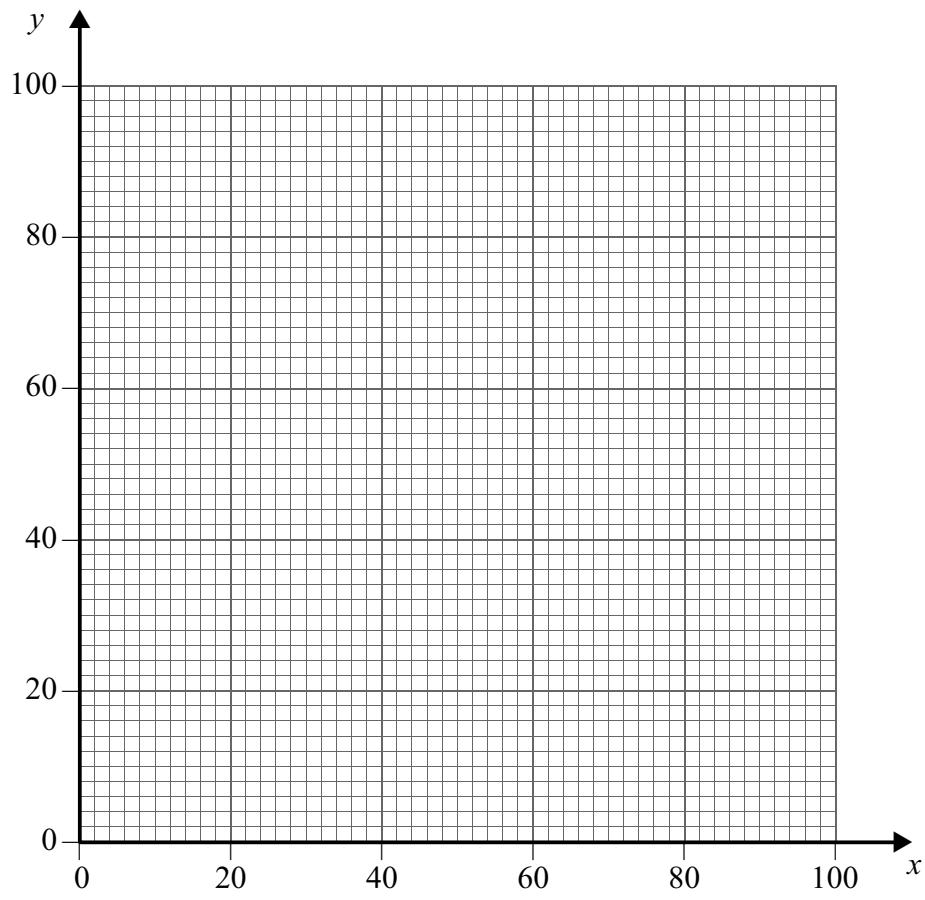
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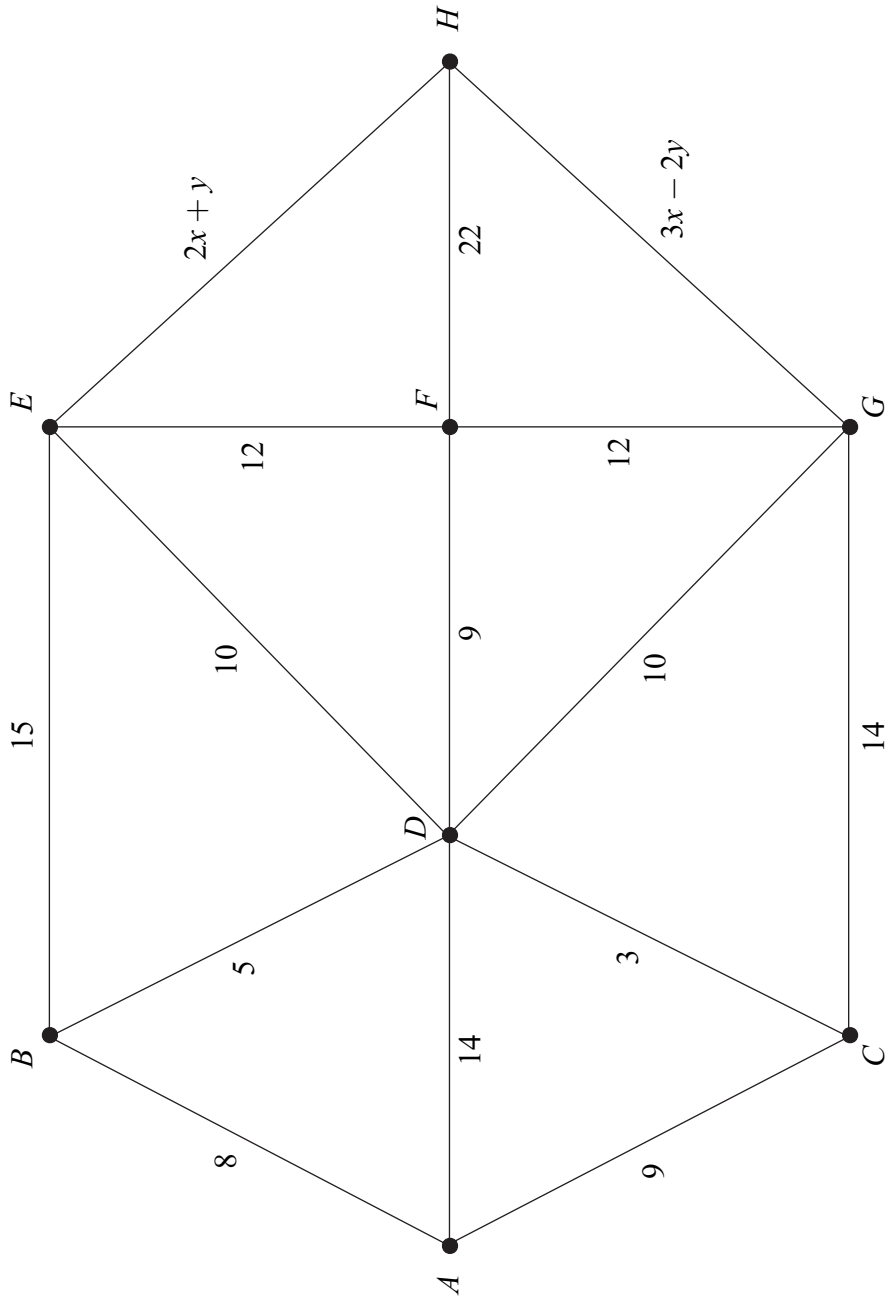


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**MATHEMATICS**  
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Wednesday 21 January 2009 1.30 pm to 3.00 pm

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- the blue AQA booklet of formulae and statistical tables
- an insert for use in Questions 3 and 4 (enclosed).

You may use a graphics calculator.

Time allowed: 1 hour 30 minutes

**Instructions**

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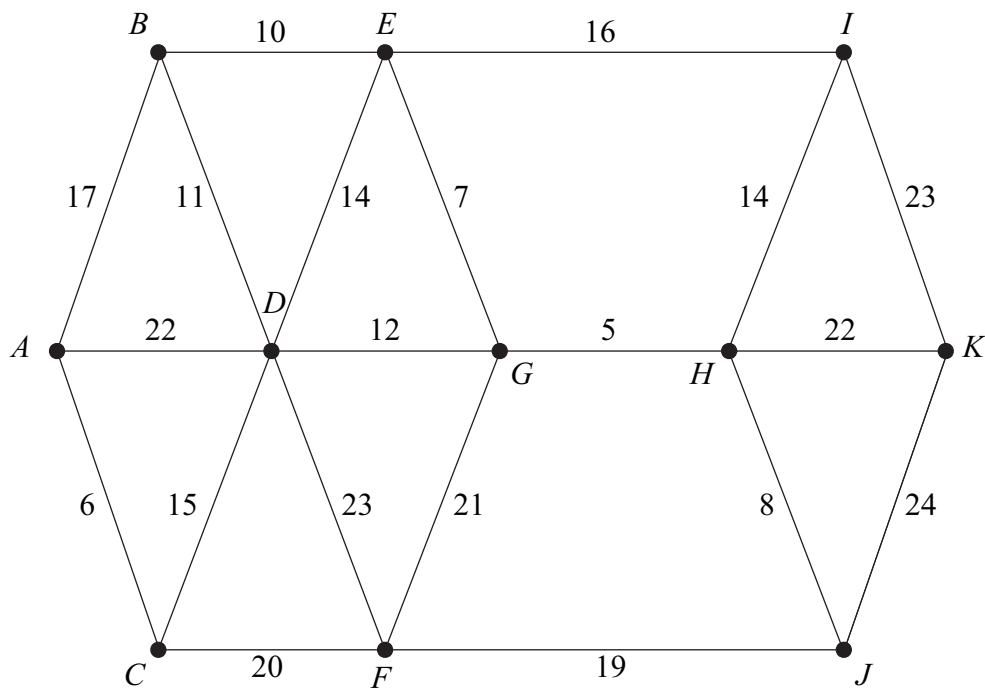
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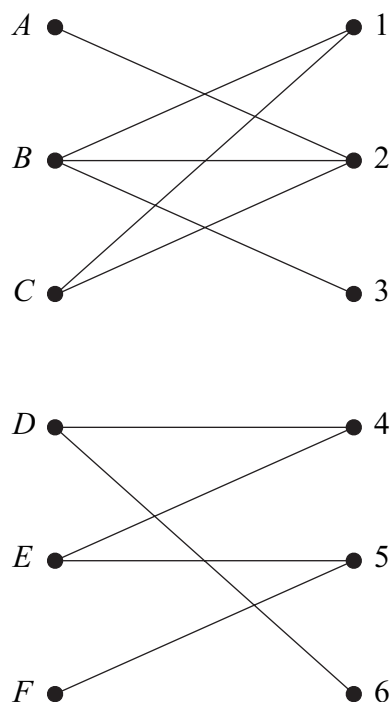
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- 1 The following network shows the lengths, in miles, of roads connecting 11 villages,  $A, B, \dots, K$ .



- (a) Starting from  $G$  and showing your working at each stage, use Prim's algorithm to find a minimum spanning tree for the network. (6 marks)
- (b) State the length of your minimum spanning tree. (1 mark)
- (c) Draw your minimum spanning tree. (3 marks)

- 2 Six people,  $A$ ,  $B$ ,  $C$ ,  $D$ ,  $E$  and  $F$ , are to be allocated to six tasks, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6. The following bipartite graph shows the tasks that each of the people is able to undertake.



- (a) Represent this information in an adjacency matrix. (2 marks)
- (b) Initially,  $B$  is assigned to task 1,  $C$  to task 2,  $D$  to task 4, and  $E$  to task 5.

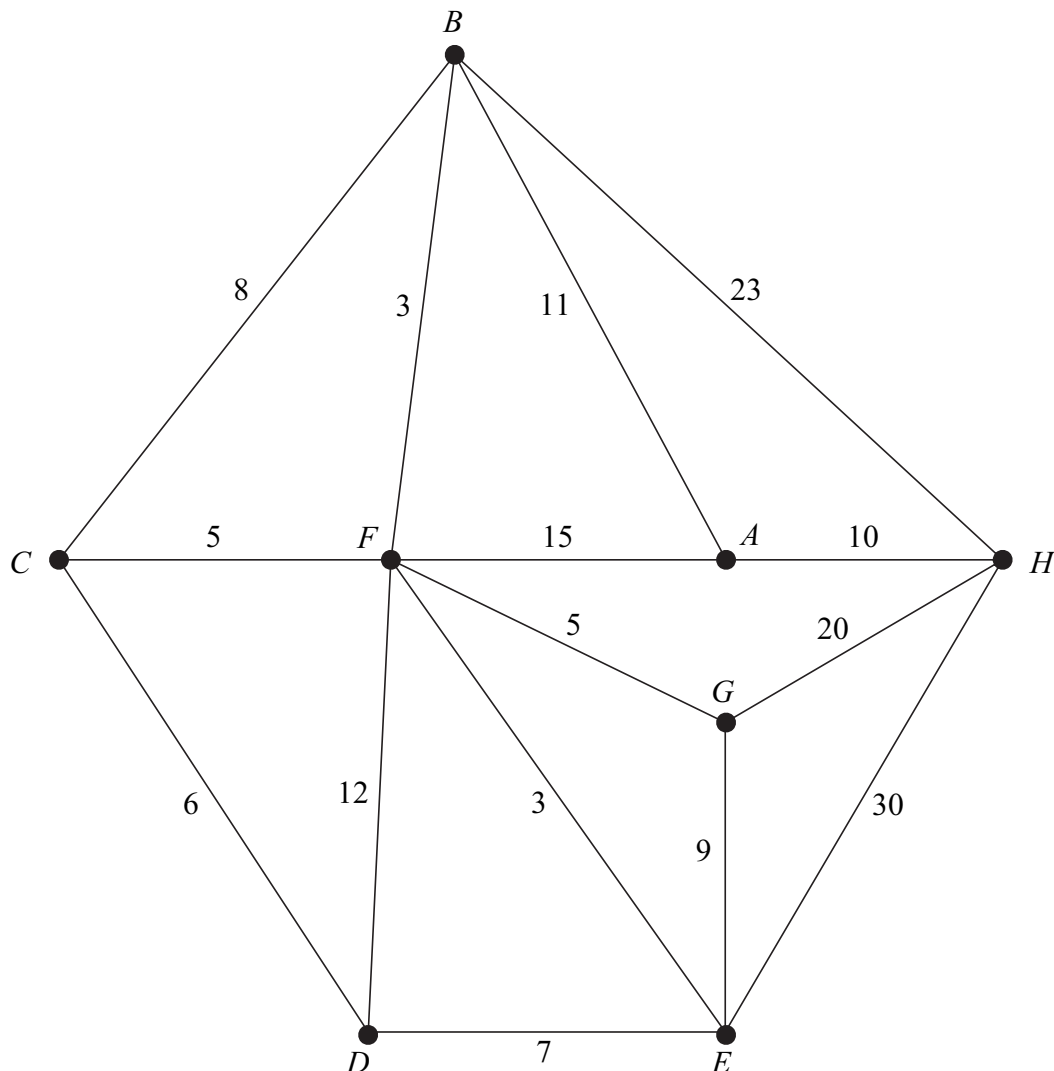
Demonstrate, by using an algorithm from this initial matching, how each person can be allocated to a task. (5 marks)

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3 [Figure 1, printed on the insert, is provided for use in this question.]

The diagram shows roads connecting some places of interest in Berlin. The numbers represent the times taken, in minutes, to walk along the roads.



The total of all walking times is 167 minutes.

- (a) Mia is staying at  $D$  and is to visit  $H$ .
- Use Dijkstra's algorithm on **Figure 1** to find the minimum time to walk from  $D$  to  $H$ . (6 marks)
  - Write down the corresponding route. (1 mark)
- (b) Each day, Leon has to deliver leaflets along all of the roads. He must start and finish at  $A$ .
- Use your answer to part (a) to write down the shortest walking time from  $D$  to  $A$ . (1 mark)
  - Find the walking time of an optimum Chinese Postman route for Leon. (6 marks)

4 [Figure 2, printed on the insert, is provided for use in this question.]

Each year, farmer Giles buys some goats, pigs and sheep.

He must buy at least 110 animals.

He must buy at least as many pigs as goats.

The total of the number of pigs and the number of sheep that he buys must not be greater than 150.

Each goat costs £16, each pig costs £8 and each sheep costs £24.

He has £3120 to spend on the animals.

At the end of the year, Giles sells all of the animals. He makes a profit of £70 on each goat, £30 on each pig and £50 on each sheep. Giles wishes to maximize his total profit, £ $P$ .

Each year, Giles buys  $x$  goats,  $y$  pigs and  $z$  sheep.

(a) Formulate Giles's situation as a linear programming problem. (5 marks)

(b) One year, Giles buys 30 sheep.

(i) Show that the constraints for Giles's situation for this year can be modelled by

$$y \geq x, \quad 2x + y \leq 300, \quad x + y \geq 80, \quad y \leq 120 \quad (2 \text{ marks})$$

(ii) On **Figure 2**, draw a suitable diagram to enable the problem to be solved graphically, indicating the feasible region and the direction of the objective line. (8 marks)

(iii) Find Giles's maximum profit for this year and the number of each animal that he must buy to obtain this maximum profit. (3 marks)

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5 A student is using the algorithm below to find an approximate value of  $\sqrt{2}$ .

Line 10          Let  $A = 1, B = 3, C = 0$   
Line 20          Let  $D = 1, E = 2, F = 0$   
Line 30          Let  $G = B/E$   
Line 40          Let  $H = G^2$   
Line 50          If  $(H - 2)^2 < 0.0001$  then go to Line 130  
Line 60          Let  $C = 2B + A$   
Line 70          Let  $A = B$   
Line 80          Let  $B = C$   
Line 90          Let  $F = 2E + D$   
Line 100         Let  $D = E$   
Line 110         Let  $E = F$   
Line 120         Go to Line 30  
Line 130         Print ' $\sqrt{2}$  is approximately',  $B/E$   
Line 140         Stop

Trace the algorithm.

(6 marks)

6 A connected graph  $G$  has five vertices and has eight edges with lengths 8, 10, 10, 11, 13, 17, 17 and 18.

- (a) Find the minimum length of a minimum spanning tree for  $G$ . (2 marks)
- (b) Find the maximum length of a minimum spanning tree for  $G$ . (2 marks)
- (c) Draw a sketch to show a possible graph  $G$  when the length of the minimum spanning tree is 53. (3 marks)

- 7 Liam is taking part in a treasure hunt. There are five clues to be solved and they are at the points  $A$ ,  $B$ ,  $C$ ,  $D$  and  $E$ . The table shows the distances between pairs of points. All of the distances are functions of  $x$ , **where  $x$  is an integer**.

Liam must travel to all five points, starting and finishing at  $A$ .

	$A$	$B$	$C$	$D$	$E$
$A$	–	$x + 6$	$2x - 4$	$3x - 7$	$4x - 14$
$B$	$x + 6$	–	$3x - 7$	$3x - 9$	$x + 9$
$C$	$2x - 4$	$3x - 7$	–	$2x - 1$	$x + 8$
$D$	$3x - 7$	$3x - 9$	$2x - 1$	–	$2x - 2$
$E$	$4x - 14$	$x + 9$	$x + 8$	$2x - 2$	–

- (a) The nearest point to  $A$  is  $C$ .
- (i) By considering  $AC$  and  $AB$ , show that  $x < 10$ . (2 marks)
- (ii) Find two other inequalities in  $x$ . (2 marks)
- (b) The nearest neighbour algorithm, starting from  $A$ , gives a **unique** minimum tour  $ACDEBA$ .
- (i) By considering the fact that Liam's tour visits  $D$  immediately after  $C$ , find two further inequalities in  $x$ . (3 marks)
- (ii) Find the value of the integer  $x$ . (4 marks)
- (iii) Hence find the total distance travelled by Liam if he uses this tour. (2 marks)

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# MD01

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**Specimen paper for examinations in June 2010 onwards**

**For this paper you must have:**

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- You may use a graphics calculator.

**Time allowed**

- 1 hour 30 minutes

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- Answer **all** questions.
- Write the question part reference (eg (a), (b)(i) etc) in the left-hand margin.
- You must answer the questions in the space provided. Do not write outside the box around each page.
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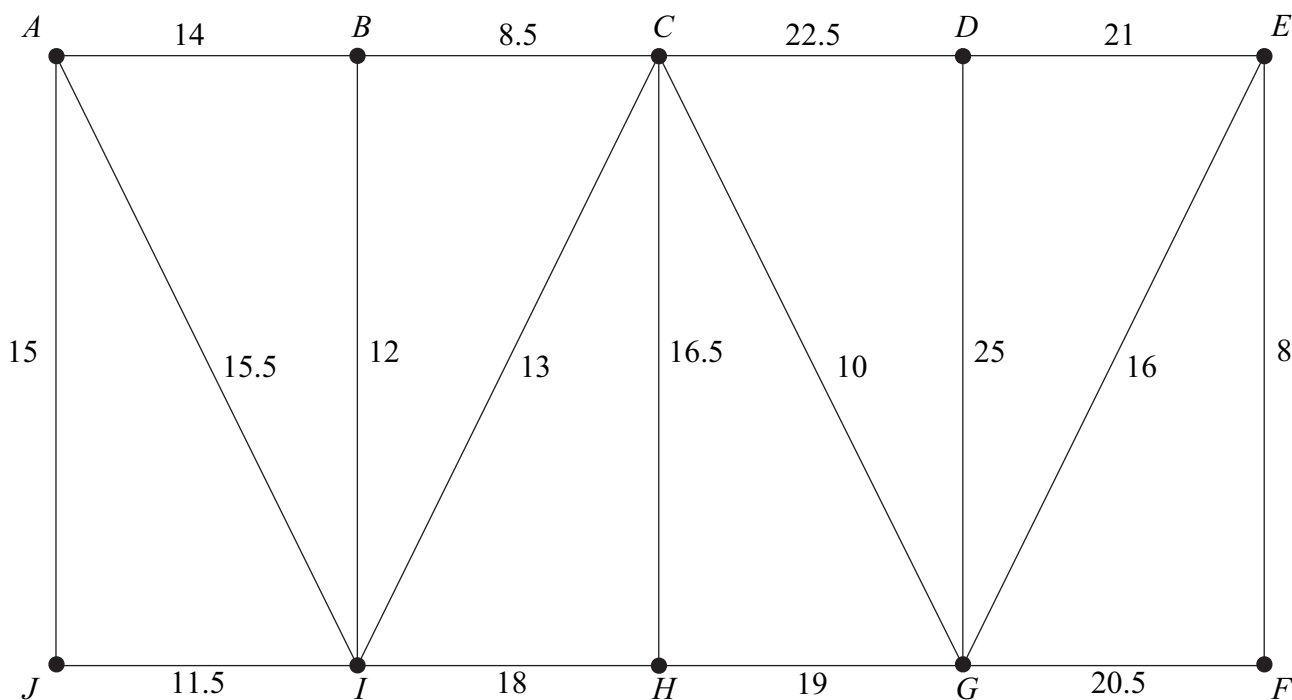




**3 (a) (i)** State the number of edges in a minimum spanning tree for a network with 10 vertices. (1 mark)

**(ii)** State the number of edges in a minimum spanning tree for a network with  $n$  vertices. (1 mark)

**(b)** The following network has 10 vertices:  $A, B, \dots, J$ . The number on each edge represents the distance between a pair of adjacent vertices.



**(i)** Use Kruskal's algorithm to find the minimum spanning tree for the network. (5 marks)

**(ii)** State the length of your minimum spanning tree. (1 mark)

**(iii)** Draw your minimum spanning tree. (2 marks)

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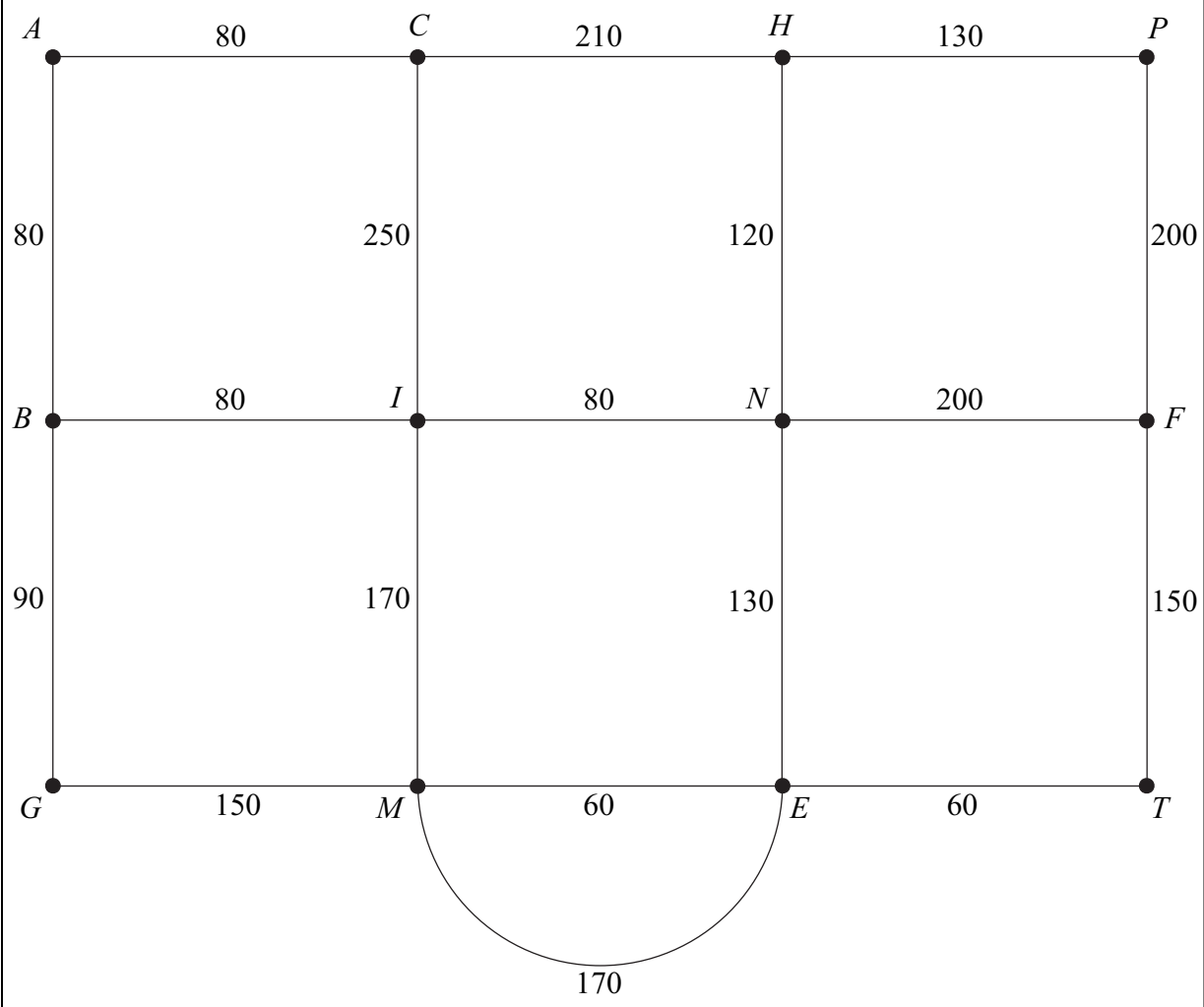
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- 5** Angelo is visiting six famous places in Palermo:  $A$ ,  $B$ ,  $C$ ,  $D$ ,  $E$  and  $F$ . He intends to travel from one place to the next until he has visited all of the places before returning to his starting place. Due to the traffic system, the time taken to travel between two places may be different dependent on the direction travelled.

The table shows the times, in minutes, taken to travel between the six places.

<b>From \ To</b>	$A$	$B$	$C$	$D$	$E$	$F$
$A$	–	25	20	20	27	25
$B$	15	–	10	11	15	30
$C$	5	30	–	15	20	19
$D$	20	25	15	–	25	10
$E$	10	20	7	15	–	15
$F$	25	35	29	20	30	–

- (a) Give an example of a Hamiltonian cycle in this context. (2 marks)
- (b) (i) Show that, if the nearest neighbour algorithm starting from  $F$  is used, the total travelling time for Angelo would be 95 minutes. (3 marks)
- (ii) Explain why your answer to part (b)(i) is an upper bound for the minimum travelling time for Angelo. (2 marks)
- (c) Angelo starts from  $F$  and visits  $E$  next. He also visits  $B$  before he visits  $D$ . Find an improved upper bound for Angelo's total travelling time. (3 marks)

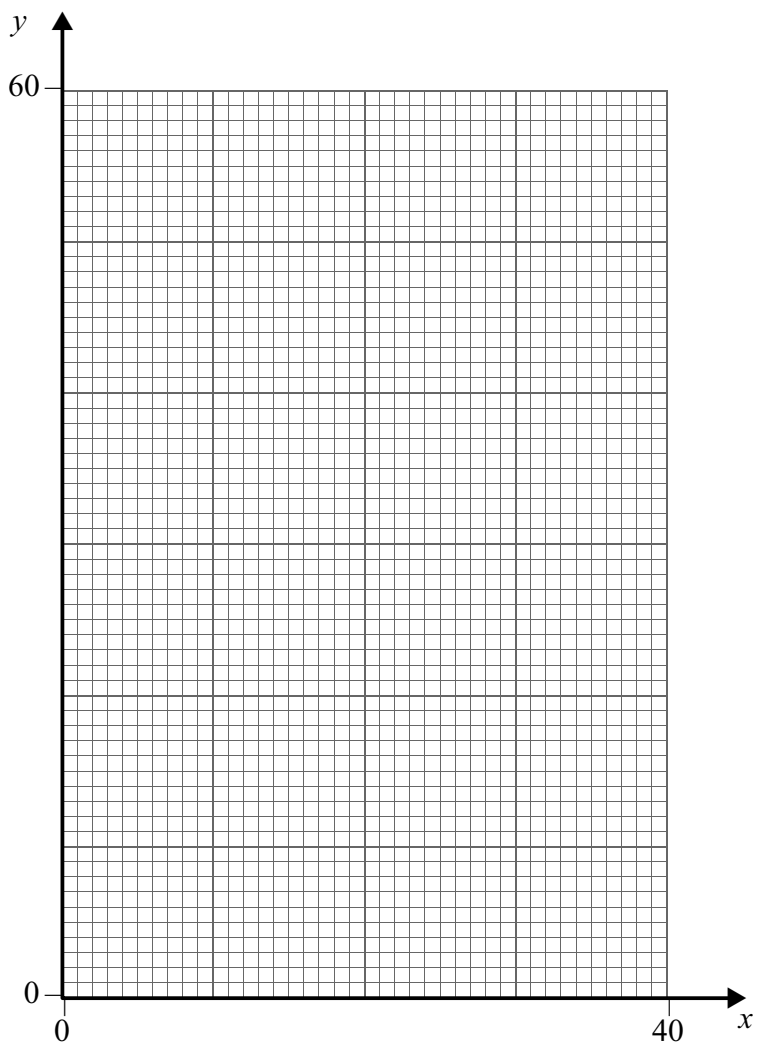
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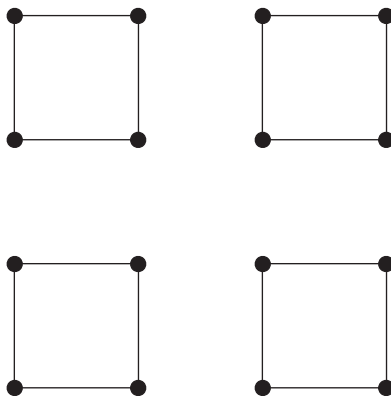
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7 (a) The diagram shows a graph with 16 vertices and 16 edges.



(i) On **Figure 1** below, add the minimum number of edges to make a connected graph. (1 mark)

(ii) On **Figure 2** opposite, add the minimum number of edges to make the graph Hamiltonian. (2 marks)

(iii) On **Figure 3** opposite, add the minimum number of edges to make the graph Eulerian. (2 marks)

(b) A complete graph has  $n$  vertices and is Eulerian.

(i) State the condition that  $n$  must satisfy. (1 mark)

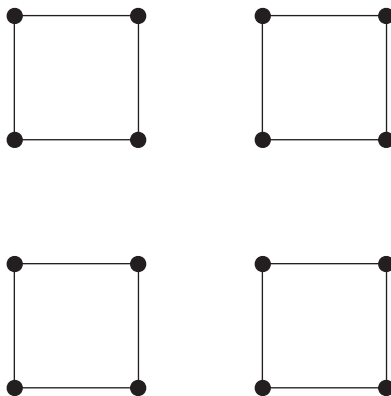
(ii) The number of edges in a Hamiltonian cycle for the graph is the same as the number of edges in an Eulerian trail. State the value of  $n$ . (2 marks)

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**Figure 1**

**Connected Graph**

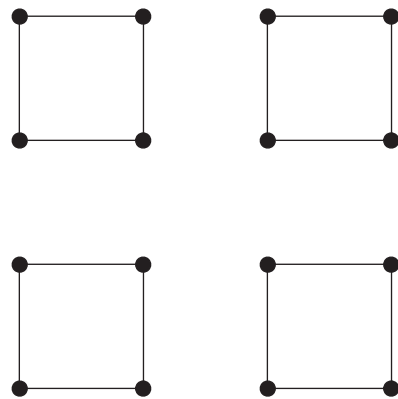


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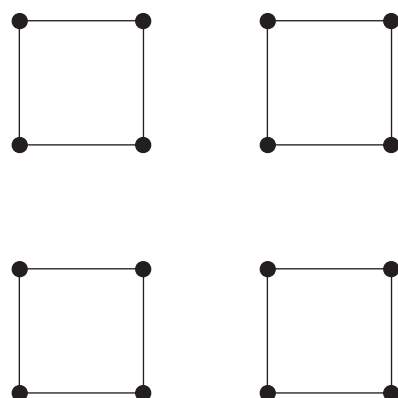
**Hamiltonian Graph**



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Figure 3

**Eulerian Graph**



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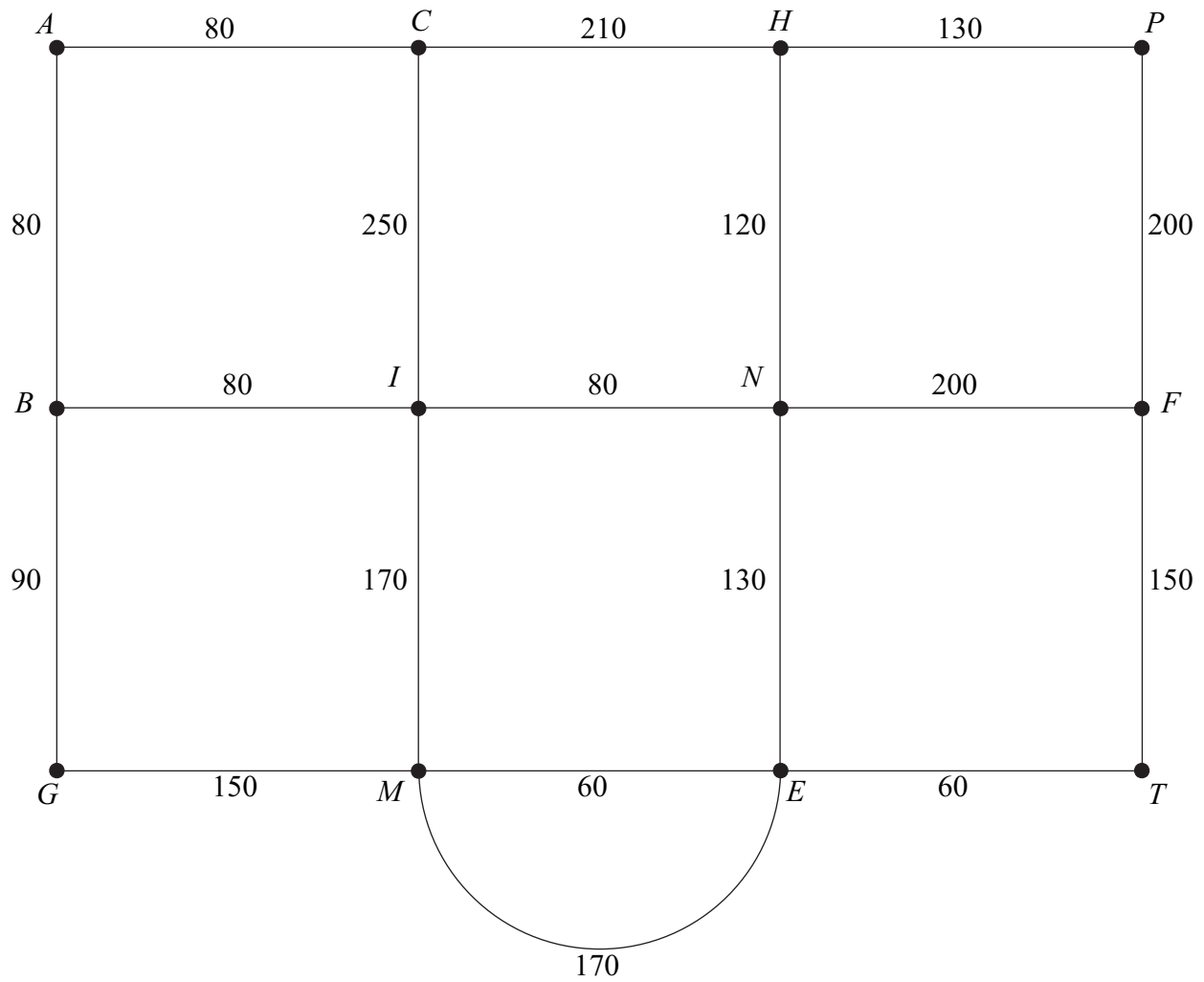
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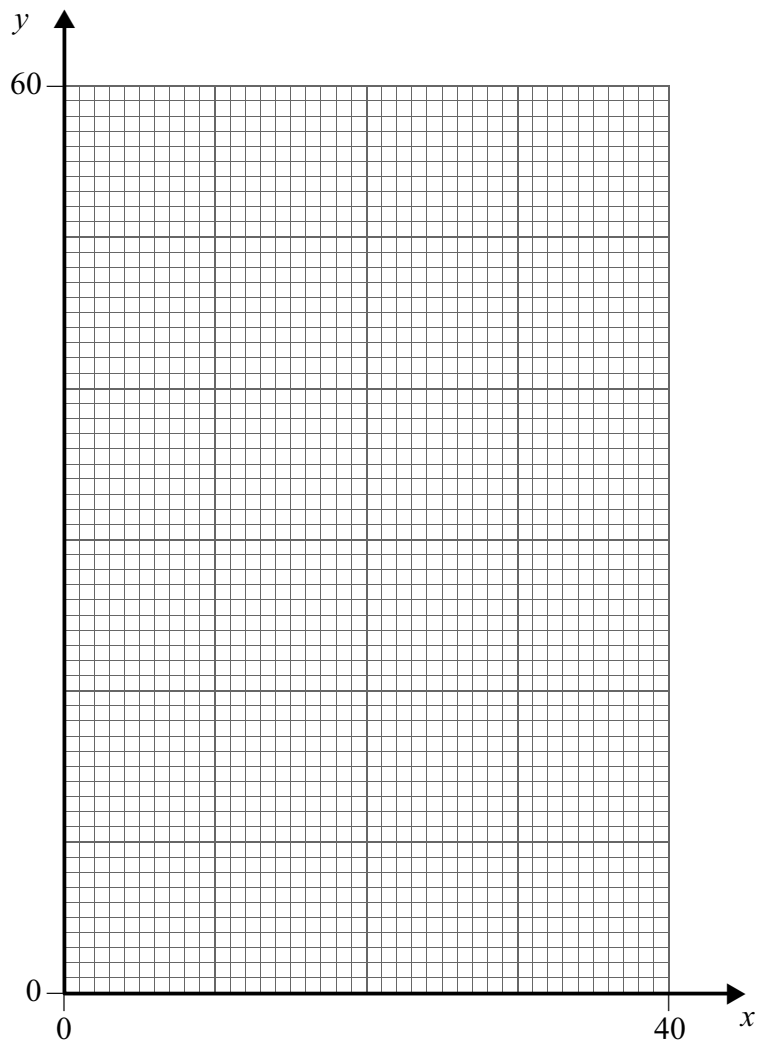
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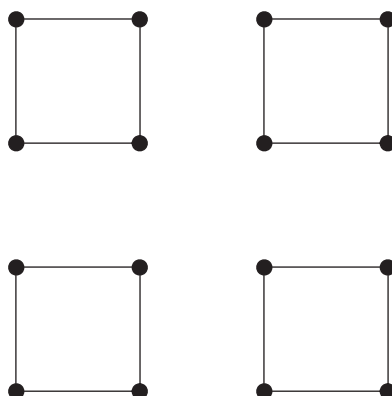
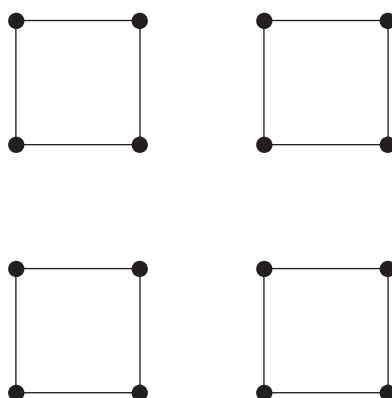
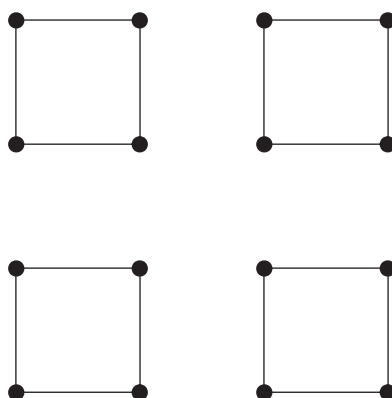
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## Mathematics

## MD01

### Unit Decision 1

Tuesday 19 January 2010 9.00 am to 10.30 am

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Answer **all** questions.

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- 1 Six girls, Alfonsa (A), Bianca (B), Claudia (C), Desiree (D), Erika (E) and Flavia (F), are going to a pizza restaurant. The restaurant provides a special menu of six different pizzas: Margherita (M), Neapolitana (N), Pepperoni (P), Romana (R), Stagioni (S) and Viennese (V).

The table shows the pizzas that each girl likes.

Girl	Pizza
Alfonsa (A)	Margherita (M), Pepperoni (P), Stagioni (S)
Bianca (B)	Neapolitana (N), Romana (R)
Claudia (C)	Neapolitana (N), Viennese (V)
Desiree (D)	Romana (R), Stagioni (S)
Erika (E)	Pepperoni (P), Stagioni (S), Viennese (V)
Flavia (F)	Romana (R)

- (a) Show this information on a bipartite graph. (2 marks)
- (b) Each girl is to eat a different pizza. Initially, the waiter brings six different pizzas and gives Alfonsa the Pepperoni, Bianca the Romana, Claudia the Neapolitana and Erika the Stagioni. The other two pizzas are put in the middle of the table.

From this initial matching, use the maximum matching algorithm to obtain a complete matching so that every girl gets a pizza that she likes. List your complete matching.

(5 marks)



- 2 (a) Use a bubble sort to rearrange the following numbers into ascending order.

13    16    10    11    4    12    6    7                      (5 marks)

- (b) State the number of comparisons and the number of swaps (exchanges) for each of the first three passes. (3 marks)

- 3 [Figure 1, printed on the insert, is provided for use in this question.]

The feasible region of a linear programming problem is represented by the following:

$$\begin{aligned}x &\geq 0, y \geq 0 \\x + 4y &\leq 36 \\4x + y &\leq 68 \\y &\leq 2x \\y &\geq \frac{1}{4}x\end{aligned}$$

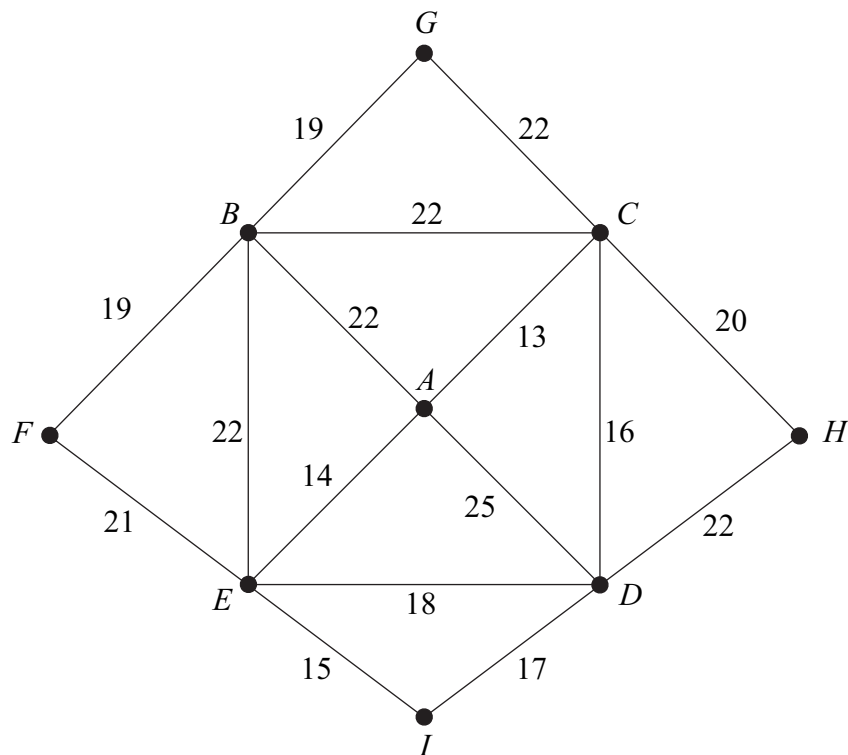
- (a) On **Figure 1**, draw a suitable diagram to represent the inequalities and indicate the feasible region. (6 marks)
- (b) Use your diagram to find the maximum value of  $P$ , stating the corresponding coordinates, on the feasible region, in the case where:
- (i)  $P = x + 5y$ ; (2 marks)
- (ii)  $P = 5x + y$ . (2 marks)

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- 4 In Paris, there is a park where there are statues of famous people; there are many visitors each day to this park. Lighting is to be installed at nine places,  $A, B, \dots, I$ , in the park. The places have to be connected either directly or indirectly by cabling, to be laid alongside the paths, as shown in the diagram.

The diagram shows the length of each path, in metres, connecting adjacent places.



Total length of paths = 307 metres

- (a) (i) Use Prim's algorithm, starting from  $A$ , to find the minimum length of cabling required. (5 marks)
- (ii) State this minimum length. (1 mark)
- (iii) Draw the minimum spanning tree. (2 marks)
- (b) A security guard walks along all the paths before returning to his starting place. Find the length of an optimal Chinese postman route for the guard. (6 marks)

- 5 There is a one-way system in Manchester. Mia is parked at her base,  $B$ , in Manchester and intends to visit four other places,  $A$ ,  $C$ ,  $D$  and  $E$ , before returning to her base. The following table shows the distances, in kilometres, for Mia to drive between the five places  $A$ ,  $B$ ,  $C$ ,  $D$  and  $E$ . Mia wants to keep the total distance that she drives to a minimum.

<b>From \ To</b>	$A$	$B$	$C$	$D$	$E$
$A$	–	1.7	1.9	1.8	2.1
$B$	3.1	–	2.5	1.8	3.7
$C$	3.1	2.9	–	2.7	4.2
$D$	2.0	2.8	2.1	–	2.3
$E$	2.2	3.6	1.9	1.7	–

- (a) Find the length of the tour  $BECDAB$ . (1 mark)
- (b) Find the length of the tour obtained by using the nearest neighbour algorithm starting from  $B$ . (4 marks)
- (c) Write down which of your answers to parts (a) and (b) would be the better upper bound for the total distance that Mia drives. (1 mark)
- (d) On a particular day, the council decides to reverse the one-way system. For this day, find the length of the tour obtained by using the nearest neighbour algorithm starting from  $B$ . (4 marks)

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6 A student is finding a numerical approximation for the area under a curve.

The algorithm that the student is using is as follows:

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Line 10      Input  $A, B, N$ 
Line 20      Let  $T = 0$ 
Line 30      Let  $D = A$ 
Line 40      Let  $H = (B - A)/N$ 
Line 50      Let  $E = H/2$ 
Line 60      Let  $T = T + A^3 + B^3$ 
Line 70      Let  $D = D + H$ 
Line 80      If  $D = B$  then go to line 110
Line 90      Let  $T = T + 2D^3$ 
Line 100     Go to line 70
Line 110     Print 'Area = ',  $T \times E$ 
Line 120     End
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Trace the algorithm in the case where the input values are:

(a)  $A = 1, B = 5, N = 2;$

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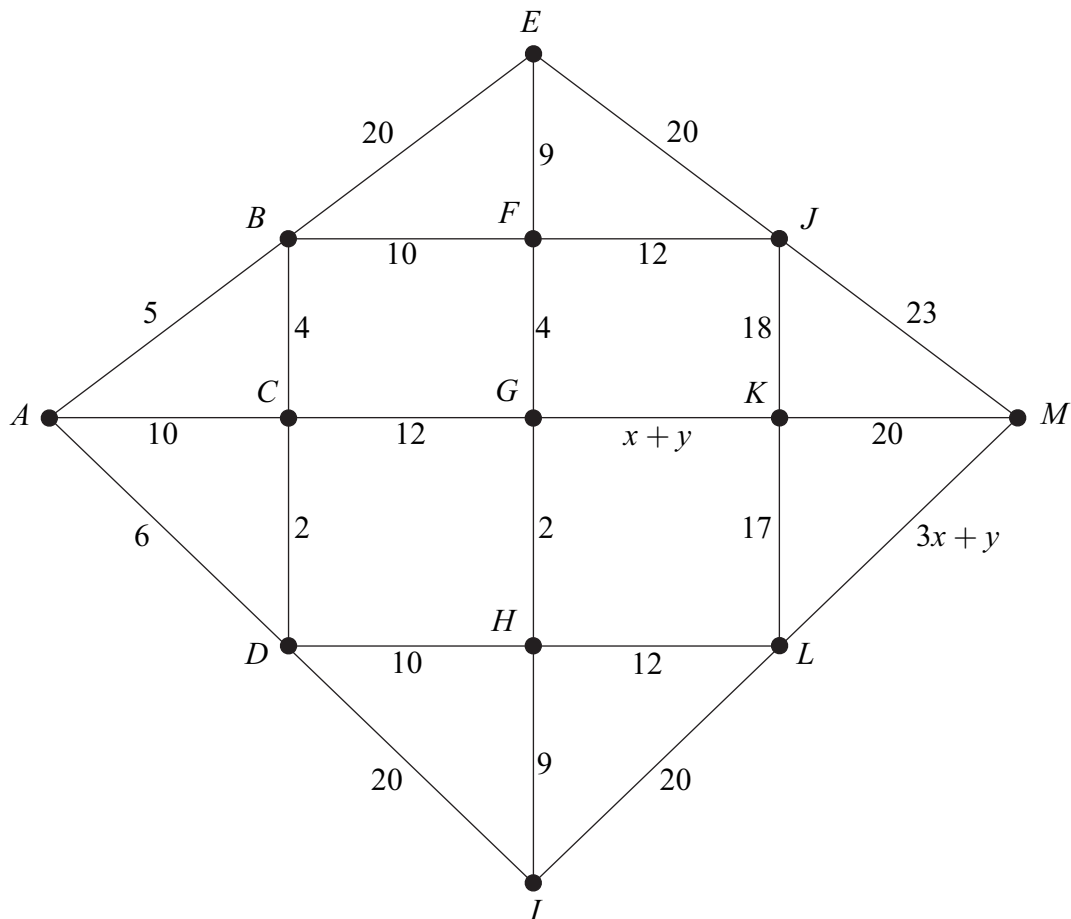
(b)  $A = 1, B = 5, N = 4.$

(4 marks)

7 [Figure 2, printed on the insert, is provided for use in this question.]

The following network has 13 vertices and 24 edges connecting some pairs of vertices. The number on each edge is its weight.

The weights on the edges  $GK$  and  $LM$  are functions of  $x$  and  $y$ , where  $x > 0$ ,  $y > 0$  and  $10 < x + y < 27$ .



There are three routes from  $A$  to  $M$  of the same minimum total weight.

- (a) Use Dijkstra's algorithm on **Figure 2** to find this minimum total weight. (7 marks)
- (b) Find the values of  $x$  and  $y$ . (3 marks)

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- 8 A factory packs three different kinds of novelty box: red, blue and green. Each box contains three different types of toy: A, B and C.

Each red box has 2 type A toys, 3 type B toys and 4 type C toys.

Each blue box has 3 type A toys, 1 type B toy and 3 type C toys.

Each green box has 4 type A toys, 5 type B toys and 2 type C toys.

Each day, the maximum number of each type of toy available to be packed is 360 type A, 300 type B and 400 type C.

Each day, the factory must pack more type A toys than type B toys.

Each day, the total number of type A and type B toys that are packed must together be at least as many as the number of type C toys that are packed.

Each day, at least 40% of the total toys that are packed must be type C toys.

Each day, the factory packs  $x$  red boxes,  $y$  blue boxes and  $z$  green boxes.

Formulate the above situation as 6 inequalities, in addition to  $x \geq 0$ ,  $y \geq 0$  and  $z \geq 0$ , simplifying your answers. (8 marks)

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Wednesday 9 June 2010 1.30 pm to 3.00 pm

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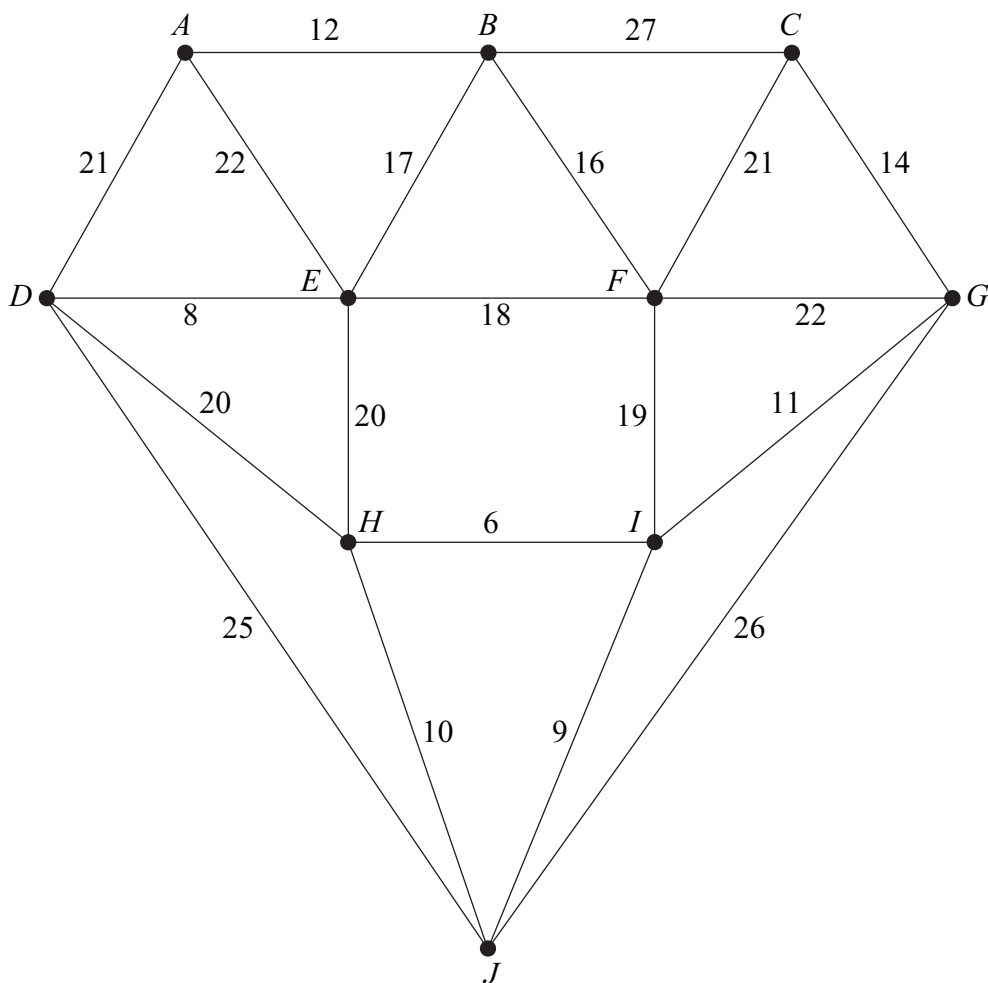
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**3** The network shows 10 towns. The times, in minutes, to travel between pairs of towns are indicated on the edges.



- (a) Use Kruskal's algorithm, showing the order in which you select the edges, to find a minimum spanning tree for the 10 towns. (6 marks)
- (b) State the length of your minimum spanning tree. (1 mark)
- (c) Draw your minimum spanning tree. (3 marks)
- (d) If Prim's algorithm, starting at *B*, had been used to find the minimum spanning tree, state which edge would have been the final edge to complete the minimum spanning tree. (1 mark)

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**4** The network below shows 13 towns. The times, in minutes, to travel between pairs of towns are indicated on the edges.

The total of all the times is 384 minutes.

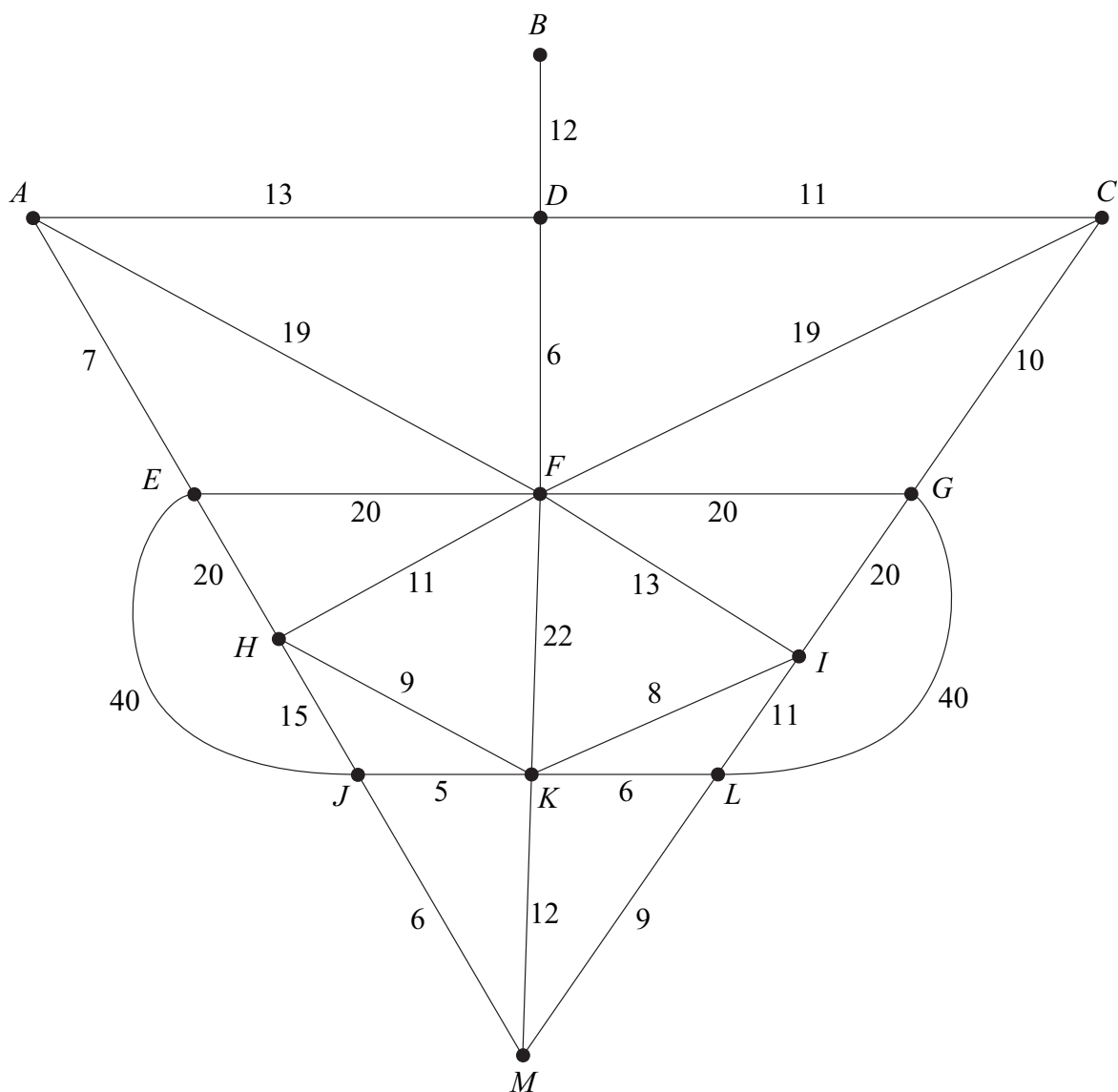
**(a)** Use Dijkstra's algorithm on the network below, starting from  $M$ , to find the minimum time to travel from  $M$  to each of the other towns. (7 marks)

**(b) (i)** Find the travelling time of an optimum Chinese postman route around the network, starting and finishing at  $M$ . (6 marks)

**(ii)** State the number of times that the vertex  $F$  would appear in a corresponding route. (1 mark)

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**6** Phil is to buy some squash balls for his club. There are three different types of ball that he can buy: slow, medium and fast.

He must buy at least 190 slow balls, at least 50 medium balls and at least 50 fast balls.

He must buy at least 300 balls in total.

Each slow ball costs £2.50, each medium ball costs £2.00 and each fast ball costs £2.00.

He must spend no more than £1000 in total.

At least 60% of the balls that he buys must be slow balls.

Phil buys  $x$  slow balls,  $y$  medium balls and  $z$  fast balls.

**(a)** Find six inequalities that model Phil's situation. (4 marks)

**(b)** Phil decides to buy the same number of medium balls as fast balls.

**(i)** Show that the inequalities found in part **(a)** simplify to give

$$x \geq 190, \quad y \geq 50, \quad x + 2y \geq 300, \quad 5x + 8y \leq 2000, \quad y \leq \frac{1}{3}x \quad (2 \text{ marks})$$

**(ii)** Phil sells all the balls that he buys to members of the club. He sells each slow ball for £3.00, each medium ball for £2.25 and each fast ball for £2.25. He wishes to maximise his profit.

On **Figure 1** on page 14, draw a diagram to enable this problem to be solved graphically, indicating the feasible region and the direction of an objective line. (7 marks)

**(iii)** Find Phil's maximum possible profit and state the number of each type of ball that he must buy to obtain this maximum profit. (4 marks)

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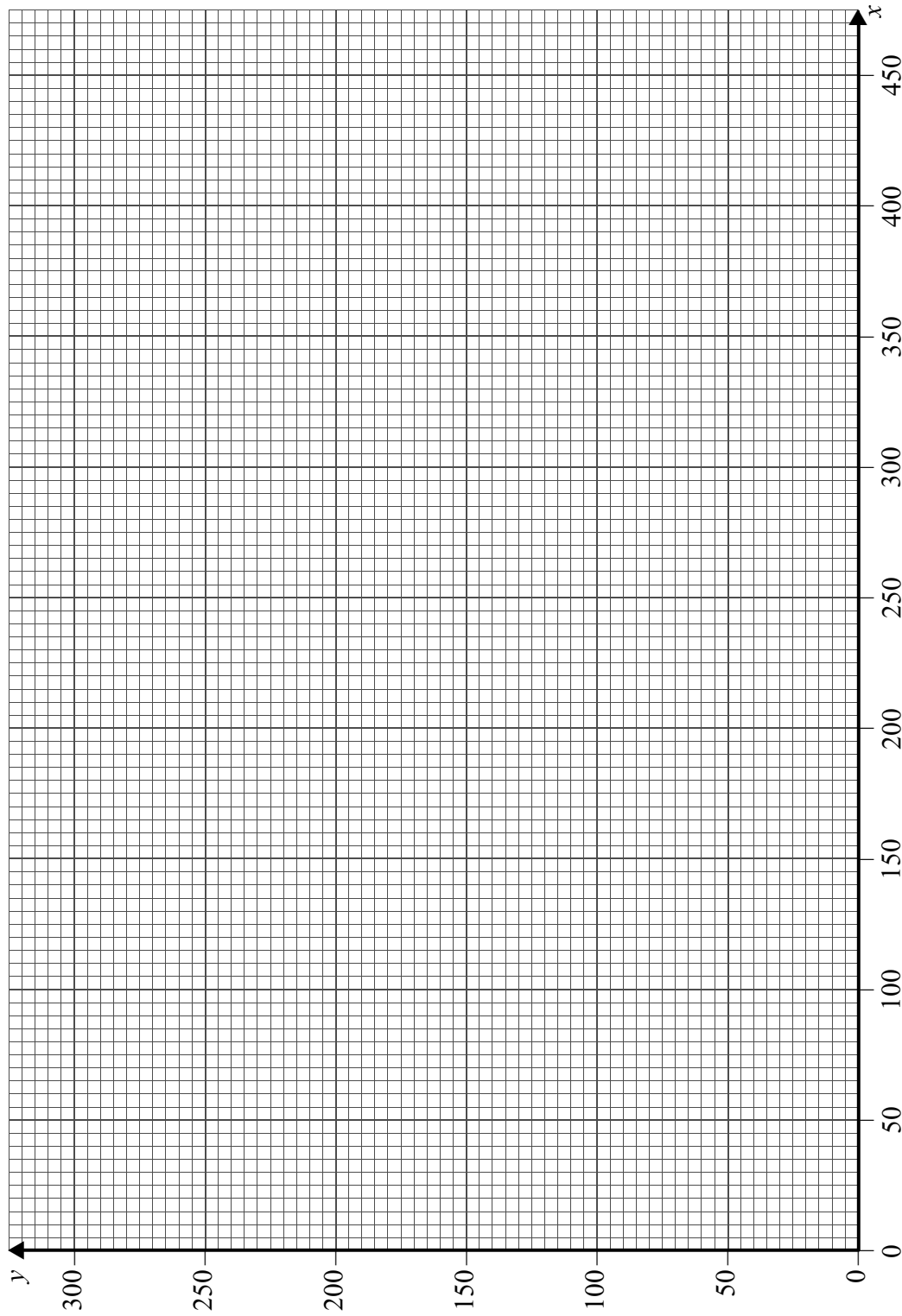


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$$x \geq 190, y \geq 50, x + 2y \geq 300, 5x + 8y \leq 2000, y \leq \frac{1}{3}x$$









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# Mathematics

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## Unit Decision 1

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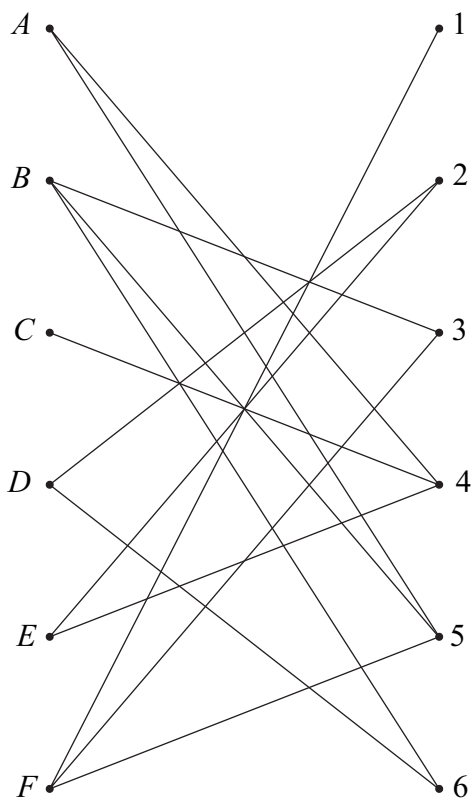
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Answer **all** questions in the spaces provided.

- 1** Six people, *A*, *B*, *C*, *D*, *E* and *F*, are to be allocated to six tasks, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6. The following bipartite graph shows the tasks that each of the people is able to undertake.



- (a)** Represent this information in an adjacency matrix. (2 marks)

- (b)** Initially, *B* is assigned to task 5, *D* to task 2, *E* to task 4 and *F* to task 3.

Demonstrate, by using an algorithm from this initial matching, how each person can be allocated to a task. (5 marks)

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- 2** A student is using a quicksort algorithm to rearrange a set of numbers into ascending order. She uses the first number in each list (or sublist) as the pivot.

Her correct solution for the first three passes is as follows.

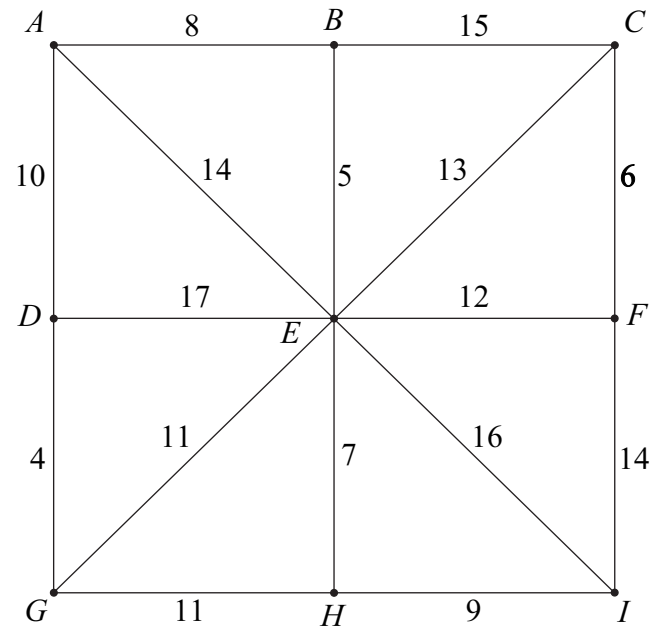
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After 1st pass	7	4	5	10	22	13	16	19
After 2nd pass	4	5	7	10	13	16	19	22
After 3rd pass	4	5	7	10	13	16	19	22

- (a) State the pivots used for the 2nd pass. (2 marks)
- (b) Write down the number of comparisons on each of the three passes. (3 marks)
- (c) Explain whether the student has completed the algorithm. (1 mark)

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**3** The following network shows the lengths, in miles, of roads connecting nine villages,  $A, B, \dots, I$ .

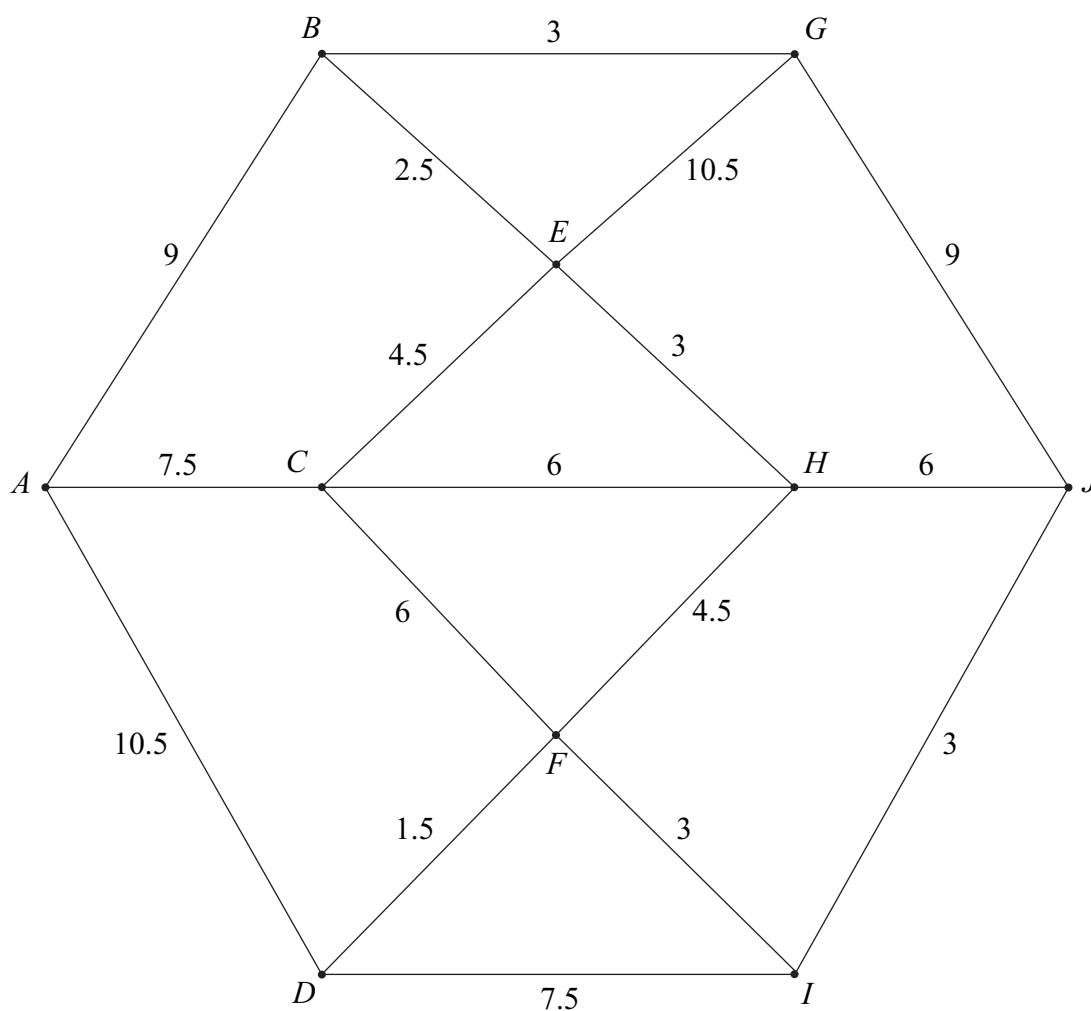


- (a) (i) Use Prim's algorithm starting from  $E$ , showing the order in which you select the edges, to find a minimum spanning tree for the network. (4 marks)
- (ii) State the length of your minimum spanning tree. (1 mark)
- (iii) Draw your minimum spanning tree. (2 marks)
- (b) On a particular day, village  $B$  is cut off, so its connecting roads cannot be used. Find the length of a minimum spanning tree for the remaining eight villages. (2 marks)

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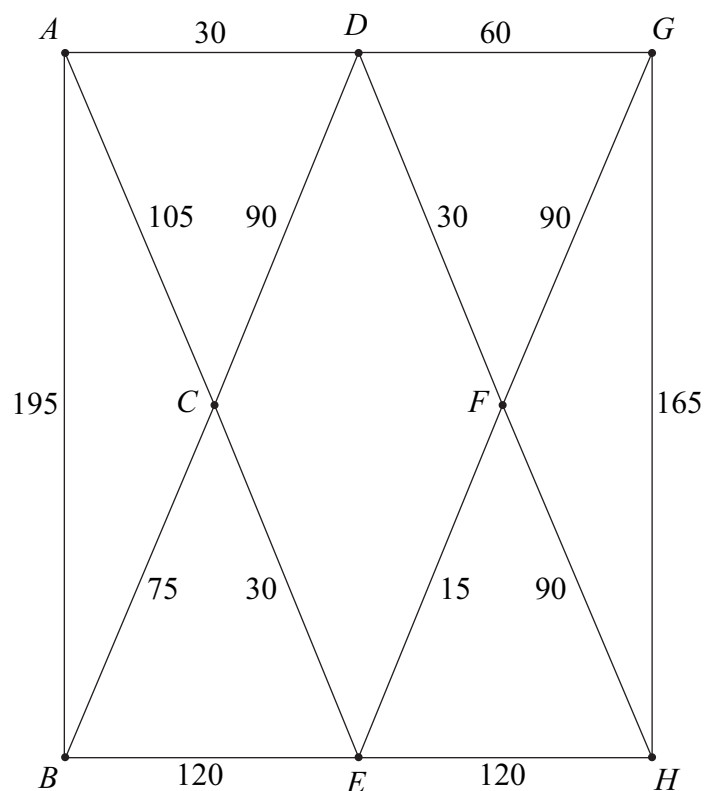


- 4** The network below shows some paths on an estate. The number on each edge represents the time taken, in minutes, to walk along a path.
- (a) (i)** Use Dijkstra's algorithm on the network to find the minimum walking time from  $A$  to  $J$ . (6 marks)
- (ii)** Write down the corresponding route. (1 mark)
- (b)** A new subway is constructed connecting  $C$  to  $G$  directly. The time taken to walk along this subway is  $x$  minutes. The minimum time taken to walk from  $A$  to  $G$  is now reduced, but the minimum time taken to walk from  $A$  to  $J$  is not reduced.
- Find the range of possible values for  $x$ . (3 marks)

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- 5** Norris delivers newspapers to houses on an estate. The network shows the streets on the estate. The number on each edge shows the length of the street, in metres.

Norris starts from the newsagents located at vertex  $A$ , and he must walk along all the streets at least once before returning to the newsagents.



The total length of the streets is 1215 metres.

- (a) Give a reason why it is not possible to start at  $A$ , walk along each street once only, and return to  $A$ . (1 mark)
- (b) Find the length of an optimal Chinese postman route around the estate, starting and finishing at  $A$ . (5 marks)
- (c) For an optimal Chinese postman route, state:
- (i) the number of times that the vertex  $F$  would occur; (1 mark)
- (ii) the number of times that the vertex  $H$  would occur. (1 mark)



- 6 (a)** The complete graph  $K_n$  has every one of its  $n$  vertices connected to each of the other vertices by a single edge.
- (i) Find the total number of edges in the graph  $K_5$ . (1 mark)
- (ii) State the number of edges in a minimum spanning tree for the graph  $K_5$ . (1 mark)
- (iii) State the number of edges in a Hamiltonian cycle for the graph  $K_5$ . (1 mark)
- (b)** A simple graph  $G$  has six vertices and nine edges, and  $G$  is Eulerian. Draw a sketch to show a possible graph  $G$ . (2 marks)

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8 A student is tracing the following algorithm with positive integer values of  $A$  and  $B$ .

The function INT gives the integer part of a number, eg  $\text{INT}(2.3) = 2$  and  $\text{INT}(3.8) = 3$ .

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Line 10      Let  $X = 0$ 
Line 20      Input  $A, B$ 
Line 30      If  $\text{INT}(A/2) = A/2$  then go to Line 50
Line 40      Let  $X = X + B$ 
Line 50      If  $A = 1$  then go to Line 90
Line 60      Let  $A = \text{INT}(A/2)$ 
Line 70      Let  $B = 2 \times B$ 
Line 80      Go to Line 30
Line 90      Print  $X$ 
Line 100     End

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(a) Trace the algorithm in the case where the input values are  $A = 20$  and  $B = 8$ . (4 marks)

(b) State the purpose of the algorithm. (1 mark)

(c) Another student changed Line 50 to

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Line 50      If  $A = 1$  then go to Line 80

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Explain what would happen if this algorithm were traced. (2 marks)

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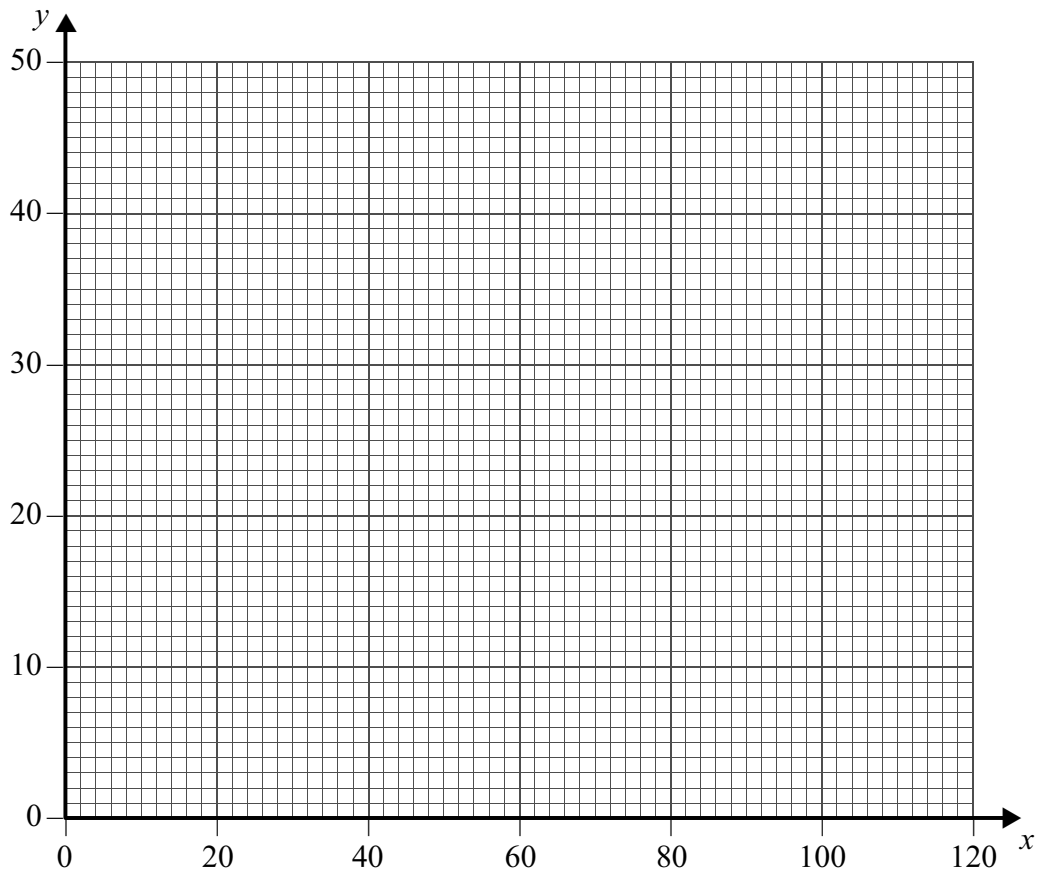
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# MD01

## Unit Decision 1

Thursday 26 May 2011 9.00 am to 10.30 am

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

**1** Six people, *A*, *B*, *C*, *D*, *E* and *F*, are to be allocated to six tasks, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6. The following adjacency matrix shows the tasks that each of the people is able to undertake.

	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b>
<b><i>A</i></b>	1	0	1	0	0	0
<b><i>B</i></b>	1	1	0	0	0	1
<b><i>C</i></b>	0	1	0	1	0	0
<b><i>D</i></b>	0	1	0	0	1	0
<b><i>E</i></b>	0	0	1	0	1	0
<b><i>F</i></b>	0	0	0	0	1	0

- (a) Represent this information in a bipartite graph. (2 marks)
- (b) Initially, *A* is assigned to task 3, *B* to task 2, *C* to task 4 and *D* to task 5.

Use an algorithm from this initial matching to find a maximum matching, listing your alternating paths. (5 marks)

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**2** Five different integers are to be sorted into ascending order.

**(a)** A bubble sort is to be used on the list of numbers 6 4  $x$  2 11.

**(i)** After the first pass, the list of numbers becomes

$$4 \ x \ 2 \ 6 \ 11$$

Write down an inequality that  $x$  must satisfy. *(1 mark)*

**(ii)** After the second pass, the list becomes

$$x \ 2 \ 4 \ 6 \ 11$$

Write down a new inequality that  $x$  must satisfy. *(1 mark)*

**(b)** The five integers are now written in a different order. A shuttle sort is to be used on the list of numbers 11  $x$  2 4 6.

**(i)** After the first pass, the list of numbers becomes

$$x \ 11 \ 2 \ 4 \ 6$$

Write down an inequality that  $x$  must satisfy. *(1 mark)*

**(ii)** After the second pass, the list becomes

$$2 \ x \ 11 \ 4 \ 6$$

Write down a further inequality that  $x$  must satisfy. *(1 mark)*

**(c)** Use your answers from parts **(a)** and **(b)** to write down the value of  $x$ . *(2 marks)*

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- 3** A group of eight friends,  $A, B, C, D, E, F, G$  and  $H$ , keep in touch by sending text messages. The cost, in pence, of sending a message between each pair of friends is shown in the following table.

	$A$	$B$	$C$	$D$	$E$	$F$	$G$	$H$
$A$	–	15	10	12	16	11	14	17
$B$	15	–	15	14	15	16	16	15
$C$	10	15	–	11	10	12	14	9
$D$	12	14	11	–	11	12	14	12
$E$	16	15	10	11	–	13	15	14
$F$	11	16	12	12	13	–	14	8
$G$	14	16	14	14	15	14	–	13
$H$	17	15	9	12	14	8	13	–

One of the group wishes to pass on a piece of news to all the other friends, either by a direct text or by the message being passed on from friend to friend, at the minimum total cost.

- (a) (i)** Use Prim's algorithm starting from  $A$ , showing the order in which you select the edges, to find a minimum spanning tree for the table. *(4 marks)*
- (ii)** Draw your minimum spanning tree. *(2 marks)*
- (iii)** Find the minimum total cost. *(1 mark)*
- (b)** Person  $H$  leaves the group. Find the new minimum total cost. *(2 marks)*

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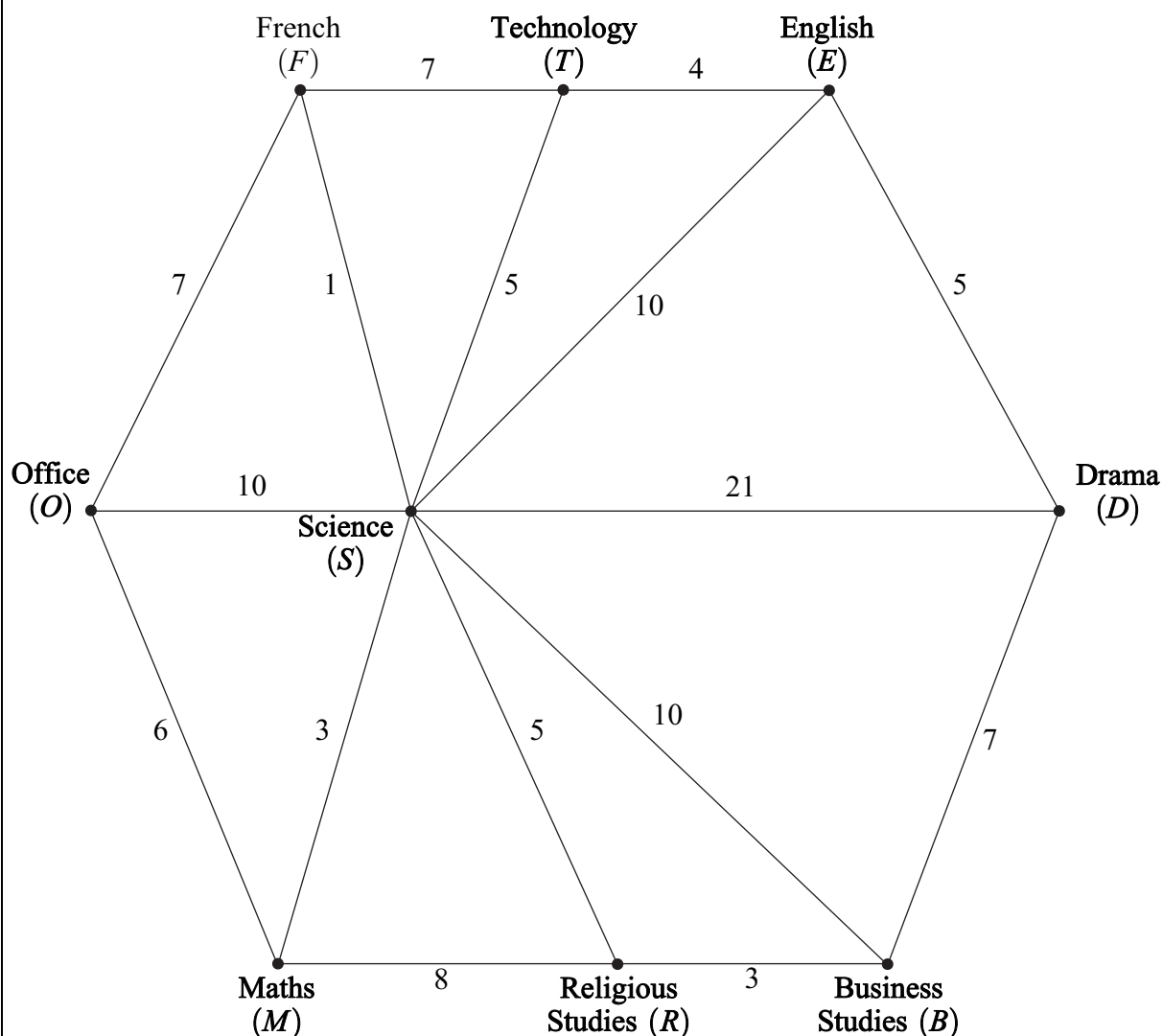
- 4** The network below shows some pathways at a school connecting different departments. The number on each edge represents the time taken, in minutes, to walk along that pathway.

Carol, the headteacher, wishes to walk from her office ( $O$ ) to the Drama department ( $D$ ).

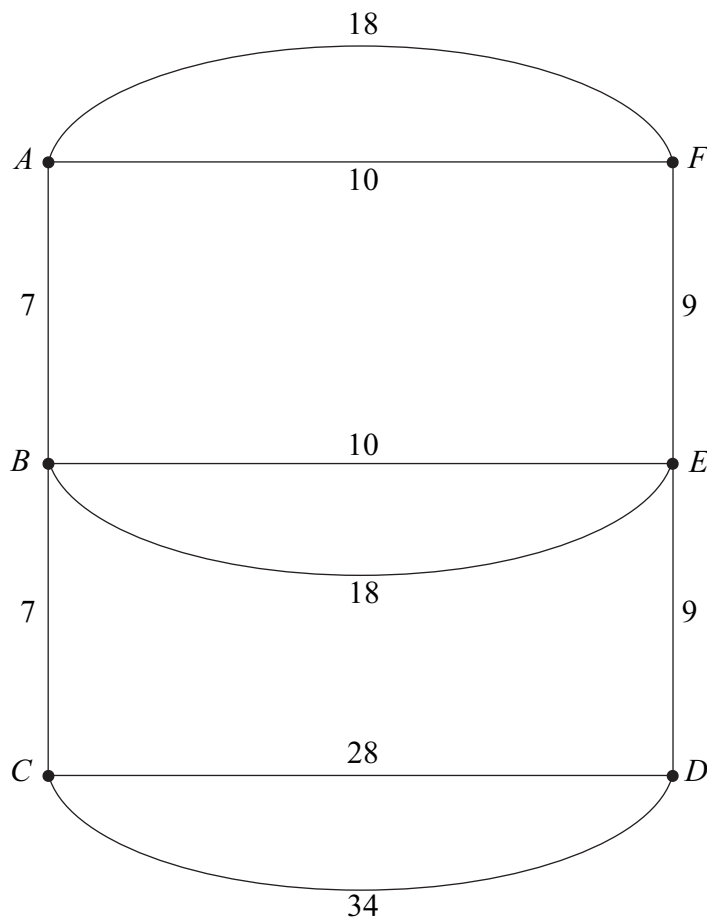
- (a) (i)** Use Dijkstra's algorithm on the network to find the minimum walking time from  $O$  to  $D$ . (6 marks)
- (ii)** Write down the corresponding route. (1 mark)
- (b)** On another occasion, Carol needs to go from her office to the Business Studies department ( $B$ ).
- (i)** Write down her minimum walking time. (1 mark)
- (ii)** Write down the route corresponding to this minimum time. (1 mark)

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**(a)(i)**



- 5** A council is responsible for gritting main roads in a district. The network shows the main roads in the district. The number on each edge shows the length of the road, in kilometres. The gritter starts from the depot located at point  $A$ , and must drive along all the roads at least once before returning to the depot.



Total = 150 km

- (a) Find the length of an optimal Chinese postman route around the main roads in the district, starting and finishing at  $A$ . (5 marks)
- (b) Zac, a supervisor, wishes to inspect all the roads. He leaves the depot, located at point  $A$ , and drives along all the roads at least once before finishing at his home, located at point  $C$ . Find the length of an optimal route for Zac. (2 marks)
- (c) Liz, a reporter, intends to drive along all the roads at least once in order to report on driving conditions. She can start her journey at any point and can finish her journey at any point.
- (i) Find the length of an optimal route for Liz. (2 marks)
- (ii) State the points from which Liz could start in order to achieve this optimal route. (1 mark)





**6** A student is tracing the following algorithm.

Line 10      Let  $A = 6$   
Line 20      Let  $B = 7$   
Line 30      Input  $C$   
Line 40      Let  $D = (A + B)/2$   
Line 50      Let  $E = C - D^3$   
Line 60      If  $E^2 < 1$  then go to Line 120  
Line 70      If  $E > 0$  then go to Line 100  
Line 80      Let  $B = D$   
Line 90      Go to Line 40  
Line 100     Let  $A = D$   
Line 110     Go to Line 40  
Line 120     Stop

**(a)** Trace the algorithm in the case where the input value is  $C = 300$ .      (4 marks)

**(b)** The algorithm is intended to find the approximate cube root of any input number.

State two reasons why the algorithm is unsatisfactory in its present form.      (3 marks)

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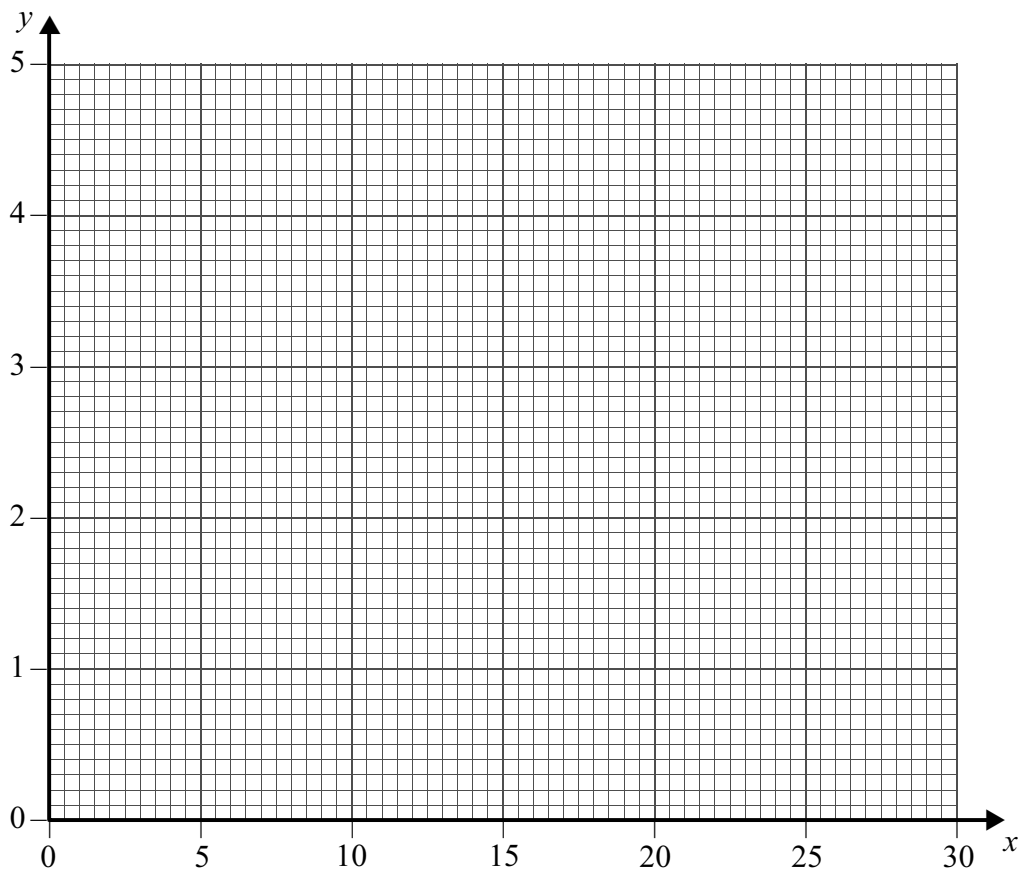
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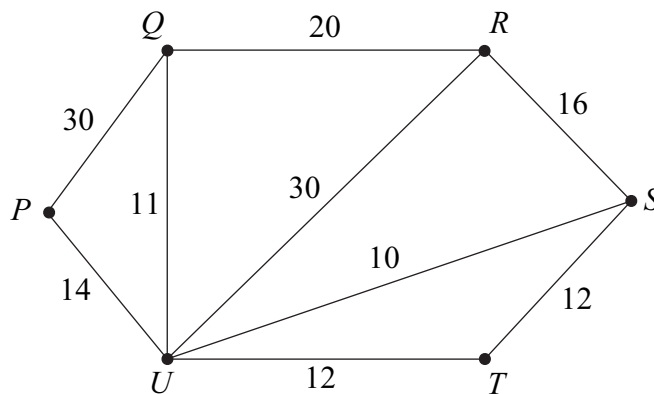
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8 Mrs Jones is a spy who has to visit six locations,  $P$ ,  $Q$ ,  $R$ ,  $S$ ,  $T$  and  $U$ , to collect information. She starts at location  $Q$ , and travels to each of the other locations, before returning to  $Q$ . She wishes to keep her travelling time to a minimum.

The diagram represents roads connecting different locations. The number on each edge represents the travelling time, in minutes, along that road.



- (a) (i) Explain why the shortest time to travel from  $P$  to  $R$  is 40 minutes. (2 marks)
- (ii) Complete **Table 1**, on the opposite page, in which the entries are the shortest travelling times, in minutes, between pairs of locations. (2 marks)
- (b) (i) Use the nearest neighbour algorithm on **Table 1**, starting at  $Q$ , to find an upper bound for the minimum travelling time for Mrs Jones's tour. (4 marks)
- (ii) Mrs Jones decides to follow the route given by the nearest neighbour algorithm. Write down her route, showing all the locations through which she passes. (2 marks)
- (c) By deleting  $Q$  from **Table 1**, find a lower bound for the travelling time for Mrs Jones's tour. (5 marks)

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## Unit Decision 1

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

**1** Use a Shell sort to rearrange the following numbers into ascending order, showing the new arrangement after each pass.

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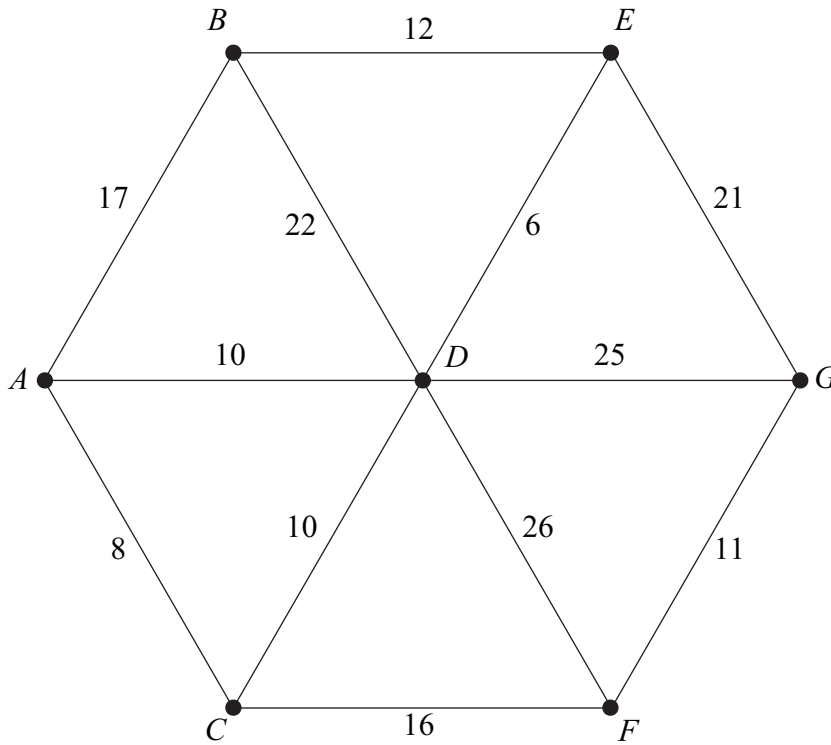






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The following network shows the roads connecting seven villages,  $A, B, C, \dots, G$ . The number on each edge represents the length, in miles, between a pair of villages.



- (a) Use Kruskal's algorithm to find a minimum spanning tree for the network. (5 marks)
- (b) State the length of your minimum spanning tree. (1 mark)
- (c) There are two minimum spanning trees for this network. Draw both of these minimum spanning trees. (3 marks)

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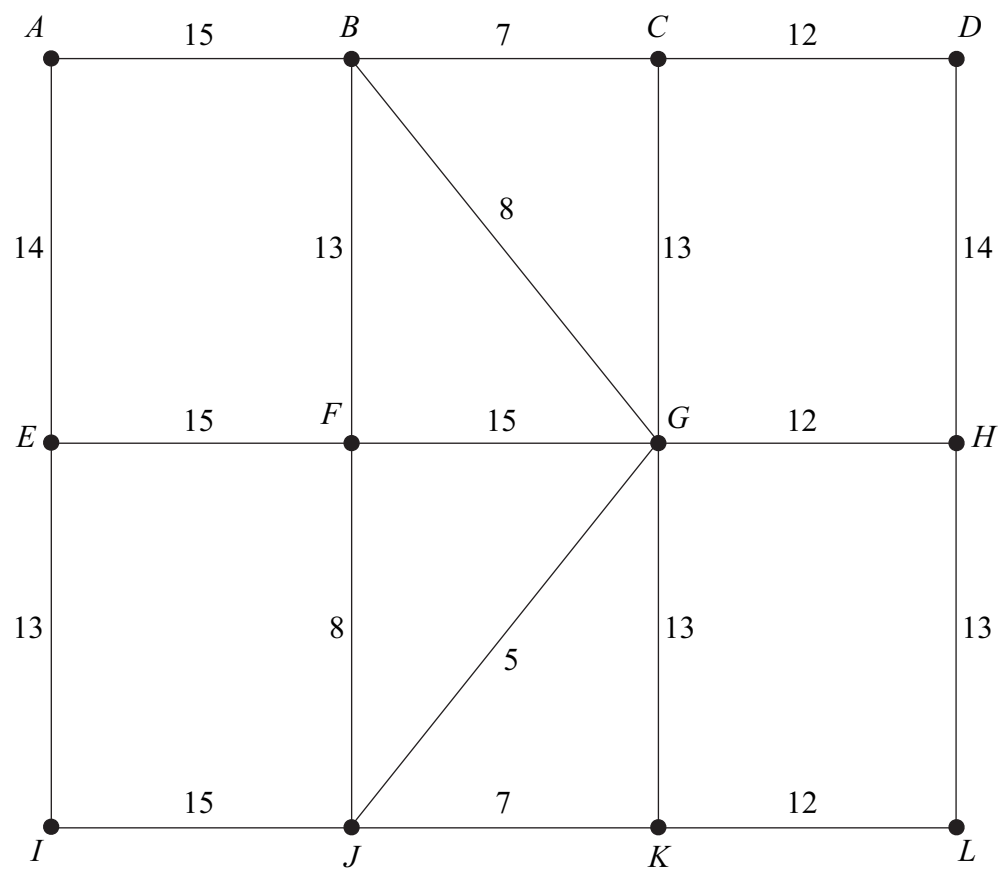
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The following network shows the times, in minutes, taken by a policeman to walk along roads connecting 12 places,  $A, B, \dots, L$ , on his beat. Each day, the policeman has to walk along each road at least once, starting and finishing at  $A$ .



The total of all the times in the network is 224 minutes.

- (a) Find the length of an optimal Chinese postman route for the policeman. (5 marks)
- (b) State the number of times that the vertex  $J$  would appear in a route corresponding to the length found in part (a). (1 mark)

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**5** The feasible region of a linear programming problem is determined by the following:

$$\begin{aligned}y &\geq 20 \\x + y &\geq 25 \\5x + 2y &\leq 100 \\y &\leq 4x \\y &\geq 2x\end{aligned}$$

**(a)** On **Figure 1** opposite, draw a suitable diagram to represent the inequalities and indicate the feasible region. (6 marks)

**(b)** Use your diagram to find the minimum value of  $P$ , on the feasible region, in the case where:

**(i)**  $P = x + 2y$ ;

**(ii)**  $P = -x + y$ .

In each case, state the corresponding values of  $x$  and  $y$ . (4 marks)

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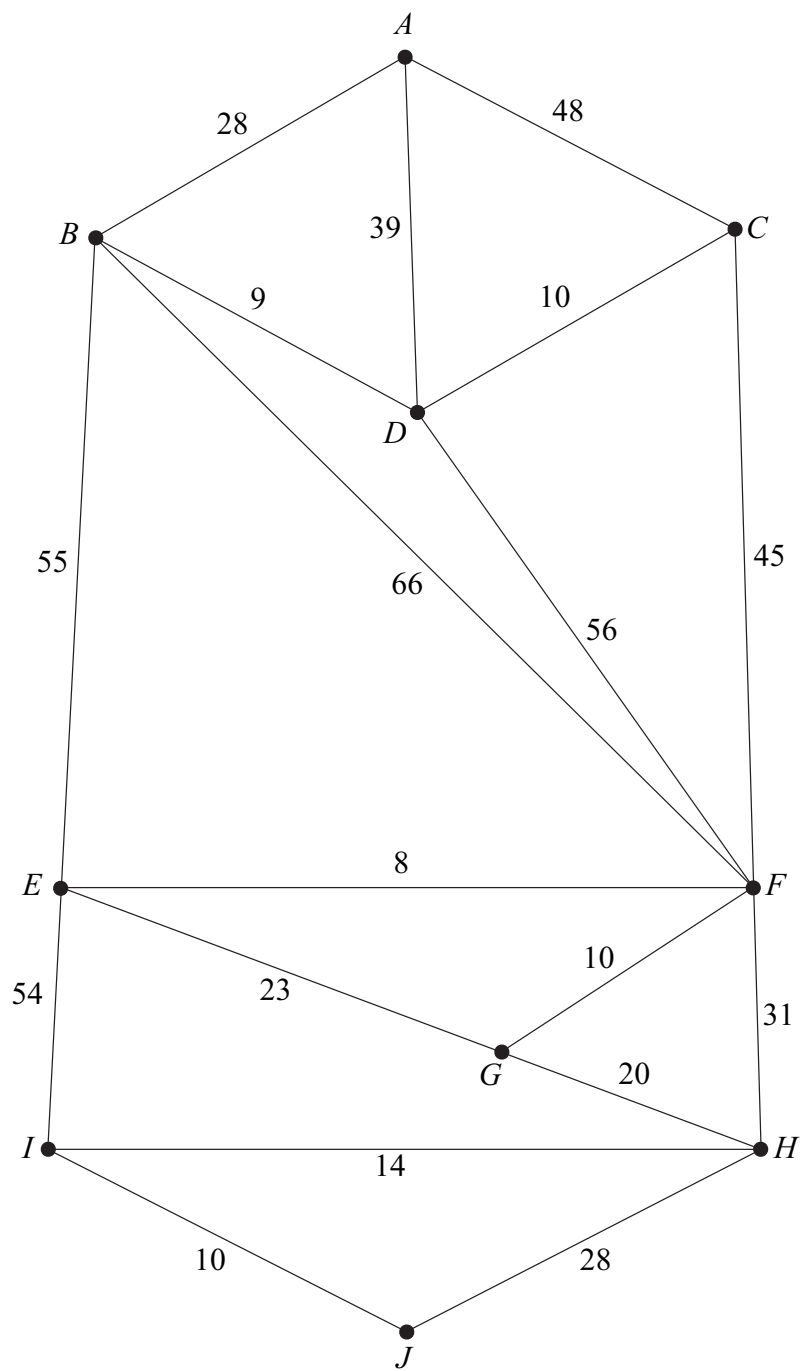




- 6** The network below shows the lengths of roads, in miles, connecting 10 towns,  $A, B, \dots, J$ .
- (a)** Use Dijkstra's algorithm on the network to find the shortest distance from  $A$  to  $J$ . Show all your working at each vertex. (7 marks)
- (b)** Write down the corresponding route. (1 mark)
- (c)** A new road is to be constructed connecting  $B$  to  $G$ . Find the length of this new road if the shortest distance from  $A$  to  $J$  is reduced by 10 miles. State the new route. (3 marks)

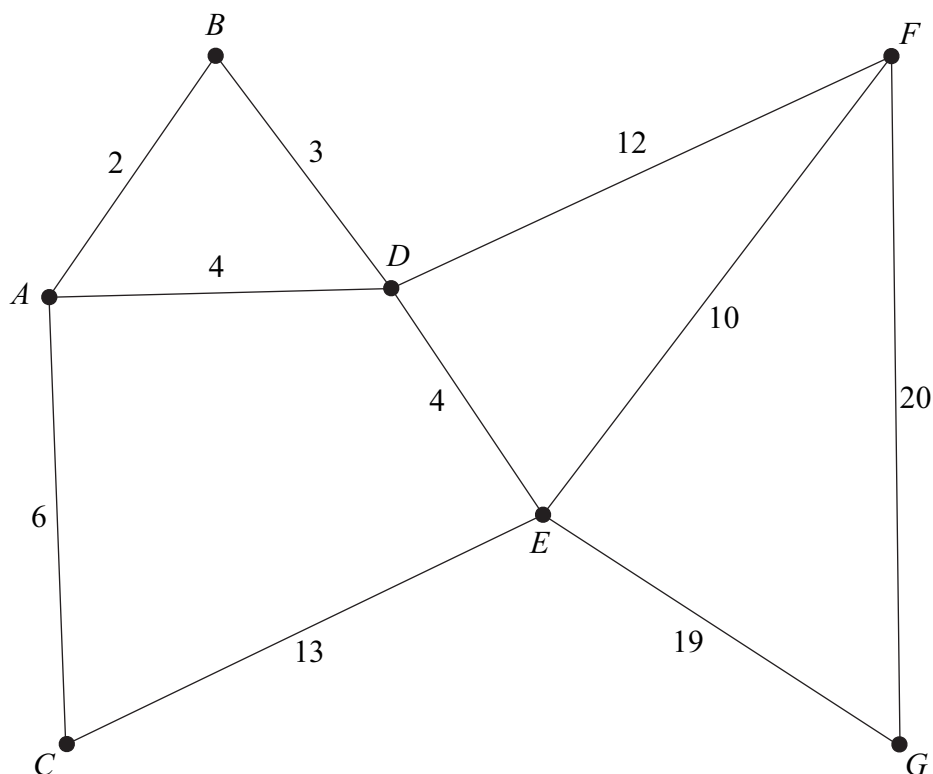
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The diagram shows the locations of some schools. The number on each edge shows the distance, in miles, between pairs of schools.



Sam, an adviser, intends to travel from one school to the next until he has visited all of the schools, before returning to his starting school. The shortest distances for Sam to travel between some of the schools are shown in **Table 1** opposite.

(a) Complete **Table 1**. (2 marks)

(b) (i) On the completed **Table 1**, use the nearest neighbour algorithm, starting from B, to find an upper bound for the length of Sam's tour. (4 marks)

(ii) Write down Sam's actual route if he were to follow the tour corresponding to the answer in part (b)(i). (2 marks)

(iii) Using the nearest neighbour algorithm, starting from each of the other vertices in turn, the following upper bounds for the length of Sam's tour were obtained: 77, 77, 77, 76, 77 and 76.

Write down the best upper bound. (1 mark)



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	<i>A</i>	<i>B</i>	<i>C</i>	<i>D</i>	<i>E</i>	<i>F</i>	<i>G</i>
<i>A</i>	–	2	6	4		16	27
<i>B</i>	2	–	8	3		15	26
<i>C</i>	6	8	–	10		22	32
<i>D</i>	4	3	10	–		12	23
<i>E</i>					–		
<i>F</i>	16	15	22	12		–	20
<i>G</i>	27	26	32	23		20	–

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- 7 (c) (i)** On **Table 2** below, showing the order in which you select the edges, use Prim's algorithm, starting from *A*, to find a minimum spanning tree for the schools *A*, *B*, *C*, *D*, *F* and *G*. (4 marks)
- (ii)** Hence find a lower bound for the length of Sam's minimum tour. (3 marks)
- (iii)** By deleting each of the other vertices in turn, the following lower bounds for the length of a minimum tour were found: 50, 48, 52, 51, 56 and 64.
- Write down the best lower bound. (1 mark)
- (d)** Given that the length of a minimum tour is *T* miles, use your answers to parts **(b)** and **(c)** to write down the smallest interval within which you know *T* must lie. (2 marks)

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**Table 2**

	<i>A</i>	<i>B</i>	<i>C</i>	<i>D</i>	<i>F</i>	<i>G</i>
<i>A</i>	–	2	6	4	16	27
<i>B</i>	2	–	8	3	15	26
<i>C</i>	6	8	–	10	22	32
<i>D</i>	4	3	10	–	12	23
<i>F</i>	16	15	22	12	–	20
<i>G</i>	27	26	32	23	20	–

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# Mathematics

# MD01

## Unit Decision 1

Thursday 24 May 2012 9.00 am to 10.30 am

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**Time allowed**

- 1 hour 30 minutes

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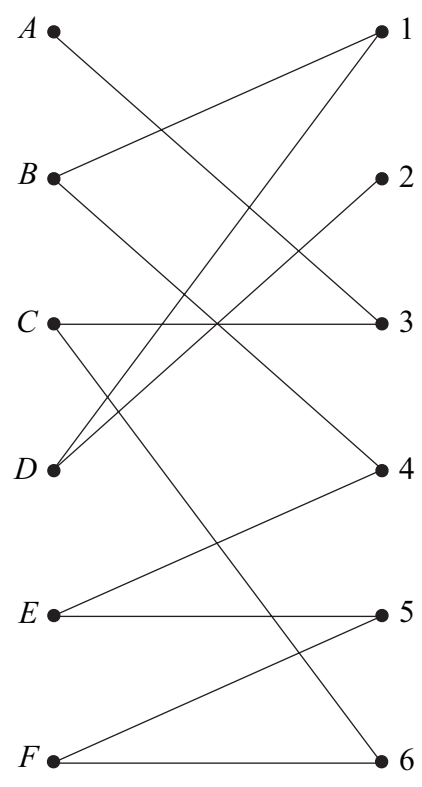


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Answer **all** questions.

Answer each question in the space provided for that question.

**1** Six people, *A*, *B*, *C*, *D*, *E* and *F*, are to be allocated to six tasks, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6. The following bipartite graph shows the tasks that each of the people is able to undertake.



- (a) Represent this information in an adjacency matrix. (2 marks)
- (b) Initially, *B* is assigned to task 4, *C* to task 3, *D* to task 1, *E* to task 5 and *F* to task 6. By using an algorithm from this initial matching, find a complete matching. (3 marks)

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**2** A student is using a shuttle sort algorithm to rearrange a set of numbers into ascending order.

Her correct solution for the first three passes is as follows.

Initial list	10	7	4	22	23	26
After 1st pass	7	10	4	22	23	26
After 2nd pass	4	7	10	22	23	26
After 3rd pass	4	7	10	22	23	26

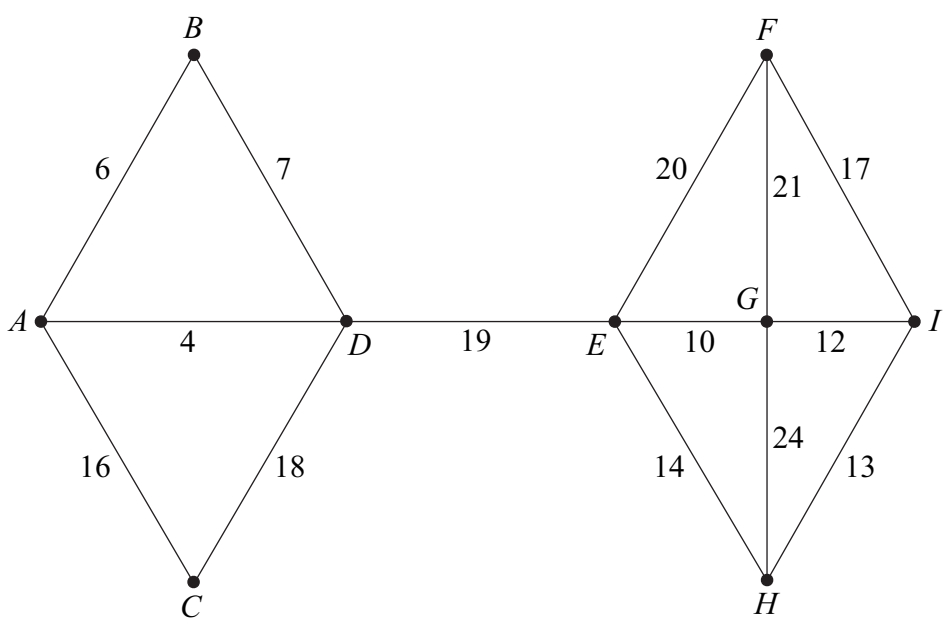
- (a) Write down the number of comparisons on each of the three passes. *(2 marks)*
- (b) Write down the number of swaps on each of the three passes. *(2 marks)*
- (c) Explain whether or not the student has completed the algorithm. *(1 mark)*

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**3** The following network shows the lengths, in miles, of roads connecting nine villages,  $A, B, \dots, I$ .



- (a) (i) Use Prim's algorithm starting from  $A$ , showing the order in which you select the edges, to find a minimum spanning tree for the network. (4 marks)
- (ii) State the length of your minimum spanning tree. (1 mark)
- (iii) Draw your minimum spanning tree. (2 marks)
- (b) Prim's algorithm from different starting points produces the same minimum spanning tree for this network. State the final edge that would complete the minimum spanning tree using Prim's algorithm:
  - (i) starting from  $D$ ; (1 mark)
  - (ii) starting from  $H$ . (1 mark)

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**4** The edges on the network below represent some major roads in a city. The number on each edge is the minimum time taken, in minutes, to drive along that road.

**(a) (i)** Use Dijkstra's algorithm on the network to find the shortest possible driving time from *A* to *J*. (5 marks)

**(ii)** Write down the corresponding route. (1 mark)

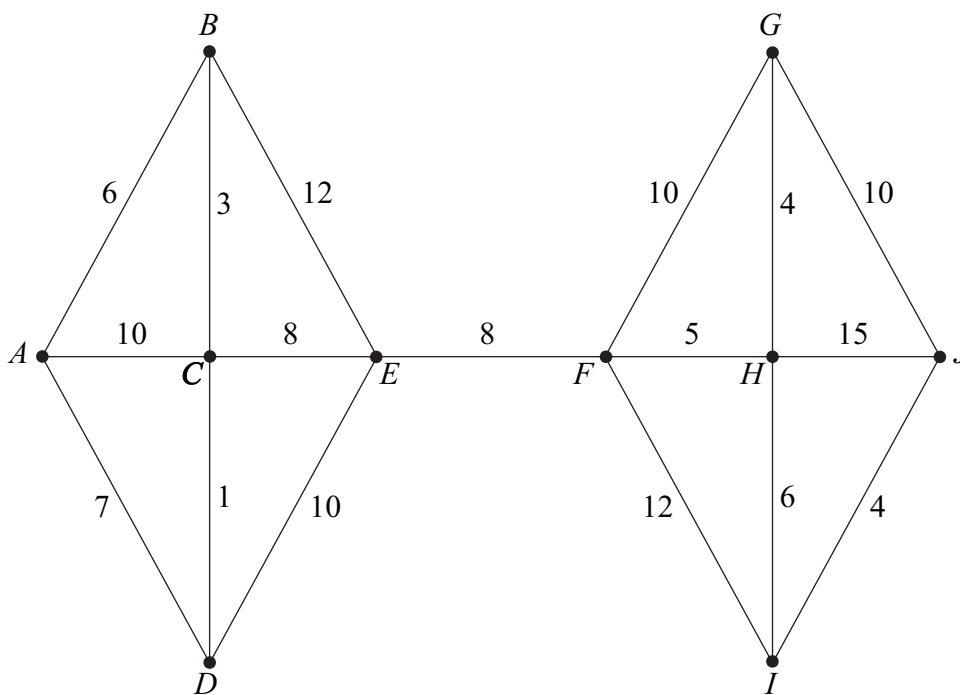
**(b)** A new ring road is to be constructed connecting *A* to *J* directly.

Find the maximum length of this new road from *A* to *J* if the time taken to drive along it, travelling at an average speed of 90 km/h, is to be no more than the time found in part **(a)(i)**. (2 marks)

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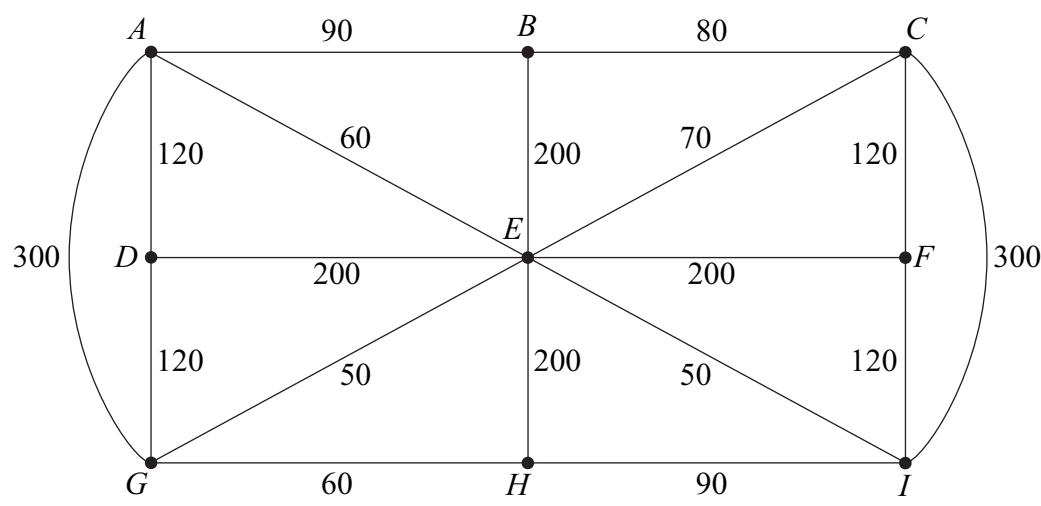
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**5** The network below shows some streets in a town. The number on each edge shows the length of that street, in metres.

Leaflets are to be distributed by a restaurant owner, Tony, from his restaurant located at vertex  $B$ . Tony must start from his restaurant, walk along all the streets at least once, before returning to his restaurant.



The total length of the streets is 2430 metres.

- (a) Find the length of an optimal Chinese postman route for Tony. (5 marks)
  
- (b) Colin also wishes to distribute some leaflets. He starts from his house at  $H$ , walks along all the streets at least once, before finishing at the restaurant at  $B$ .  
  
Colin wishes to walk the minimum distance. Find the length of an optimal route for Colin. (1 mark)
  
- (c) David also walks along all the streets at least once. He can start at any vertex and finish at any vertex. David also wishes to walk the minimum distance.
  - (i) Find the length of an optimal route for David. (1 mark)
  - (ii) State the vertices from which David could start in order to achieve this optimal route. (1 mark)

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**9** Ollyin is buying new pillows for his hotel. He buys three types of pillow: soft, medium and firm.

He must buy at least 100 soft pillows and at least 200 medium pillows.

He must buy at least 400 pillows in total.

Soft pillows cost £4 each. Medium pillows cost £3 each. Firm pillows cost £4 each.

He wishes to spend no more than £1800 on new pillows.

At least 40% of the new pillows must be medium pillows.

Ollyin buys  $x$  soft pillows,  $y$  medium pillows and  $z$  firm pillows.

**(a)** In addition to  $x \geq 0$ ,  $y \geq 0$  and  $z \geq 0$ , find five inequalities in  $x$ ,  $y$  and  $z$  that model the above constraints. *(3 marks)*

**(b)** Ollyin decides to buy twice as many soft pillows as firm pillows.

**(i)** Show that three of your answers in part **(a)** become

$$3x + 2y \geq 800$$

$$2x + y \leq 600$$

$$y \geq x \quad \text{span style="float: right;">*(3 marks)*$$

**(ii)** On the grid opposite, draw a suitable diagram to represent Ollyin's situation, indicating the feasible region. *(5 marks)*

**(iii)** Use your diagram to find the maximum total number of pillows that Ollyin can buy. *(2 marks)*

**(iv)** Find the number of each type of pillow that Ollyin can buy that corresponds to your answer to part **(b)(iii)**. *(1 mark)*

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# Mathematics

# MD01

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Friday 25 January 2013 1.30 pm to 3.00 pm

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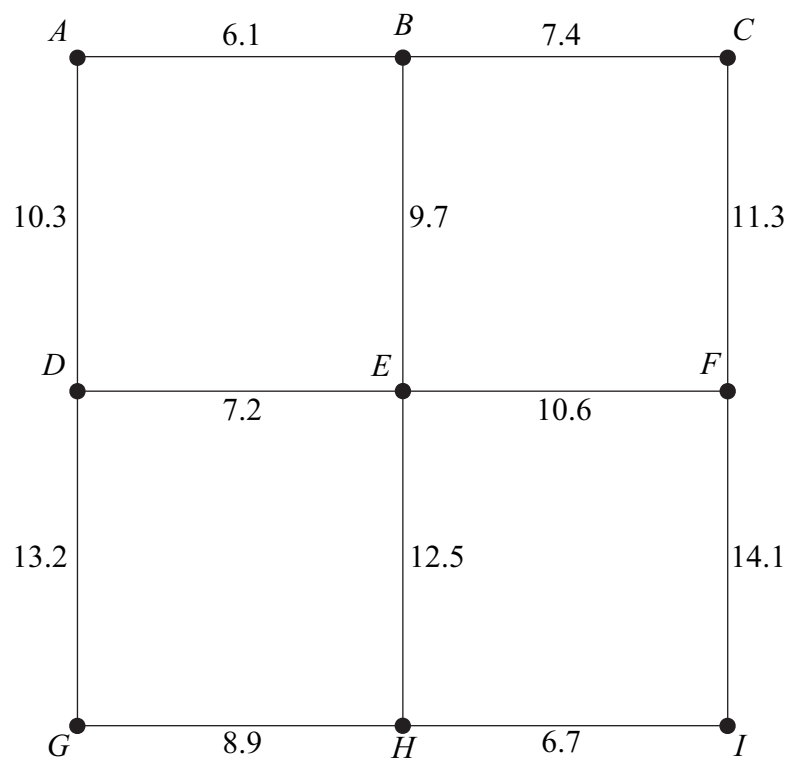






**3** The following network shows the lengths, in miles, of roads connecting nine villages,  $A, B, \dots, I$ .

A delivery man lives in village  $A$  and is to drive along all the roads at least once before returning to  $A$ .



Total length of all the roads is 118 miles

- (a) Find the length of an optimal Chinese postman route around the nine villages, starting and finishing at  $A$ . (5 marks)
- (b) For an optimal Chinese postman route corresponding to your answer in part (a), state:
  - (i) the number of times village  $E$  would be visited;
  - (ii) the number of times village  $I$  would be visited. (2 marks)

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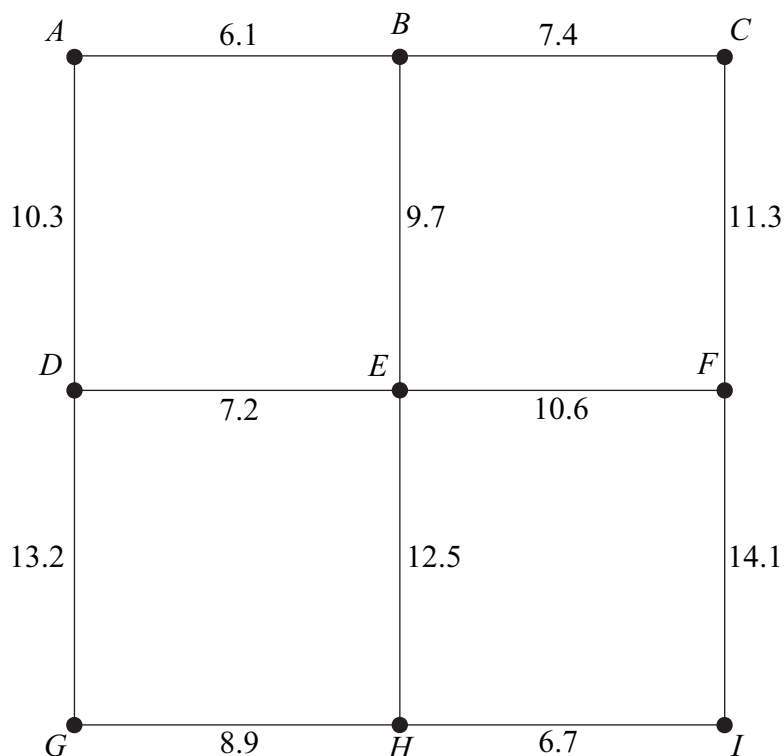
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- 4 The following network shows the lengths, in miles, of roads connecting nine villages,  $A, B, \dots, I$ .

A programme of resurfacing some roads is undertaken to ensure that each village can access all other villages along a resurfaced road, while keeping the amount of road to be resurfaced to a minimum.



- (a) (i) Use Prim's algorithm starting from  $A$ , showing the order in which you select the edges, to find a minimum spanning tree for the network.
- (ii) State the length of your minimum spanning tree.
- (iii) Draw your minimum spanning tree. (7 marks)
- (b) Given that Prim's algorithm is used with different start vertices, state the final edge to be added to the minimum spanning tree if:
- (i) the start vertex is  $E$ ;
- (ii) the start vertex is  $G$ . (2 marks)
- (c) Given that Kruskal's algorithm is used to find the minimum spanning tree, state which edge would be:
- (i) the first to be included in the tree;
- (ii) the last to be included in the tree. (2 marks)



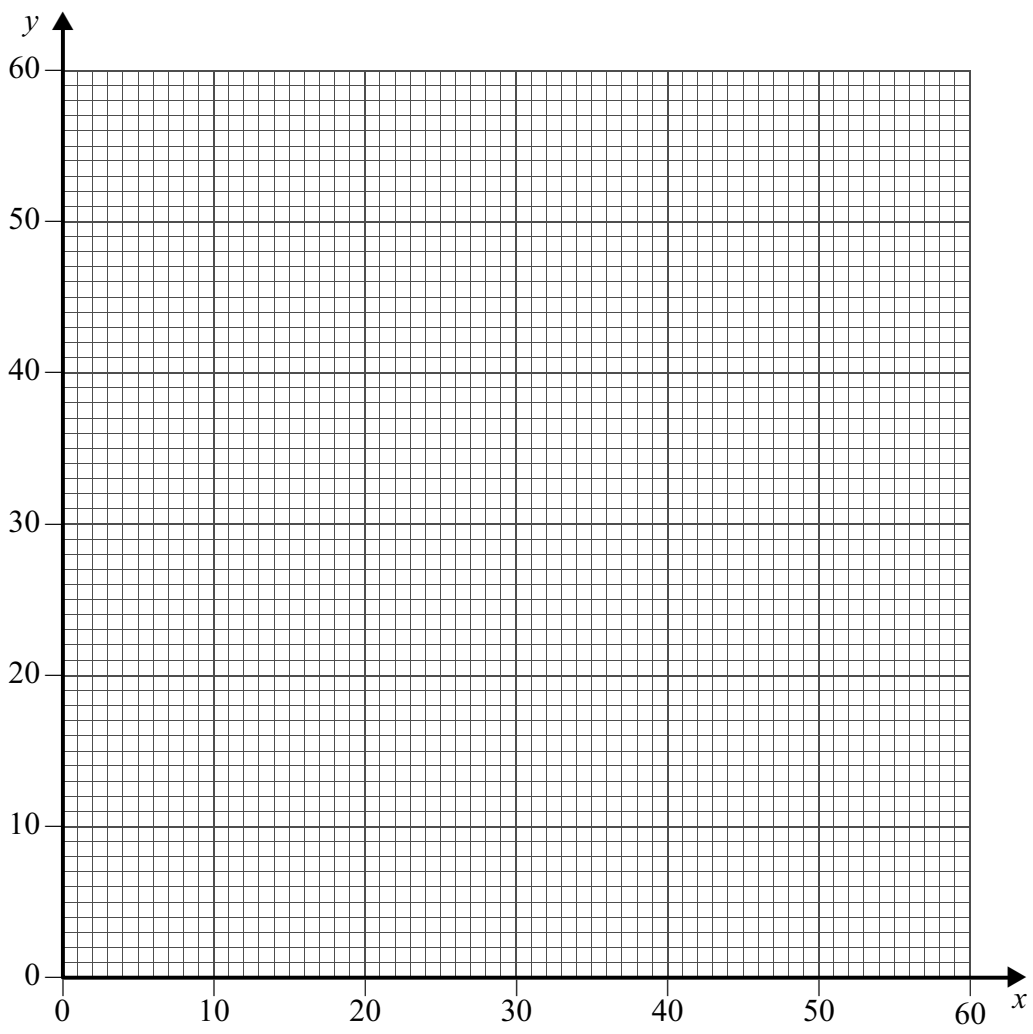




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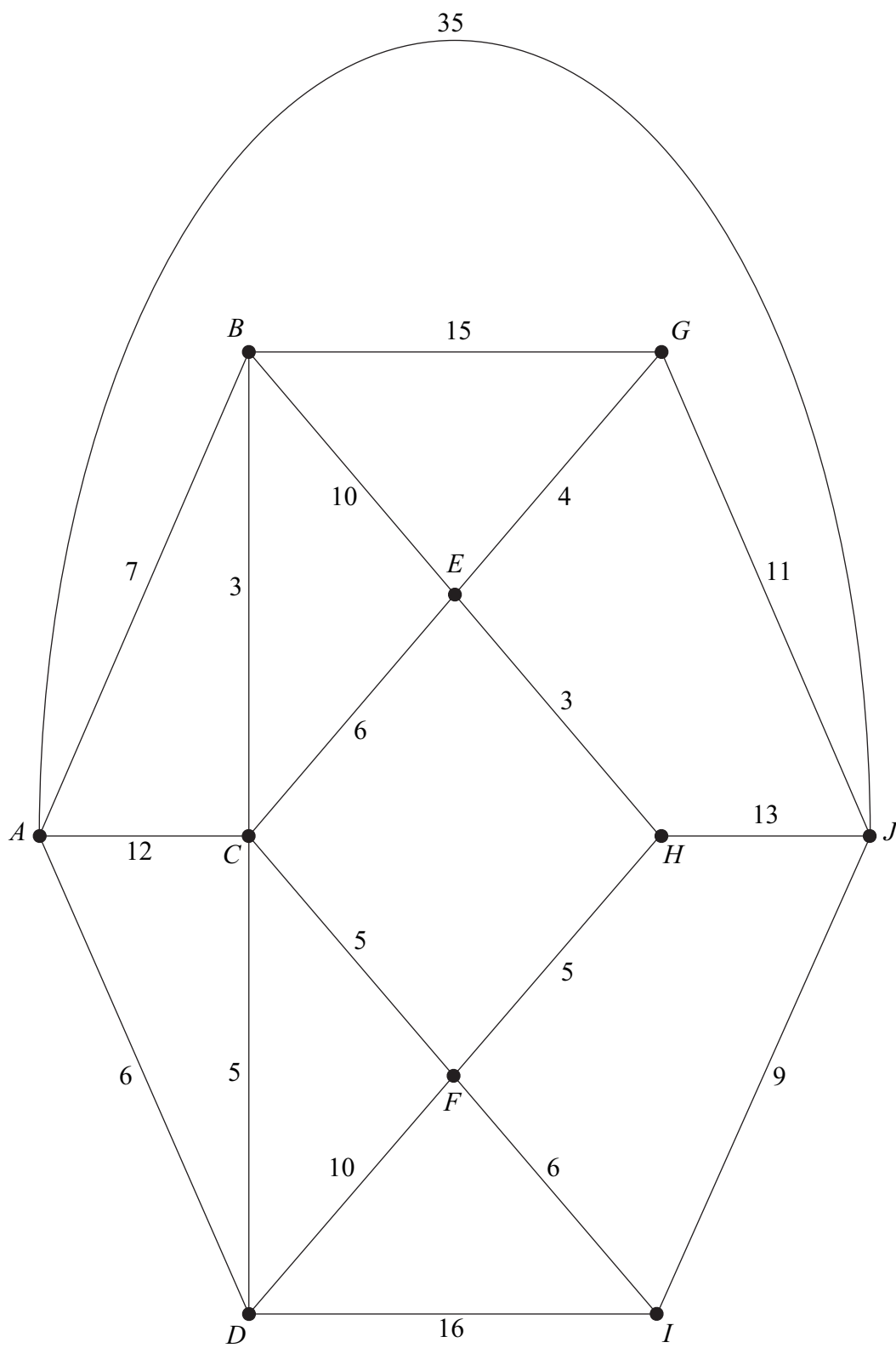




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- 8** Tony delivers paper to five offices, *A*, *B*, *C*, *D* and *E*. Tony starts his deliveries at office *E* and travels to each of the other offices once, before returning to office *E*. Tony wishes to keep his travelling time to a minimum.

The table shows the travelling times, in minutes, between the offices.

	<i>A</i>	<i>B</i>	<i>C</i>	<i>D</i>	<i>E</i>
<i>A</i>	–	10	16	20	8
<i>B</i>	10	–	21	15	9
<i>C</i>	16	21	–	10	23
<i>D</i>	20	15	10	–	17
<i>E</i>	8	9	23	17	–

- (a) Find the travelling time of the tour *ACDBEA*. (1 mark)
- (b) Hence write down a tour, starting at *E*, which has the same total travelling time as your answer to part (a). (1 mark)
- (c) Use the nearest neighbour algorithm, starting at *E*, to find an upper bound for the minimum travelling time for Tony's tour. (4 marks)
- (d) By deleting *E*, find a lower bound for the minimum travelling time for Tony's tour. (4 marks)
- (e) Sketch a network showing the edges that give the lower bound in part (d), and comment on its significance. (2 marks)

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# Mathematics

# MD01

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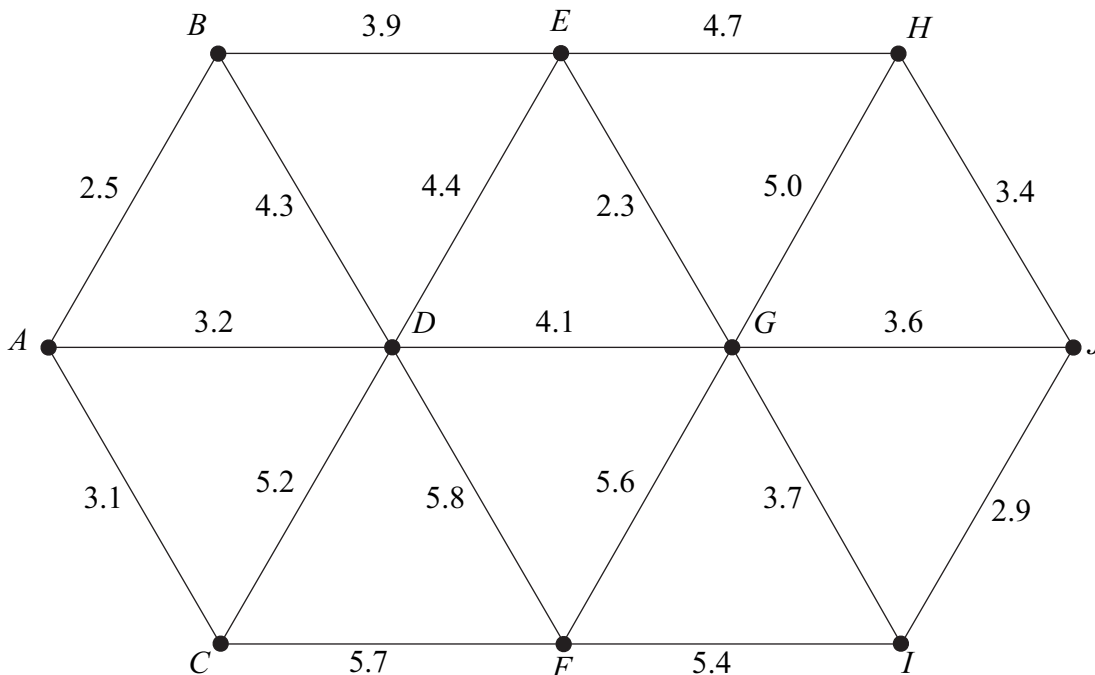


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**3** The following network shows the lengths, in miles, of roads connecting ten villages,  $A, B, C, \dots, J$ .



- (a) (i) Use Kruskal's algorithm, showing the order in which you select the edges, to find a minimum spanning tree for the network.
- (ii) Find the length of your minimum spanning tree.
- (iii) Draw your minimum spanning tree. (7 marks)
- (b) Prim's algorithm from different starting points produces the same minimum spanning tree. State the final edge that would be added to complete the minimum spanning tree if the starting point were:
  - (i)  $A$ ;
  - (ii)  $F$ . (2 marks)

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**4** Sarah is a mobile hairdresser based at *A*. Her day's appointments are at five places: *B*, *C*, *D*, *E* and *F*. She can arrange the appointments in any order. She intends to travel from one place to the next until she has visited all of the places, starting and finishing at *A*. The following table shows the times, in minutes, that it takes to travel between the six places.

	<i>A</i>	<i>B</i>	<i>C</i>	<i>D</i>	<i>E</i>	<i>F</i>
<i>A</i>	–	15	11	14	27	12
<i>B</i>	15	–	13	19	24	15
<i>C</i>	11	13	–	10	19	12
<i>D</i>	14	19	10	–	26	15
<i>E</i>	27	24	19	26	–	27
<i>F</i>	12	15	12	15	27	–

- (a) Sarah decides to visit the places in the order *ABCDEF A*. Find the travelling time of this tour. (1 mark)
- (b) Explain why this answer can be considered as being an upper bound for the minimum travelling time of Sarah's tour. (2 marks)
- (c) Use the nearest neighbour algorithm, starting from *A*, to find another upper bound for the minimum travelling time of Sarah's tour. (4 marks)
- (d) By deleting *A*, find a lower bound for the minimum travelling time of Sarah's tour. (4 marks)
- (e) Sarah thinks that she can reduce her travelling time to 75 minutes. Explain why she is wrong. (1 mark)

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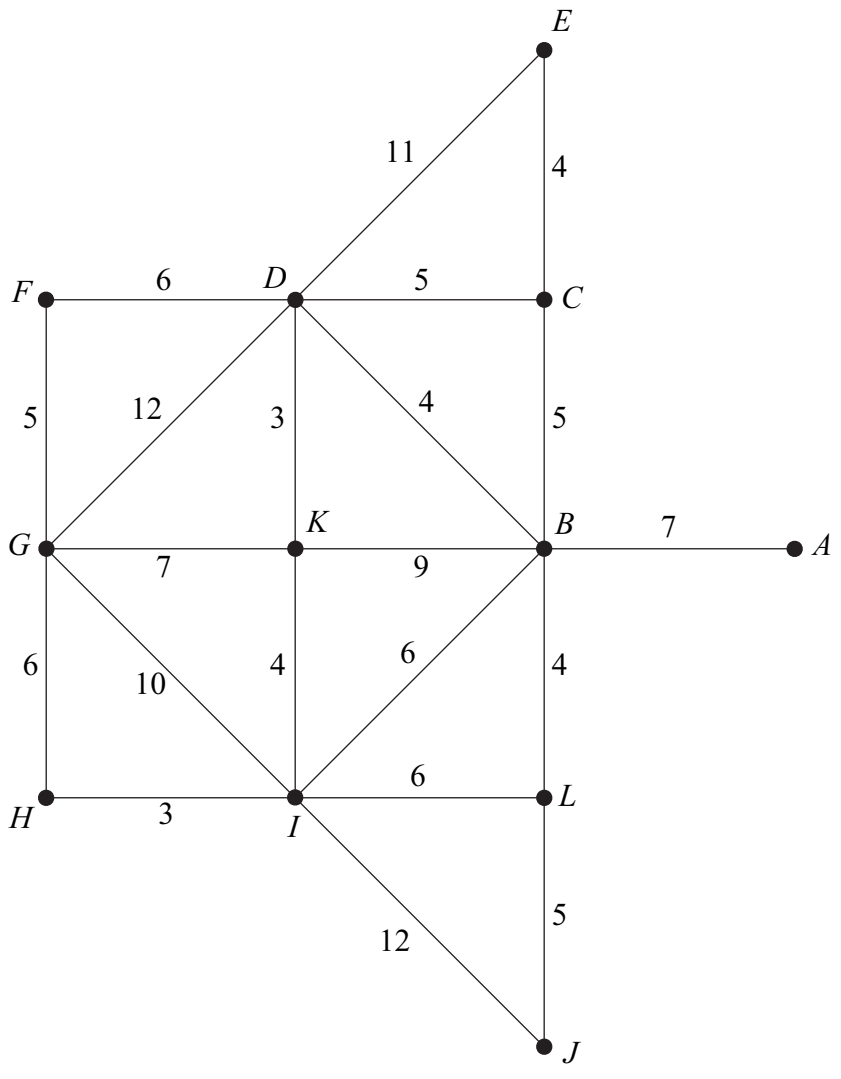
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**7** Paul is a florist. Every day, he makes three types of floral bouquet: gold, silver and bronze.

Each gold bouquet has 6 roses, 6 carnations and 6 dahlias.

Each silver bouquet has 4 roses, 6 carnations and 4 dahlias.

Each bronze bouquet has 3 roses, 4 carnations and 4 dahlias.

Each day, Paul must use at least 420 roses and at least 480 carnations, but he can use at most 720 dahlias.

Each day, Paul makes  $x$  gold bouquets,  $y$  silver bouquets and  $z$  bronze bouquets.

**(a)** In addition to  $x \geq 0$ ,  $y \geq 0$  and  $z \geq 0$ , find three inequalities in  $x$ ,  $y$  and  $z$  that model the above constraints. *(3 marks)*

**(b)** On a particular day, Paul makes the same number of silver bouquets as bronze bouquets.

**(i)** Show that  $x$  and  $y$  must satisfy the following inequalities.

$$6x + 7y \geq 420$$

$$3x + 5y \geq 240$$

$$3x + 4y \leq 360$$

*(2 marks)*

**(ii)** Paul makes a profit of £4 on each gold bouquet sold, a profit of £2.50 on each silver bouquet sold and a profit of £2.50 on each bronze bouquet sold. Each day, Paul sells all the bouquets he makes. Paul wishes to maximise his daily profit, £ $P$ .

Draw a suitable diagram, on the grid opposite, to enable this problem to be solved graphically, indicating the feasible region and the direction of the objective line.

*(6 marks)*

**(iii)** Use your diagram to find Paul's maximum daily profit and the number of each type of bouquet he must make to achieve this maximum. *(2 marks)*

**(c)** On another day, Paul again makes the same number of silver bouquets as bronze bouquets, but he makes a profit of £2 on each gold bouquet sold, a profit of £6 on each silver bouquet sold and a profit of £6 on each bronze bouquet sold.

Find Paul's maximum daily profit, and the number of each type of bouquet he must make to achieve this maximum. *(3 marks)*



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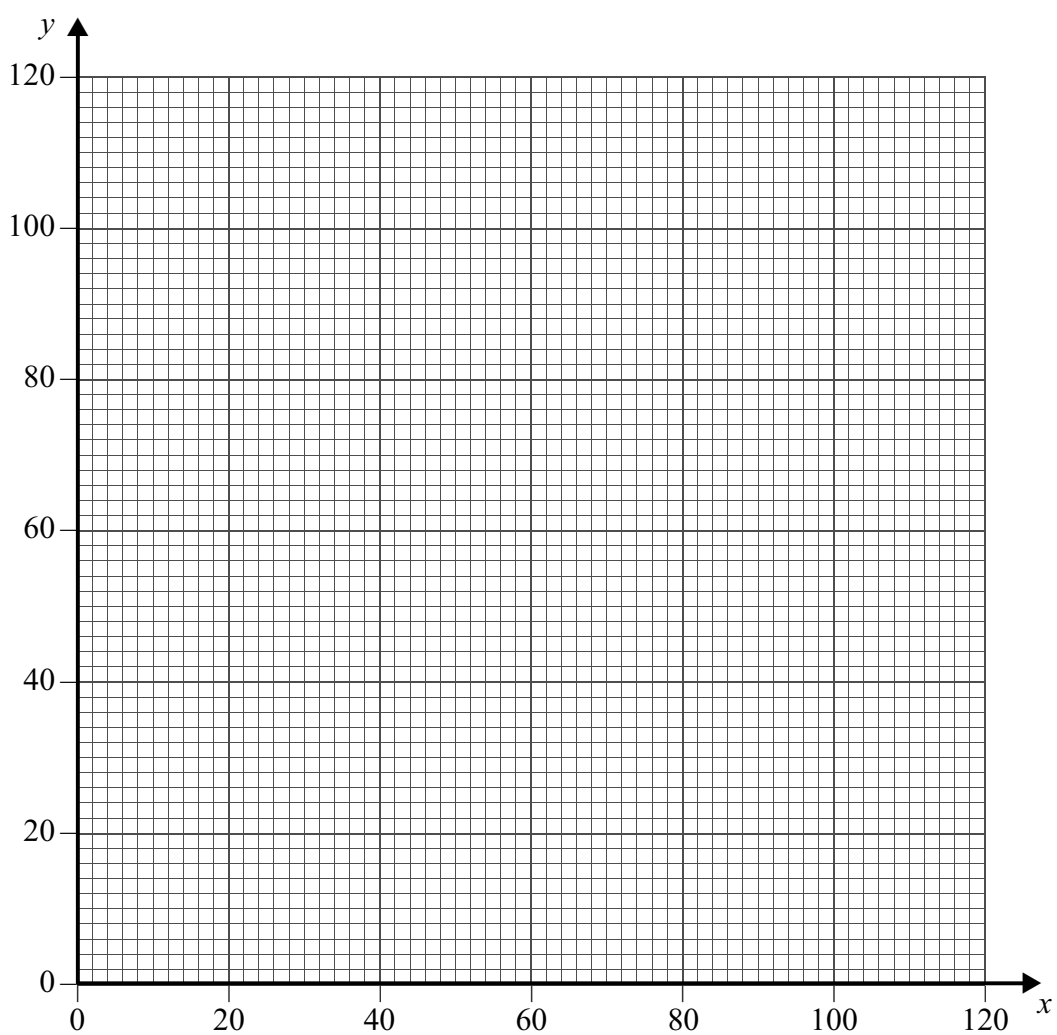
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## Mathematics

## MD01

### Unit Decision 1

Wednesday 18 June 2014 1.30 pm to 3.00 pm

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- 2** A document which is currently written in English is to be translated into six other European Union languages. The cost of translating a document varies, as it is harder to find translators for some languages.

The costs, in euros, are shown in the table below.

- (a) (i)** On the **table below**, showing the order in which you select the edges, use Prim's algorithm, starting from  $E$ , to find a minimum spanning tree for the graph connecting  $D, E, F, G, H, I$  and  $S$ .

[5 marks]

- (ii)** Find the length of your minimum spanning tree.

[1 mark]

- (iii)** Draw your minimum spanning tree.

[2 marks]

- (b)** It is given that the graph has a unique minimum spanning tree.

State the final two edges that would be added to complete the minimum spanning tree in the case where:

- (i)** Prim's algorithm starting from  $H$  is used;  
**(ii)** Kruskal's algorithm is used.

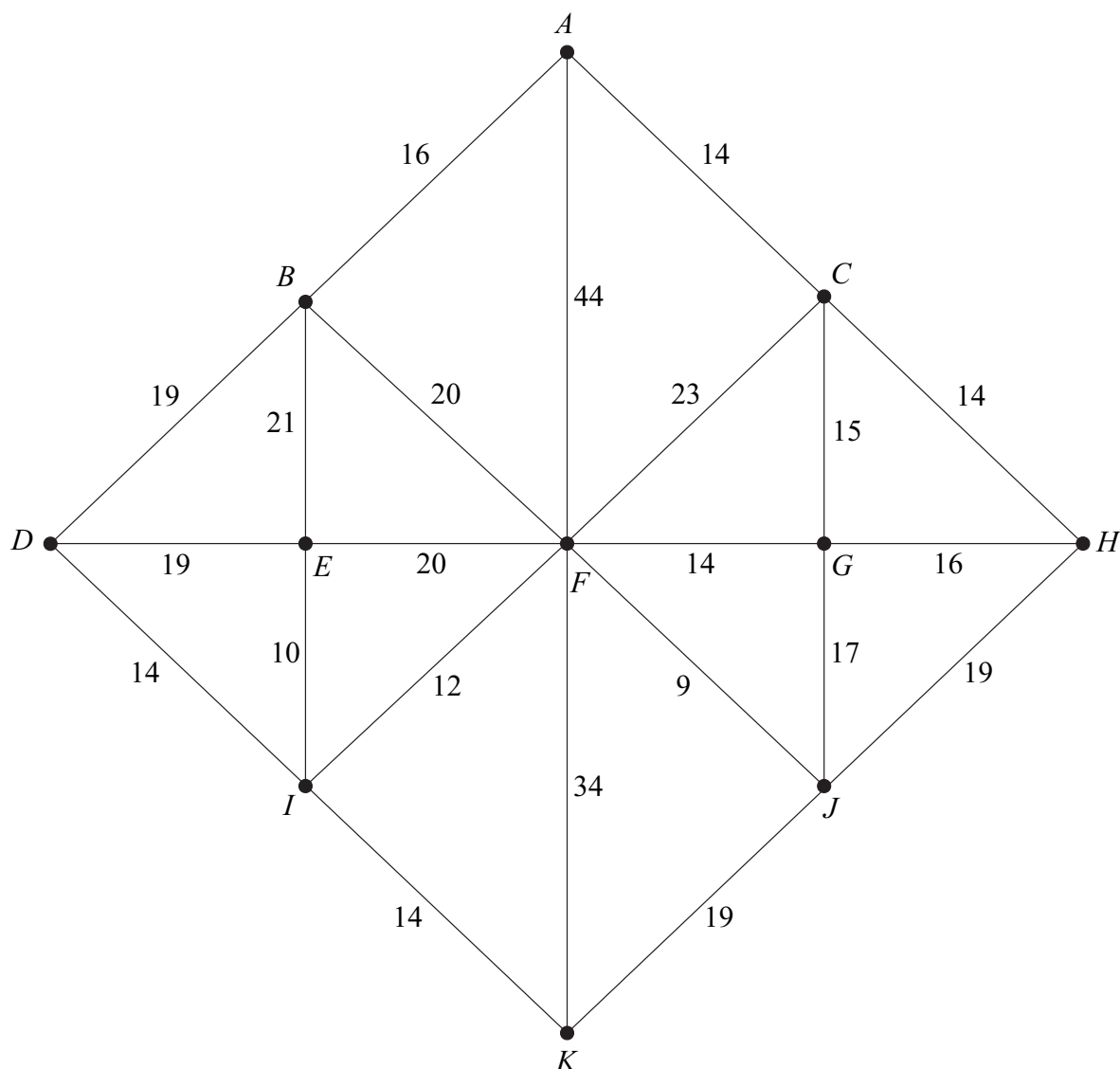
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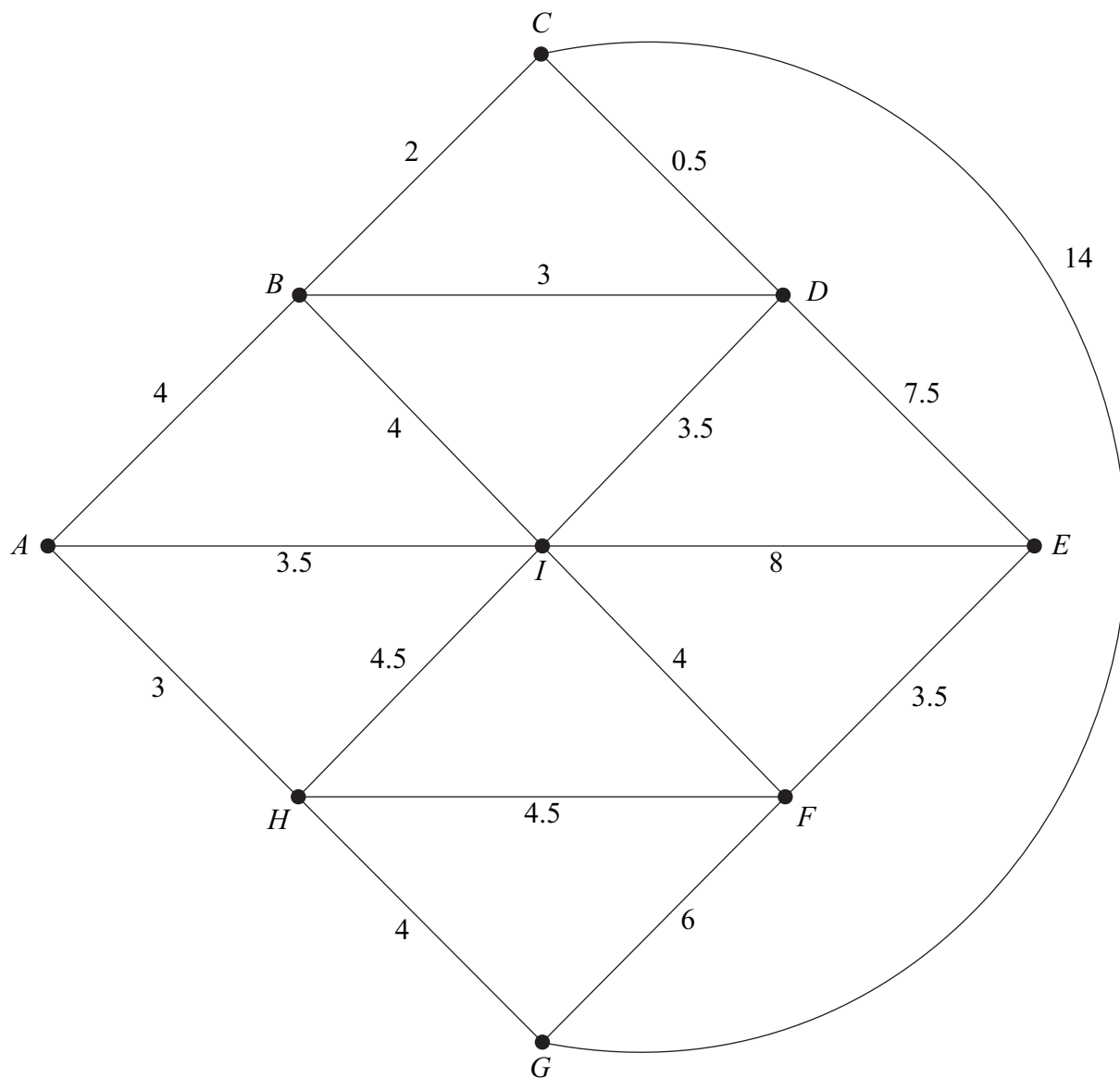


- 3** The network below shows 11 towns,  $A, B, \dots, K$ . The number on each edge shows the time, in minutes, to travel between a pair of towns.
- (a) (i)** Use Dijkstra's algorithm on the diagram below to find the minimum time to travel from  $A$  to  $K$ . **[6 marks]**
- (ii)** State the corresponding route. **[1 mark]**
- (b)** On a particular day, Jenny travels from  $A$  to  $K$  but visits her friend at  $D$  on her way. Find Jenny's minimum travelling time. **[1 mark]**
- (c)** On a different day, all roads connected to  $I$  are closed due to flooding. Jenny does not visit her friend at  $D$ . Find her minimum time to travel from  $A$  to  $K$ . State the route corresponding to this minimum time. **[2 marks]**

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- 4 Paulo sells vegetables from his van. He drives around the streets of a small village. The network shows the streets in the village. The number on each edge shows the time, in minutes, to drive along that street.

Paulo starts from his house located at vertex  $A$  and drives along all the streets at least once before returning to his house.



The total of all the times in the diagram is 79.5 minutes.





5 The feasible region of a linear programming problem is determined by the following:

$$x \geq 1$$

$$y \geq 3$$

$$x + y \geq 5$$

$$x + y \leq 12$$

$$3x + 8y \leq 64$$

(a) On the grid below, draw a suitable diagram to represent the inequalities and indicate the feasible region.

[5 marks]

(b) Use your diagram to find, on the feasible region:

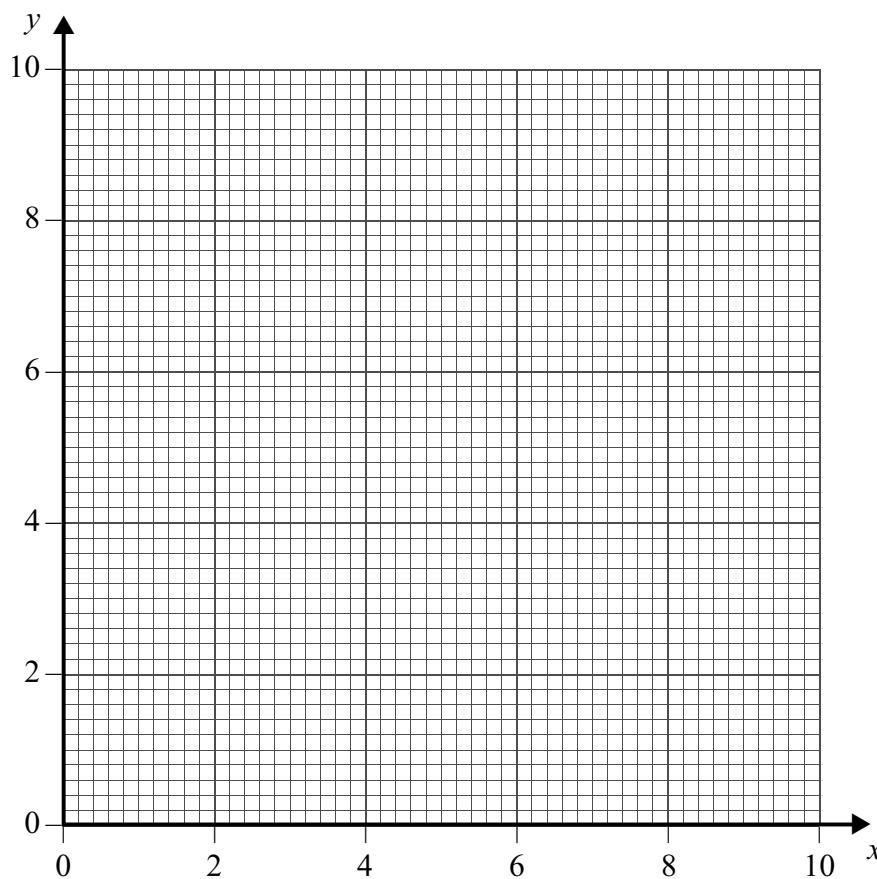
- (i) the maximum value of  $3x + y$ ;
- (ii) the maximum value of  $2x + 3y$ ;
- (iii) the minimum value of  $-2x + y$ .

In each case, state the coordinates of the point corresponding to your answer.

[6 marks]

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**6 (a)** Sarah is solving a travelling-salesman problem.

(i) She finds the following upper bounds: 32, 33, 32, 32, 30, 32, 32.

Write down the best upper bound.

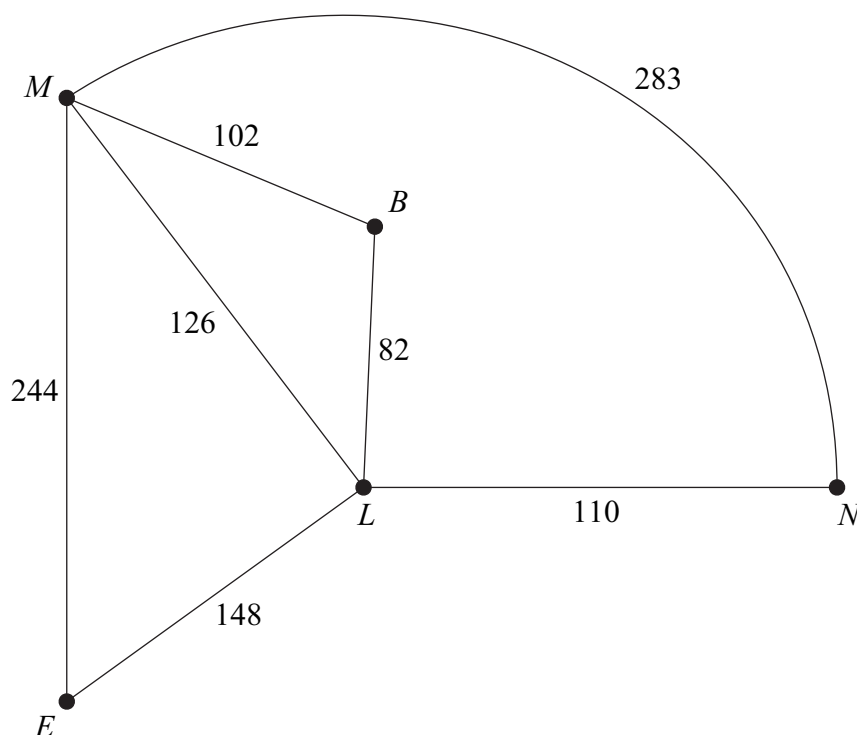
(ii) She finds the following lower bounds: 17, 18, 17, 20, 18, 17, 20.

Write down the best lower bound.

**[2 marks]**

**(b)** Rob is travelling by train to a number of cities. He is to start at  $M$  and visit each other city at least once before returning to  $M$ .

The diagram shows the travelling times, in minutes, between cities. Where no time is shown, there is no direct journey available.



The table below shows the minimum travelling times between all pairs of cities.

	$B$	$E$	$L$	$M$	$N$
$B$	–	230	82	102	192
$E$	230	–	148	244	258
$L$	82	148	–	126	110
$M$	102	244	126	–	236
$N$	192	258	110	236	–









**8** In this question you may use the fact that any simple graph must have an even number of vertices of odd degree.

**(a)** A simple graph has five vertices and their degrees are

$$x, x + 1, x + 1, x + 2 \text{ and } x + 3$$

**(i)** Show that  $x$  must be odd.

**[2 marks]**

**(ii)** Find the value of  $x$  and draw a graph with vertices having the given degrees.

**[3 marks]**

**(b)** A simple graph has 10 vertices.

**(i)** State the minimum possible degree and maximum possible degree of a vertex.

**[2 marks]**

**(ii)** Show that the degrees of the vertices cannot all be different.

**[2 marks]**

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# MD01

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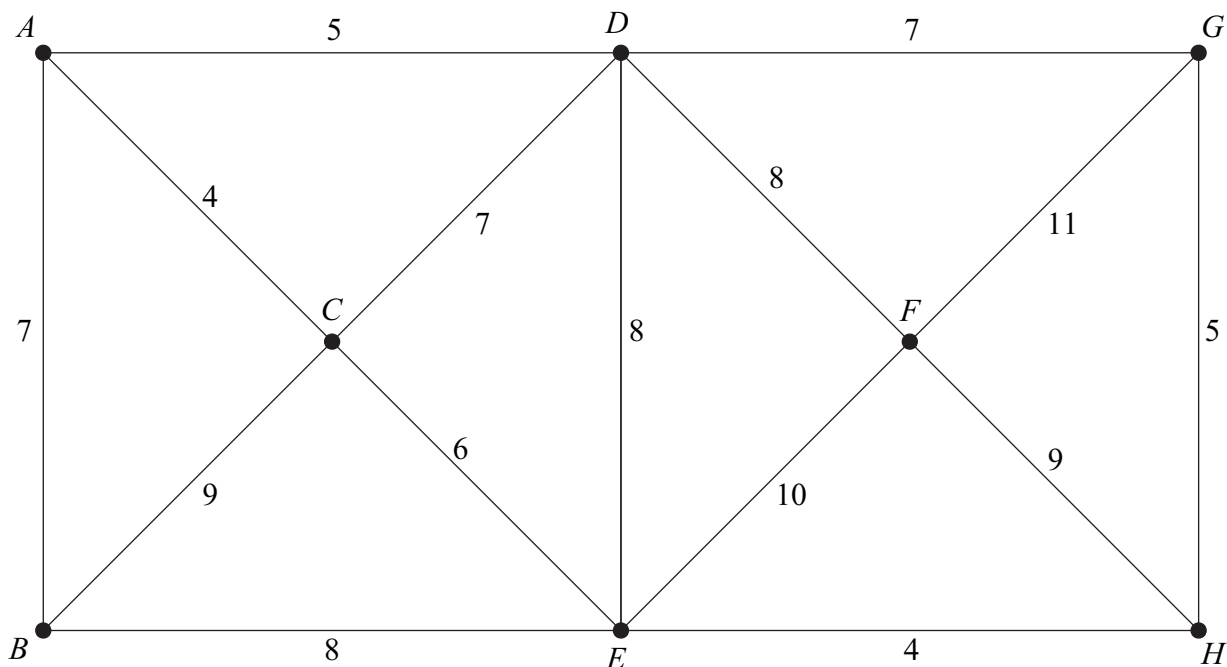
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**2** The network below shows 8 towns,  $A, B, \dots, H$ . The number on each edge shows the length of the road, in miles, between towns. During the winter, the council treats some of the roads with salt so that each town can be safely reached on treated roads from any other town. It costs £30 to treat a mile of road.



- (a) (i) Use Prim's algorithm starting from  $A$ , showing the order in which you select the edges, to find a minimum spanning tree for the network. **[4 marks]**
- (ii) Draw your minimum spanning tree. **[2 marks]**
- (iii) Calculate the minimum cost to the council of making it possible for each town to be safely reached on treated roads from any other town. **[1 mark]**
- (b) On one occasion, the road from  $C$  to  $E$  is impassable because of flooding. Find the minimum cost of treating sufficient roads for safe travel in this case. **[2 marks]**

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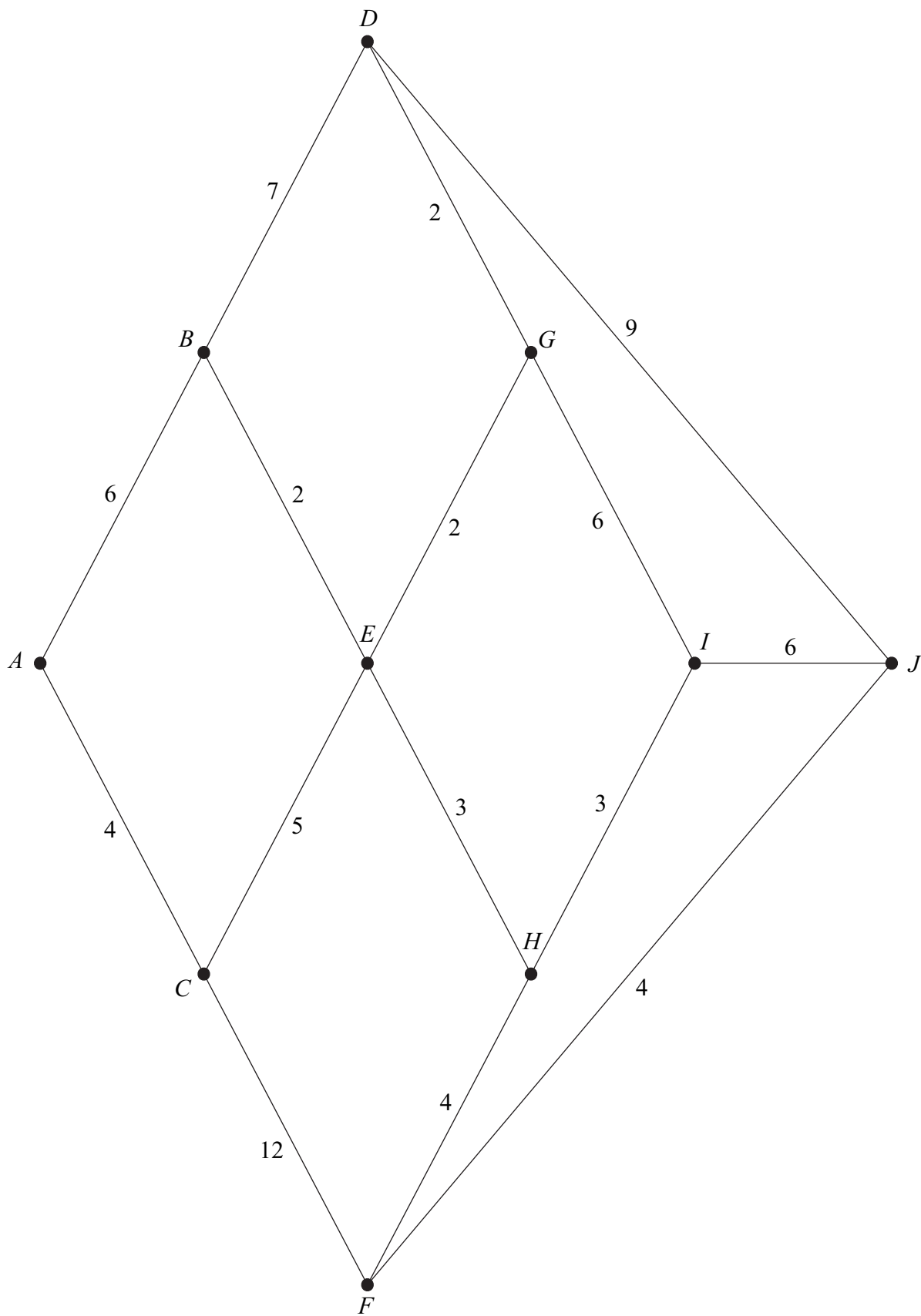






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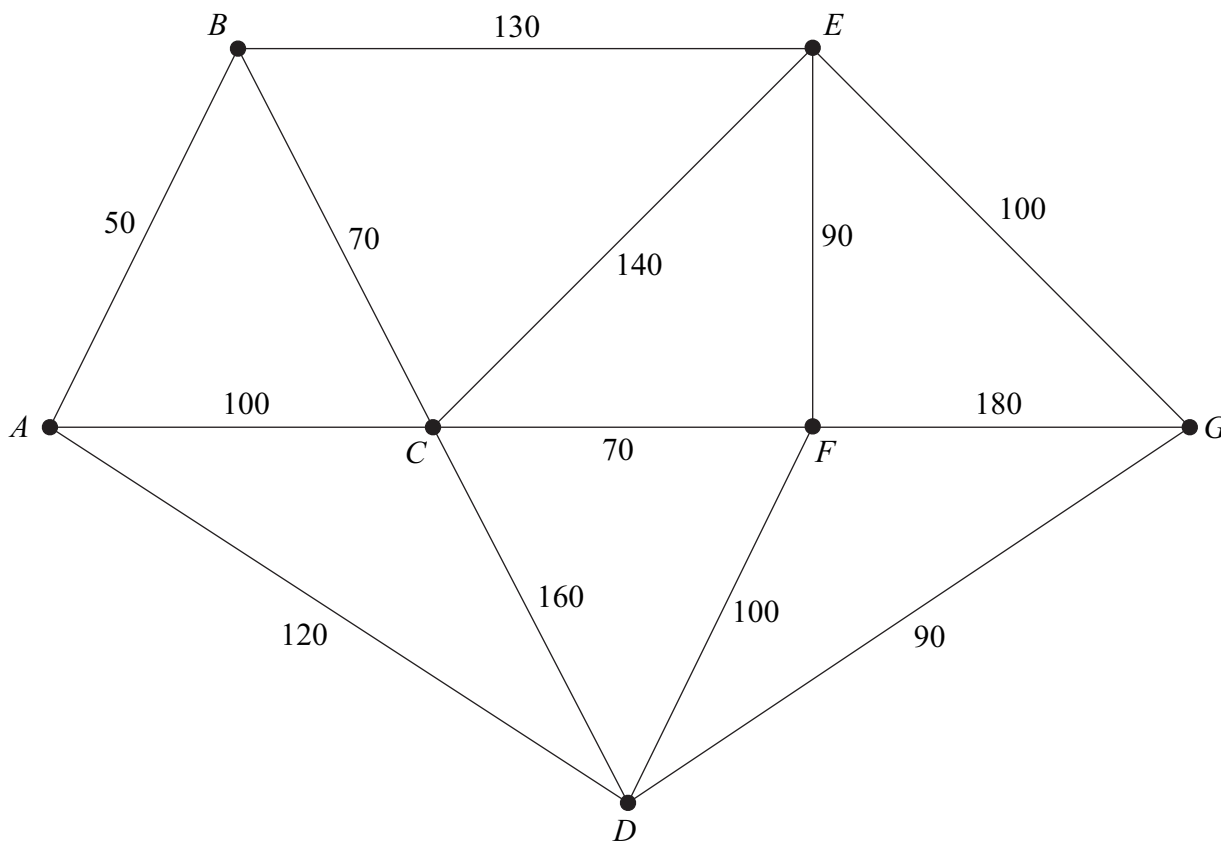
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**5** The network shows the paths mown through a wildflower meadow so that visitors can use these paths to enjoy the flowers. The lengths of the paths are shown in metres.



The total length of all the paths is 1400 m.

The mower is kept in a shed at *A*. The groundskeeper must mow all the paths and return the mower to its shed.

- (a) Find the length of an optimal Chinese postman route starting and finishing at *A*. **[5 marks]**
- (b) State the number of times that the mower, following the optimal route, will pass through:
  - (i) *C*; **[1 mark]**
  - (ii) *D*. **[1 mark]**

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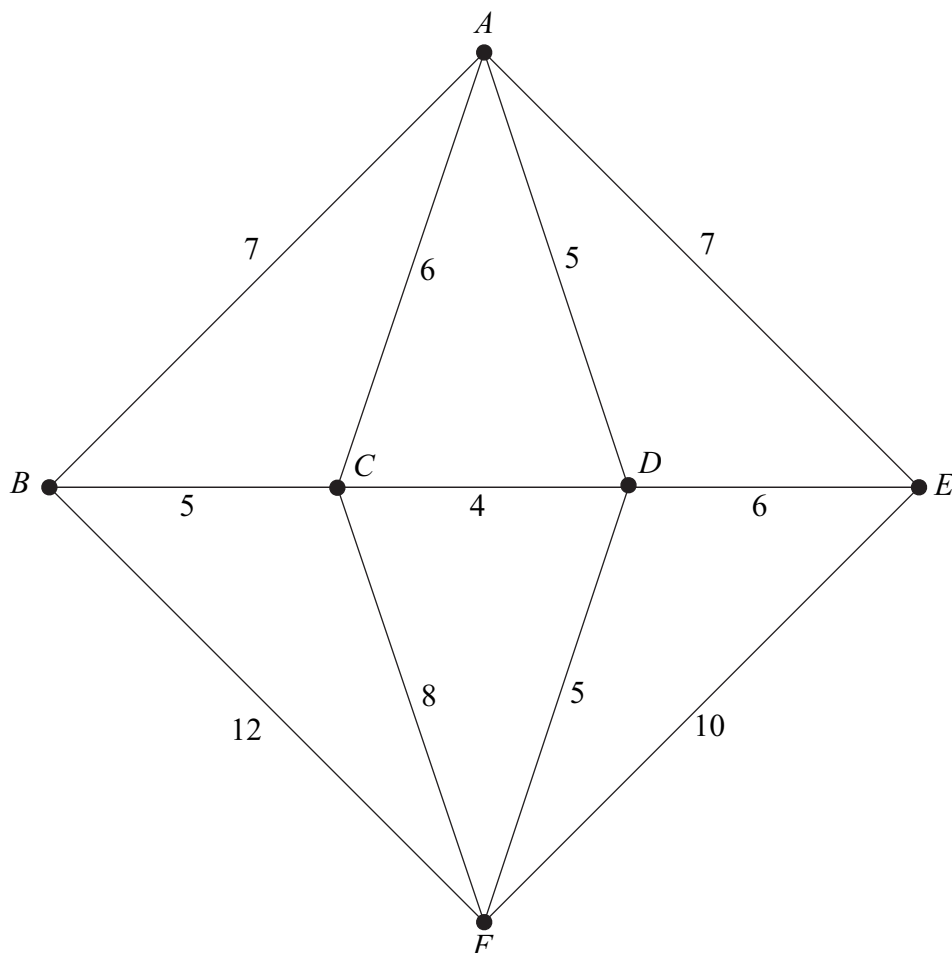
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- 6** The network shows the roads linking a warehouse at  $A$  and five shops,  $B$ ,  $C$ ,  $D$ ,  $E$  and  $F$ . The numbers on the edges show the lengths, in miles, of the roads. A delivery van leaves the warehouse, delivers to each of the shops and returns to the warehouse.



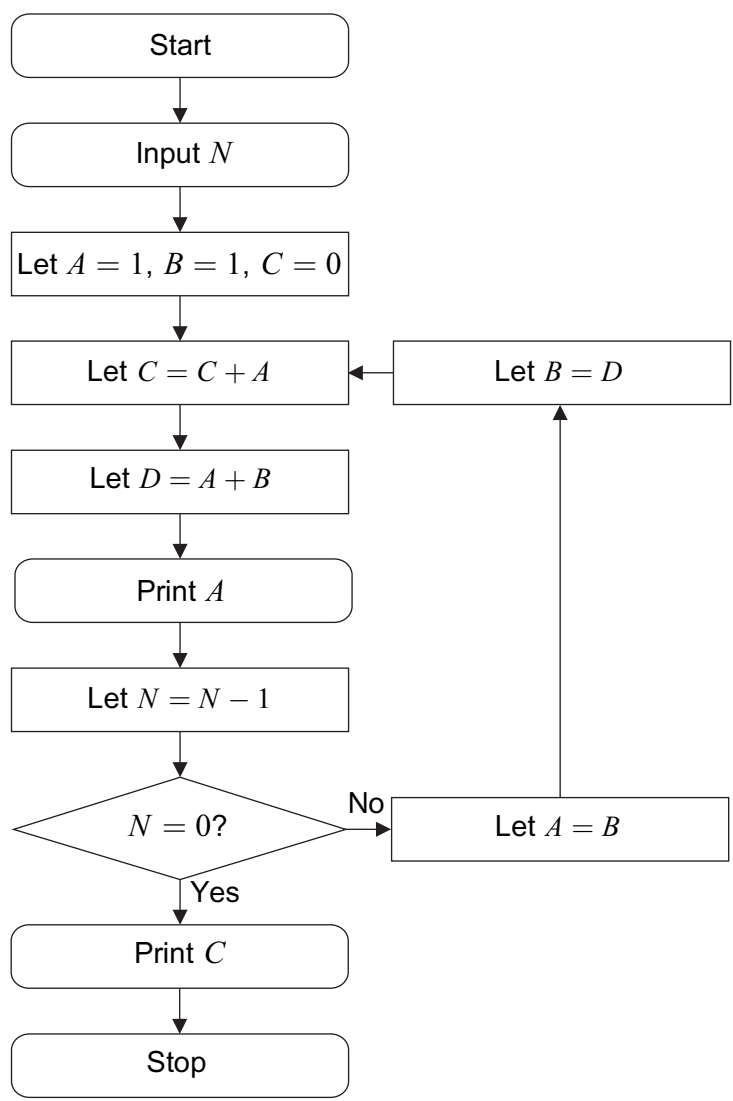
- (a) Complete the table, on the page opposite, showing the shortest distances between the vertices. **[2 marks]**
- (b) (i) Find the total distance travelled if the van follows the cycle  $AEFBCDA$ . **[1 mark]**
- (ii) Explain why your answer to part (b)(i) provides an upper bound for the minimum journey length. **[1 mark]**
- (c) Use the nearest neighbour algorithm starting from  $D$  to find a second upper bound. **[3 marks]**
- (d) By deleting  $A$ , find a lower bound for the minimum journey length. **[4 marks]**
- (e) Given that the minimum journey length is  $T$ , write down the best inequality for  $T$  that can be obtained from your answers to parts (b), (c) and (d). **[1 mark]**







8 A student is tracing the following algorithm.



(a) Trace the algorithm illustrated in the flowchart for the case where the input value of  $N$  is 5. [5 marks]

(b) Explain the role of  $N$  in the algorithm. [1 mark]

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- 9** A company producing chicken food makes three products, Basic, Premium and Supreme, from wheat, maize and barley.

A tonne (1000 kg) of Basic uses 400 kg of wheat, 200 kg of maize and 400 kg of barley.

A tonne of Premium uses 400 kg of wheat, 500 kg of maize and 100 kg of barley.

A tonne of Supreme uses 600 kg of wheat, 200 kg of maize and 200 kg of barley.

The company has 130 tonnes of wheat, 70 tonnes of maize and 72 tonnes of barley available.

The company must make at least 75 tonnes of Supreme.

The company makes £50 profit per tonne of Basic, £100 per tonne of Premium and £150 per tonne of Supreme.

They plan to make  $x$  tonnes of Basic,  $y$  tonnes of Premium and  $z$  tonnes of Supreme.

- (a)** Write down four inequalities representing the constraints (in addition to  $x, y \geq 0$ ).  
[4 marks]

- (b)** The company want exactly half the production to be Supreme.

Show that the constraints in part **(a)** become

$$\begin{aligned}x + y &\leq 130 \\4x + 7y &\leq 700 \\2x + y &\leq 240 \\x + y &\geq 75 \\x &\geq 0 \\y &\geq 0\end{aligned}$$

[2 marks]

- (c)** On the grid opposite, illustrate all the constraints and label the feasible region.  
[5 marks]

- (d)** Write an expression for  $P$ , the profit for the whole production, in terms of  $x$  and  $y$  only.  
[2 marks]

- (e) (i)** By drawing an objective line on your graph, or otherwise, find the values of  $x$  and  $y$  which give the maximum profit.  
[2 marks]

- (ii)** State the maximum profit and the amount of each product that must be made.  
[2 marks]



