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Read the following instructions carefully:

1. Do not write your **school** or **district** name anywhere on this paper.
2. This paper has **two** sections: **A** and **B**. Section **A** has **20** questions and section **B** has **12** questions. The paper has **15 printed** pages.
3. Answer **all** the questions. **All** the working for both sections **A** and **B** must be shown in the spaces provided.
4. **All** the working **must** be done using a **blue** or **black** ball point pen or ink. Any work done in pencil other than graphs and diagrams will **not** be marked.
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SECTION A: 40 MARKS

Answer *all* the questions in this section.
Questions 1 to 20 carry two marks each.

1. Work out:

$$\begin{array}{r} 35 \\ \times 3 \\ \hline 105 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{aligned} 3 \times 5 &= 15 \\ 3 \times 3 &= 9 + 1 \\ &= 10 \end{aligned}$$

2. Write CXIV in Hindu Arabic numerals.

$$\begin{aligned} CXIV &= C \times IV \\ &\quad \downarrow \quad \downarrow \quad \downarrow \\ &\quad 100 + 10 + 4 \\ \therefore CXIV &= 100 + 10 + 4 \\ &= 114 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{OR} \\ C &= 100 \\ X &= 10 \\ IV &= 4 \\ \hline CXIV &= 114 \end{aligned}$$

3. Given that $M = \{b, a, t\}$, write down all the subsets of set M.

$$\{\}, \{b\}, \{a\}, \{t\}, \{b, a\}, \{b, t\}, \{a, t\}, \{b, a, t\}$$

4. Find a fraction equivalent to $\frac{4}{7}$.

$$\frac{4}{7} = \frac{4 \times 2}{7 \times 2}$$

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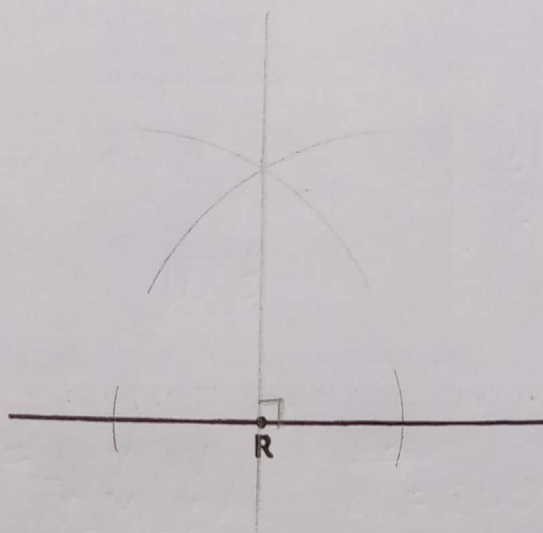
$$\frac{4}{7} = \frac{8}{14}$$

5. Expand 3405 using powers of ten.

| | | | |
|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| 10^3 | 10^2 | 10^1 | 10^0 |
| 3 | 4 | 0 | 5 |

$$(3 \times 10^3) + (4 \times 10^2) + (0 \times 10^1) + (5 \times 10^0)$$

6. Using a ruler and a pair of compasses only, construct a right angle at point R.



7. Given that $a = 3$, $b = 1$ and $n = 2$, find the value of $2a^n b$.

$$\begin{aligned} 2a^n b &= 2 \times a^n \times b \\ &= 2 \times 3^2 \times 1 \\ &= (2 \times 3) \times (3 \times 1) \\ &= 6 \times 3 \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore 2a^n b = 18$$

8. Find the next number in the sequence:

2, 3, 6, 11, 18, 27

$$\begin{array}{ccccccccc} 2 & 3 & 6 & 11 & 18 & 27 \\ \swarrow & \searrow & \swarrow & \searrow & \swarrow & \searrow \\ +1 & +3 & +5 & +7 & +9 & \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 9 + 18 \\ 27 \end{array}$$

9. It takes Ankunda 35 minutes to walk from school to home. If she arrived home at 12:20 p.m, what time did she leave school?

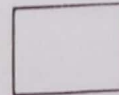
| | |
|------|------|
| H | Mins |
| 12 | 20 |
| - 00 | 35 |
| 11 | 45 |

$$\begin{array}{r} 80 - 35 \\ = 45 \end{array}$$

She left school at 11:45 a.m

10. Otunu sold a goat and made a profit of sh 18,000. The cost price of the goat was sh 90,000. Calculate Otunu's percentage profit.

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{percentage profit} &= \left(\frac{\text{Profit}}{\text{Cost price}} \times 100 \right) \% \\
 &= \left(\frac{\text{sh. } 18,000}{\text{sh. } 90,000} \times 100 \right) \% \\
 &= (2 \times 10) \% \\
 &= 20\%
 \end{aligned}$$



11. Find the largest number that divides both 24 and 18 without a remainder.

| | | | |
|---|----|----|-------------------------|
| 2 | 24 | 18 | $= 2 \times 3$ $= 6$ |
| 3 | 12 | 9 | |
| 4 | 3 | | |

12. Work out: $42 - 21 \div 3$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &42 - (21 \div 3) \\
 &= 42 - 7 \\
 &= 35
 \end{aligned}$$

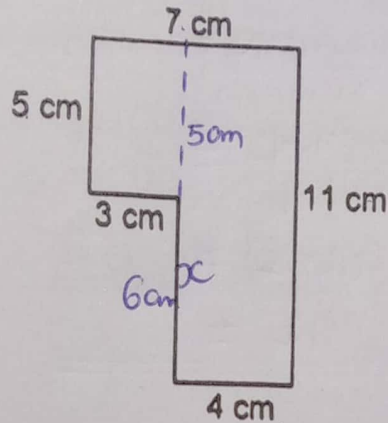
13. The range of a set of scores is 23. The highest score is 76. Find the lowest score.

$$\text{Lowest score} = \text{Highest score} - \text{Range}$$

$$\text{lowest score} = 76 - 23$$

$$\text{lowest score} = 53$$

14. Find the perimeter of the figure below.



$$x = 11\text{cm} - 5\text{cm}$$

$$x = 6\text{cm}$$

$$p = 4\text{cm} + 11\text{cm} + 7\text{cm} + 5\text{cm} + 3\text{cm} + 6\text{cm}$$

$$p = 15\text{cm} + 12\text{cm} + 9\text{cm}$$

$$p = 27\text{cm} + 9\text{cm}$$

$$p = 36\text{cm}$$

15. A school cook requires 24 kg of maize flour to feed 120 pupils. Find in grammes, the amount of maize flour the cook would require to feed 3 pupils.

$$1\text{Kg} = 1000\text{g}$$

$$24\text{Kg} = 24 \times 1000\text{g}$$

$$24000\text{g}$$

24000g feed 120 pupils.
Amount of flour required

120 pupils require 24000grammes

1 pupil requires $\frac{24000\text{grammes}}{120}$

3 pupils require $(\frac{24000}{120} \times 3)$ grammes

$$= (200 \times 3)\text{grammes}$$

$$= 600\text{grammes}$$

16. Akiiki bought a suit at Kenya shillings (Ksh) 11,500. If the exchange rate was 1 Ksh = Ug.sh 32, how much money would Akiiki have paid for the suit in Uganda shillings (Ug.sh)?

$$1 \text{ Ksh} = \text{Ug.sh } 32$$

$$11,500 \text{ Ksh} = \text{Ug.sh } 32 \times 11,500$$

$$= \text{Ug.sh } 368,000$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 115 \\ \times 32 \\ \hline 230 \\ + 345 \\ \hline 3680 \end{array}$$

17. Solve: $3 - 2y < 9$

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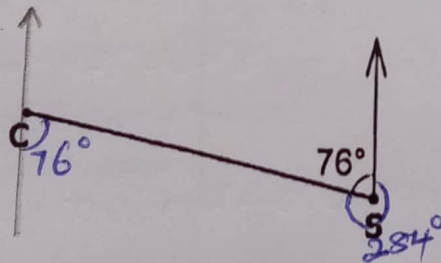
$$3 - 3 - 2y < 9 - 3$$

$$-2y < 6$$

$$\frac{-2y}{-2} > \frac{6}{-2}$$

$$y > -3$$

18. The diagram below shows the position of a church (C) from a school (S).



Find the bearing of the church from the school.

$$360^\circ - 76^\circ$$

$$= 360^\circ$$

$$- 76^\circ$$

$$= 284^\circ$$

The church is on the bearing of 284° from the school

19. If today is Monday and a cake baked today can expire after 16 days, what day of the week will the cake expire?

| S | M | T | W | TH | FR | S |
|---|---|---|---|----|----|---|
| 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |

$$\text{Day} + 16 = \text{---} \pmod{7}$$

$$1 + 16 = \text{---} \pmod{7}$$

$$17 \div 7 = 2 \text{ rem } 3 \pmod{7}$$

$$= 3 \pmod{7}$$

The cake will expire on Wednesday

20. One morning, the temperature on top of a mountain was -3°C . The temperature rose by 8°C in the afternoon. Find the afternoon temperature.

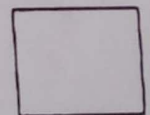
Afternoon temperature

$$-3^{\circ}\text{C} + 8^{\circ}\text{C}$$

$$+5^{\circ}\text{C}$$

$$5^{\circ}\text{C}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} \text{+ve: } \boxed{+} \boxed{+} \boxed{+} \boxed{+} \boxed{+} \boxed{+} \boxed{+} \\ \text{-ve: } \boxed{-} \boxed{-} \boxed{-} \quad +5 \end{array}$$



SECTION B: 60 MARKS

Answer all the questions in this section.
Marks for each question are indicated in the brackets.

21. Work out:

$$\frac{2.92 - 2.36}{0.068 + 0.012}$$

(04 marks)

$$(2.92 - 2.36) \div (0.068 + 0.012)$$

$$\left(\frac{292}{100} - \frac{236}{100}\right) \div \left(\frac{68}{1000} + \frac{12}{1000}\right)$$

$$\left(\frac{292 - 236}{100}\right) \div \frac{80}{1000}$$

$$\frac{56}{100} \div \frac{80}{1000}$$

$$\frac{56}{100} \times \frac{1000}{80}$$

$$= \frac{7 \times 1}{1 \times 1}$$

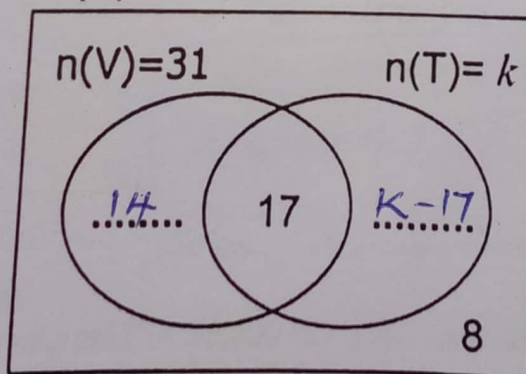
$$= 7$$

22. In a class, 31 pupils like volleyball (V) and k pupils like table tennis (T). 17 pupils like both games while 8 pupils do not like any of the two games. The number of pupils who like table tennis only is twice the number of those who do not like any of the two games.

(a) Use the given information to complete the Venn diagram below.

(04 marks)

$$n(E) = 55$$



$$\begin{array}{l} n(V) \text{ only} \\ 31 - 17 = 14 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{l} n(T) \text{ only} \\ k - 17 \end{array}$$

value of k

$$k - 17 = 8 \times 2$$

$$k - 17 = 16$$

$$k - 17 + 17 = 16 + 17$$

$$k = 33$$

$$n(E)$$

$$k - 17 + 17 + 14 + 8 =$$

$$33 - 17 + 17 + 14 + 8$$

$$= 33 + 22$$

$$= 55$$

$$n(E) = 55$$

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(b) Find;

(i) the value of k .

(01 mark)

$$K - 17 = 2 \times 8$$

$$K = 16 + 17$$

$$K = 33$$

(ii) the probability that a pupil picked at random from the class likes both volleyball and table tennis.

(01 mark)

$$\text{probability} = \frac{n(E)}{n(S)}$$

$$\text{probability} = \frac{17}{55}$$

23. A taxi and a bus were hired to transport people for a function. The taxi transports 14 people when full while the bus transports 69 people when full. The taxi made five trips and the bus made one trip. The taxi and the bus made the trips when full.

(a) Find the total number of people that were transported to the function.

(03 marks)

Taxi

$$= (5 \times 14) \text{ passengers}$$

$$= 70 \text{ passengers}$$

Bus

$$(1 \times 69) \text{ passengers}$$

$$= 69 \text{ passengers}$$

Total number of people

$$= 69 + 70$$

$$= 139 \text{ people}$$

(b) The taxi owner was paid sh 56,000 per trip. Calculate the amount of money that was paid for each person.

(02 marks)

$$1 \text{ trip costs sh. } 56000$$

$$5 \text{ trips cost sh. } 56000 \times 5$$

$$= \text{sh. } 280000$$

Amount paid by each person

$$= \frac{\text{sh. } 280000}{70}$$

$$= \text{sh. } 4000$$

OR

Amount paid per person

$$= \frac{\text{sh. } 56000}{14}$$

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$$= \frac{\text{sh. } 74000}{14}$$

$$= \text{sh. } 4000$$

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24. Given that $202_p = 1221_{\text{three}}$, find the value of p .

(04 marks)

$$\begin{aligned} 202_p &= 1221_{\text{three}} \\ (2 \times p^2) + (0 \times p^1) + (2 \times p^0) &= (1 \times 3^3) + (2 \times 3^2) + (2 \times 3^1) + (1 \times 3^0) \\ 2p^2 + 0 \times p + 2 \times 1 &= (1 \times 3 \times 3 \times 3) + (2 \times 3 \times 3) + (2 \times 3) + (1 \times 1) \\ 2p^2 + 0 + 2 &= 27 + 18 + 6 + 1 \\ 2p^2 + 2 &= 52 \\ 2p^2 + 2 - 2 &= 52 - 2 \\ 2p^2 &= 50 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{2p^2}{2} &= \frac{50}{2} \\ p^2 &= 25 \\ p &= \sqrt{25} \\ p &= 5 \\ \therefore p \text{ is base five} \end{aligned}$$

25. The table below shows the amount of money Rukia paid for food stuff to a businesswoman after she was given a discount of sh 2,200.

(a) Study and complete the table.

(03 marks)

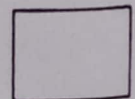
| Item | Quantity | Cost per kg | Amount |
|----------------|----------|-------------|-----------|
| Rice | 4 kg | sh 3,800 | sh 15,200 |
| Beans | 6 kg | sh 5,000 | sh 30,000 |
| Irish Potatoes | 0.5 kg | sh 3,200 | sh 1,600 |
| Total | | | sh 46,800 |

| | | | |
|-----------------------------------|-------------------------------------|--|----------|
| Rice sh. 3800 x 4 sh. 15200 | Beans sh. 30000 sh. 5000 6 | Irish potatoes sh. 1600 ÷ 5 sh. 1600 x 10 16000 | sh. 3200 |
|-----------------------------------|-------------------------------------|--|----------|

(b) Find how much money Rukia would have paid without the discount.

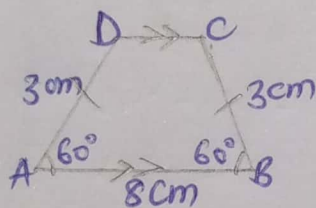
(02 marks)

$$\begin{aligned} &\text{sh. } 46800 \\ &+ \text{sh. } 2200 \\ &\hline &\text{sh. } 49000 \end{aligned}$$

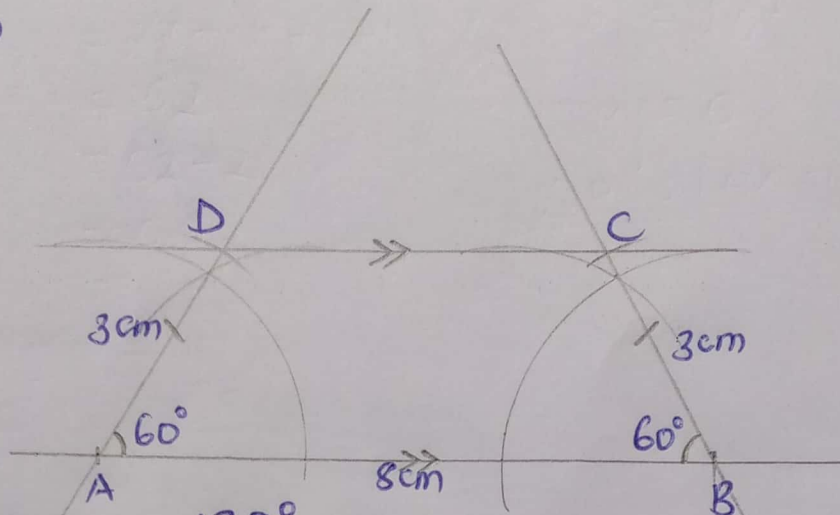


26. (a) Using a ruler and a pair of compasses only, construct a trapezium ABCD in which line AB = 8 cm, angle DAB = angle ABC = 60° and line AD = BC = 3 cm. (04 marks)

Sketch

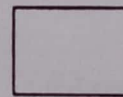


Accurate diagram



(b) Measure angle ADC. 120°

(01 mark)



27. A motorcycle tyre made 40 complete turns to cover a distance of 5280 cm. Calculate the radius of the tyre. (Use $\pi = \frac{22}{7}$) (04 marks)

Circumference of tyre

$$C = \frac{D}{R}$$

$$C = \frac{5280 \text{ cm}}{40}$$

$$C = 132 \text{ cm}$$

$$\pi D = C$$

$$\frac{22}{7} \times D = 132 \text{ cm}$$

$$\frac{22D}{7} \times 7 = 132 \text{ cm} \times 7$$

$$22D = 132 \text{ cm} \times 7$$

$$\frac{22D}{22} = \frac{132 \text{ cm} \times 7}{22}$$

$$D = 42 \text{ cm}$$

Radius

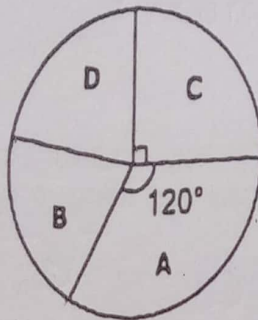
$$R = \frac{\text{Diameter}}{2}$$

$$R = \frac{42 \text{ cm}}{2}$$

$$R = 21 \text{ cm}$$

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28. The pie chart below represents the population of four towns A, B, C and D. The population of town A is 3000 people and that of town B is 1800 people. Study the pie chart and use it to answer the questions that follow.



Calculate the population of;

(a) town C.

Population of all towns:

$$3000 \div 120^\circ$$

$$(3000 \div \frac{120}{360}) \text{ people}$$

$$(3000 \times \frac{360}{120}) \text{ people}$$

9,000 people

Population of town C

$$\frac{1}{3} \times 9000$$

$$= 2,250 \text{ people}$$

(04 marks)

(b) town D.

$$\text{Town D} = (9000 - (3000 + 2250 + 1800)) \text{ people}$$

$$= (9000 - 7050) \text{ people}$$

$$= 1,950 \text{ people}$$

(02 marks)

29. (a) Solve: $\frac{5t-6}{2} = t+12$

$$\frac{5t-6}{2} = t+12$$

$$\frac{1}{2} \times \frac{5t-6}{2} = 2(t+12)$$

$$5t-6 = 2t+24$$

$$5t-6+6 = 2t+24+6$$

$$5t = 2t+30$$

$$5t-2t = 2t-2t+30$$

$$3t = 30$$

$$\frac{1}{3} \times 3t = \frac{1}{3} \times 30$$

$$t = 10$$

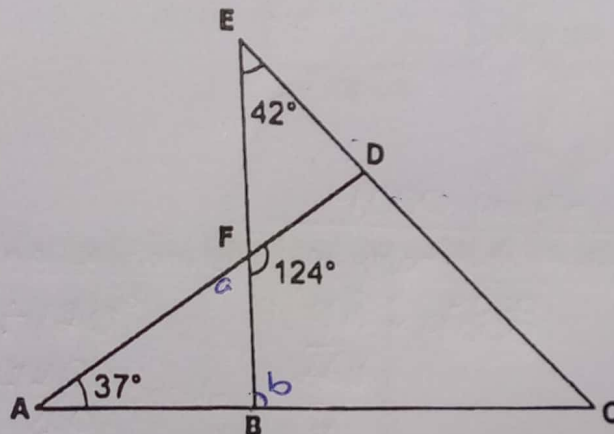
(02 marks)

(b) Subtract $(2m - 3)$ from $(5m + 2)$.

(02 marks)

$$\begin{aligned} (5m+2) - (2m-3) \\ 5m+2-2m+3 \\ 5m-2m+2+3 \\ \underline{3m+5} \end{aligned}$$

30. In the diagram below, angle $DAC = 37^\circ$, angle $BEC = 42^\circ$ and angle $BFD = 124^\circ$. Study the diagram and answer the questions that follow.



Find the size of;

(a) angle EBC.

(03 marks)

$$\begin{aligned} a + 124^\circ &= 180^\circ \\ a + 124^\circ - 124^\circ &= 180^\circ - 124^\circ \\ \underline{a} &= 56^\circ \end{aligned}$$

$$b = 37^\circ + a$$

$$b = 37^\circ + 56^\circ$$

$$b = 93^\circ$$

$$\therefore \angle EBC = 93^\circ$$

(b) angle DCA.

(02 marks)

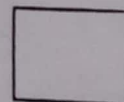
$$\angle DCA + b + 42^\circ = 180^\circ$$

$$\angle DCA + 93^\circ + 42^\circ = 180^\circ$$

$$\angle DCA + 135^\circ = 180^\circ$$

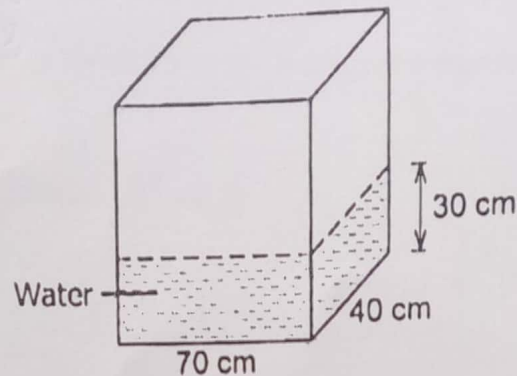
$$\angle DCA + 135^\circ - 135^\circ = 180^\circ - 135^\circ$$

$$\underline{\underline{\angle DCA = 45^\circ}}$$



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31. The diagram below shows a tank with a rectangular base containing some water. Study and use it to answer the questions that follow.



- (a) Calculate the volume of the water in the tank.

(02 marks)

$$\begin{aligned}
 V &= B \times H \\
 V &= L \times W \times H \\
 V &= 70 \text{ cm} \times 40 \text{ cm} \times 30 \text{ cm} \\
 V &= 2800 \text{ cm}^2 \times 30 \text{ cm} \\
 V &= 84000 \text{ cm}^3
 \end{aligned}$$

- (b) If 28 litres of the water was removed for washing clothes, calculate the height of the water that remained in the tank.

(04 marks)

Volume removed

$$\begin{aligned}
 1 \text{ litre} &= 1000 \text{ cm}^3 \\
 28 \text{ litres} &= 28 \times 1000 \text{ cm}^3 \\
 &= 28000 \text{ cm}^3
 \end{aligned}$$

Volume remained

$$\begin{array}{r}
 84000 \text{ cm}^3 \\
 - 28000 \text{ cm}^3 \\
 \hline
 56000 \text{ cm}^3
 \end{array}$$

Height of water remained

$$L \times W \times H = V$$

$$70 \text{ cm} \times 40 \text{ cm} \times H = 56000 \text{ cm}^3$$

$$2800 \text{ cm}^2 H = 56000 \text{ cm}^3$$

$$\begin{array}{r}
 2800 \text{ cm}^2 H = 56000 \text{ cm}^3 \\
 \hline
 \frac{2800 \text{ cm}^2}{2800 \text{ cm}^2} = \frac{56000 \text{ cm}^3}{2800 \text{ cm}^2}
 \end{array}$$

$$H = 20 \text{ cm}$$

$$H = 20 \text{ cm}$$

32. A motorcyclist left home for town at 8:00 a.m. riding at a speed of 40 km/h. After 30 minutes, he got a flat tyre which took him 45 minutes to repair. The distance between the home of the motorcyclist and town is 68 km.

- (a) Find the distance the motorcyclist had covered before he got the flat tyre.

$$D = S \times T$$

$$D = 40 \text{ km/h} \times \left(\frac{30}{60}\right) \text{ h}$$

$$D = \frac{40 \text{ km}}{1 \text{ h}} \times \frac{1 \text{ h}}{2}$$

$$D = 20 \text{ km}$$

(02 marks)

- (b) Calculate the speed at which the motorcyclist had to ride in order to reach town at 10:00 a.m.

(04 marks)

Remaining distance

$$68 \text{ km} - 20 \text{ km}$$

$$48 \text{ km}$$

Total Time Taken

$$\begin{array}{r} \text{H} \quad \text{M} \\ 10:00 \\ - 8:00 \\ \hline 2:00 \end{array}$$

$$2:00$$

$$2 \text{ hours}$$

Remaining time

$$2 \text{ h} - (30 \text{ mins} + 45 \text{ mins})$$

$$2 \text{ h} - \left(\frac{30}{60}\right) \text{ h} + \left(\frac{45}{60}\right) \text{ h}$$

$$2 \text{ h} - \left(\frac{1}{2} \text{ h} + \frac{3}{4} \text{ h}\right)$$

$$2 \text{ h} - \left(\frac{1}{2} \times \frac{2}{1} + \frac{3}{4} \times \frac{4}{1}\right) \text{ h}$$

$$2 \text{ h} - \left(\frac{2+3}{1}\right) \text{ h}$$

$$\frac{2 \text{ h}}{1} - \frac{5 \text{ h}}{4}$$

$$\frac{2 \text{ h}}{1} \times \frac{4}{4} - \frac{5 \text{ h}}{4} \times \frac{1}{1}$$

$$\left(\frac{8}{4} - \frac{5}{4}\right) \text{ h}$$

$$\frac{3 \text{ h}}{4}$$

$$\text{Speed} = \frac{\text{Distance}}{\text{Time}}$$

$$S = 48 \text{ km} \div \frac{3 \text{ h}}{4}$$

$$S = 16 \text{ km} \times \frac{4}{3} \text{ h}$$

$$S = 16 \text{ km} \times \frac{4}{1} \text{ h}$$

$$15 \quad S = 64 \text{ km/h} \quad \text{END}$$