Practice Paper 1

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## GCSE

## Mathematics

Higher

## Summer 2018

Time allowed: 1 hour 30 minutes

## Materials

For this paper you must have:

- a calculator
- mathematical instruments.


## Instructions

- Use black ink or black ball-point pen. Draw diagrams in pencil.
- Answer all questions.
- You must answer the questions in the spaces provided. Do not write outside the box around each page or on blank pages.
- Do all rough work in this book. Cross through any work you do not want to be marked.


## Information

- The marks for questions are shown in brackets.
- The maximum mark for this paper is 80 .
- You may ask for more answer paper, graph paper and tracing paper. These must be tagged securely to the answer book.


## Advice

| For Examiner's Use |  |
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| Pages | Mark |
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| $4-5$ |  |
| $6-7$ |  |
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| $10-11$ |  |
| $12-13$ |  |
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| $16-17$ |  |
| $18-19$ |  |
| $20-21$ |  |
| $22-23$ |  |
| TOTAL |  |

- In all calculations, show clearly how you work out your answer.


## Practice Paper Overview



1 Circle the equation that increases 500 by $1.2 \%$.

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500 \times 1.2 \quad 500 \times 1.02 \quad 500 \times 1.12 \quad 500 \times 1.012
$$

2 Circle the equation with roots -3 and 6 .

$$
\begin{array}{lc}
(x-3)(x+6)=0 & x^{2}-18=0 \\
(x+3)(x-6)=0 & (x+3)^{2}-6=0
\end{array}
$$

3 Here is a sequence
27
19
11
3
$-5$

Circle the expression for the nth term of the sequence.

$$
8 n+19 \quad 27-8 n \quad n-8 \quad 35-8 n
$$

4 Work out $\left(4 x^{2}\right)^{3}$ and circle your answer.
$64 x^{6}$
$8 x^{5}$
$16 x^{6}$
$12 x^{6}$

5 A company makes bags of dog food.
A bag usually contains 5.5 kg of food.
Here are two option for a special offer.

| Option A |
| :---: |
| Usual amount of food. |
| $20 \%$ off the price. |

## Option B

$15 \%$ more food.
Price remains the same.

Which option is the better value for the customer?
You must show your working.
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Answer
$6 A B$ is parallel to $C D$.


Not drawn accurately

Show that angle $x=35^{\circ}$
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Answer $\qquad$

7 Here is some information about the number of hours of revision year 11
students did the night before their maths exam.
One of the frequencies is missing.

| Number of hours <br> (t, hours) | Frequency | Midpoint |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :--- |
| $0 \leq t<1$ | 14 | 0.5 |  |
| $1 \leq t<2$ | 28 | 1.5 |  |
| $2 \leq t<4$ |  | 3 |  |
| $4 \leq t<8$ | 15 | 6 |  |

Midpoints are used to work out an estimate for the mean number of hours of revision.

The answer is 2.6
Work out the missing frequency.
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Answer

8 Expand and simplify

$$
(2 x+4)(x-3)(3 x+5)
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Answer

9

$$
\text { Pressure }=\frac{\text { force }}{\text { area }}
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Find the pressure exerted by a force of 1125 newtons on $75 \mathrm{~cm}^{2}$.
Give your answer in newtons $/ m^{2}$
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Answer newtons $/ m^{2}$

| 10 A box contains counters. |
| :--- |
| Green Blue Purple Black  <br> Number of <br> counters 16 $2 x-3$ $2 x+5$ $x+2$ |

A counter is chosen at random.
The probability it is green is $\frac{8}{50}$.
Work out the probability it is purple.
[4 marks]

Answer

11 Express 360 as a product of its prime factors in index form.

## Answer

12 Calculate the size of the angle marked $x$.


13 Circle the equation of the $y-$ axis.

$$
x=0 \quad y-x=0 \quad y=x \quad y=0 \quad y+x=0
$$

14 The diagram shows a garden.


Work out the proportion of the garden area which is covered in grass.
[4 marks]
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Answer

15 The pie chart shows the attendance of males and females at a pop concert.


7740 more females attended than males.
Calculate how many people attended the concert in total.
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Answer $\qquad$

16 This is a rectangle.
Each length is measured in centimetres.


Work out the area of the rectangle.
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Answer

17 The value of a house $£ V$ is given by

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V=125000 \times 1.004^{t}
$$

17 (a) Write down the value of the house when $t=0$

Answer
17(b) What is the value of the house after 4 years?
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Answer
17 (c) After how many years will the house's value be above $£ 130000$

Answer $\qquad$

18 Calculate the perimeter of the sector.

[3 marks]

## Answer

19 Work out the equation of the line that is parallel to the line $y=4 x-5$ and passes through $(-3,-2)$.
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Answer

20 Students on a school trip to an escape room.
To escape the escape room they need a 4 digit code.
Each digit is a number from 0 to 9 .

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They know that the first digit is one.
The second digit is even.
The third digit is prime.
The final number is a square number.
How many potential combinations are there?

Answer

21 Find in standard form the value of

$$
\left(4 \times 10^{6}\right) \times\left(5 \times 10^{-3}\right)
$$

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Answer $\qquad$

22 Circle the sketch of a cubic graph.



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23 (a) Circle the size of angle $x$.
$125^{\circ}$
$55^{\circ}$
$85^{\circ}$
$65^{\circ}$

23 (b) Angle $A B D=76^{\circ}$ and angle $D F E=52^{\circ}$.
The line $A B C$ is a tangent to the circle at point $B$.


Calculate the size of angle BDE. You must give reasons for your answer.
[4 marks]
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Answer $\qquad$

24 Use the quadratic formula to solve

$$
2 x^{2}+11 x+6=0
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Answers

25 In a bag
the number of red and blue counters are in the ratio 3:2
the number of blue and pink counters are in the ratio 7:5
The total number of red, blue and pink counters in the bag is 585.
How many blue counters are in the bag?
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Answers

26 The incomplete table and histogram give some information about the height of students in a year 11 class.


26 (a) Use the information in the histogram to complete the frequency table below.

| Height (h, cm) | Frequency |
| :---: | :---: |
| $80<h \leq 100$ |  |
| $100<h \leq 140$ |  |
| $140<h \leq 170$ | 15 |
| $170<h \leq 180$ | 2 |

26 (b) Complete the histogram

26 (c) Calculate the proportion of people who are taller than 150 cm .
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Answers

27 Here is a velocity-time graph for a coach journey.


27 (a) Work out an estimate for the total distance travelled in the first 3 hours.
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## Answer

27 (b) Is your answer to (a) an underestimate or an overestimate of the actual distance?

Give a reason for your answer.
$\square$ Underestimate $\square$ Overestimate
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28 Show that

$$
\frac{3 x+6}{x^{2}-9} \times \frac{x^{2}-4 x+3}{x^{2}+x-2}
$$

Simplifies to $\frac{a}{b x+c}$ where $a, b$ and $c$ are integers.
[4 marks]
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29 Solve the inequality $x^{2}<2(x+4)$
[4 marks]

Answer

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