

TIME ALLOWED: 1 hour

ANSWER ALL THE QUESTIONS

TOTAL MARKS = 40

Materials provided – answer booklet

INSTRUCTIONS: Write **only** in the answer booklet.

You **must** show your method.

### Formulae

#### Algebra

Quadratic Equation:

The roots of the equation  $ax^2 + bx + c = 0$  where  $a \neq 0$  are given by

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

#### Trigonometry

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

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

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

### Questions

1 (You must show your method.)

(a) Simplify  $\sqrt{12}$  [1 mark]

(b) Rationalise and simplify  $\frac{1}{3-\sqrt{7}}$  [2 marks]

2 Simplify (a)  $x^3 \times x^7$  [1 mark]

(b)  $(3t^3)^4$  [1 mark]

Exam continues...

- 3 Fully factorise
- (a)  $3x^2 - 2x - 8$  [2 marks]
- (b)  $3x^2 - 75$  [2 marks]
- 4 Make  $d$  the subject of
- $$B = \frac{4\sqrt{d}}{RT}$$
- [2 marks]
- 5 Solve the equation
- $$\frac{4}{3} = \frac{16}{x+5}$$
- [2 marks]
- 6 Use the quadratic formula to find the roots of
- $$6x^2 + 3x - 7 = 0$$
- [3 marks]
- giving your correct to 3 significant figures.
- 7 Use Pascal's triangle to find the expansion of  $(2 - 3x)^4$
- [2 marks]
- Simplify your answer.
- 8 Solve the simultaneous equations
- $$\begin{aligned} 2x + 7y &= 11 \\ 5x + 3y &= 13 \end{aligned}$$
- [3 marks]
- 9 (a) Convert  $90^\circ$  to radians giving your answer as a multiple of  $\pi$ . [1 marks]
- (b) Convert 1.8 radians into degrees. [1 marks]
- 10 Find the two angles in the range  $0^\circ$  to  $360^\circ$  whose tangent is  $-1$  [1 marks]

**Exam continues...**

- 11 In triangle  $ABC$ ,  $AB = 16\text{cm}$ ,  $AC = 18\text{cm}$  and angle  $A = 35^\circ$ . Give your answers correct to 3 significant figures.

[3 marks]

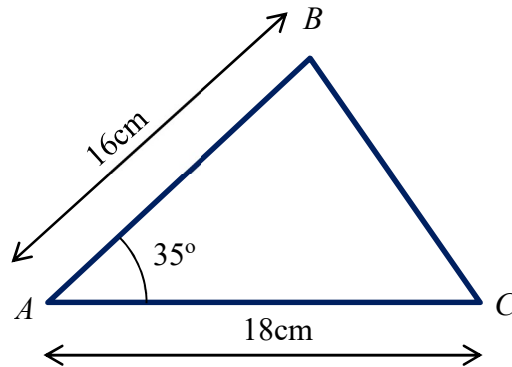
(a) Find the length of  $BC$ .

[2 marks]

(b) Find the area of the triangle.

[2 marks]

(c) Find the perpendicular height of  $B$ .



- 12 Differentiate the following with respect to  $x$

(a)  $y = \frac{3}{x^4}$

[2 marks]

(b)  $y = 6\sqrt[3]{x}$

[2 marks]

- 13 Determine the co-ordinates of the point on the graph

[5 marks]

$$y = 3x^2 + 8x - 1$$

where the gradient is -4

**End of Examination**