

SYDNEY TECHNICAL HIGH SCHOOL

(Established 1911)



YEAR 8 YEARLY EXAMINATION 2014

Mathematics

General Instructions

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Total marks - 80

- Attempt Questions 1 – 5
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Section 2 : Algebra and Number Plane (16 marks - 1 mark each

unless otherwise indicated)

1. Simplify $3x - 7 + 2x + 3$	2. Expand and simplify $(3x - 2)(x + 4)$
3. Evaluate $10 - 2x^2$ when $x = -1$	4. Simplify $\frac{m^2}{2} \div \frac{m}{4}$
5. factorise $8x^2 - 4x$	6. Simplify $\frac{7a}{4} - \frac{a}{2}$
7. Expand and simplify $(x + 5)^2$	8. Expand and simplify (2 marks) $3(2x - 1) - (x - 3)(x + 3)$

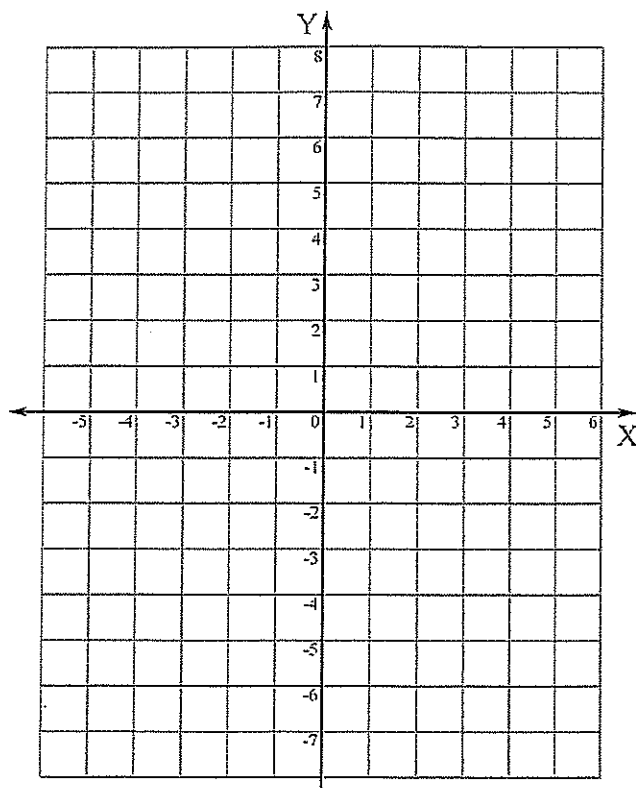
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a) Find the distance AB. _____

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c) If triangle ABC is isosceles, give the possible coordinates of C.

10. a) On the number plane below, graph the lines i) $y = 6 - 2x$



ii) $x = 1$

b) Find the area bounded by the lines $y = 6 - 2x$, $x = 1$ and the x axis. (2 marks)

Section 3 : Graphs, Statistics, Geometry and Measurement (16 marks)

1. The results of a class test are shown on the following stem and leaf plot.

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For the above scores calculate

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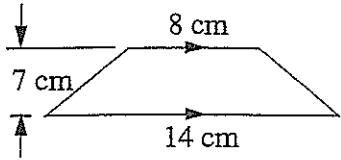
b) The mean. _____ (2 m)

2. Complete the frequency distribution table for the following scores. (2 m)

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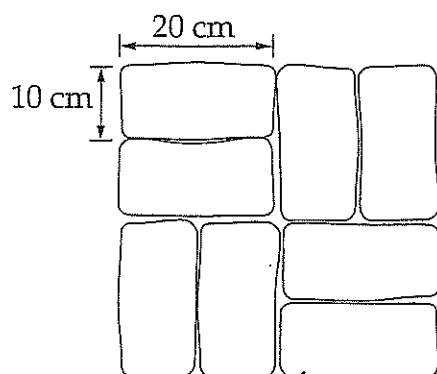
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4. Alice is going to use this pattern to pave her courtyard.

(1 m)

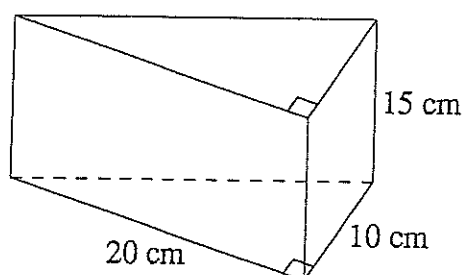


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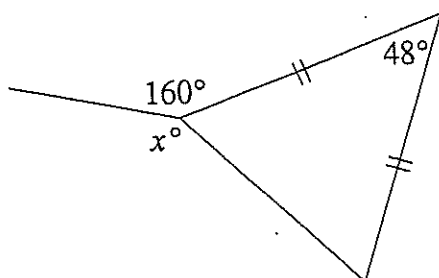
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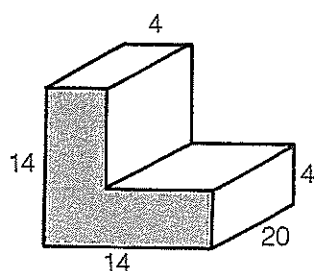


6. Find the value of x . (no reasons needed)

(1 m)

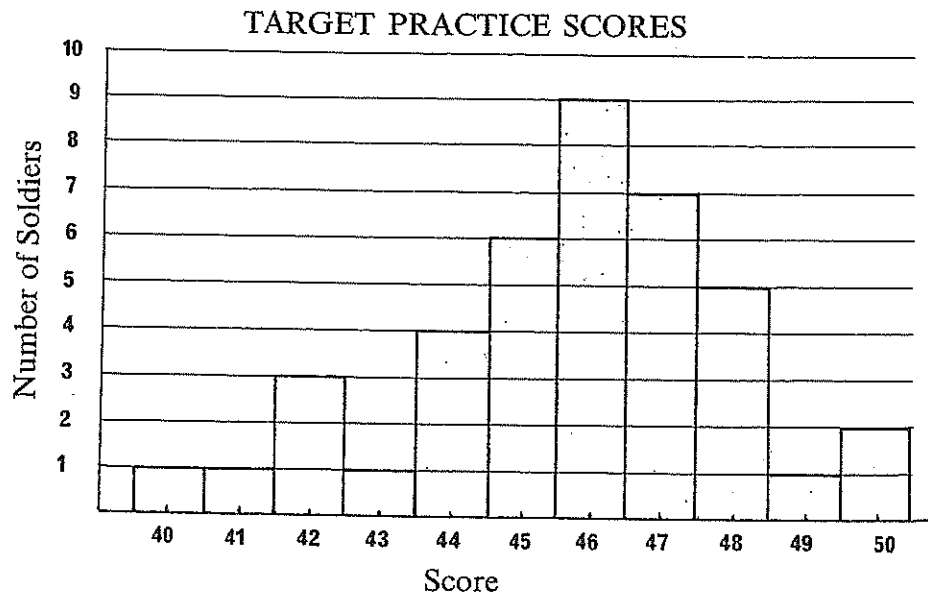


7. Calculate the volume of the following shape which consists of 2 rectangular prisms. (1 m)



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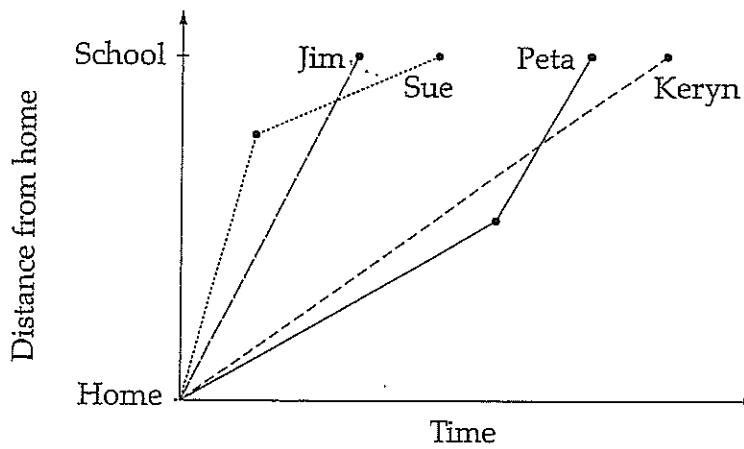
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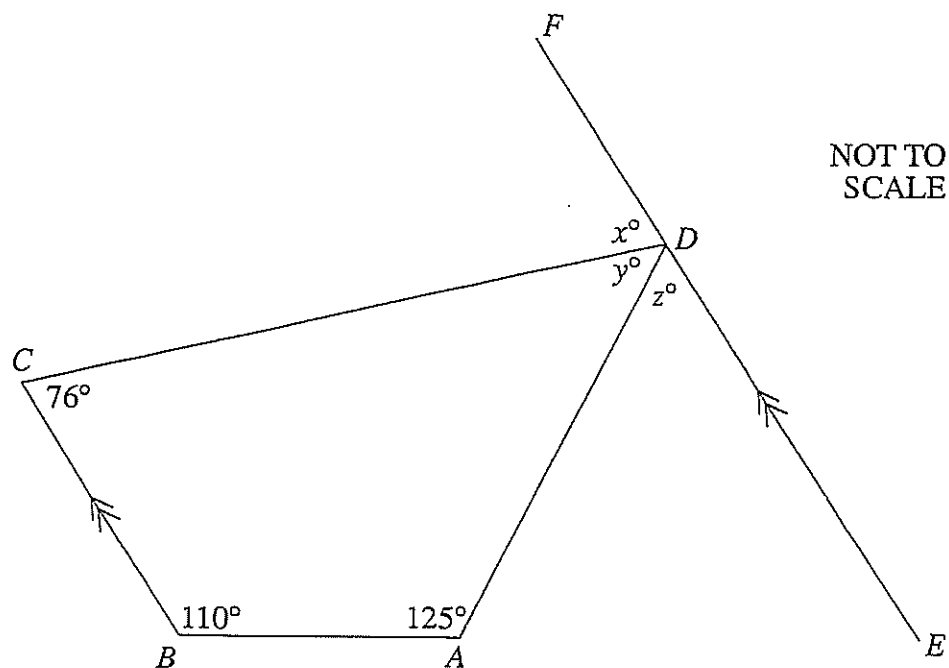
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10.



Find the value of each pronumeral, giving reasons.

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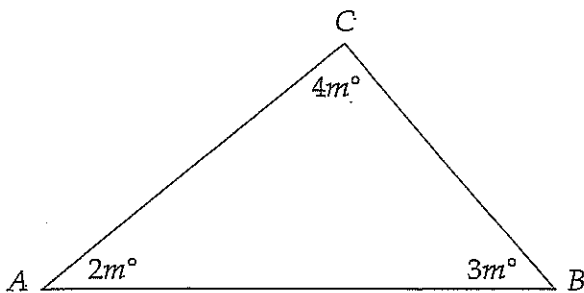
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5. Solve $4(2y + 1) = 3(y + 8)$ (2 marks)	6. Solve $3(m - 2) - 2(m + 1) = 5$ (2 marks)

7. If $3a - 4b = 6$ and $b = 3$ (1 mark)
find the value of a .

8. Hua is x years old. Tanya is 6 years older than Hua. Rosa is 3 years older than Tanya. The total of the ages of Hua, Tanya and Rosa is 45 years. Which equation represents this information? (Circle the correct letter) (1 mark)

- (A) $x+9=45$
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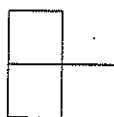
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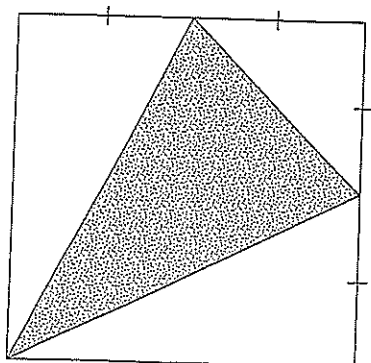


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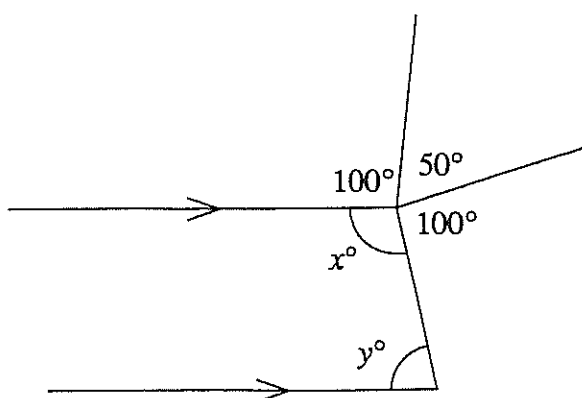
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(1 mark)

What new score must be added to these to increase the mean to 25?

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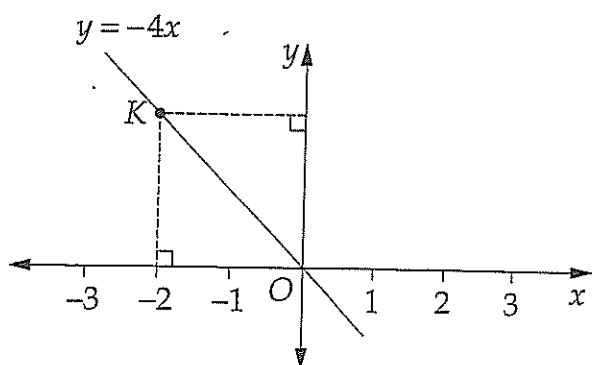
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Find the value of x and y , giving reasons.

7.

(1 mark)

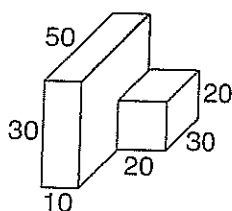
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8. Solve $\frac{x}{4} + 5x = 42$

(2 marks)

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<p>3. Simplify 10 : 25</p> $2:5$	<p>8. Simplify 40 seconds : 4 minutes.</p> $1:6$
<p>4. Find 12% of 800.</p> 96	<p>9. Increase \$360 by 5%.</p> $\$378$
<p>5. A map has a scale of 1 : 1500. How many metres does a distance of 15 mm on the map represents ?</p> 22.5 m	<p>10. Simplify $2\frac{1}{2} : 1\frac{1}{3}$</p> $15:8$

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142800 tonnes

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400 tonnes

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5:1

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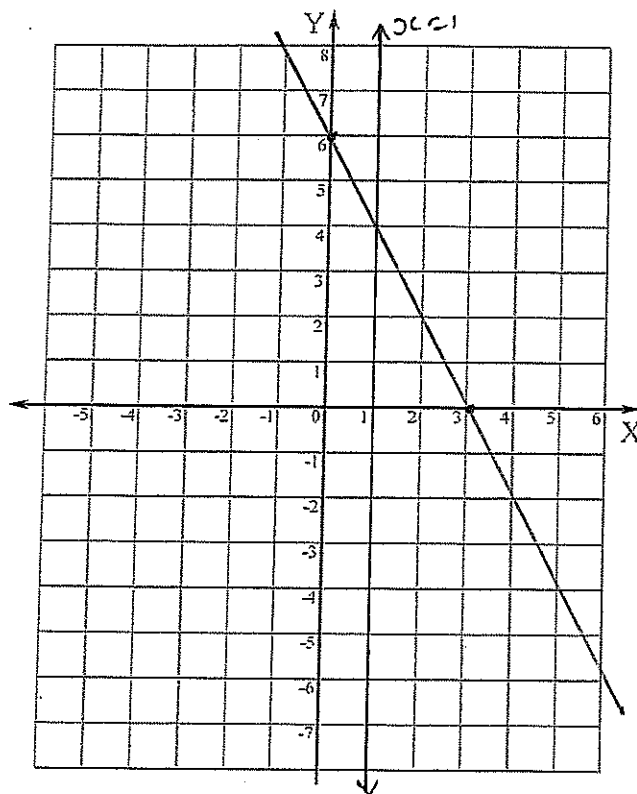
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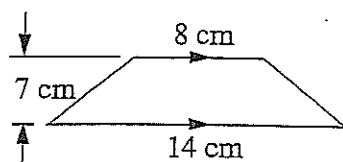
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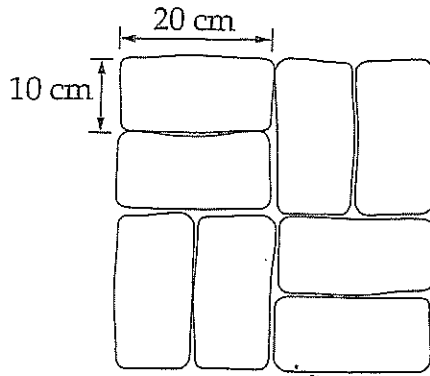
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77 cm²

4. Alice is going to use this pattern to pave her courtyard.

(1 m)



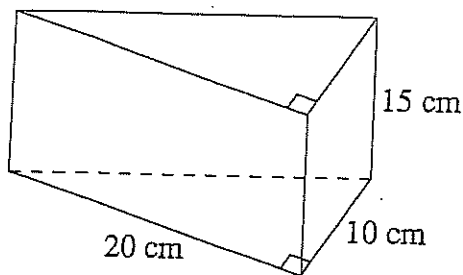
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600

5. Calculate the volume of the following triangular prism.

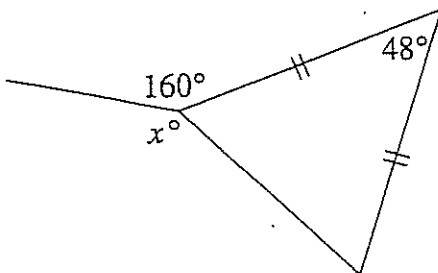
(1 m)



1500 cm^3

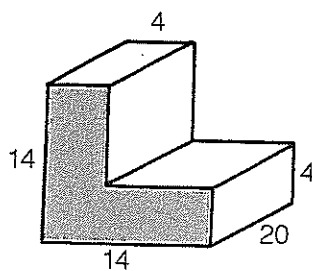
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(1 m)



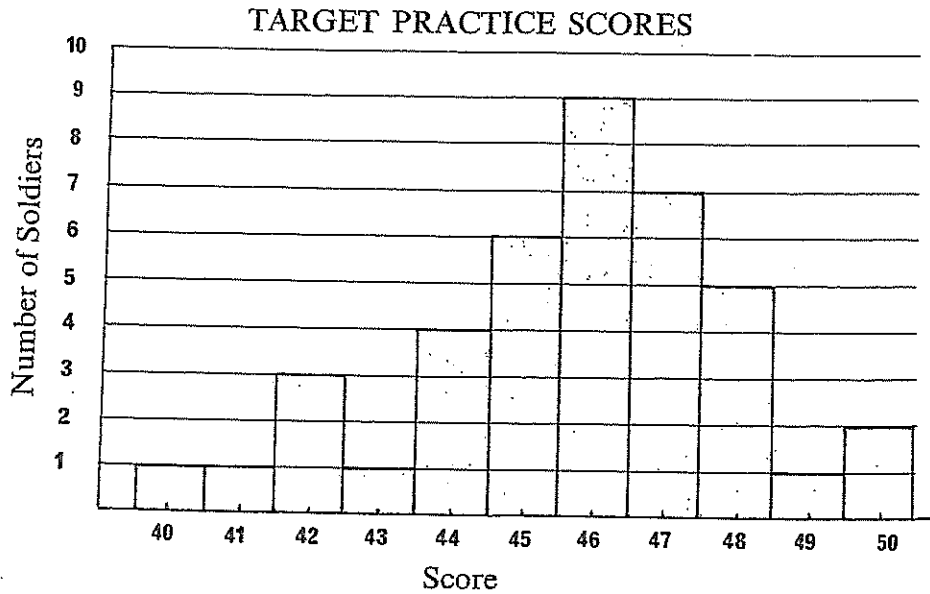
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1920 cm^3

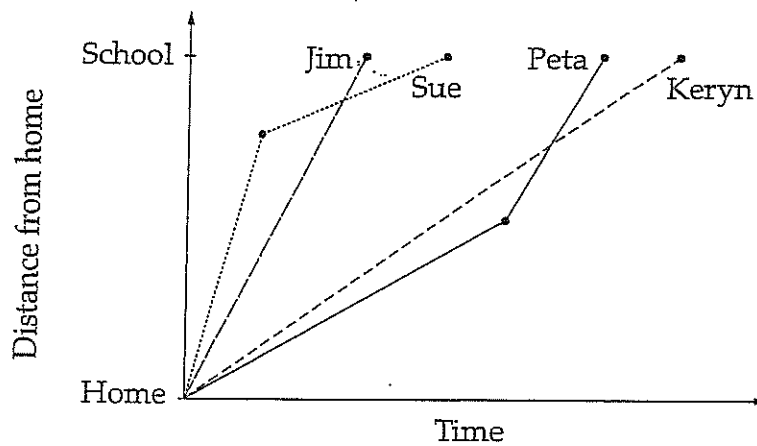
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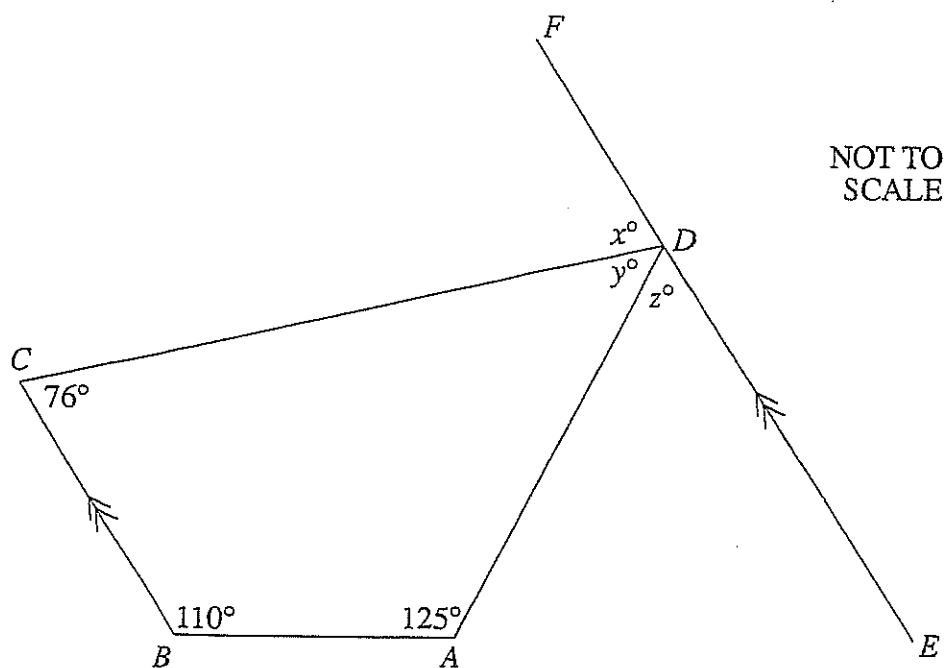
- a) The number of soldiers in the squad. 40 (1 m)
- b) The median of these scores. 46 (1 m)

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Who has the highest average speed? Jim (1 m)

10.



Find the value of each pronumeral, giving reasons.

- a) $x = 76$ (alternate angles, parallel lines) (1 m)
- b) $y = 49$ (angle sum of a quadrilateral) (1 m)
- c) $z = 55$ (straight angle) (1 m)

Section 4 : Equations (16 marks)

1. Solve $5x - 8 = 3x + 11$ (2 marks)

$$2x = 19$$

$$x = 9 \frac{1}{2}$$

2. Solve $\frac{2}{15} = \frac{1}{8} + \frac{1}{x}$ (2 marks)

$$\frac{1}{120} = \frac{1}{x}$$

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3. Solve $8 - 2x < 20$ (2 marks)

$$-2x < 12$$

$$x > -6$$

4. Given $v = u + at$ (2 marks)
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$$2.4 = 0.6 + 0.3a$$

$$1.8 = 0.3a$$

$$a = 6$$

5. Solve $4(2y + 1) = 3(y + 8)$ (2 marks)

$$8y + 4 = 3y + 24$$

$$5y = 20$$

$$y = 4$$

6. Solve (2 marks)
 $3(m - 2) - 2(m + 1) = 5$

$$3m - 6 - 2m - 2 = 5$$

$$m = 13$$

7. If $3a - 4b = 6$ and $b = 3$ (1 mark)
find the value of a .

$$3a - 12 = 6$$

$$3a = 18$$

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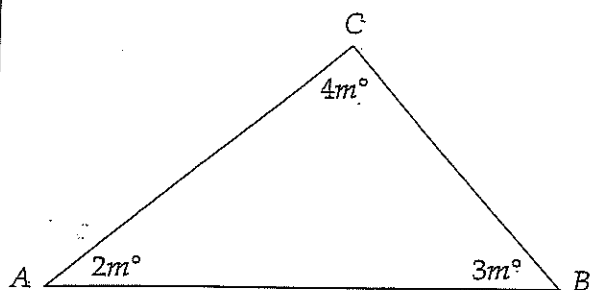
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$$9m = 180$$

- b) By solving this equation find the value of m . (1 mark)

$$m = 20$$

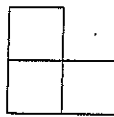
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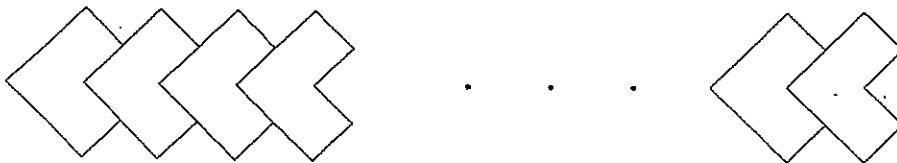
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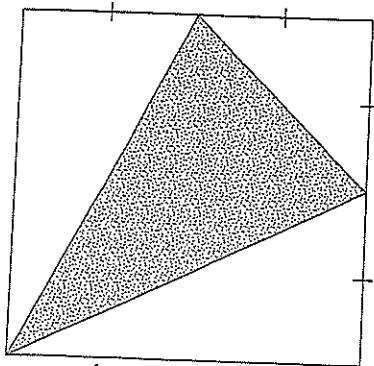


Find the perimeter of the resulting shape.

(2 marks)

204

3.



What fraction of the square (1 mark)

is shaded ?

$\frac{3}{8}$

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(1 mark)

$$\frac{10}{3x}$$

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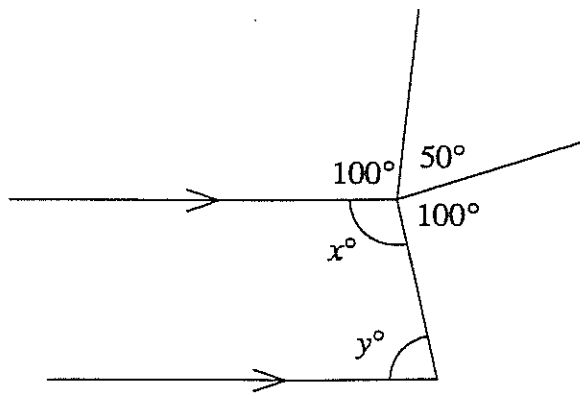
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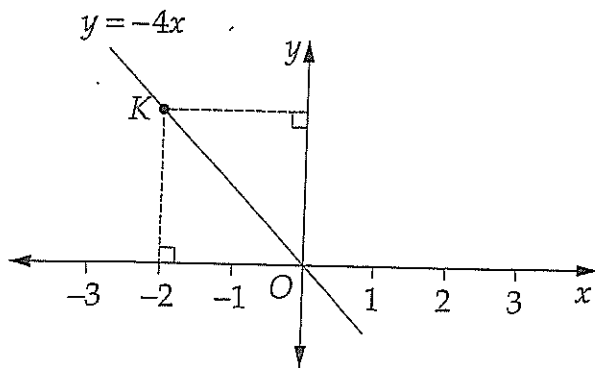
Find the value of x and y , giving reasons.

$$x = 110 \text{ (angle of revolution)}$$

$$y = 70 \text{ (co-interior angles, parallel lines)}$$

7.

(1 mark)



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Find the coordinates of K.

$(-2, 8)$

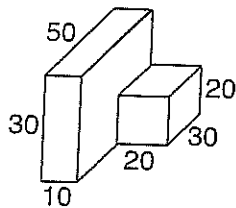
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(2 marks)

$x + 20x = 168$

$x = 8$

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Find the surface area of the resulting solid.

6600 sq units

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(1 mark)

10 km/hr

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(1 mark)

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$3\frac{1}{3}$ km/hr