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Mathematics

SECTION A

1. Subtract 405-49

405

- 49

356

2. Change 10010_{two} to be base ten.

$$10010_{two} = (1 \times 2^4) + (0 \times 2^3) + (0 \times 2^2) + (1 \times 2^1) + (0 \times 2^0)$$

3. Express 44 in Roman Numerals.

$$44 = XL + IV = XLIV$$

4. Express Shs. 30 as a percentage of Shs. 120.

Percentage =
$$\frac{30}{120} \times 100 = 25\%$$

5. Solve2x+2 = 6

Collecting like terms

$$2x = 6-2 = 4$$

Dividing by 2 throughout

6. Kantono went to sleep at 2130 hours. What time on a 12-hour clock did she go to sleep?

To convert time from 24hr clock $\,$ beyond 1259 we subtract 12 and add pm

7. Igune bought 7 films for his camera at a total cost of Shs. 9,100. How much would 4 films cost?

7films cost 9,100

1 film costs =
$$\frac{9,100}{7}$$
 = 1,300

8. Using a pair of compasses and a ruler only, construct an angle of 15° at point A

9.



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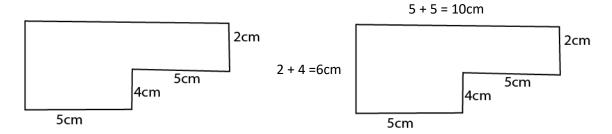
9. A plane took ¹/₄ of an hour to fly from A to B 30 km, apart. Find the speed of the plane in kilometres per hour.

Speed =
$$\frac{distance}{time}$$
 = 30 $\div \frac{1}{4}$ = 30 x 4 = 120km/hr

10. Subtract $\frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{12}$

$$=\frac{6-1}{12}=\frac{5}{12}$$

11. Find the perimeter of the figure below:



12. In Baganzi Primary School, the number of pupils increased by 20%. What is the new number if the old number of pupils was 500?

New number =
$$\left[\frac{100+20}{100}\right] \times 500$$

= $\frac{120}{100} \times 500 = 600$

13. Kintu's speed is 90 km per hour. Express this in metres per second.

90km/hr

Change km to m and hours to second $= \frac{1000 \times 90}{1 \times 3600} = 25m/s$

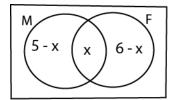
14. Water and milk are mixed in the ratio 3:1 to make tea for a party. How many litres of milk are in 20 litres of tea?

Total ratio = 3+1 =4

Liters of milk =
$$\frac{1}{4} \times 20 = 5l$$

15. In a home of 8 people, 5 like eating meat (M), 6 like eating fish (F) and x people like both.

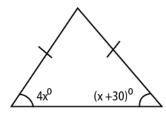
Use the Venn diagram below to find x.



$$5-x + x + 6 - x = 8$$

 $11 - x = 8$
 $x = 3$

16. The figure below is an isosceles triangle, find the value of x.



$$4x = x + 30$$
 $4x - x = 30$
 $3x = 30$
 $x = 10^{0}$

÷ 3

17. Find the next number in the sequence: 81, 27, 9, 3, 1,



18. If $a = ^{-}3$ and b = 4, find the value of $a^2 + b^2$

Substitute for a and b

$$= (-3)^2 + 4^2$$

19. Simplify:
$$\frac{1}{3}$$
(6x-3m)

$$\frac{1}{3}$$
(6x-3m) = (2x -m)

20. Find the GCF of 6 and 8

21. Find the median of 6, 3, 7, 0, 1, 4

Arrange the numbers in order from the smallest

The median is the middle number $=\frac{3+4}{2} = 3.5$

23. The volume of a cylinder is 3080 cm³. Find the height of the cylinder if the radius is 7cm 22 (Take $\pi = \frac{22}{7}$)

Volume of cylinder = $\pi r^2 h$

$$3080 = \frac{22}{7} \ x \ 7 \ x \ 7 \ x \ h$$

$$h = 20cm$$

24. Mukasa put Shs. 80,000 in the bank. If the interest rate was 10%, how much interest did he get after 9 months?

Interest, I = PRT =
$$80000 \times \frac{10}{100} \times \frac{9}{12} = 6000 / =$$

25. There are 12 eggs in the basket. If 3 eggs are rotten, what is the probability of picking a good egg at random from the basket?

Good eggs =
$$12-3=9$$

Probability of good eggs =
$$\frac{9}{12} = \frac{3}{4}$$

26. Find the supplement of an angle of 80°

Supplement angles add up to 180°

$$\therefore$$
 the supplement angle = 180 – 80

$$= 100^{0}$$

27. If $\frac{3}{5} = \frac{6}{x}$ find the value of x.

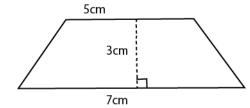
$$\frac{3}{5} = \frac{6}{x}$$

By cross multiplication

$$3x = 30$$

Divide by 3 throughout, x = 10

28. The figure below is a trapezium. Find its area.



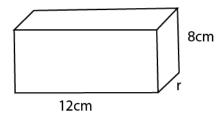
Area =
$$\frac{1}{2}h(a+b)$$

= $\frac{1}{2}x3(5+7)$
= 18cm^2

29. Divide 0.36 ÷ 1.8

$$=\frac{0.36}{1.8}=\frac{36}{180}=\frac{2}{10}=0.2$$

- 30. Simplify: $^{-}2 ^{-}2 = -2 + 2 = 0$
- 31. The volume of the box below is 480cm³



(a) Find the value of r

Volume =
$$I x w x h$$

$$480 = 12 \times r \times 8$$

$$480 = 96r$$

$$r = 5cm$$

(b) Calculate its surface area

Surface area =
$$2(12 \times 5) + 2(12 \times 8) + 2(5 \times 8)$$

= $2(60 + 96 + 40)$
= 2×196
= 392

32. The figure below is a rectangle. Find its perimeter

First find the value of x
$$2x + 1 = x + 3$$
Collect like terms
$$x = 2$$
perimeter = 2(I + w)
$$= 2(2 \times 2 + 1 + 2 \times 2 - 1)$$

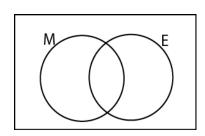
$$= 16cm$$

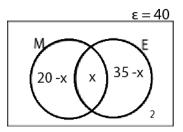
33. In Odokomit Primary School, two bells are rung at different intervals of 30 minutes and 40 minutes. If they are rung together at 10:00 a.m., at what time will they be rung together again?

The time taken before the bells ring again is the LCM

The two bells will ring again after 2hrs or 10:00 + 2:00 = 12:00pm

- 33. In a class of 40 pupils, 20 like Mathematics (M), 35 like English (E) and 2 pupils do not like any of the two subjects.
 - (a) Complete the Venn diagram belowarepsilon





(b) Find the number of pupils who like both subjects

Value of x

$$40 = 20 - x + x + 35 - x + 2$$

$$40 = 57 - x$$

$$x = 17$$

- \therefore the number of students that like both subjects = x = 17
- 35. (a) A taxi with its 14 passengers and the driver all weigh 1700kg. If the weight of each person is 70kg, what is the weight of the vehicle?

(b) A bus moving at a speed of 80 km per hour leaves Jinja at 8:00 a.m. for Busia and arrives there at 11:00 a.m. How far is Busia from Jinja?

Time taken = 11:00 - 8:00 = 3hours

Distance = speed x time

 $= 80 \times 3$

= 240km

- 36. Nakalanzi bought the following items from a shop:
 - 3½ kg of beans at Shs. 600 per kilogram,
 - 1½ of salt at Shs. 250 per kilogram,
 - 4 bars of soap at Shs. 700 per bar.
 - a) If Nakalanzi was given a discount of 20% on her total expenditure, how much was the discount?

Total cost = cost of beans + cost of Salt + cost of soap

$$= \frac{7}{2} x600 + \frac{3}{2} x 250 + 2800$$

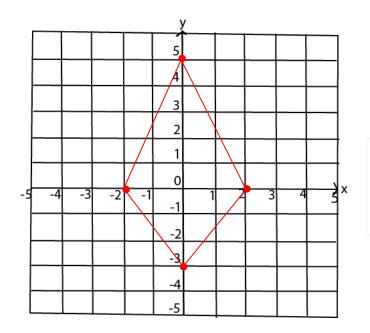
20 % discount =
$$\frac{20}{100}$$
 x 5275 = shs 1,055

b) How much did Nakalanzi pay?

She paid
$$5275 - 1055 = 4,220$$

- 37. On the grid below:
 - i) Plot the points A (0, 5), B (-2, 0), C (0, -3), D (2, 0)
- ii) Join A to B, B to C, A to D. b)

Name the polygon formed.



The shape formed is a kite

38. Bbosa filled a cylindrical tank whose radius is 10cm and height 70cm with passion fruit juice. If he sells it at shs 400 per litre, how much money will he get? Take $\pi = \frac{22}{7}$

Volume =
$$\pi r^2 h = \frac{22}{7} x 70 x 70 x 10 = 22000 cm^3$$

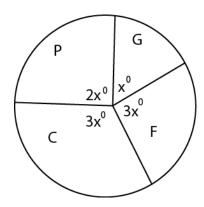
But 1000cm³ = 1 litre

Converting volume to litres =
$$\frac{22000}{1000}$$
 = 22 litres

The cost of 1 litre = shs 400

He therefore, earned = $22 \times 400 = shs 8800$

- 39. The pie Chart below shows how a farmer has divided his land. C is for cash crops, G is for grazing. F is for food crops and P is for other purposes. The land available is 720 hectares.
 - a) How many hectares are left for grazing?



Finding the value of x

$$2x + x + 3x + 3x = 360$$
 (angle sum of a circle)

$$9x = 360^{\circ}$$

$$x = 40^{0}$$

the number of hectares left for grazing =
$$\frac{40}{360} \times 720$$

(b) If he pays rent of Shs. 200 per hectare per year, how much will he pay for land reserved for cash crops?

Degrees for cash crop = $40 \times 3 = 120$

Area for cash crop =
$$\frac{120}{360}$$
 x 720 = 240 hectares

Rent paid

1 hectare cost 200

240 hectares cost 240 x200 = 48000

40. (a) Find the value of x if

$$4(3x-5)-2(6+x)=-12$$

Open brackets

$$12x - 20 - 12 - 2x = 12$$

Collect like terms

$$10x = 44$$

$$x = 4\frac{2}{5}$$

(b) Solve the inequality: 3x - 6 < 10 + x

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Collecting like terms
3x -x < 10 + 6
2x < 16
X < 8
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41. Isingoma drives at 120km per hour and okello drives at 100 km per hour. If they leave Town A at the same time to go to Town B 360km away, how far will Okello be from Town B when Isingoma arrives there?

Time taken by Isingoma =
$$\frac{Distance}{speed} = \frac{360}{120} = 3hours$$

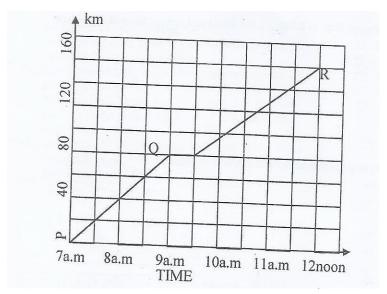
Distance moved by Okell in 3 hours = speed x time

$$= 100 \times 3$$

= 300 km

Remaining distance to reach town B = 360 - 300 = 60 km

42.A motorist drove from Town P to Town R via Q. study the graph below carefully and use it to answer the questions that EE follow:



b) How far is Town Q from P?

From the graph is 80km

- c) For how long did the motorist stay at Town Q?He stayed 30 minutes
- d) At what time did the motorist reach town R?He reached R at 12:00noon
- e) What was the motorist's average speed on the whole journey?

Total time taken = 12:00 - 7:00 = 5hours

Total distance = 160km

Speed = $\frac{distance}{time} = \frac{160}{5} = 28km/hr$