

Thursday 19 January 2012 – Afternoon

GCSE MATHEMATICS A

A501/02 Unit A (Higher Tier)

Candidates answer on the Question Paper.

OCR supplied materials:

None

Other materials required:

- Scientific or graphical calculator
- Geometrical instruments
- Tracing paper (optional)

Duration: 1 hour



Candidate forename		Candidate surname	
Centre number		Candidate number	

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

- Write your name, centre number and candidate number in the boxes above. Please write clearly and in capital letters.
- Use black ink. HB pencil may be used for graphs and diagrams only.
- Answer **all** the questions.
- Read each question carefully. Make sure you know what you have to do before starting your answer.
- Your answers should be supported with appropriate working. Marks may be given for a correct method even if the answer is incorrect.
- Write your answer to each question in the space provided. Additional paper may be used if necessary but you must clearly show your candidate number, centre number and question number(s).
- Do **not** write in the bar codes.

INFORMATION FOR CANDIDATES

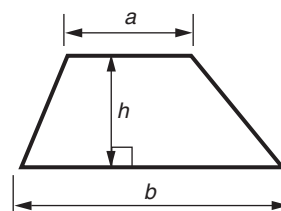
- The number of marks is given in brackets [] at the end of each question or part question.
- The total number of marks for this paper is **60**.
- This document consists of **16** pages. Any blank pages are indicated.



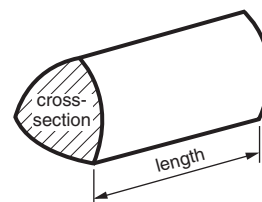
**You are permitted
to use a calculator
for this paper**

Formulae Sheet: Higher Tier

Area of trapezium $= \frac{1}{2} (a + b)h$



Volume of prism $= (\text{area of cross-section}) \times \text{length}$

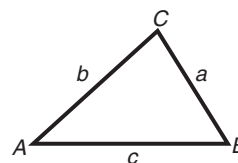


In any triangle ABC

Sine rule $\frac{a}{\sin A} = \frac{b}{\sin B} = \frac{c}{\sin C}$

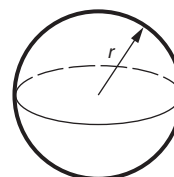
Cosine rule $a^2 = b^2 + c^2 - 2bc \cos A$

Area of triangle $= \frac{1}{2} ab \sin C$



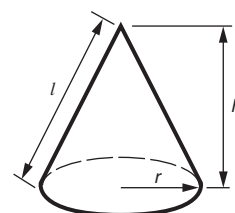
Volume of sphere $= \frac{4}{3} \pi r^3$

Surface area of sphere $= 4\pi r^2$



Volume of cone $= \frac{1}{3} \pi r^2 h$

Curved surface area of cone $= \pi r l$



The Quadratic Equation

The solutions of $ax^2 + bx + c = 0$,
where $a \neq 0$, are given by

$$x = \frac{-b \pm \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a}$$

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- 1** Margie makes blackberry and apple jam.
Her recipe uses 2 kg of blackberries and 750g of apples.
This makes 6 jars of jam.

- (a)** Show that the ratio of blackberries to apples, in its simplest terms, is 8 : 3.
Explain clearly how you obtain the answer.

[2]

- (b)** Margie has 3 kg of blackberries.
She uses them all to make blackberry and apple jam.

- (i)** What weight of apples does she use?
Give the units of your answer.

(b)(i) _____ [3]

- (ii)** How many jars of the jam does she make?

(ii) _____ [1]

- 2** Find the prime factors of 102.

_____ [2]

- 3** This is a scale drawing showing the position of two airports, A and B.
The scale is 1 cm represents 50 km.



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An aircraft flies from airport A to airport C.
C is 360 km from A on a bearing of 247° .

- (a)** On the scale drawing, construct the position of airport C. **[2]**

- (b)** Find the actual distance of airport C from airport B.

(b) _____ km **[2]**

4 (a) Solve.

$$3(2x - 1) = 6$$

(a) _____ [3]

(b) Find the value of $3y^2 + 5$ when

(i) $y = 2.6$,

(b)(i) _____ [1]

(ii) $y = -4$.

(ii) _____ [1]

- 5 (a) These are the first three terms of a sequence.

5 10 20

Here is the term-to-term rule for this sequence.

multiply by 2

The number 1280 is in this sequence.

Find the position of this number in the sequence.

(a) 1280 is the _____ th term [2]

- (b) The first term of another sequence is 4.

Here is the term-to-term rule for this sequence.

add 7

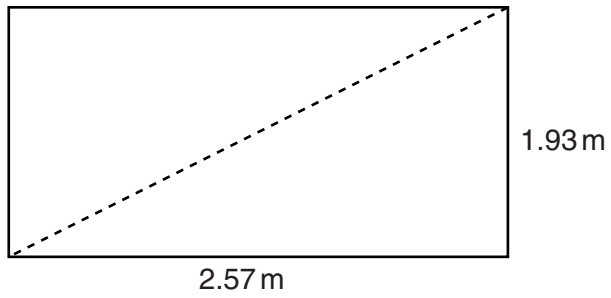
- (i) Find the second and third terms of this sequence.

(b)(i) _____ [1]

- (ii) Find an expression for the n th term of this sequence.

(ii) _____ [2]

- 6 Dave is building a greenhouse.
The base measures 2.57 m by 1.93 m.



Not to scale

Dave checks that the base is a rectangle by measuring the diagonals.

Calculate the length that a diagonal should be.

_____ m [3]

7 In a lift there is this sign.

Maximum 8 people
Maximum total weight 550 kg

There are 7 people in the lift.

Their mean weight is 65.4 kg.

Another person who weighs 85 kg gets in the lift.

- (a) Has the maximum total weight for the lift been exceeded?
Show calculations to support your answer.

[3]

- (b) Find the mean weight of all 8 people.

(b) _____ kg [2]

8 Calculate.

(a) $\sqrt[3]{21.952^2}$

(a) _____ [2]

(b) $\frac{15.6 + 81.97}{4.3 \times 9.84}$

Give your answer correct to 2 decimal places.

(b) _____ [2]

(c) the reciprocal of 1.25

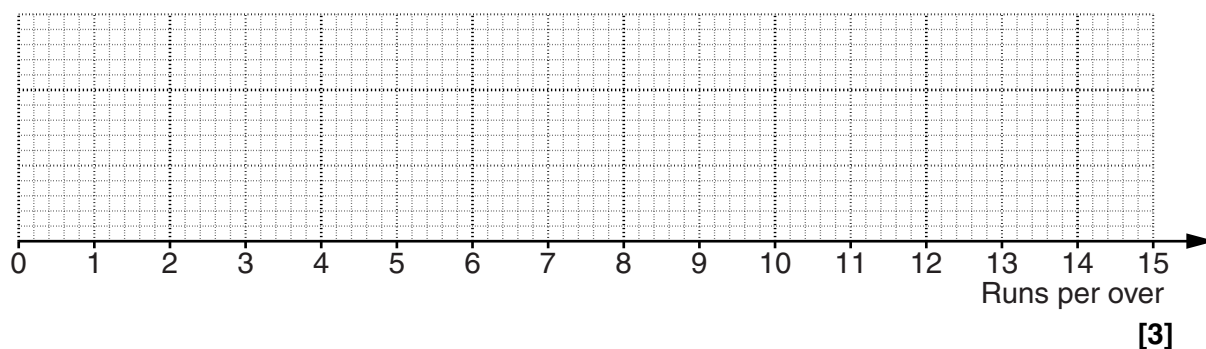
(c) _____ [1]

- 9 In T20 cricket, the number of runs per over scored by a team is important.

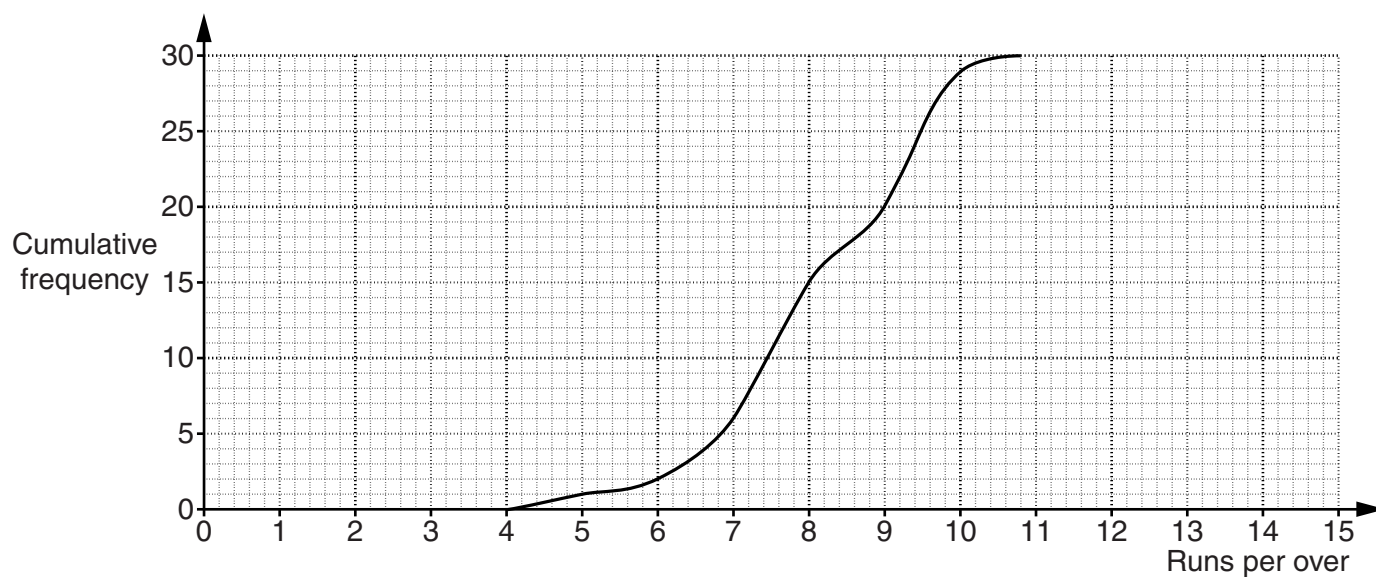
This table summarises the number of runs per over scored by team A in its matches in one season.

Minimum	4.2
Lower quartile	5.1
Median	7.6
Upper quartile	8.4
Maximum	10.1

- (a) Draw a box plot for this information.



- (b) Here is a cumulative frequency diagram. It gives information about the runs per over scored by team A's opponents in 30 matches.



- (i) In how many matches did team A's opponents score 6 runs or less per over?

(b)(i) _____ [1]

- (ii) Make two comments comparing the number of runs per over scored by team A and by its opponents.
Give numerical evidence for the statistics you use.

Average: _____

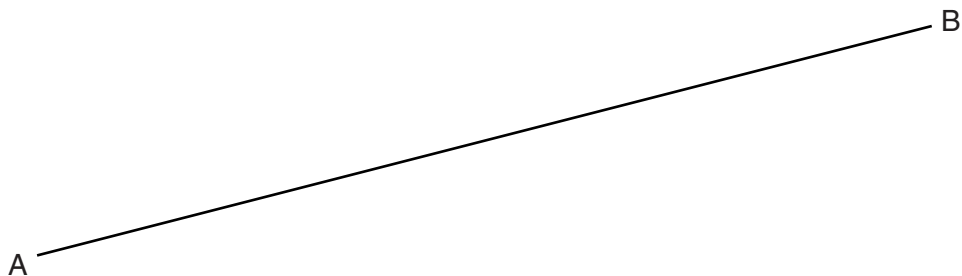
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_____ [4]

- 10** Use a ruler and a pair of compasses in this question.
Do not rub out your construction lines.

Construct the perpendicular from the point P to the line AB.

P •



[2]

- 11 (a) Rearrange this formula to make r the subject.

$$S = 4\pi r^2$$

(a) _____ [3]

(b) $f(x) = \frac{3}{4x+6}$

- (i) Find $f(1)$.

(b)(i) _____ [1]

- (ii) Explain why $f(-1.5)$ cannot be evaluated. [1]

- 12 (a) Find the values of a and b so that this is an identity.

$$5x + 3(x + 1) \equiv ax + b$$

(a) $a =$ _____

$b =$ _____ [2]

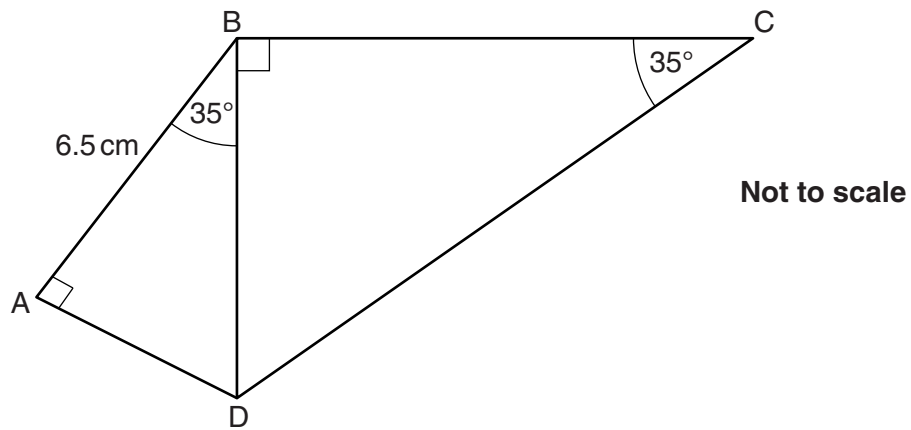
- (b) Find possible values of c and d so that this is an equation with the solution $x = 2$.

$$5x + 3(x + 1) = cx + d$$

(b) $c =$ _____

$d =$ _____ [2]

- 13** ABCD is a quadrilateral.
Angles BAD and DBC are both right angles.
Angles ABD and BCD are both 35° .
AB = 6.5 cm.



Calculate the length of CD.

_____ cm [6]

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