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# ST EDWARD'S, OXFORD

Department of Mathematics



14+ Entrance Exam

For Entry in September 2018

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## Instructions

- 70 Marks
  - 1 Hour
  - There are 17 questions
  - Calculators are allowed
  - Write all answers, including your workings, in this booklet.
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**Q1.**

(a) Simplify

(i)  $a \times a \times a \times a$ ,

(ii)  $5a \times 6b$ ,

(iii)  $q^8 \div q^2$ .

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(3)

(b) Solve  $5 - 2y = 12$

$y =$  .....

(2)

(c)  $v = w^2 - 2w$ .

Work out the value of  $v$  when  $w = 6$

$v =$  .....

(2)

**(Total for question = 7 marks)**

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**Q2.**

There are 6 batteries in a small packet of batteries.

There are 9 batteries in a large packet of batteries.

Chow buys  $m$  small packets of batteries and  $g$  large packets of batteries.

The total number of batteries Chow buys is  $T$ .

Write down a formula, in terms of  $m$  and  $g$ , for  $T$ .

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**(Total for question = 3 marks)**

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**Q3.**

(a) Factorise fully  $18e^3f + 45e^2f^4$

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(2)

(b) Solve  $x^2 - 4x - 12 = 0$

Show clear algebraic working.

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(3)

**(Total for question = 5 marks)**

**Q4.**

(a)  $A = 2^2 \times 3 \times 5^2$

$B = 2^3 \times 5$

(i) Find the Highest Common Factor (HCF) of  $A$  and  $B$ .

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(ii) Find the Lowest Common Multiple (LCM) of  $A$  and  $B$ .

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(3)

(b)  $\frac{8^2 \times 8^3}{8^4} = 2^n$

Find the value of  $n$ .

$n =$  .....

(2)

**(Total for question = 5 marks)**

**Q5.**

(a) Simplify, leaving your answers in index form,

(i)  $6^5 \times 6^2 \times 6$

(ii)  $(9^7)^2$

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(2)

$$\frac{5^n \times 5^3}{5^6} = 5^4$$

(b) Find the value of  $n$ .

$n =$  .....

(2)

**(Total for question = 4 marks)**

**Q6.**

1 euro = 120 yen
£1 = 1.2 euros

Change £50 to yen.

..... yen

**(Total for question = 2 marks)**

**Q7.** Manu, Liam and Ned share £420 in the ratios 4 : 5 : 3  
Liam then gives Ned £75

Express the amount of money that Ned now has as a percentage of the £420  
Give your answer correct to the nearest whole number.

..... %

**(Total for question = 4 marks)**

**Q8.**

Nigel bought 12 boxes of melons.  
He paid \$15 for each box.  
There were 12 melons in each box.

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Nigel sold  $\frac{3}{4}$  of the melons for \$1.60 each.

He sold all the other melons at a reduced price.

He made an overall profit of 15%

Work out how much Nigel sold each reduced price melon for.

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**(Total for question = 5 marks)**

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**Q9.**

The mean of four numbers is 2.6  
One of the four numbers is 5

Find the mean of the other three numbers.

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

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**Q10.**

Lisa sees a dress in a sale.

The normal price of the dress is \$45

The price of the dress is reduced by 12% in the sale.

(a) Work out the price of the dress in the sale.

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(3)

Lisa's weekly pay increases from \$525 to \$546

(b) Calculate her percentage pay increase.

..... %  
(3)

**(Total for question = 6 marks)**

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**Q11.**

Three integers have a mean of 7, a median of 5 and a range of 14

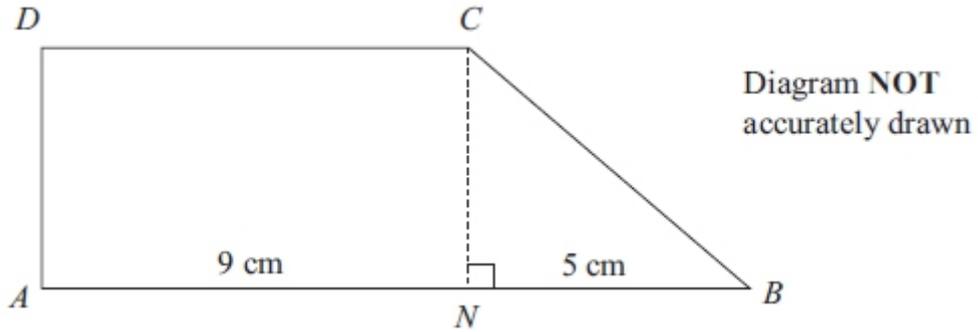
Find the three integers.

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**(Total for question = 2 marks)**

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Q12.



The shape  $ABCD$  is made from a rectangle  $ANCD$  and the right-angled triangle  $NBC$ .  
 $ANB$  is a straight line.  
 $AN = 9$  cm.  
 $NB = 5$  cm.  
The area of rectangle  $ANCD$  is  $36$  cm<sup>2</sup>.  
Work out the area of shape  $ABCD$ .

..... cm<sup>2</sup>

(Total for question = 4 marks)

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Q13.

Make  $t$  the subject of  $5(t - g) = 2t + 7$

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(Total for question = 3 marks)

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**Q14.**

(a) Solve the simultaneous equations

$$3x + 5y = 14$$

$$4x + 3y = 4$$

Show clear algebraic working.

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

$$y = \dots\dots\dots$$

(4)

(b) Write down the coordinates of the point of intersection of the two lines whose equations are  $3x + 5y = 14$  and  $4x + 3y = 4$

$$(\dots\dots\dots, \dots\dots\dots)$$

(1)

**(Total for Question is 5 marks)**

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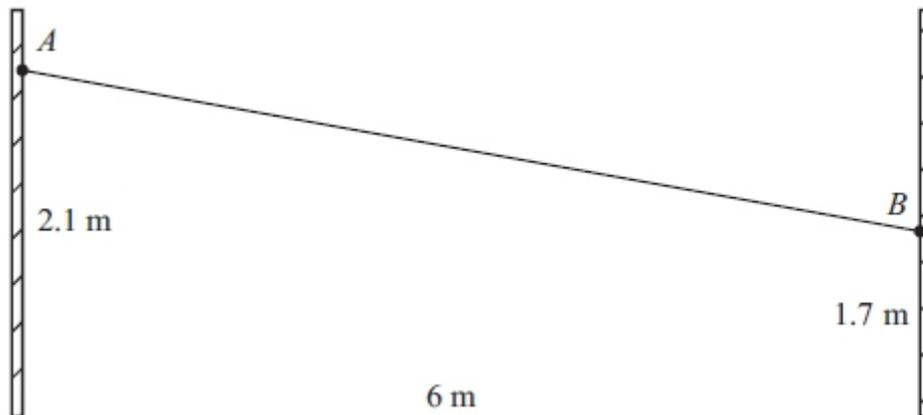
**Q15.**

A washing line is attached at points A and B on two vertical posts standing on horizontal ground.

Point A is 2.1 metres above the ground on one post.

Point B is 1.7 metres above the ground on the other post. The horizontal distance between the two posts is 6 metres.

Diagram **NOT**  
accurately drawn



Calculate the distance *AB*.

Give your answer correct to 3 significant figures.

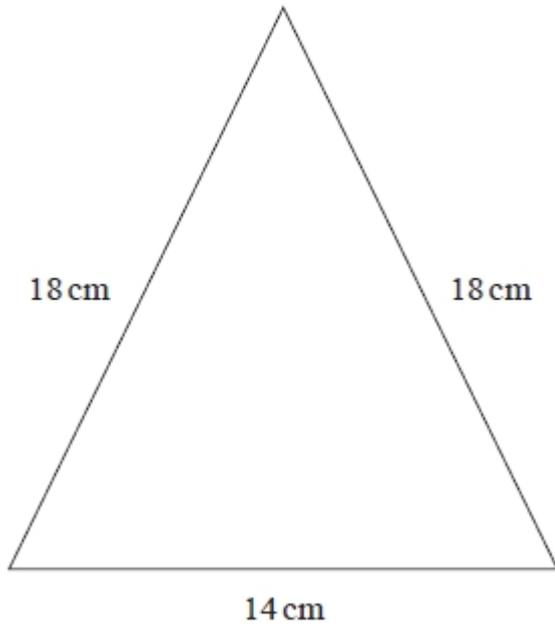
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**(Total for question = 4 marks)**

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**Q16.**

Here is an isosceles triangle.



**Diagram NOT  
accurately drawn**

Work out the area of the triangle.  
Give your answer correct to 3 significant figures.

..... cm<sup>2</sup>

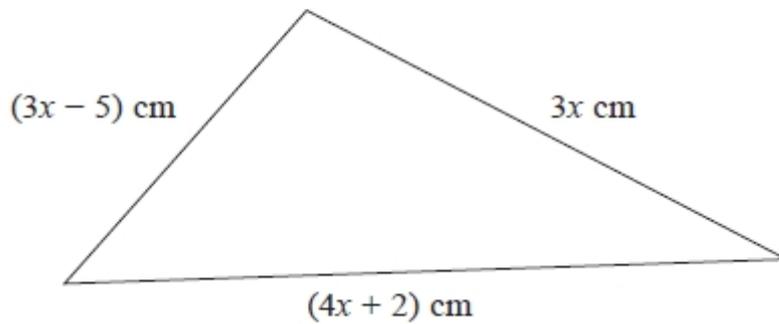
**(Total for question = 4 marks)**

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**Q17.**

The diagram shows a triangle.

**Diagram NOT  
accurately drawn**



The lengths of the sides of the triangle are  $3x \text{ cm}$ ,  $(3x - 5) \text{ cm}$  and  $(4x + 2) \text{ cm}$ .

The perimeter of the triangle is  $62 \text{ cm}$ .

Work out the value of  $x$ .  
Show clear algebraic working.

$x = \dots\dots\dots$

**(Total for question = 4 marks)**

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**END**