



STEP-UP EXAMINATIONS BOARD
NATIONAL PRE-PLE SET TWO
2024

MATHEMATICS

Time allowed : 2 hours 30minutes

Random No.						Personal No.		

Pupil`s Name

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Read the following instructions carefully;

1. This paper has **two** sections: **A** and **B**.
Section **A** has **20** questions and Section **B** has **12** questions.
2. Answer **all** the questions. **All** the answers for both sections **A** and **B** must be shown in the spaces provided.
3. All working must be done using a **blue** or **black** ball-point pen or fountain pen. Any work done in pencil other than graphs, pictures and diagrams will **not** be marked.
4. Unnecessary changes of work may lead to **loss** of marks.
5. Any handwriting that cannot easily be read may lead to **loss of marks**.
6. Do **not** fill anything in the boxes indicated: **“FOR EXAMINERS’ USE ONLY”** and boxes inside the question paper.

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QN. NO.	MARK	EXR’S NO.
1 – 5		
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21 – 22		
23-24		
25 – 26		
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29-30		
31-32		
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SECTION A

1. Add $5 + 10$

2 (Marks)

2. Simplify $-8 - -10$

2 (Marks)

3. Write in short $4x + 5 - 2(x - 6)$

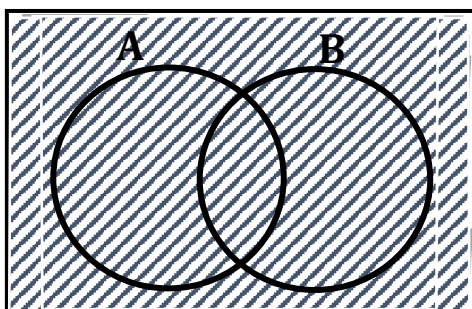
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4. Express **CDXLIV** in Hindu Arabic numerals.

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5. Describe the shaded part in the Venn diagram.

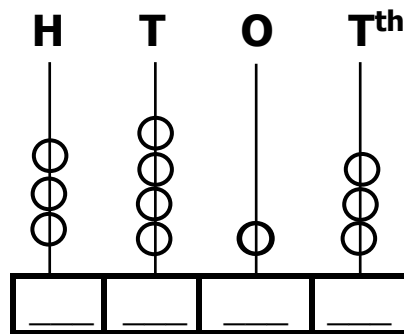
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6. Add **Hours** **Minutes** **2 (Marks)**

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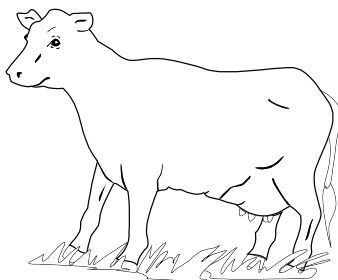
7. Write the number on the abacus below in words. **2 (Marks)**



8. 60° is one of the base angle of a triangle with one folding symmetry.
Find the value of **Y**. **2 (Marks)**

9. Write $(8 \times 10^{-2}) + (7 \times 10^0) + (8 \times 10^2)$ as a single numeral. **2 (Marks)**

10. How many folding symmetry has the shape below. **2 (Marks)**



11. Solve for m **2 (Marks)**

Cats	Cows	Hens	Goats
2m%	25%	4m%	15%

12. Workout $\frac{3}{5} + 1\frac{1}{2}$ **2 (Marks)**

13. Convert 72km/hr to m/s. **2 (Marks)**

14. Workout $45_{ten} \div 101_{two}$ **2 (Marks)**

15. Find the area of a square garden whose perimeter is 30cm. **2 (Marks)**

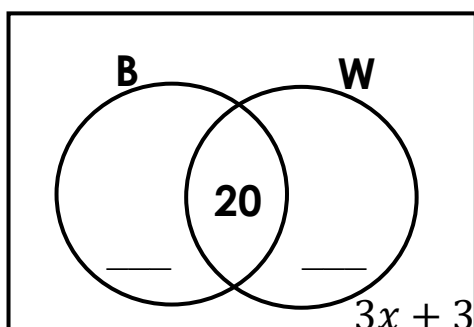
- 16.** The ratio of three Supplementary angle is 2:3:5. Find the value of X,Y and Z respectively. 2 (Marks)
- 17.** Given the sequence below, find the next diagram. 2 (Marks)
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- 18.** Solve $\frac{1}{2^{2x}} \times \frac{1}{25} = \frac{1}{10^2}$ 2 (Marks)
- 19.** Jackson's circular garden has an area of $38.5cm^2$. Find is radius. 2 (Marks)
- 20.** Chiplimo who is an athlete covered a distance of 3600 metres during a race within 5 minutes. If each step he made had an interval of 2 metres. How many foot marks did he make? 2 (Marks)

SECTION B

21. (a) Express $0.1777\ldots$ to a rational number in its simplified form.

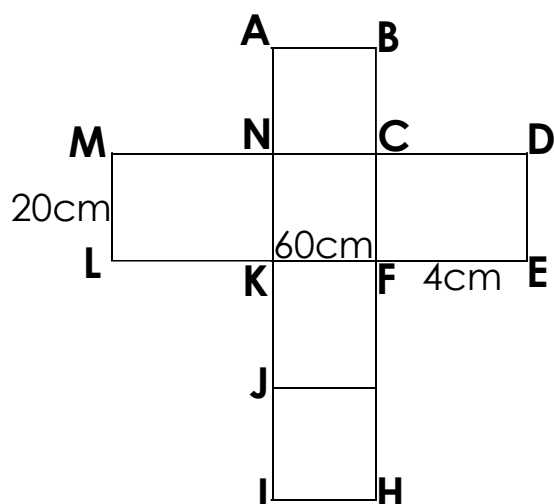
(b) Simplify $\frac{0.75 + (0.5)^2}{0.45 - 0.25}$

22. At a wedding party, 20 guests took both beer (B) and water (W). $2x + 10$ took water but not beer. 5 more guests took beer than those who took water but not beer. $3x + 3$ took neither of the drinks.
(a) Complete the Venn diagram below.



(b) If the guests who took $(B - W)$ are half those who took $(W - B)$ and $(BUW)'$. Find $n(BUW)'$

23. The figure is of a 3 dimensional shape, study it carefully and use it to answer the questions that follow.



(a) Find the capacity of fuel which can fill the container above.

(b) If one sells 2 litres of petrol at Shs 3000. How much money can he get by selling 20% of the petrol?

24. The two consecutive odd numbers are $5x - 2$ and $3x + 3$

(a) Find the value of x .

(b) Find the sum of the third odd number and the first odd number.

25. Jane spent Shs 59600 to buy the following items as shown below;

2kg of Rice at sh 3000 per kg.

$1\frac{1}{2}$ litres of Milk for Sh 3600 per quarter litre.

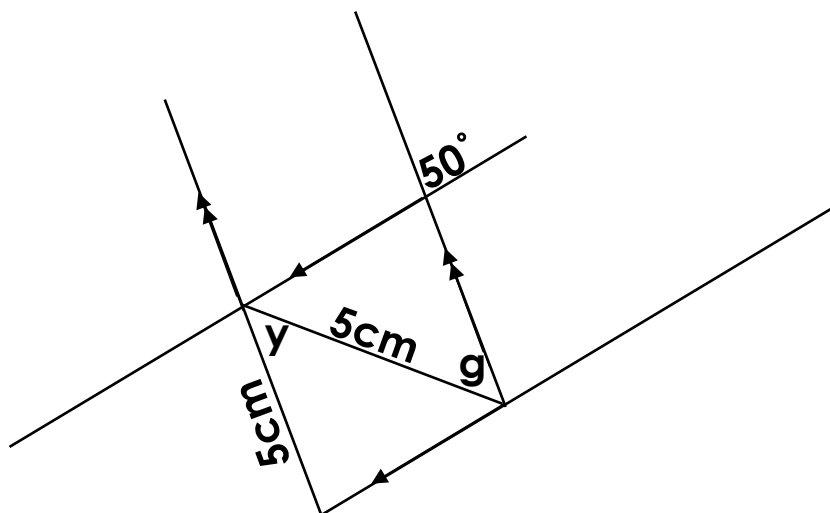
3 bars of soap for Sh **Y** per bar.

2 trays of eggs at Sh 20000.

(a) Find the value of **Y**.

(b) If he was given a discount of Sh 2000. How much was he supposed to pay?

26. Study the figure below and answer the following questions.



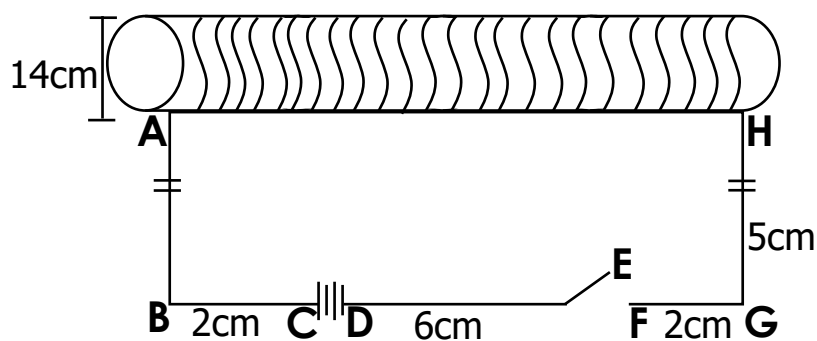
(a) Find the value of y .

(b) Calculate the value of g .

27. Rat A takes 6 minutes to dig a hole of 2 metres deep, Rat M takes 8 minutes to dig the same hole of 2 metres deep while Rat D takes only x minutes to fill the 2 metre hole with soil. If all the three Rats working together at the same time take 24 minutes to dig the same 2 metre hole deep. Find the value of x .

- 28.** Using a sharp pencil, a pair of compass and a ruler, construct a quadrilateral PQRS. Where $PQ = 8\text{cm}$, $\angle SPQ = \angle PQR = 60^\circ$ and $QR = PS = 8\text{cm}$. Drop a perpendicular from point S to meet PQ at point M.

- 29.** A P.7 candidate carried out an experiment of making a temporary magnet (electrical method). Study it carefully and answer the questions that follow.



- (a) If the candidate wound the wire in the solenoid 200 turns. Find the total length of the wire the candidate used in the experiment in metres.

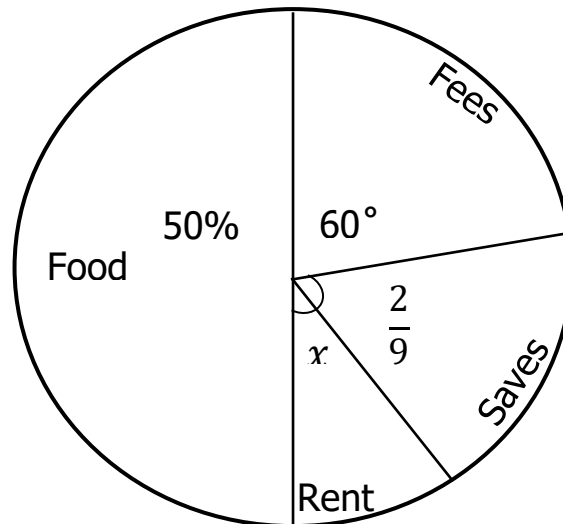
- (b) If each metre of the wire used costed the candidate Sh 1,000. How much did the candidate spend?

30. (a) Find the inverse of 9.

(b) (i) During a dancing practice, Martha was asked by the trainer to move forward 8 steps and 11 steps. With the aid of a number line. Find the new position for Martha after the movement.

(ii) write the Mathematical statement for Martha's movement.

- 31.** Below is a pie chart showing how Mr. English spent his monthly salary. Use it to answer the questions that follow.



(a) Find the value of x .

(b) If he spends sh 30000 more on fees than rent. How much is his monthly salary?

- 32.** Denis was asked to the instructions by his teacher as follows;

Instruction 1

(i) Multiply 3 by x , subtract 2 from the result and finally get $\frac{1}{2}$ of the result.

Instruction 2

(ii) Multiply 2 by x , add the results to 3 and finally get two thirds of the results.

If the two expressions formed are equal. Find the value of x .

(b) The cost of a book is Sh. 3000 more than the cost of a fountain pen and the cost of a school bag is more than the cost of a book by the cost of a fountain pen.

If the cost of a book is equal to the two fifth of the sum of the fountain pen and school bag. Find the cost of a school bag.

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