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Maths Genie Stage 12

Test B

Instructions

- Use **black** ink or ball-point pen.
- Answer all questions.
- Answer the questions in the spaces provided
– *there may be more space than you need.*
- Diagrams are **NOT** accurately drawn, unless otherwise indicated.
- You must **show all your working out.**
- **Calculators may be used.**

Information

- The marks for each question are shown in brackets
– *use this as a guide as to how much time to spend on each question.*

Advice

- Read each question carefully before you start to answer it.
- Keep an eye on the time.
- Try to answer every question.
- Check your answers if you have time at the end

- 1 David has 25 different cards.

David is going to give one card to Dean and one card to Edwin.

How many different ways are there of doing this?

$$25 \times 24 = 600$$

600

(Total for Question 1 is 2 marks)

- 2 Solve $5x^2 + x - 13 = 0$

Give your solutions correct to 3 significant figures.

$$a = 5 \quad b = 1 \quad c = -13$$

$$x = \frac{-1 \pm \sqrt{1^2 - 4(5)(-13)}}{2(5)}$$

$$x = 1.52 \text{ or } x = -1.72$$

(Total for Question 2 is 3 marks)

- 3 The number of rabbits in a field is increasing by $x\%$ each year.

The population is expected to double in 7 years, work out the value of x .

Give your answer to 1 decimal place.

$$1 \times y^7 = 2$$

$$y^7 = 2$$

$$y = \sqrt[7]{2}$$

$$= 1.104$$

$$(1.104 - 1) \times 100$$

$$= 10.4\%$$

10.4 %

(Total for Question 3 is 3 marks)

4 a is directly proportional to b

When $a = 9, b = 45$

Find the value of b when $a = 6.5$

$$a \propto b$$

$$a = kb$$

$$9 = k(45)$$

$$k = \frac{1}{5}$$

$$a = \frac{1}{5}b$$

$$6.5 = \frac{1}{5}b$$

$$b = 32.5$$

$$b = \dots \underline{32.5} \dots$$

(Total for Question 4 is 3 marks)

5 Here are the first 5 terms of a quadratic sequence.

5 7 11 17 25

Find an expression, in terms of n , for the n th term of this sequence.

$$a + b + c \rightarrow 5 \quad 7 \quad 11 \quad 17$$

$$3a + b \rightarrow 2 \quad 4 \quad 6$$

$$2a \rightarrow 2 \quad 2$$

$$2a = 2$$

$$a = 1$$

$$3a + b = 2$$

$$3(1) + b = 2$$

$$3 + b = 2$$

$$b = -1$$

$$a + b + c = 5$$

$$1 + (-1) + c = 5$$

$$c = 5$$

$$n^2 - n + 5$$

$$\underline{\underline{n^2 - n + 5}}$$

(Total for Question 5 is 4 marks)

6 Given that $f(x) = x^2 - 5$ and $g(x) = 2x + 3$

(a) Work out an expression for $g^{-1}(x)$

$$y = 2x + 3$$
$$y - 3 = 2x$$

$$\frac{y - 3}{2} = x$$

$$g^{-1}(x) = \frac{x - 3}{2}$$

$$\underline{g^{-1}(x) = \frac{x - 3}{2}}$$

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(b) Work out an expression for $fg(x)$
Give your answer in its simplest form.

$$fg(x) = (2x + 3)^2 - 5$$
$$= (2x + 3)(2x + 3) - 5$$
$$= 4x^2 + 6x + 6x + 9 - 5$$
$$= 4x^2 + 12x + 4$$

$$\underline{4x^2 + 12x + 4}$$

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(Total for Question 6 is 4 marks)

7 The number of people living in a town t years from now is P_t where

$$P_0 = 62000$$

$$P_{t+1} = 1.04(P_t - 1500)$$

Work out the number of people in the town 3 years from now.

$$P_1 = 1.04(62000 - 1500) = 62920$$

$$P_2 = 1.04(\text{Ans} - 1500) = 63877$$

$$P_3 = 1.04(\text{Ans} - 1500) = 64872$$

$$\underline{64872}$$

(Total for Question 7 is 3 marks)

8 Factorise $3x^2 - 2x - 8$

$$(3x + 4) \left(x - \frac{6}{3}\right)$$

$$(3x + 4)(x - 2)$$

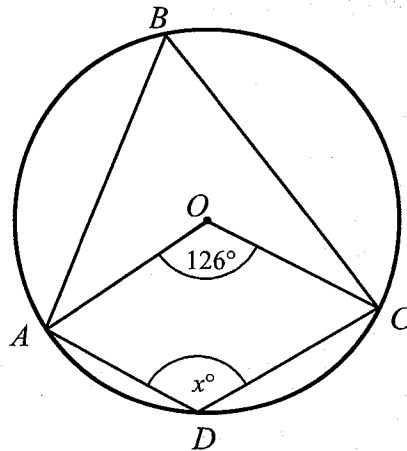
$$3 \times 8 = 24$$

1	24
2	12
3	8
4	6

$$\underline{\underline{(3x + 4)(x - 2)}}$$

(Total for Question 8 is 2 marks)

9



A, B, C and D are points on the circumference of a circle, centre O.

Angle $AOC = 126^\circ$

Angle $ADC = x^\circ$

Work out the value of x .

You must show all your working.

$$ABC = \frac{126}{2} = 63^\circ$$

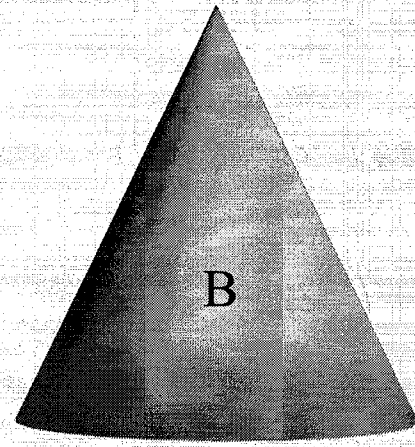
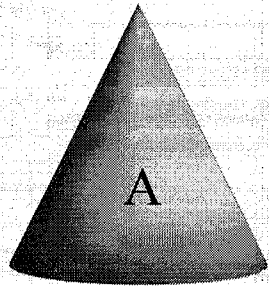
$$x = 180 - 63 = 117^\circ$$

Angle at centre is
~~two~~ twice angle at
circumference

opposite angles in
a cyclic quadrilateral
add to 180°

117°

(Total for Question 9 is 3 marks)



The two cones, A and B, are mathematically similar.

Cone A has a volume of $1250\pi \text{ cm}^3$

Cone B has a volume of $5120\pi \text{ cm}^3$

The total surface area of cone A is 825 cm^2

Calculate the total surface area of cone B.

$$\frac{5120\pi}{1250\pi} = \frac{512}{125} \quad (\text{s.f. for volume})$$

$$\text{s.f. for length} = \sqrt[3]{\frac{512}{125}} = \frac{8}{5}$$

$$\text{s.f. for area} = \left(\frac{8}{5}\right)^2 = \frac{64}{25}$$

$$825 \times \frac{64}{25} = 2112 \text{ cm}^2$$

..... 2112 cm^2

(Total for Question 10 is 3 marks)