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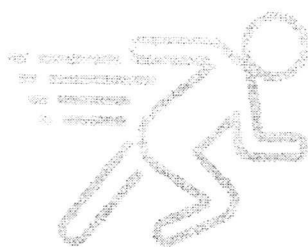
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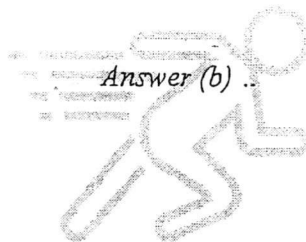
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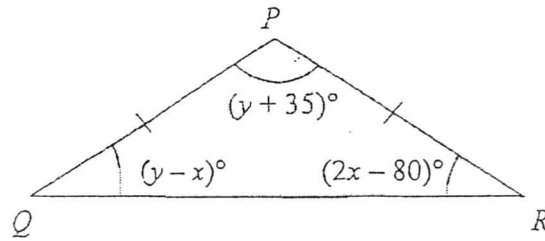
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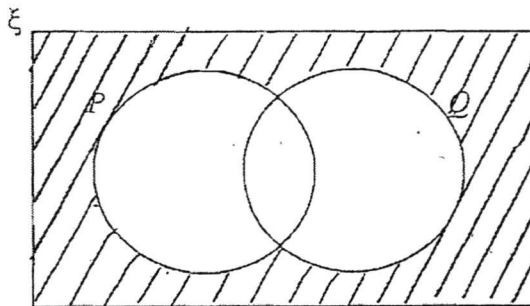
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Find the number of sides that the polygon has.

Let  $x$  be the size of each ext.  $\angle$  or

$$3x + x = 180^\circ \quad [M1]$$

$$4x = 180^\circ$$

$$x = 45^\circ$$

$$\therefore n = \frac{360^\circ}{45^\circ}$$

$$= 8$$

$$\frac{(n-2) \times 180^\circ}{n} = 3 \left( \frac{360^\circ}{n} \right) \quad [M1]$$

$$(n-2) \times 180^\circ = 1080^\circ$$

$$n-2 = \frac{1080^\circ}{180^\circ}$$

$$= 6$$

$$\therefore n = 8 \quad \#$$

Answer ..... 8 ..... [2] [A1]

\* Accept guess-and-check method

[Turn Over]

- 4 (a) Express 504 as the product of its prime factors.

$$\begin{array}{r}
 2 \overline{) 504} \\
 2 \overline{) 252} \\
 2 \overline{) 126} \\
 2 \overline{) 63} \\
 3 \overline{) 21} \\
 3 \overline{) 7} \\
 7 \overline{) 7} \\
 1
 \end{array}$$

Answer (a)  $2^3 \times 3^2 \times 7$  [1]

[31]

- (b) Find the greatest integer that will divide both 504 and 630 exactly.

$$\begin{array}{r}
 2 \overline{) 504 \quad 630} \\
 3 \overline{) 252 \quad 315} \\
 3 \overline{) 84 \quad 105} \\
 7 \overline{) 28 \quad 35} \\
 4 \quad 5
 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{HCF} &= 2 \times 3 \times 3 \times 7 \\
 &= 126
 \end{aligned}$$

Answer (b)  $126$  [1]

[31]

- (c) Find the smallest positive integer  $k$  such that  $\frac{504}{k}$  is a square number.

$$\frac{2^3 \times 3^2 \times 7}{k} = 2^2 \times 3^2$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \therefore k &= 2 \times 7 \\
 &= 14
 \end{aligned}$$

Answer (c)  $k = 14$  [1]

[31]

5 Write as a single fraction in its simplest form

$$(a) \frac{5x-1}{4} + \frac{x+2}{3}$$

$$\frac{3(5x-1) + 4(x+2)}{12} \quad [M1]$$

$$= \frac{15x-3+4x+8}{12}$$

$$= \frac{19x+5}{12}$$

Answer (a)  $\frac{19x+5}{12}$  [2] [A1]

$$(b) \frac{7x}{x^2-9} + \frac{4}{x+3}$$

$$\frac{7x + 4(x-3)}{(x+3)(x-3)} \quad [M1]$$

$$= \frac{7x + 4x - 12}{(x+3)(x-3)}$$

$$= \frac{11x-12}{(x+3)(x-3)}$$

or  $\frac{7x(x+3) + 4(x^2-9)}{(x^2-9)(x+3)}$

$$= \frac{7x^2 + 21x + 4x^2 - 36}{(x^2-9)(x+3)}$$

$$= \frac{11x^2 + 21x - 36}{(x^2-9)(x+3)}$$

$$= \frac{(11x-12)(x+3)}{(x^2-9)(x+3)} \quad [M1]$$

$$= \frac{11x-12}{x^2-9} \quad [A1]$$

Answer (b)  $\frac{11x-12}{(x+3)(x-3)}$  [2] [A1]

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Nigel cuts the pipe into two parts so that the ratio of the lengths is 5 : 2.

(a) Calculate the difference in length between the two parts of the pipe.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Difference} &= \frac{35}{7} \times (5-2) \quad [\text{m}] \\ &= 15 \end{aligned}$$

Answer (a) ..... 15 ..... cm [2]

[A1]

- (b) Nigel cuts a certain length of pipe,  $x$  cm, from each of the two parts on the pipe.  
The ratio of the remaining lengths is 6 : 1.

Calculate the value of  $x$ .

$$\text{Length of longer pipe} = \frac{35}{7} \times 5 = 25$$

$$\text{Length of shorter pipe} = \frac{35}{7} \times 2 = 10$$

$$\frac{25-x}{10-x} = \frac{6}{1} \quad [\text{m}] \quad 5x = 60 - 25$$

$$= 35$$

$$25 - x = 6(10 - x) \quad \therefore x = 7$$

$$= 60 - 6x$$

Answer (b)  $x =$  ..... 7 ..... [2]

[A1]

- 7 Joseph bought an oil painting for \$950.  
He sold it five years later for a profit of 120% of the cost price.

Calculate the selling price.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Profit} &= \frac{120}{100} \times \$950 \\ &= \$1140 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{or } &\frac{220}{100} \times \$950 \quad [\text{m}] \\ &= \$2090 \end{aligned}$$

Selling price

$$= \$950 + \$1140 \quad [\text{m}]$$

$$= \$2090$$

Answer \$ ..... 2090 ..... [A1] [2]

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Convert 364.6 km/h into m/s.

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$$\frac{364.6 \times 1000 \text{ m}}{3600 \text{ s}} \quad [M1] \quad \text{or} \quad \frac{364.6}{3.6} \quad [M1]$$

$$\approx 101 \text{ m/s (to 3 s.f.)}$$

Answer ..... 101 ..... m/s [2]

[A1]

- 9 It is given that  $y = \frac{x-2}{x}$ .

Express  $x$  in terms of  $y$ .

$$xy = x - 2 \quad [M1]$$

$$xy - x = -2 \quad \text{or} \quad 2 = x - xy$$

$$x(y-1) = -2$$

$$2 = x(1-y)$$

$$\therefore x = \frac{-2}{y-1} \quad [A1]$$

$$x = \frac{2}{1-y} \quad [A1]$$

Answer .....  $x = \frac{2}{1-y}$  ..... [A1] [2]

$$\text{or } x = \frac{-2}{y-1} \quad [A1] \quad \text{[Turn Over]}$$

10 Expand and simplify  $(5x - 3)^2$ .

$$\begin{aligned}
 & (5x - 3)(5x - 3) \quad \text{or} \\
 & = 25x^2 - 15x - 15x + 9 \quad \text{[M1]} \quad (5x)^2 - 2(5x)(3) + 3^2 \quad \text{[A1]} \\
 & = 25x^2 - 30x + 9
 \end{aligned}$$

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 & 6a - 4b + 3ay - 2by \\
 & = 2(3a - 2b) + y(3a - 2b) \quad \text{[M1]} \\
 & = (3a - 2b)(2 + y)
 \end{aligned}$$

or

$$\begin{aligned}
 & 6a + 3ay - 4b - 2by \\
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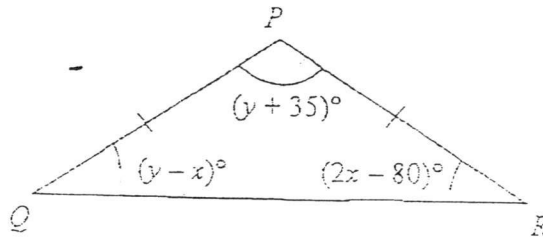
Answer (a)  $(3a - 2b)(2 + y)$  [2] [A1]

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$$\begin{aligned}
 & 3x(2x^2 - 9x + 10) \quad \text{[M1]} \quad \text{or} \quad x(6x - 15)(x - 2) \\
 & = 3x(2x - 5)(x - 2) \quad \text{or} \quad x(2x - 5)(3x - 10)
 \end{aligned}$$

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$$\begin{aligned}
 y - x &= 2x - 80, & y + 35 + y - x + 2x - 80 &= 180 \\
 y &= 3x - 80 & 2y + x - 45 &= 180 \\
 & & 2y &= 225 - x
 \end{aligned}$$

Answer (a)  $y = 3x - 80$  [B1]  
 $2y = 225 - x$  [B1] [2]

- (b) Solve these two equations to find the value of  $x$  and the value of  $y$ .

$$\begin{aligned}
 y &= 3x - 80 \\
 2y &= 6x - 160, & 2y &= 225 - x
 \end{aligned}$$

$$6x - 160 = 225 - x \quad [M]$$

$$7x = 385$$

$$x = 55$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 y &= 3(55) - 80 \\
 &= 85
 \end{aligned}$$

Answer (b)  $x = 55$  [A1]

$y = 85$  [A1] [3]

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$$f = k\sqrt{T}$$

$$8 = k\sqrt{16} \quad [M1]$$

$$= 4k$$

$$k = \frac{8}{4}$$

$$= 2$$

Answer (a) .....  $f = 2\sqrt{T}$  ..... [2]

[A1]

(b) Find the value of  $f$  when this value of  $T$  is halved.

$$\text{New } T = 16 \times \frac{1}{2} = 8 \quad [M1]$$

$$\text{New } f = 2\sqrt{8}$$

$$\approx 5.6569 \quad (\text{to 4 d.p.})$$

Answer (b) .....  $5.6569$  (to 4 d.p.) ..... [2]  
or  $5.66$  (to 3 s.f.)

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Workers	hours	
50	6	}
↓ × 6	↓ ÷ 6	
300	1	
↓ ÷ 4	↓ × 4	
75	4	

$$75 - 50 = 25$$

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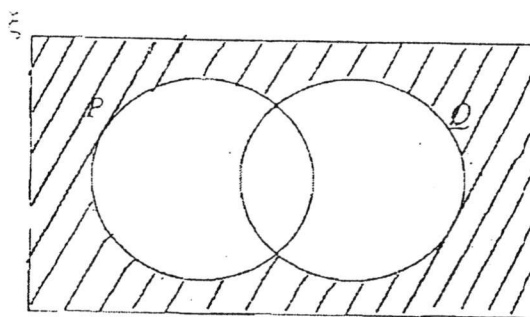
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Find the mean mark for the whole class.

$$\text{mean} = \frac{27 \times 14 + 26 \times 26.5}{14 + 26} \quad [M1]$$

$$= \frac{1067}{40}$$

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$$\approx 26.7 \quad [A0]$$

$$\text{or } 26 \frac{27}{40}$$

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$$-2b - 2 = 0$$

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[B1]

(b) Hence, find the second solution of the equation.

$$x^2 - x - 6 = 0$$

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$$x - 3 = 0$$

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