

## End of KS3 Practice Test

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### Instructions

- Use black ink or ball-point pen.
- Answer all questions.
- Answer the questions in the spaces provided
- If blank paper is used, write down the question's number
- You must show all your working out.

### Information

- The marks for each question are shown in brackets.
- Blank paper is provided at the end if extra space is needed.
- The questions are arranged in order of increasing difficulty.

### 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) Expand:

$$2(5x - 3) =$$

$$3a(4a - 2b) =$$

$$(b - 2)(4 - b) =$$

$$(2x - 3)(3x - 10) =$$

(6)

2) Factorise:

$$4x - 18 =$$

$$a^2 - 8a =$$

$$x^2 - 6x + 8 =$$

$$a^2 - 13a - 30 =$$

(6)

- 3) Amy and Brian share £40 in a ratio of 5:3.

How much money does Amy receive?

(2)

- 4) Justin and Sara share some sweets in a ratio of 7:5

Justin receives 14 more sweets than Sara.

How many sweets does Sara receive?

(3)

- 5) Using a compass and ruler, construct an equilateral triangle with side length 6cm.  
You **must** show your construction lines.

(2)

- 6) A shop must increase its prices because of a tax increase. The shop increases prices by 12%.
- a) A table cost £350 before the increase. What is the price now?
- b) The new price of a lamp is £179.20.  
What was the price before the increase?

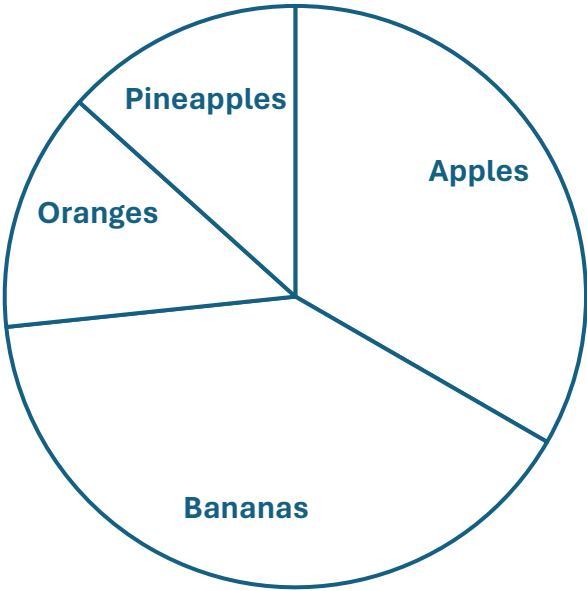
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7) The piechart shows the number of fruit sold at a market.

10 apples were sold.

Complete the table:

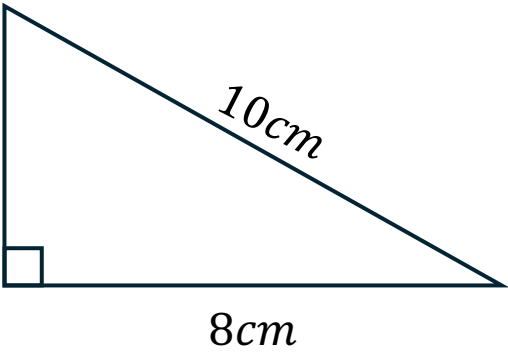
Fruit	Frequency
Apples	10
Bananas	
Oranges	
Pineapples	



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8) Look at the right-angled triangle.

Calculate it's area.



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9) Solve these equations:

$$3 - 2x = 11$$

$$8(x + 3) - 2 = 70$$

(2)

$$\frac{2x + 5}{3} = 10$$

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**10)** Each interior angles of a regular polygon measures  $156^\circ$ .

a) Explain what the word **regular** means in the context of polygons.

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b) How many sides does the polygon have?

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11)  $x = 4.1\dot{5}\dot{6}$

Using an algebraic method, write  $x$  as a fraction in its simplest form.

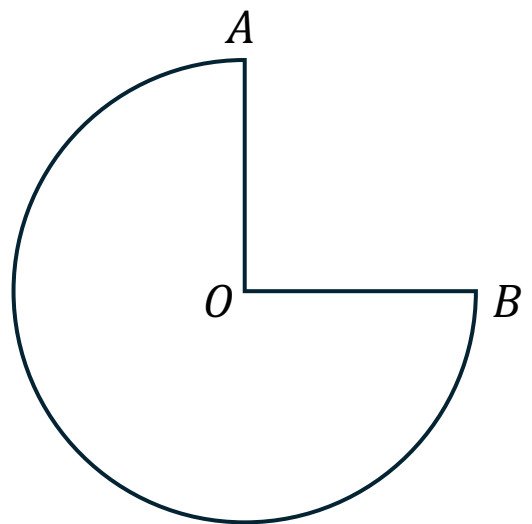
You **must** show your working.

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- 12) A logo is made from a cutting a out part of a circle.  
The angle  $AOB$  is a right-angle,  
where  $O$  is the centre of the circle.

The distance  $OB$  is 5 cm.

What is the area of the logo?



(2)



13) A man runs 1300 metres in 6 minutes.

What is his speed in kilometres per hour?

Give your answer to 3 significant figures.

(3)

14) The time taken for birds to find a hidden treat is displayed in the table.

Time Taken (s)	Frequency
$0 < t \leq 5$	2
$5 < t \leq 10$	4
$10 < t \leq 20$	10
$20 < t \leq 40$	3

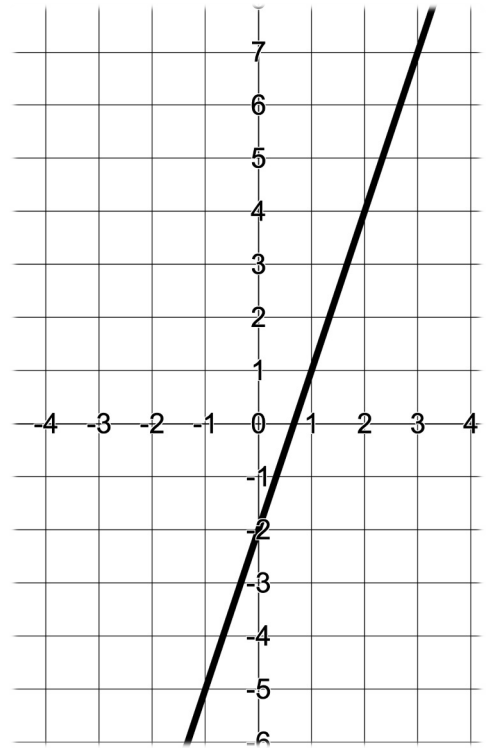
a) What is the modal class?

b) What is the mean time taken?

(3)

**15)** Look at the graph.

What is the equations of the straight line?



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**16)** A line passes through the coordinates  $(5, 8)$  and  $(7, -2)$ .

What is the equation of this straight line?

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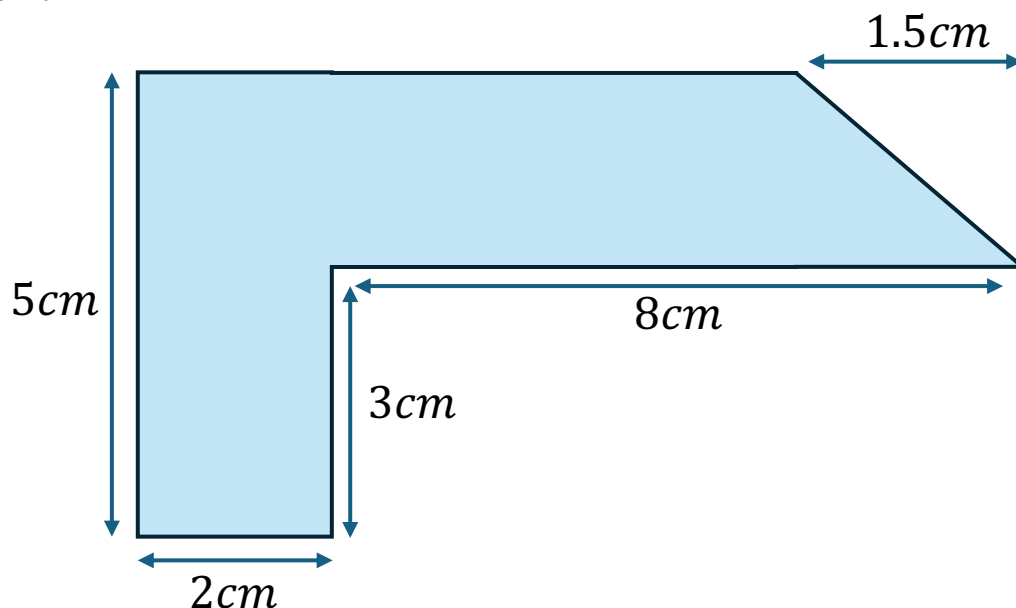
- 17) A biased 6-sided dice is rolled 50 times. The probability of scoring each number is given in the table below.

Result	1	2	3	4	5	6
Probability	0.12	0.2	0.34	0.06	$3x$	$x$

How many times would you expect to score a 5?

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- 18) Calculate the area of the shape below. Give your answer in  $\text{cm}^2$ .

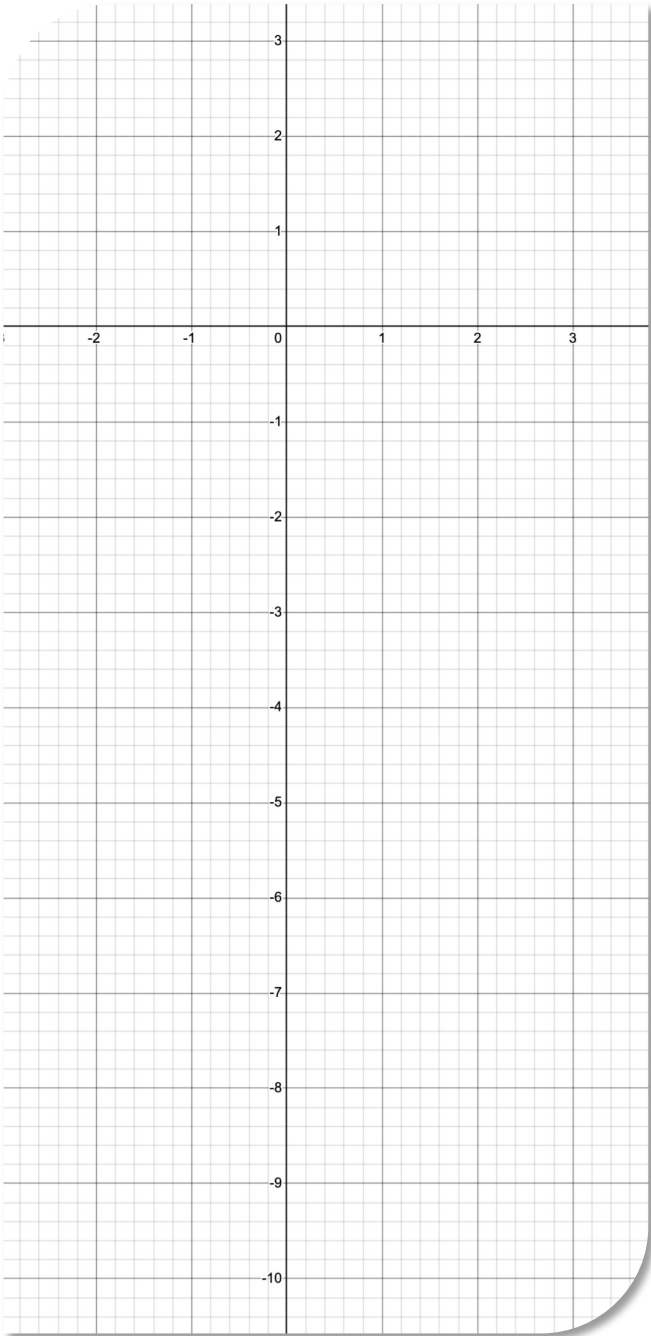


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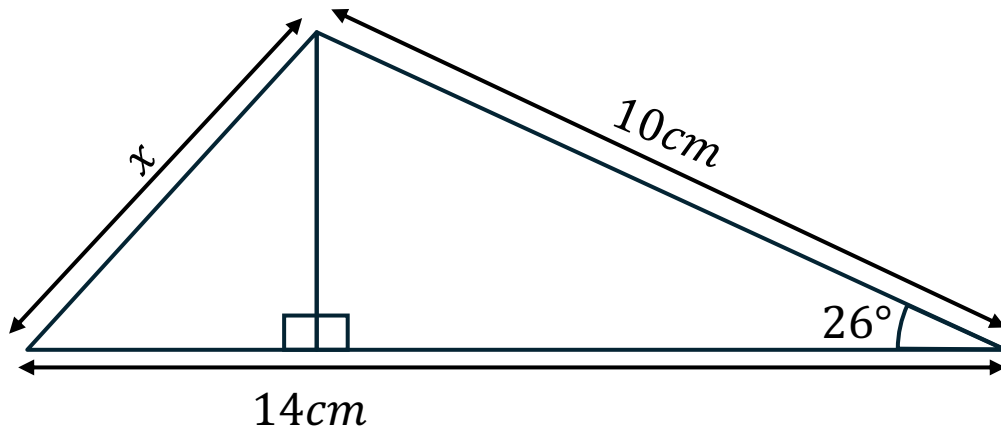
- 19) Consider the equation  $y = 3x - x^2$
- a) Complete the table of values for this equation.

$x$	-2	-1	0	1	2	3
$y$						

- b) Sketch the equation on the axes below.



20) Find  $x$ .



22) Simplify:

$$(3xy^4)^3 =$$

$$5x^0 =$$

$$\frac{a \times a^{10}}{a^4} =$$

$$(x^3 - 2y)(3yx - 2x^2) =$$

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