

MATHEMATICS ENTRANCE EXAMINATION 2011

DURATION: 1 HOUR



Name:

Try to answer as many questions as possible.
Write the **answers** in the **spaces provided** and do
not rub out any working.
If you get stuck on a question leave it and come
back later if you have time.

Instructions

Answers



This means write down your answer or show your working and write down your answer.

Calculators

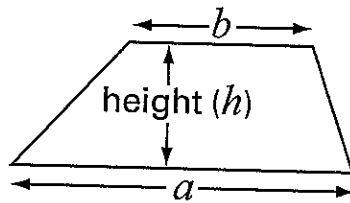


You **must not** use a calculator to answer any question in this test.

Formulae

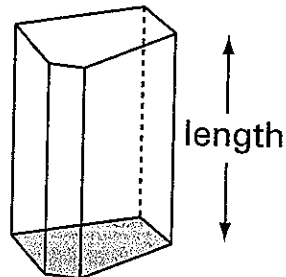
You might need to use these formulae

Trapezium



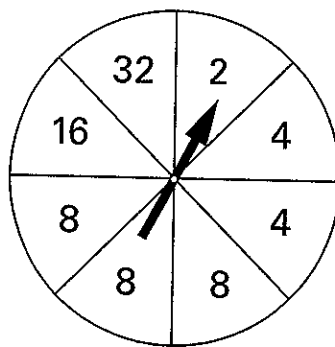
$$\text{Area} = \frac{1}{2}(a + b)h$$

Prism



$$\text{Volume} = \text{area of cross-section} \times \text{length}$$

1. (a) A spinner has **eight** equal sections.



What is the probability of scoring 4 on the spinner?



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What is the probability of scoring an **even** number on the spinner?



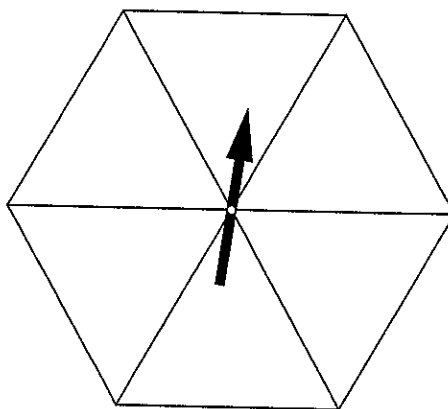
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(b) A different spinner has six equal sections and **six numbers**.

On this spinner, the probability of scoring an **even** number is $\frac{2}{3}$

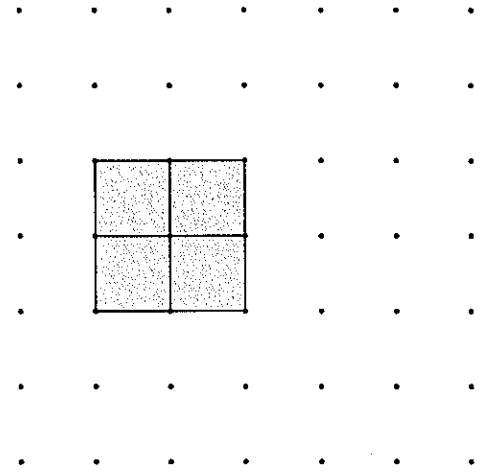
The probability of scoring 4 is $\frac{1}{3}$

Write what numbers could be on this spinner.



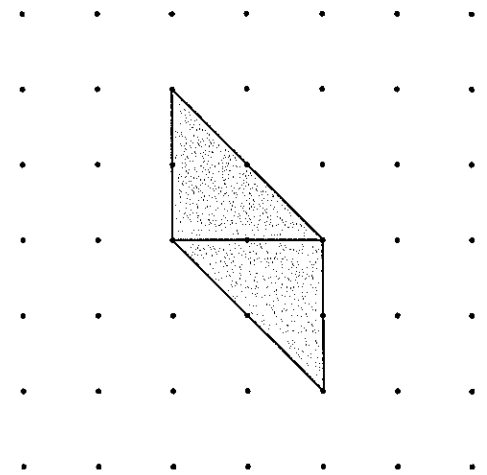
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2. **Four squares join together to make a bigger square.**



(a) **Four congruent triangles join together to make a bigger triangle.**

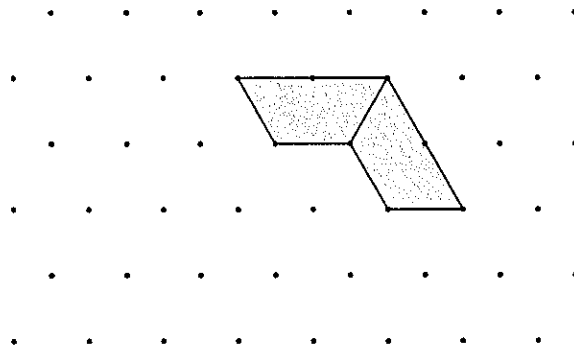
Draw **two more** triangles to complete the drawing of the bigger triangle.



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(b) **Four congruent trapeziums join to make a bigger trapezium.**

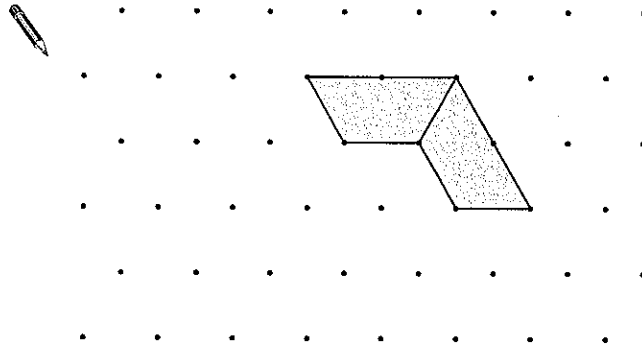
Draw **two more** trapeziums to complete the drawing of the bigger trapezium.



1 mark

(c) Four congruent trapeziums join to make a **parallelogram**.

Draw **two more** trapeziums to complete the drawing of the parallelogram.



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3. Look at this table.

	Age (in years)
Ann	a
Ben	b
Cindy	c

Write in words the meaning of each equation below.
The first one is done for you.

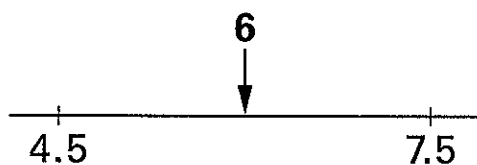
$b = 30$	Ben is 30 years old
$a + b = 69$	
$b = 2c$	
$\frac{a + b + c}{3} = 28$	

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4. (a) The number 6 is halfway between 4.5 and 7.5



Fill in the missing numbers below.



The number 6 is halfway between **2.8** and

1 mark

The number 6 is halfway between **-12** and

1 mark

(b) Work out the number that is halfway between **27×38** and **33×38**
Show your working.



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5. Hakan asked 30 pupils which subject they liked best.

Subject	Number of boys	Number of girls
Maths	4	7
English	2	4
Science	3	3
History	0	1
French	1	5
	total 10	total 20

(a) Which subject did **20%** of **boys** choose?



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(b) Which subject did **35%** of **girls** choose?



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1 mark

(c) Hakan said:

'In my survey, **Science** was equally popular with boys and girls'.

Explain why Hakan was **wrong**.



1 mark

(d) Which subject **was** equally popular with boys and girls?



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1 mark

6. (a) When $x = 5$, work out the values of the expressions below.



$$2x + 13 = \dots\dots\dots$$

$$5x - 5 = \dots\dots\dots$$

$$3 + 6x = \dots\dots\dots$$

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2 marks

(b) When $2y + 11 = 17$, work out the value of y
Show your working.



$$y = \dots\dots\dots$$

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(c) Solve the equation $9y + 3 = 5y + 13$
Show your working.

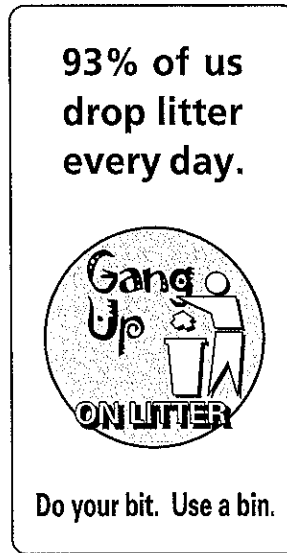


$$y = \dots\dots\dots$$

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7. This advert was in a newspaper.



It does not say how the advertisers know that 93% of people drop litter every day.

Some pupils think the percentage of people who drop litter every day is much lower than 93%.

They decide to do a survey.

(a) Jack says:

We can ask 10 people if they drop litter every day.

Give two **different** reasons why Jack's method might not give very good data.

First reason:



1 mark

Second reason:



1 mark

(b) Lisa says:

We can go into town on Saturday morning.

We can stand outside a shop and record how many people walk past and how many of those drop litter.

Give two **different** reasons why Lisa's method might not give very good data.

First reason:



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Second reason:



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8. Fill in the missing numbers in the boxes using **only negative numbers**.



$$\square - \square = 5$$

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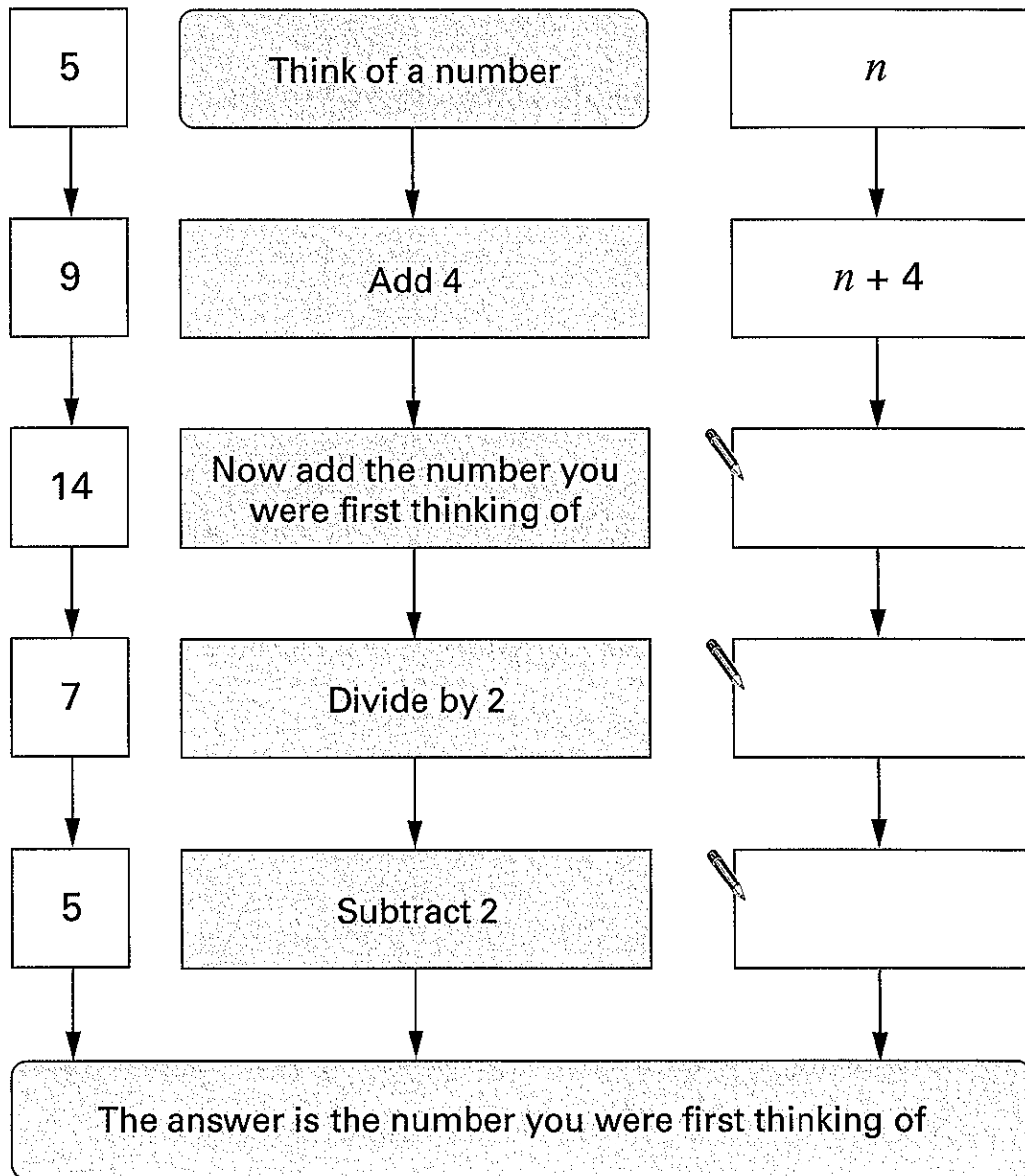
$$\square - \square = -5$$

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9. You can often use algebra to show why a number puzzle works.

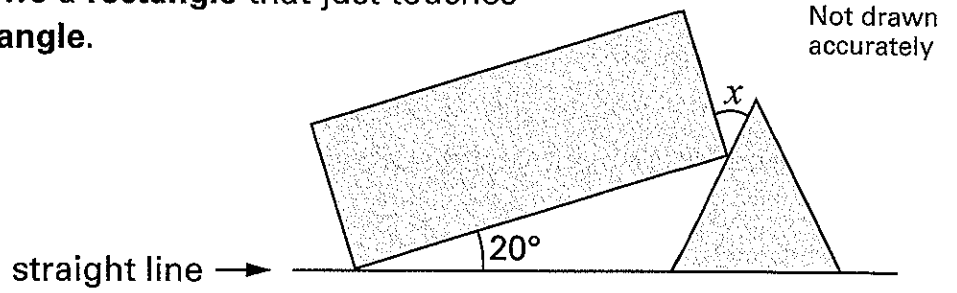
Fill in the missing expressions.

Example:



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10. The diagram shows a **rectangle** that just touches an **equilateral triangle**.



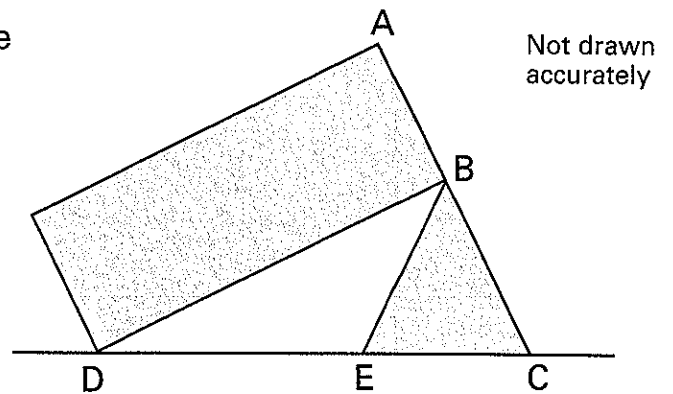
- (a) Find the size of the angle marked x
Show your working.



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- (b) Now the rectangle just touches the equilateral triangle so that **ABC** is a **straight line**.



Show that **triangle BDE** is **isosceles**.



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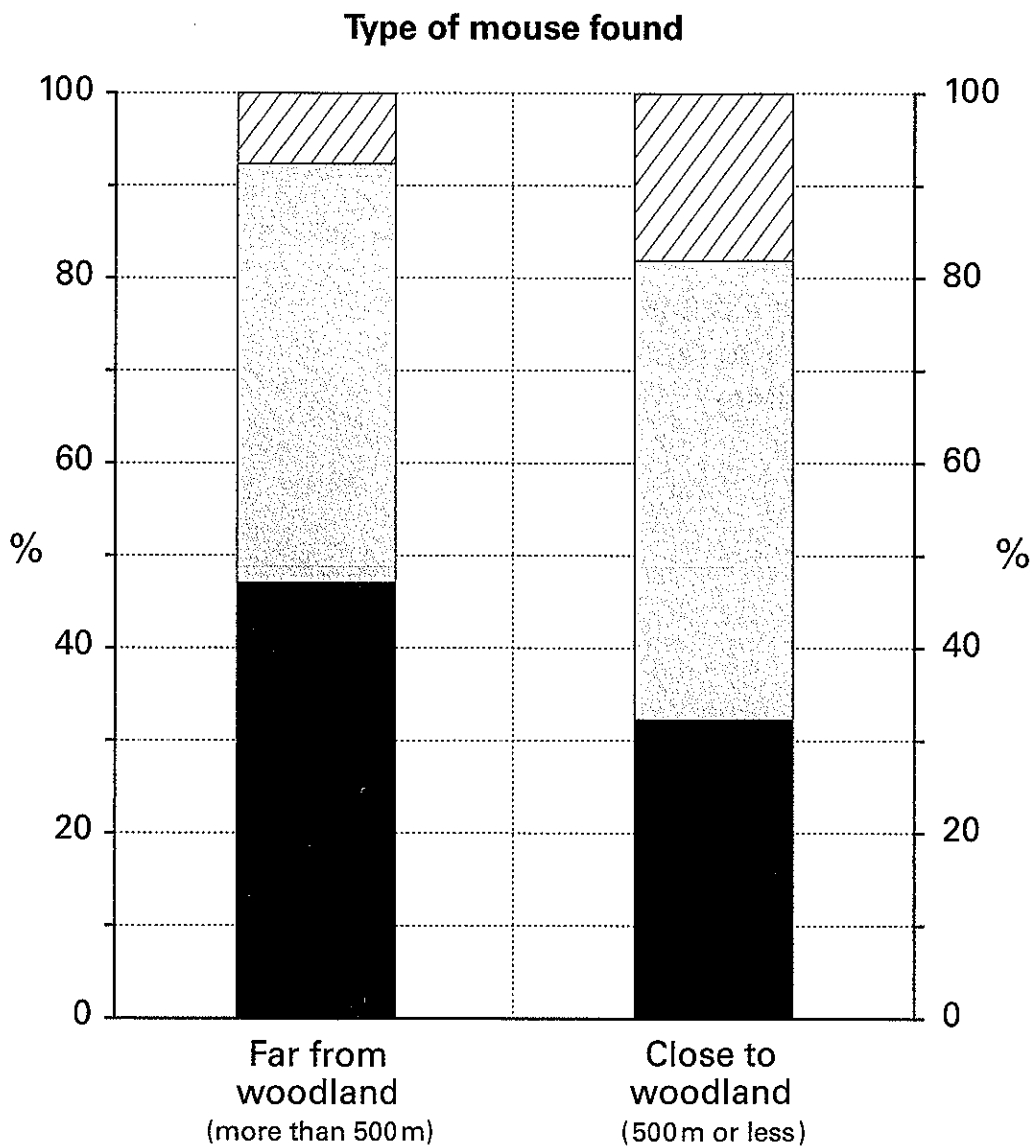
11. Three types of mice might come into our homes.

Some mice are more likely to be found in homes far from woodland. Others are more likely to be found in homes close to woodland.

The bar charts show the **percentages of mice** that are of each type.

Key

-  Yellow-necked mice
-  Wood mice
-  House mice



Use the bar charts to answer these questions.


- (a) About what percentage of mice in homes **close to woodland** are **wood mice**?



%

1 mark

- (b) About what percentage of mice in homes **far from woodland** are **not** wood mice?



%

1 mark

- (c) The **black** bars show the percentages for house mice.
One of the black bars is taller than the other.

Does that mean there **must be more** house mice in homes far from woodland than in homes close to woodland?

Tick (✓) Yes or No.



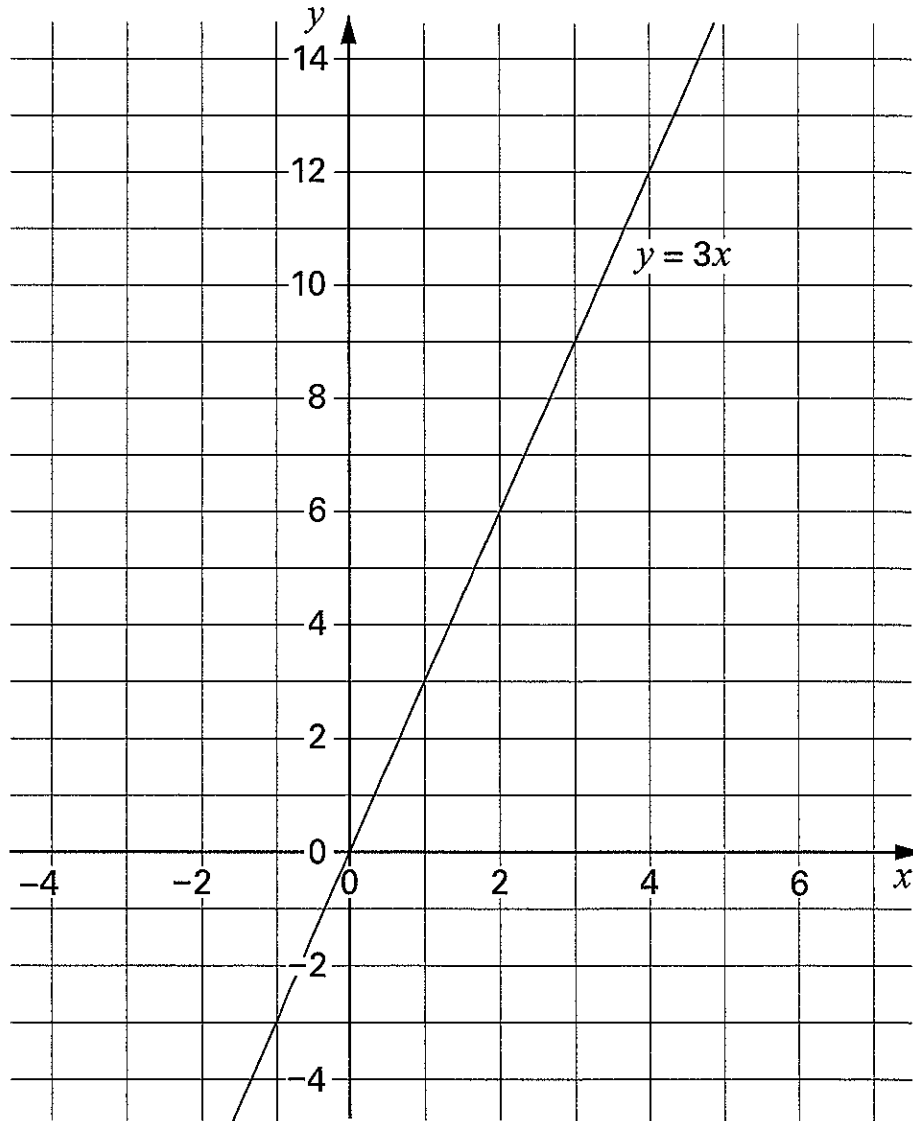
Yes No

Explain your answer.



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12. The graph shows a straight line. The equation of the line is $y = 3x$



- (a) Does the point $(25, 75)$ lie on the straight line $y = 3x$?

Tick (✓) Yes or No.



Yes No

Explain how you know.



- (b) Write the coordinates of the point that lies on both the straight lines $y = 4x + 1$ and $y = 6x - 4$

You **must** show your working.



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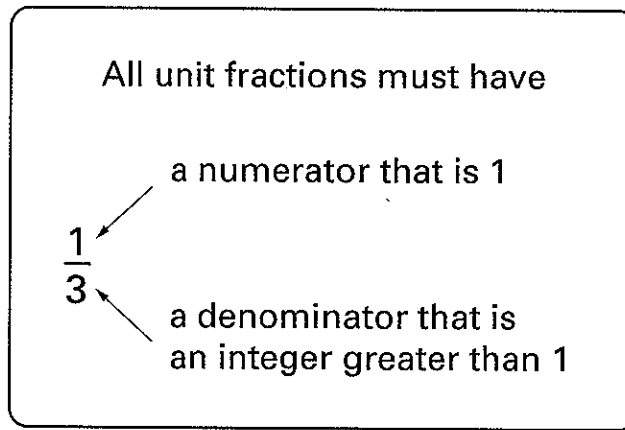
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- (c) Explain how you can tell there is no point that lies on both the straight lines $y = \frac{1}{2}x + 3$ and $y = \frac{1}{2}x + 5$



1 mark

13. $\frac{1}{3}$, $\frac{1}{8}$, $\frac{1}{5}$ are all examples of unit fractions.



The ancient Egyptians used only unit fractions.

For $\frac{3}{4}$, they wrote the sum $\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{4}$

- (a) For what fraction did they write the sum $\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{5}$?
Show your working.



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1 mark

- (b) They wrote $\frac{9}{20}$ as the sum of two unit fractions.
One of them was $\frac{1}{4}$

What was the other?

Show your working.



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- (c) What is the biggest fraction you can make by adding two **different** unit fractions?

Show your working.



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14. The subject of the equation below is p

$$p = 2(e + f)$$

Rearrange the equation to make e the subject.

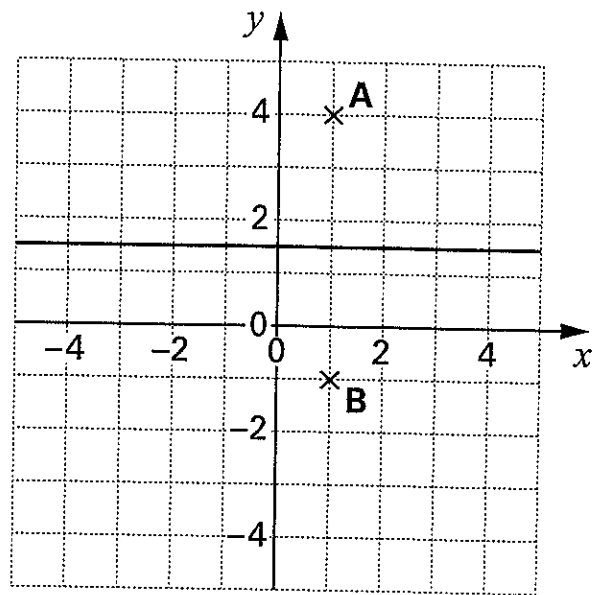


$$e =$$

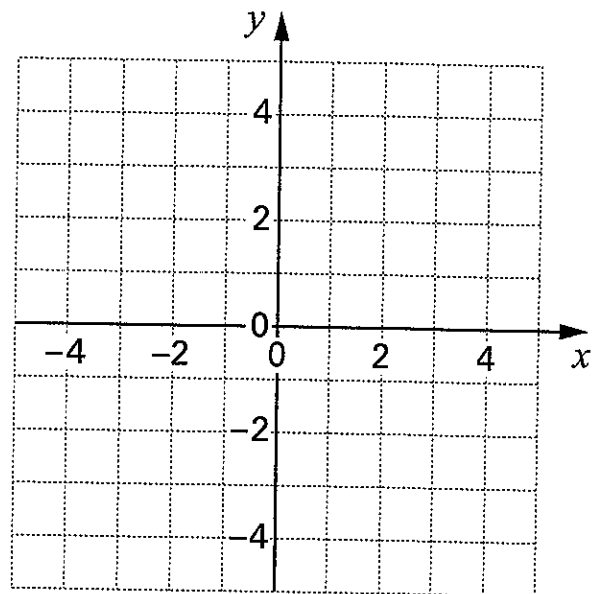
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15. The diagram shows the locus of all points that are the **same distance** from A as from B. The locus is one straight line.

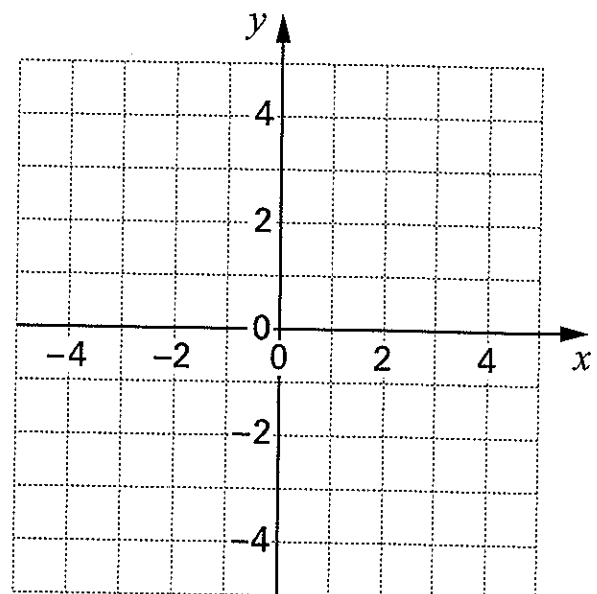


- (a) The locus of all points that are the **same distance** from $(2, 2)$ and $(-4, 2)$ is also one straight line. Draw this straight line.



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- (b) The locus of all points that are the **same distance** from the x -axis as they are from the y -axis is **two** straight lines. Draw both straight lines.



1 mark

(c) Look at points C and D below.

Use a straight edge and compasses to draw the locus of all points that are the **same distance** from C as from D.

Leave in your construction lines.



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.D

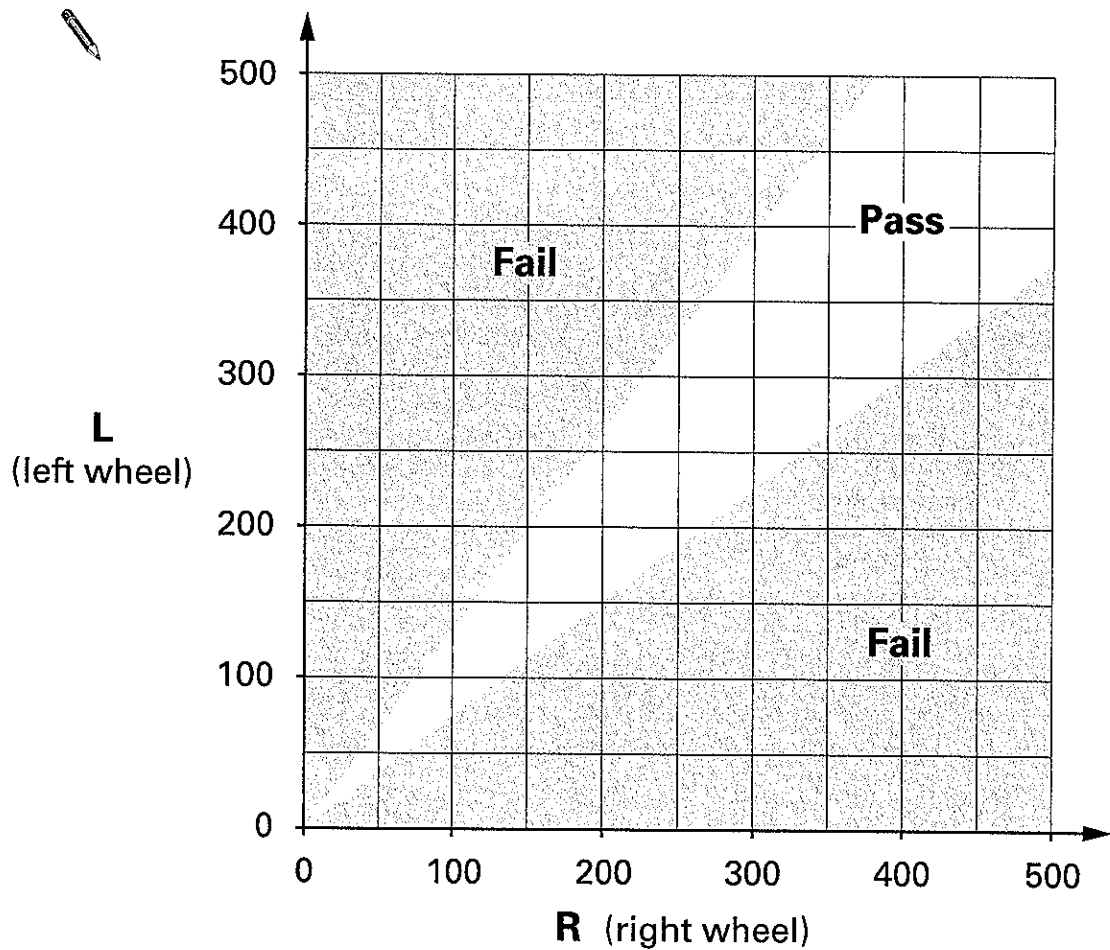
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16. Cars more than three years old must pass a test called an MOT.

The testers measure the right and left front wheel brakes, and give each brake a score out of 500

Then they use the graph.



For example: A car has $R = 300$, $L = 350$
(300, 350) is in the white region,
so the car **passes** this part of the test.

- (a) A man takes his car to be tested.

$$L = 200$$

Approximately, between what values does R need to be for his car to pass this test?



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1 mark

A different part of the test uses $R + L$

To pass, $R + L \geq 400$

- (b) On the graph, draw the straight line $R + L = 400$

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Then shade the region where the car **fails**, $R + L < 400$

1 mark

- (c) If $L = 200$, between what values does R need to be to pass **both** parts of the test?



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