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**MATHEMATICS****0580/31**

Paper 3 Calculator (Core)

**October/November 2025****1 hour 30 minutes**

You must answer on the question paper.

You will need: Geometrical instruments

**INSTRUCTIONS**

- Answer **all** questions.
- Use a black or dark blue pen. You may use an HB pencil for any diagrams or graphs.
- Write your name, centre number and candidate number in the boxes at the top of the page.
- Write your answer to each question in the space provided.
- Do **not** use an erasable pen or correction fluid.
- Do **not** write on any bar codes.
- You should use a scientific calculator where appropriate.
- You may use tracing paper.
- You must show all necessary working clearly.
- Give non-exact numerical answers correct to 3 significant figures, or 1 decimal place for angles in degrees, unless a different level of accuracy is specified in the question.
- For  $\pi$ , use either your calculator value or 3.142.

**INFORMATION**

- The total mark for this paper is 80.
- The number of marks for each question or part question is shown in brackets [ ].

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## List of formulas

Area,  $A$ , of triangle, base  $b$ , height  $h$ .

$$A = \frac{1}{2}bh$$

Area,  $A$ , of circle of radius  $r$ .

$$A = \pi r^2$$

Circumference,  $C$ , of circle of radius  $r$ .

$$C = 2\pi r$$

Curved surface area,  $A$ , of cylinder of radius  $r$ , height  $h$ .

$$A = 2\pi rh$$

Curved surface area,  $A$ , of cone of radius  $r$ , sloping edge  $l$ .

$$A = \pi rl$$

Surface area,  $A$ , of sphere of radius  $r$ .

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

Volume,  $V$ , of prism, cross-sectional area  $A$ , length  $l$ .

$$V = Al$$

Volume,  $V$ , of pyramid, base area  $A$ , height  $h$ .

$$V = \frac{1}{3}Ah$$

Volume,  $V$ , of cylinder of radius  $r$ , height  $h$ .

$$V = \pi r^2 h$$

Volume,  $V$ , of cone of radius  $r$ , height  $h$ .

$$V = \frac{1}{3}\pi r^2 h$$

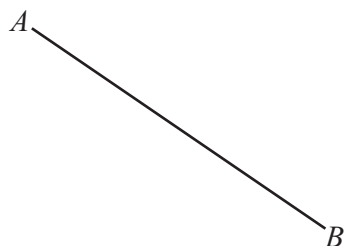
Volume,  $V$ , of sphere of radius  $r$ .

$$V = \frac{4}{3}\pi r^3$$





1



(a) Measure the length of line  $AB$  in centimetres.

..... cm [1]

(b) Draw a line that is perpendicular to the line  $AB$ .

[1]

2 Complete this shopping bill.

3.4 kg of flour at \$4.60 per kg = \$ .....

2.75 kg of sugar at \$ ..... per kg = \$ 9. 90

Total = \$ .....

[3]

3 Total cost of a journey = number of litres of fuel used  $\times$  cost of fuel per litre.

A journey uses 128 litres of fuel.

The cost of fuel is \$1.52 per litre.

Calculate the total cost of this journey.

\$ ..... [1]





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4

$$\frac{6}{15}$$

$$\frac{1}{10}$$

$$\frac{16}{80}$$

$$\frac{10}{25}$$

$$\frac{5}{2}$$

Draw a ring around the fractions which are **not** equivalent to  $\frac{2}{5}$ .

[2]

5 Find the value of

(a) (i)  $\sqrt{1.96}$

..... [1]

(ii)  $17^3$

..... [1]

(iii)  $-0.8 \times -1.2$  .

..... [1]

(b) Write these numbers in order, starting with the smallest.

$$\frac{11}{19}$$

58%

$$\frac{27}{47}$$

0.574

..... < ..... < ..... < ..... [2]  
smallest

6

17	4	25	18	14	6	3	18	12
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Find

(a) the mode

..... [1]

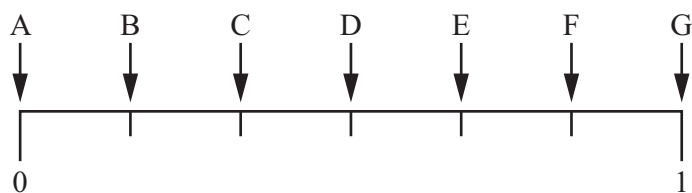
(b) the range.

..... [1]



- 7 A bag contains 6 red balls, 4 green balls and 2 blue balls.  
Zia takes a ball from the bag at random.

The diagram shows a probability scale.



Which arrow shows the probability that,

- (a) Zia takes a green ball

..... [1]

- (b) Zia takes a yellow ball

..... [1]

- (c) Zia does **not** take a blue ball.

..... [1]

- 8 Solve.

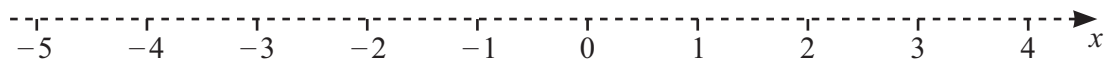
- (a)  $8x = 32$

$x =$  ..... [1]

- (b)  $6x - 3 = 12$

$x =$  ..... [2]

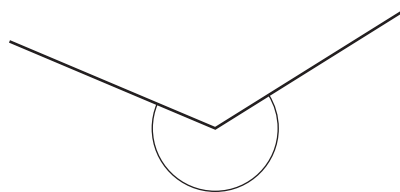
- (c) Represent the inequality  $-4 \leq x < 2$  on the number line.



[2]



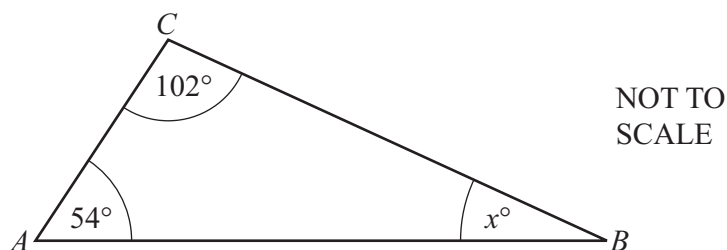
9 (a)



Write down the mathematical name for this type of angle.

..... [1]

(b)  $ABC$  is a triangle.

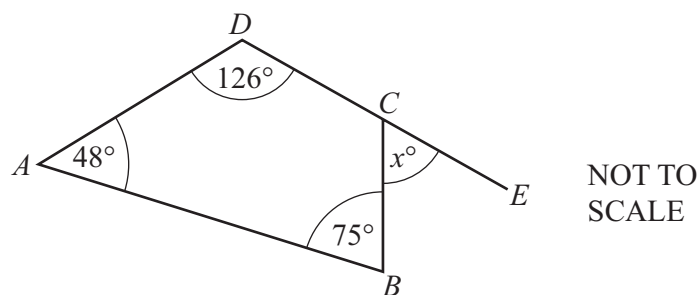


Lily says  $x$  is 34.

Give a geometrical reason why Lily is not correct.

..... [1]

(c)



$ABCD$  is a quadrilateral.  
 $DCE$  is a straight line.

Calculate the value of  $x$ .

$x =$  ..... [2]



- 10 Anna and Bruno share some money in the ratio Anna : Bruno = 3 : 7.  
Bruno receives \$36 more than Anna.

Calculate the total amount of money they share.

\$ ..... [2]

- 11 (a) Naz pays \$76.25 per day to hire a car.  
He hires this car for 7 days.  
He also pays \$146 for fuel.

Calculate the total amount Naz pays.

\$ ..... [2]

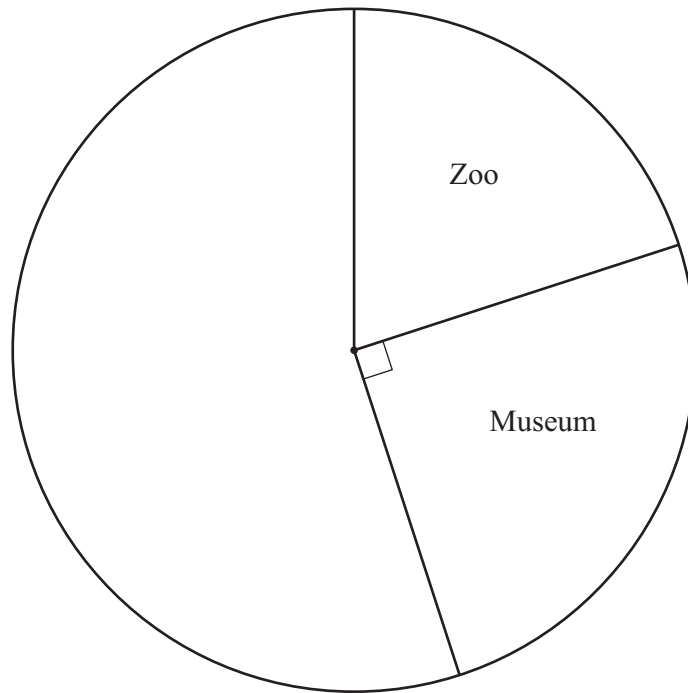
- (b) Li pays \$1400 to hire a car.  
\$364 of this is insurance.

Calculate the insurance as a percentage of the \$1400.

..... % [1]



- 12 300 students choose where to go on a trip.  
The students choose either a zoo, a museum, an art gallery or a sports stadium.



- (a) Show that 75 students choose the museum.

[1]

- (b) 45 students choose the art gallery and 120 students choose the sports stadium.

Complete the pie chart to show this information.

[2]

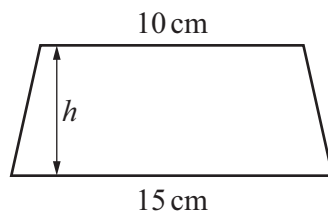




- 13 (a) The surface area of a solid cube is  $121.5 \text{ cm}^2$ .

Calculate the length of the side of the cube.

(b)



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The area of the trapezium is  $106.25 \text{ cm}^2$ .

- (i) Calculate the height of the trapezium.

..... cm [3]

- (ii) Convert  $106.25 \text{ cm}^2$  into  $\text{m}^2$ .

..... cm [2]

.....  $\text{m}^2$  [1]

- 14 A bag contains red, yellow, blue and green cards.  
The table shows the probability of taking a red card and a yellow card.  
The probability of taking a blue card or a green card is in the ratio blue : green = 5 : 2 .

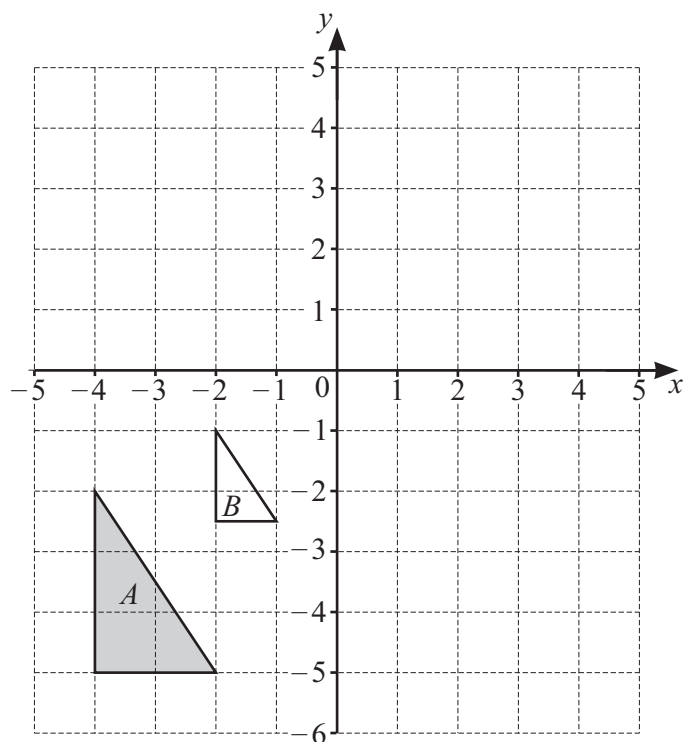
Complete the table.

Colour	red	yellow	blue	green
Probability	0.53	0.19		

[3]



15 Shapes  $A$  and  $B$  are shown on the grid.



(a) Describe fully the **single** transformation that maps shape  $A$  onto shape  $B$ .

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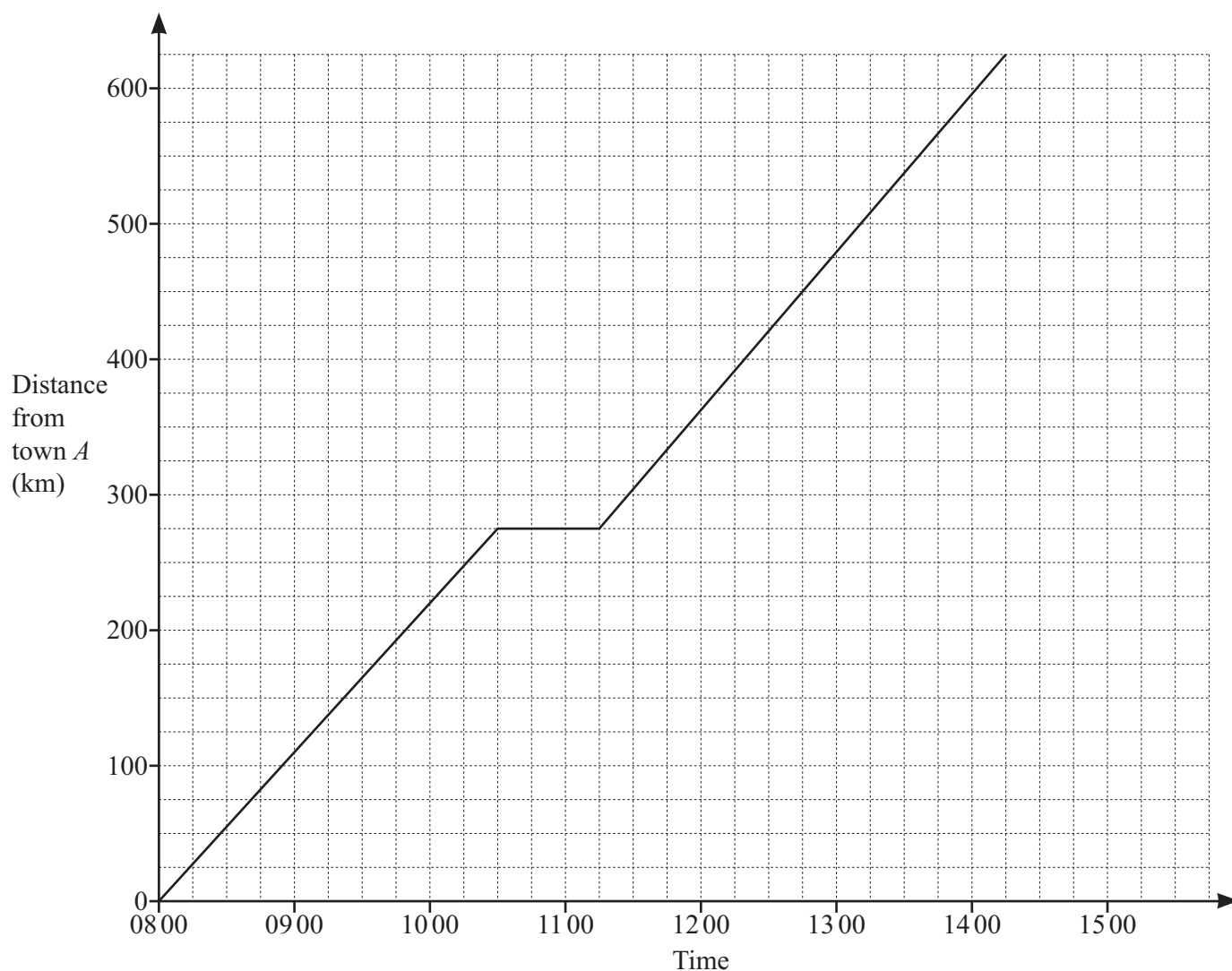
..... [3]

(b) On the grid, draw the image of shape  $A$  after a translation by the vector  $\begin{pmatrix} 6 \\ 7 \end{pmatrix}$ .

[2]



- 16 Bob travels from town *A* to town *B*.  
The travel graph shows his journey.



- (a) Between which two times did Bob stop for a rest?  
Explain how you know.

..... and ..... because .....

..... [2]

- (b) Calculate Bob's average speed, in km/h, for the whole journey.

..... km/h [3]



17 Factorise.

$$21x - 7xy$$

..... [2]

18 (a) The  $n$ th term of a sequence is  $n^2 - 4$ .

Find the first 3 terms of this sequence.

....., ....., ..... [2]

(b) These are the first four terms of a different sequence.

5      2      -1      -4

Find the  $n$ th term.

..... [2]

19 Jo invests \$500 at a rate of 2% per year compound interest.

Calculate the amount of interest earned at the end of 7 years.

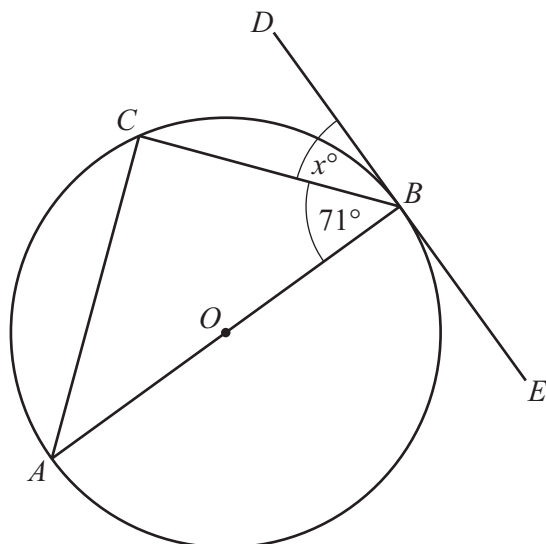
\$ ..... [3]



- 20 (a) Work out the size of one interior angle of a regular 8-sided polygon.

..... [2]

(b)



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$A$ ,  $B$  and  $C$  lie on the circumference of the circle, centre  $O$ .  
 $AB$  is a diameter.  
 $DBE$  is a tangent to the circle at  $B$ .

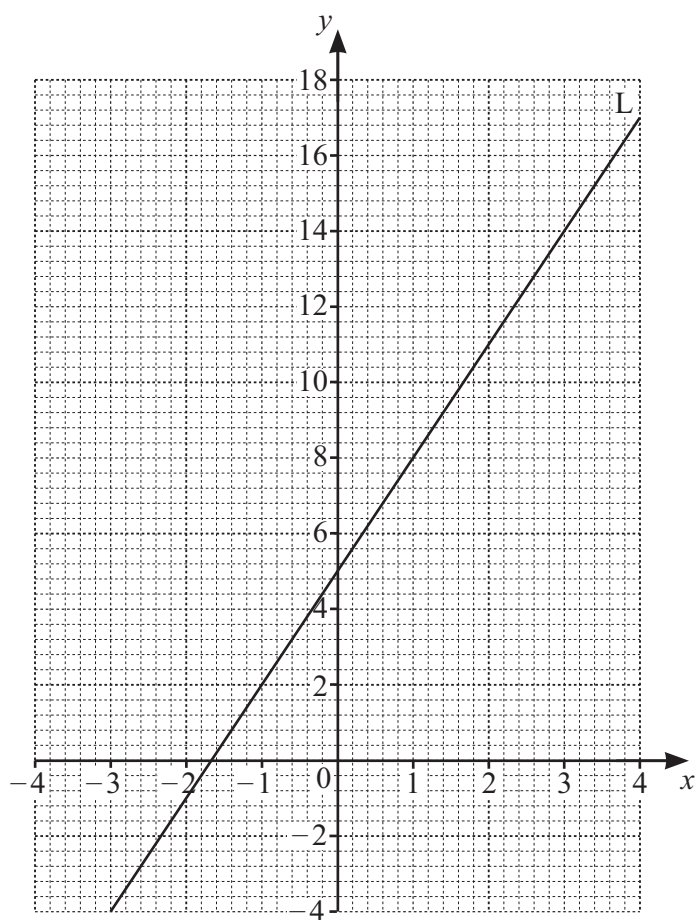
Find the value of  $x$ .  
 Give a geometrical reason for your answer.

..... because .....

..... [2]



21 The line  $L$  is shown on the grid.



Find the equation of the line  $L$ .

Give your answer in the form  $y = mx + c$ .

$y = \dots\dots\dots$  [3]



- 22 (a) A train to town  $P$  leaves a station every 20 minutes.  
A train to town  $Q$  leaves the same station every 35 minutes.  
Both trains leave at 09 30.

Find the next time both trains leave together.

..... [3]

- (b) The distance,  $d$  km, between town  $P$  and town  $Q$  is 97 km, correct to the nearest kilometre.

Complete the statement about the value of  $d$ .

.....  $\leq d <$  ..... [2]

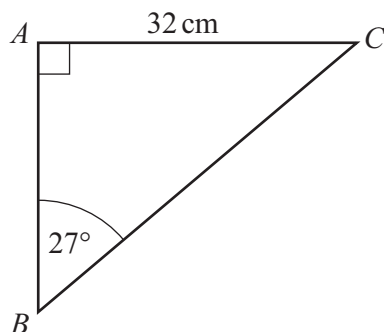
- 23 Calculate  $\frac{4.6 \times 10^3}{1.84 \times 10^5}$ .

Give your answer in standard form.

..... [2]

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$ABC$  is a right-angled triangle.

Calculate  $BC$ .

$BC = \dots\dots\dots$  cm [3]

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