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PART A (20 MARKS)

1. Simplify $2\frac{1}{5} + \left(\frac{1}{7} \times \frac{2}{3}\right) \div \frac{10}{21} - \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^2$.
- A. $2\frac{3}{20}$ B. $3\frac{3}{100}$ C. $1\frac{9}{10}$ D. $\frac{3}{20}$
2. In Mathematics test, Albert answered 35 questions out of 50 correctly. What is the percentage he answered the question incorrectly?
- A. 3% B. 0.3% C. 30% D. 70%
3. What is the standard form of the number 0.00004802 ?
- A. 4.802×10^3 B. 4.802×10^{-5} C. 0.4802×10^{-4} D. 4.802×10^5
4. Given the function $f(x) = \frac{1-2x}{x-1}$. Find $f(6) - f(-2)$.
- A. $-\frac{8}{15}$ B. $-\frac{11}{5}$ C. $\frac{11}{3}$ D. $-\frac{16}{15}$
5. Simplify the algebraic expression $5(2x^3 + 5x^2 - 8y - 2) - 3(4x^2 + 5x - 2y)$.
- A. $10x^3 + 37x^2 + 15x - 40y - 10$ B. $10x^3 + 13x^2 - 15x - 34y - 10$
C. $10x^3 - 12x^2 + 15x + 40y + 10$ D. $10x^3 - 25x^2 - 15x + 40y - 5$
6. Solve the simultaneous equations
- $$\begin{aligned} 5x - 2y &= 31 \\ 4x + 3y &= 11 \end{aligned}$$
- A. $x = -5, y = 3$ B. $x = 3, y = 2$
C. $x = -1, y = -18$ D. $x = 5, y = -3$

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7. Given matrix

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -3 & 1 \\ 2 & 0 & 3 \\ 1 & -2 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$$

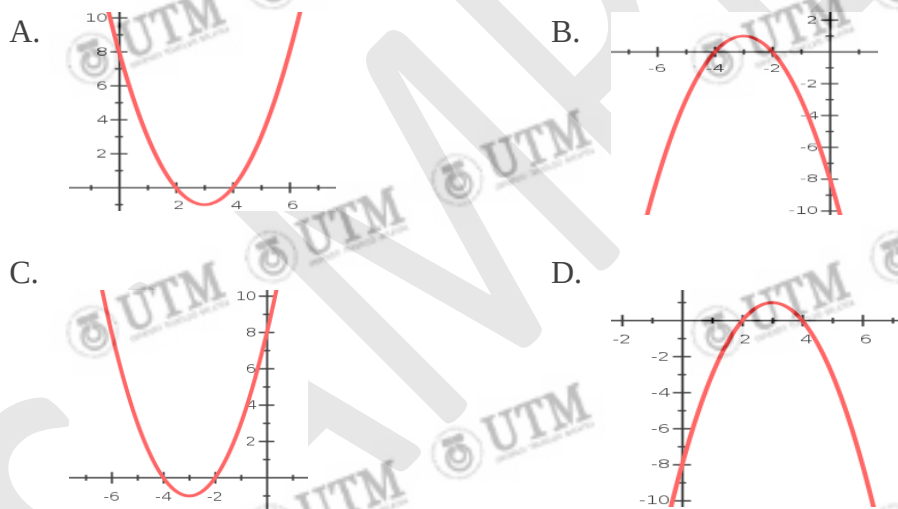
Find the determinant of A .

- A. -3 B. -5 C. 4 D. 5

8. If $-2x^2 - 4x + 6 = a(x+b)^2 + c$, find the value of a , b and c .

- A. $a = -2, b = 1, c = 8$ B. $a = -2, b = -3, c = 8$
C. $a = -2, b = -8, c = -1$ D. $a = -2, b = -3, c = -8$

9. Which of the following graph represents $f(x) = (x-4)(x-2)$?



10. The frequency table below shows the number of people.

Number of people	1	2	3	4
Frequency	$3+p$	6	3	p

Table 1

Given the mean is 2.125 people. Find the value of p .

- A. 3 B. 2 C. 5 D. 1

END OF QUESTIONS PART A

PART B (80 MARKS)

1. In Diagram 1 below, $PQRSTU$ is a hexagon. APQ and BTS are straight lines.

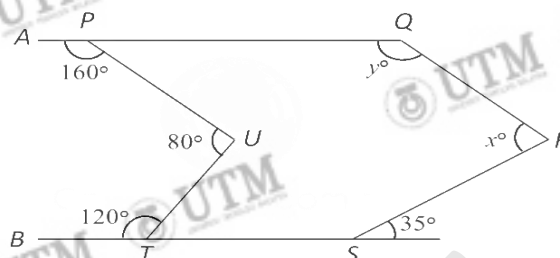


FIGURE 1: Diagram for Question 1

Find the value of $x + y$.

(4 marks)

2. (a)

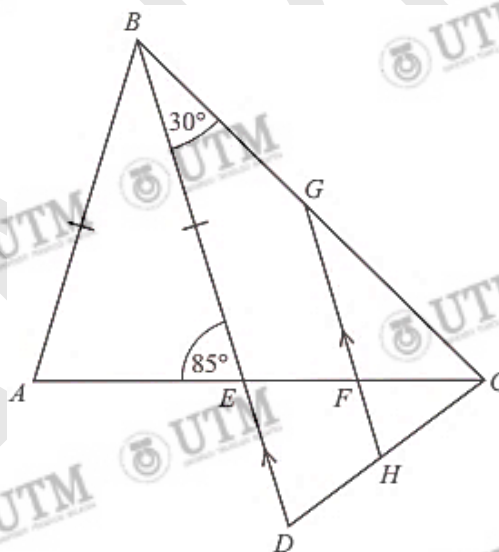


FIGURE 2: Diagram for Question 2(a)

In the diagram, ABC and DEC are triangles. $AB = BE$ and BE is parallel to GFH . Angle $AEB = 85^\circ$ and angle $CBE = 30^\circ$. Find:

- angle EAB .
- angle ABE
- reflex angle ABC
- angle BEC
- angle EFH
- angle BCE

(6 marks)

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- (b) For a regular 12-sided polygon, find the size of
- the exterior angle,
 - the interior angle.
- (4 marks)
3. The equation of a straight line l_1 is $3x + 4y - 18 = 0$
- State the gradient.
(2 marks)
 - Find the y - intercept.
(1 mark)
 - Find the equation of a straight line l_2 which passes through the point $A(5, -2)$ and is perpendicular to l_1 .
(3 marks)
4. (a) $A(5, 24)$ and $B(-3, 2)$ are two points.
- Find the coordinates of the midpoint of the line AB .
(2 marks)
 - Find the equation of the line AB .
(3 marks)
 - Show that the point $(1, 13)$ lies on the line AB .
(2 marks)
 - The straight-line J is perpendicular to line AB and passes through the point $(-4, 8)$. Find the equation of line J .
(3 marks)
5. The points P , Q and R are $(-3, 2)$, $(1, 6)$ and $(2, k)$ respectively.
- Find the value of k if P , Q and R lie on one straight line.
(3 marks)
 - Find the distance from P to R .
(2 marks)

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6. Solve the following simultaneous equation below.

$$7x + 5y + 4z = 23$$

$$21x - 10y + 6z = -4$$

$$7x + 15y - 2z = -15$$

(5 marks)

7. The diagram below shows a 6-sided shape. All the corners are right angles. All the measurements are given in centimeters.

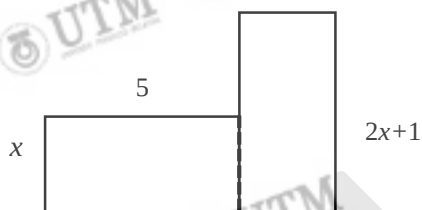


FIGURE 3: Diagram for Question 7

The total area of the shape is 95cm^2 . Show that $2x^2 + 6x - 95 = 0$.
(Hint: Area of rectangular: length $\times$ width)

(3 marks)

8. Given $y = x^2 - 12x + 35$ where y can be rewritten as $y = (x - p)^2 - q$.

i. Find the values of p and q by completing the square.

(3 marks)

ii. State the minimum value of y .

(1 mark)

iii. Find the roots of the equation. Hence sketch the graph.

(6 marks)

9. Given that $\begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ a \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} k & -1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 8 & -4 \\ 10 & -a \end{pmatrix}$. Find the values of a and k .

(3 marks)

10. Write the following simultaneous linear equations as matrix equation:

$$-p + 4q = 13$$

$$2p + 3q = 7$$

Hence, using the matrix method, calculate the values of p and q .

(3 marks)

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11. In Diagram 2, QRT is a straight line. Given $QR = RT$ and $\sin x = \frac{3}{4}$, find the value of $\sin y$.

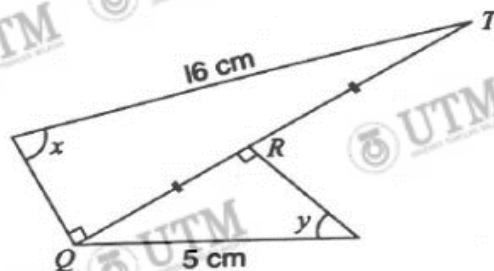


FIGURE 4: Diagram for Question 11

12. Show that $\frac{1}{2(1+\cos\theta)} + \frac{1}{2(1-\cos\theta)} = \operatorname{cosec}^2\theta$. (4 marks)
13. Solve the trigonometric equation $5\cos x + 3 = 2\cos x + 4$ for $0^\circ \leq x \leq 360^\circ$. (5 marks)
14. The waiting times for 80 patients to see the dentist at a clinic are shown in the table below.

Waiting time (minutes)	Number of patients
1 – 5	2
6 – 10	10
11 – 15	20
16 – 20	30
21 – 25	8
26 – 30	6
31 – 35	4

- i) Construct a frequency distribution table. (4 marks)
- ii) Based on table in (i), find the
- Mean (2 marks)
 - Median (3 marks)
 - Mode (3 marks)

END OF QUESTIONS PART B