

**CXC JUNE 2008 MATHEMATICS GENERAL PROFICIENCY (PAPER 2)  
(REST OF THE CARIBBEAN BESIDES TRINIDAD & TOBAGO)**

**Section I**

1. a. (i) **Required To Calculate:**  $(3.9 \times 0.27) + \sqrt{0.6724}$

**Calculation:**

$$(3.9 \times 0.27) + \sqrt{0.6724} = 1.053 + 0.82 \quad (\text{by use of calculator})$$

$$= 1.873 \quad (\text{in exact form})$$

(ii) **Required To Calculate:**  $2\frac{1}{2} - \frac{4}{5}$

**Calculation:**

Numerator:

$$2\frac{1}{2} - \frac{4}{5} = \frac{5}{2} - \frac{4}{5}$$

$$= \frac{25 - 8}{10}$$

$$= \frac{17}{10}$$

Hence,

$$\frac{2\frac{1}{2} - \frac{4}{5}}{\frac{3}{4}} = \frac{\frac{17}{10}}{\frac{3}{4}}$$

$$= \frac{17}{10} \times \frac{4}{3}$$

$$= \frac{34}{15} \quad (\text{as a single fraction in its lowest terms})$$

b. (i) **Data:** CAN\$1.00  $\equiv$  JA\$72.50

**Required To Calculate:** CAN\$250 in JA\$.

**Calculation:**

$$\text{Cost of camera} = \text{CAN\$}250$$

$$\text{Hence cost of camera in JA\$} = 250 \times 72.50$$

$$= \text{JA\$}18\,125$$

- (ii) **Required To Calculate:** Remaining money on credit card in CAN\$.

**Calculation:**

Limit on credit card = JA\$30 000

Available remainder after buying the camera = JA\$(30 000 – \$18125)

$$\text{The equivalent in CAN\$} = \frac{30\,000 - 18\,125}{72.50}$$

2. a. **Data:**  $a = 2$ ,  $b = -1$  and  $c = 3$

- (i) **Required To Calculate:**  $a(b + c)$

**Calculation:**

$$\begin{aligned} a(b + c) &= 2(-1 + 3) \\ &= 2(2) \\ &= 4 \end{aligned}$$

- (ii) **Required To Calculate:**  $\frac{4b^2 - 2ac}{a + b + c}$

**Calculation:**

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{4b^2 - 2ac}{a + b + c} &= \frac{4(-1)^2 - 2(2)(3)}{2 + (-1) + 3} \\ &= \frac{4(1) - 12}{4} \\ &= \frac{-8}{4} \\ &= -2 \end{aligned}$$

- b. (i) **Required To Find:** Algebraic expression for the statement given.

**Solution:**

Four times the sum of  $x$  and 5.

$$\begin{aligned} &4 \times (x + 5) \\ &= 4(x + 5) \end{aligned}$$

- (ii) **Required To Find:** Algebraic expression for the statement given.

**Solution:**

16 larger than the product of  $a$  and  $b$ .

$$\begin{aligned} &16 + (a \times b = ab) \\ &= 16 + ab \end{aligned}$$

c. **Data:**  $15 - 4x = 2(3x + 1)$

**Required To Calculate:**  $x$

**Calculation:**

$$15 - 4x = 2(3x + 1)$$

$$15 - 4x = 6x + 2$$

$$15 - 2 = 6x + 4x$$

$$10x = 13$$

$$x = \frac{13}{10}$$

$$= 1\frac{3}{10}$$

d. **Required To Factorise:** (i)  $6a^2b^3 + 12a^4b$ , (ii)  $2m^2 + 9m - 5$

**Solution:**

$$\begin{aligned} \text{(i)} \quad 6a^2b^3 + 12a^4b &= \underline{6} \times \underline{a^2} \times \underline{b} \times b^2 + 2 \times \underline{6} \times \underline{a^2} \times a^2 \times \underline{b} \\ &= 6a^2b(b^2 + 2a^2) \\ &= 6a^2b(2a^2 + b^2) \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{(ii)} \quad 2m^2 + 9m - 5 = (2m - 1)(m + 5)$$

3. **Data:** Results of 1 080 students' choices in a career guidance seminar.

Career	Lawyer	Teacher	Doctor	Artist	Salesperson
Number of students	240	189	$t$	216	330

a. **Required To Calculate:**  $t$

**Calculation:**

$$240 + 189 + t + 216 + 330 = 1080 \quad (\text{data})$$

$$t = 1080 - (240 + 189 + 216 + 330)$$

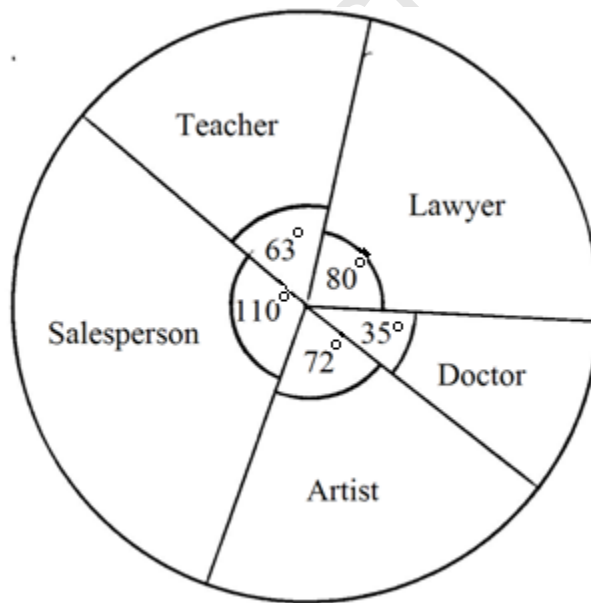
$$= 105$$

- b. (i) **Required To Calculate:** Size of the angles of the sectors in the pie chart.  
**Calculation:**

Sector illustrating	Angle of sector
Lawyer	$\frac{240}{1080} \times 360^\circ = 80^\circ$
Teacher	$\frac{189}{1080} \times 360^\circ = 63^\circ$
Doctor	$\frac{105}{1080} \times 360^\circ = 35^\circ$
Artist	$\frac{216}{1080} \times 360^\circ = 72^\circ$
Salesperson	$\frac{330}{1080} \times 360^\circ = 110^\circ$

- (ii) **Required To Draw:** Pie chart to represent the information given, using a circle of radius = 4 cm.

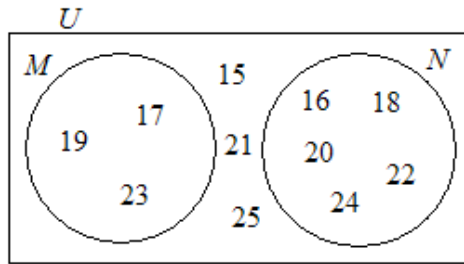
**Solution:**



4. a. **Data:** Given the universal set  $U$  and sets  $M$  and  $N$  are defined.

(i) **Required To Draw:** Venn diagram for the information given.

**Solution:**



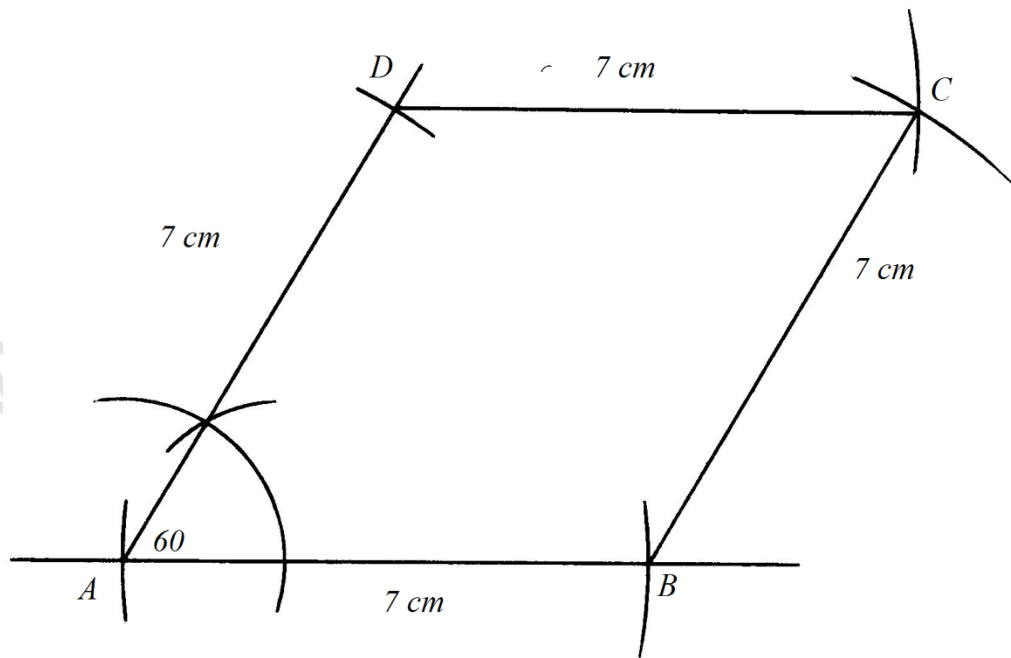
(ii) **Required To List:** Elements of the set  $(M \cup N)'$ .

**Solution:**

$$(M \cup N)' = \{15, 21, 25\} \quad (\text{as illustrated on the Venn diagram})$$

b. (i) **Required To Construct:** Parallelogram  $ABCD$ , in which  $AB = AD = 7$  cm and  $\angle BAD = 60^\circ$ .

**Solution:**

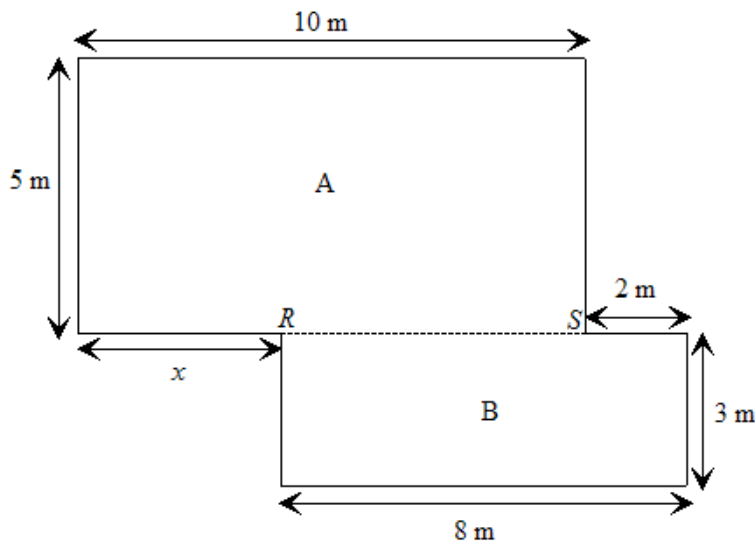


(ii) **Required To Find:** Length of diagonal  $AC$ .

**Solution:**

$AC = 12.1$  cm (by measurement).

5. **Data:** Plan of a floor with given dimensions.



a. (i) **Required To Calculate:** Length  $RS$ .

**Calculation:**

$$RS + 2 = 8 \quad (\text{From diagram})$$

$$RS = 8 - 2$$

Length of  $RS = 6$  m

(ii) **Required To Calculate:**  $x$

**Calculation:**

$$x + RS = 10 \text{ m} \quad (\text{From diagram})$$

$$x + 6 = 10$$

$$x = 4 \text{ m}$$

b. **Required To Calculate:** Perimeter of the entire floor.

**Calculation:**

Using  $R$  as the starting point and checking the total distance of all the edges, to find the perimeter of the floor.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Perimeter} &= (4 + 5 + 10 + 5 + 2 + 3 + 8 + 3) \text{ m} \\ &= 40 \text{ m} \end{aligned}$$

- c. **Required To Calculate:** Area of the entire floor.

**Calculation:**

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Area of the entire floor} &= \text{Area of region A} + \text{Area of region B} \\ &= \{(5 \times 10) + (3 \times 8)\} \\ &= 50 + 24 \\ &= 74 \text{ m}^2 \end{aligned}$$

- d. **Data:** Part A is to covered with flooring boards measuring 1 m by 20 cm.

**Required To Calculate:** Number of flooring boards needed to cover A.

**Calculation:**

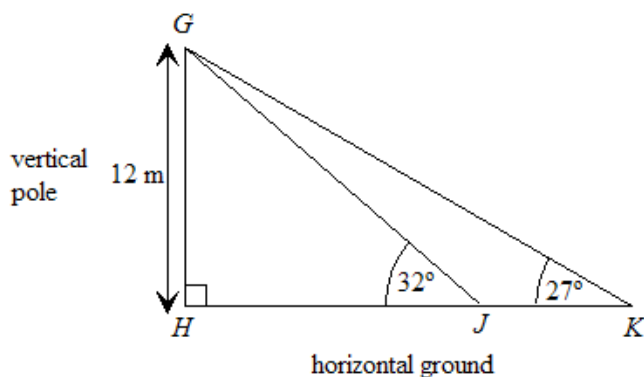
$$\begin{aligned} \text{Area of 1 flooring board} &= 1 \text{ m} \times 20 \text{ cm} \\ &= 1 \text{ m} \times \frac{20}{100} \text{ m} \\ &= \frac{20}{100} \text{ m}^2 \\ &= \frac{1}{5} \text{ m}^2 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Number of flooring boards needed to cover A} &= \frac{\text{Area of A}}{\text{Area of 1 board}} \\ &= \frac{5 \times 10}{\frac{1}{5}} \\ &= 250 \\ \text{No. of boards} &= 250 \end{aligned}$$

6. a. **Data:** Diagram showing a vertical pole and  $H, J$  and  $K$ , points on the horizontal ground.

(i) **Required To Complete:** Diagram by inserting the angles of elevation.

**Solution:**



(ii) (a) **Required To Calculate:** Length of  $HJ$ .

**Calculation:**

$$\tan 32^\circ = \frac{12}{HJ}$$

$$\therefore HJ = \frac{12}{\tan 32^\circ}$$

$$= 19.20 \text{ m}$$

$$= 19.2 \text{ m (to 1 decimal place)}$$

(b) **Required To Calculate:** The length of  $JK$ .

**Calculation:**

$$\tan 27^\circ = \frac{12}{HK}$$

$$\therefore HK = \frac{12}{\tan 27^\circ}$$

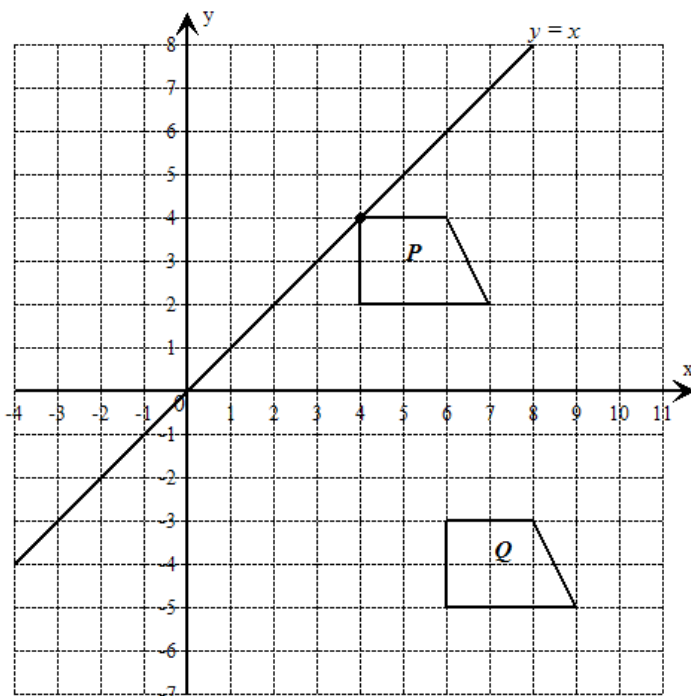
$$= 23.55 \text{ m}$$

$$\text{Length of } JK = 23.55 - 19.2$$

$$= 4.35$$

$$= 4.4 \text{ m (to 1 decimal place)}$$

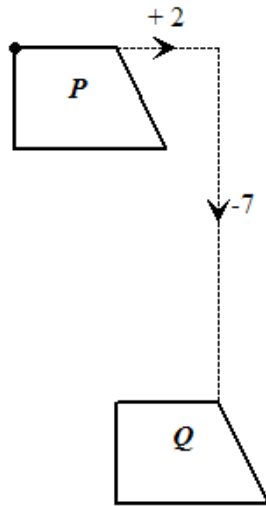
b. **Data:** Diagram on axes illustrating figure  $P$  and congruent figure  $Q$ .





- (i) **Required To Describe:** The transformation that  $P$  undergoes to produce  $Q$ .

**Solution:**



$P$  is mapped onto  $Q$  by a horizontal shift of 2 units to the right and a vertical shift of 7 units downwards.

This is a translation,  $T$ , where  $T = \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ -7 \end{pmatrix}$ .

- (ii) (a) **Required To Draw:** The line  $y = x$  on the answer sheet.
- (b) **Required To Draw:**  $S$ , the image of  $P$  under a reflection in the line  $y = x$ .

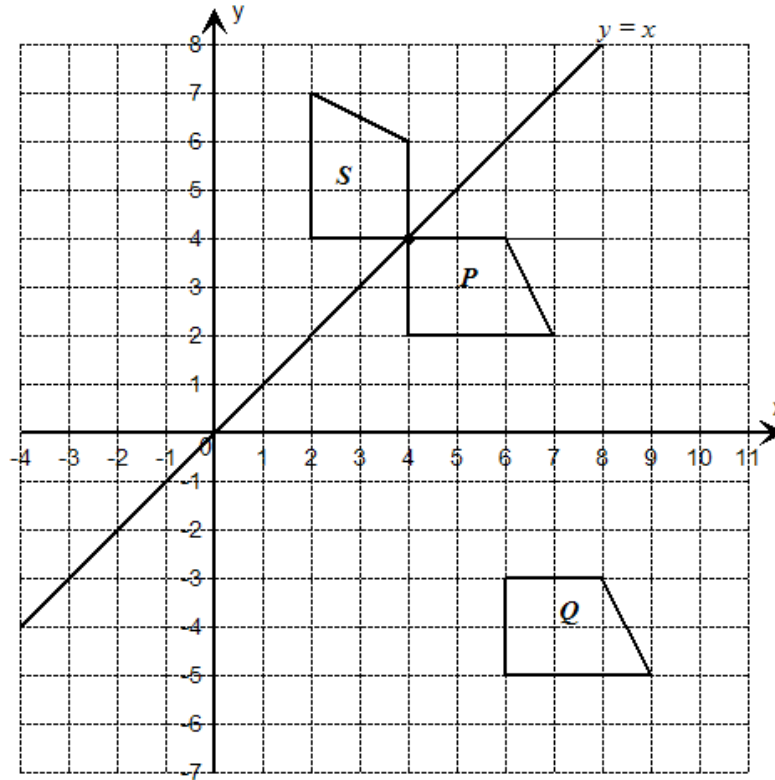
**Solution:**

$P$  onto  $S$  by a reflection in the line  $y = x$ .

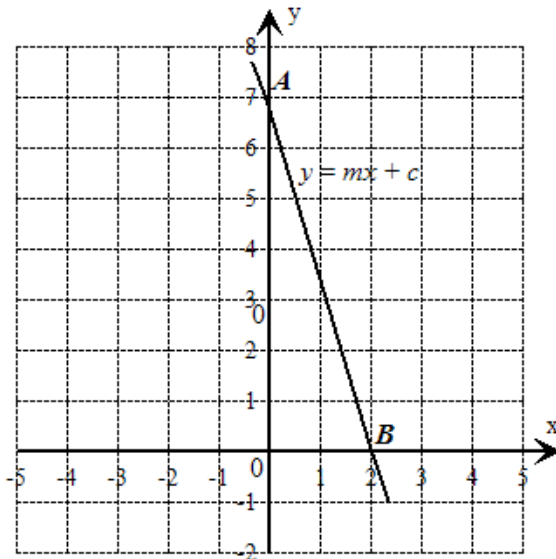
$$\therefore P \xrightarrow{\begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}} S$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 4 & 6 & 7 & 4 \\ 4 & 4 & 2 & 2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 4 & 4 & 2 & 2 \\ 4 & 6 & 7 & 4 \end{pmatrix}$$

Coordinates of the vertices of $P$	Coordinates of the vertices of $S$
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7. **Data:** Diagram of a straight line cutting the axes at  $A$  and  $B$ .



a. (i) **Required To Calculate:**  $c$

**Calculation:**

From the diagram, the straight line cuts the vertical axis at  $A (0, 7)$ ,  
Hence,  $c = 7$ .

(ii) **Required To Calculate:**  $m$

**Calculation:**

From the diagram  $B = (2, 0)$

$$\text{Gradient of } AB = \frac{7-0}{0-2} = m$$

$$m = -\frac{7}{2}$$

(iii) **Required To Calculate:** Midpoint of  $AB$ .

**Calculation:**

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Midpoint of } AB &= \left( \frac{0+2}{2}, \frac{7+0}{2} \right) \\ &= \left( 1, 3\frac{1}{2} \right) \end{aligned}$$

b. **Data:** The point  $(-2, k)$  lies on the line.

**Required To Calculate:**  $k$

**Calculation:**

Equation of  $AB$  is  $y = mx + c$ , where  $m = -3\frac{1}{2}$  and  $c = 7$ , that is

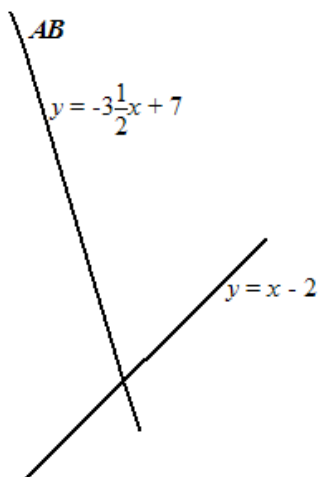
$$y = -3\frac{1}{2}x + 7$$

$(-2, k)$  lies on the graph.

$$\begin{aligned} k &= \left( -3\frac{1}{2} \right)(-2) + 7 \\ &= 14 \end{aligned}$$

c. **Required To Calculate:** Point of intersection of  $y = x - 2$  and the given line.

**Calculation:**



To determine the point of intersection of  $y = x - 2$  and  $AB$ , we solve the equations simultaneously.

Let

$$y = -3\frac{1}{2}x + 7 \dots(1)$$

$$y = x - 2 \dots(2)$$

Equating (1) and (2)

$$-3\frac{1}{2}x + 7 = x - 2$$

$$7 + 2 = x + 3\frac{1}{2}x$$

$$9 = 4\frac{1}{2}x$$

$$x = \frac{9}{4\frac{1}{2}}$$

$$= 2$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{When } x = 2 \quad y &= 2 - 2 \\ &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

$\therefore$  The point of intersection of the two lines is (2, 0).

8. **Data:** Annie bought 6 each of four different kind of stamps.

a. **Required To Calculate:** Total cost of the stamps.

**Calculation:**

Cost of 6 stamps at \$4.00 each = \$24.00

Cost of 6 stamps at \$2.50 each = \$15.00

Cost of 6 stamps at \$1.20 each = \$ 7.20

Cost of 6 stamps at \$1.00 each = \$ 6.00

Total = \$52.20

Hence, the total cost of the stamps that Annie bought = \$52.20

b. **Data:** Cost of Annie posting a parcel was \$25.70

(i) **Required To Calculate:** Stamps that she can select using as many \$4.00 stamps as possible.

**Calculation:**

Cost of posting a parcel is \$25.70

Using

5 stamps at \$4.00 each = \$20.00

1 stamp at \$2.50 each = \$ 2.50

1 stamp at \$1.20 each = \$ 1.20

2 stamps at \$1.00 each = \$ 2.00

Total is exactly = \$ 25.70

- (ii) **Required To Calculate:** Stamps that she can select using all her \$1.00 stamps.

**Calculate:**

Using

$$\text{All 6 stamps at \$1.00 each} = \$ 6.00$$

$$4 \text{ stamps at \$4.00 each} = \$16.00$$

$$1 \text{ stamp at \$2.50 each} = \$ 2.50$$

$$1 \text{ stamp at \$1.20 each} = \underline{\$ 1.20}$$

$$\text{Total is exactly} = \underline{\$25.70}$$

- c. (i), (ii) **Required To Calculate:** The largest number of stamps she can use and list the selection of stamps she can use.

**Calculation:**

To use the most number of stamps, Annie must use

$$6 \text{ stamps at \$1.00} = \$ 6.00$$

$$6 \text{ stamps at \$1.20} = \$ 7.20$$

$$5 \text{ stamps at \$2.50} = \$12.50$$

$$\text{Total is exactly} = \$25.70$$

$$\text{And the maximum number of stamps} = 6 + 6 + 5 = 17$$

9. a. (i) **Required To Simplify:**  $x^2 \times x^3 \div x^4$

**Solution:**

$$x^2 \times x^3 \div x^4 = x^{2+3-4}$$

$$= x^1$$

$$= x$$

- (ii) **Required To Simplify:**  $a^{\frac{3}{2}}b^{\frac{5}{2}} \times \sqrt{ab^3}$

**Solution:**

$$a^{\frac{3}{2}}b^{\frac{5}{2}} \times \sqrt{ab^3} = a^{\frac{3}{2}}b^{\frac{5}{2}} \times (ab^3)^{\frac{1}{2}}$$

$$= a^{\frac{3}{2}}b^{\frac{5}{2}}a^{\frac{1}{2}}b^{\frac{3}{2}}$$

$$= a^{\frac{3}{2}+\frac{1}{2}}b^{\frac{5}{2}+\frac{3}{2}}$$

$$= a^2b^4$$

- b. **Data:**  $f(x) = 2x - 3$

- (i) **Required To Calculate:**  $f(2)$

**Calculation:**

$$f(2) = 2(2) - 3$$

$$= 4 - 3$$

$$= 1$$

(ii) **Required To Calculate:**  $f^{-1}(0)$

**Calculation:**

Let

$$y = 2x - 3$$

$$y + 3 = 2x$$

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

Replace  $y$  by  $x$

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

$$f^{-1}(0) = \frac{0 + 3}{2}$$

$$= 1\frac{1}{2}$$

(iii) **Required To Calculate:**  $f^{-1}f(2)$

**Calculation:**

$$f(2) = 1$$

$$\therefore f^{-1}f(2) = f^{-1}(1)$$

$$= \frac{1 + 3}{2}$$

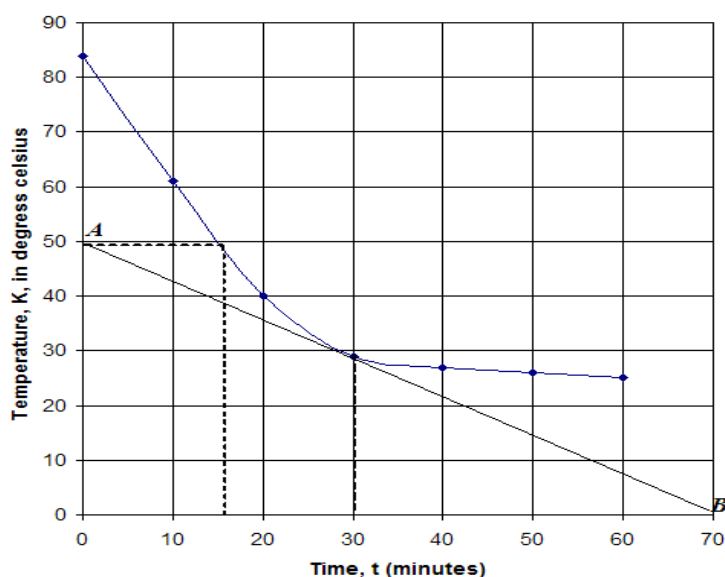
$$= 2$$

c. **Data:** Table of values of temperature vs time for a liquid as its cools.

(i) **Required To Draw:** The curve to represent the information given.

**Solution:**

**Graph of Temperature vs Time**



**Note:**

Scale is

Horizontal axis, 2 cm  $\equiv$  10 minutes, and not 10 seconds as printed.

- (ii) (a) **Required To Find:** Temperature of the liquid after 15 minutes.

**Solution:**

The temperature of the liquid after 15 minutes is approximately  $49.5^{\circ}\text{C}$ . (Read off).

- (b) **Required To Find:** Rate of cooling of the liquid at  $t = 30$ .

**Solution:**

The tangent to the curve at  $t = 30$  cuts the axes at A and B as shown.

A is (0, 50) and B is (70, 0)

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Gradient } AB &= -\frac{50}{70} \\ &= -0.7\bar{1} \\ &= -0.7^{\circ}\text{C min}^{-1}\end{aligned}$$

(The negative sign  $\Rightarrow$  temperature is decreasing.)

The rate of cooling of the liquid at  $t = 30$  minutes is  $0.7^{\circ}\text{C min}^{-1}$ .

10. a. **Data:**  $y + 4x = 27$  and  $xy + x = 40$

**Required To Calculate:**  $x$  and  $y$

**Calculation:**

Let

$$y + 4x = 27 \dots(1)$$

$$xy + x = 40 \dots(2)$$

From (1)

$$y = 27 - 4x$$

Substitute in (2)

$$x(27 - 4x) + x = 40$$

$$27x - 4x^2 + x = 40$$

$$4x^2 - 28x + 40 = 0$$

$\div 4$

$$x^2 - 7x + 10 = 0$$

$$(x - 2)(x - 5) = 0$$

$$x = 2 \text{ or } 5$$

$$\text{When } x = 2 \quad y = 27 - 4(2) = 19$$

$$\text{When } x = 5 \quad y = 27 - 4(5) = 7$$

Hence,  $x = 2$  and  $y = 19$  **OR**  $x = 5$  and  $y = 7$ .

- b. (i) **Data:** A shaded region illustrating a set of inequalities representing boys and girls in a cricket club

- (a) **Required To State:** Whether the cricket club can have 10 boys and 5 girls.

**Solution:**

$x$  = no. of boys and  $y$  = no. of girls

If  $x = 10$  and  $y = 5$ , we note that the point  $(10, 5)$  does not lie in the shaded region. Hence, the club cannot have 10 boys and 5 girls.

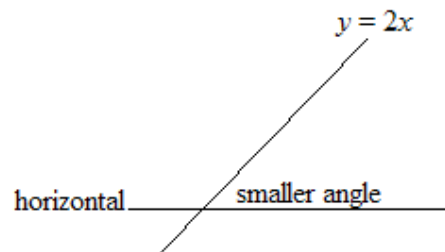
- (b) **Required To State:** Whether the cricket club can have 6 boys and 6 girls.

**Solution:**

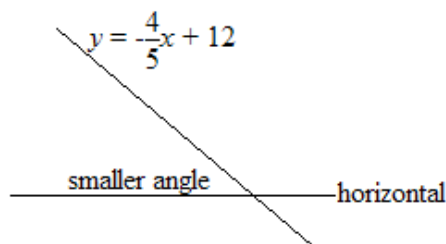
If  $x = 6$  and  $y = 6$  we note that the point  $(6, 6)$  lies within the shaded region. Hence, the club can have 6 boys and 6 girls.

- (ii) **Required To Find:** The inequalities that defines the shaded region.

**Solution:**



The region with the shaded is on the side with the smaller angle. Hence, the region is  $y < 2x$ . (It may be  $y \leq 2x$  if the line is included).



The region shaded is on the side with the smaller angle. Hence, the region is  $y < -\frac{4}{5}x + 12$ . (It may be  $y \leq -\frac{4}{5}x + 12$  if the line is included).



The region shaded is above the horizontal  $y = 2$ . Hence, the region is  $y > 2$ . (It may be  $y \geq 2$  if the line is included).



- (iii) (a) **Data:** Profit of \$3.00 made on boy's uniform and profit of \$5.00 made of a girl's uniform.

**Required To Find:** An expression in  $x$  and  $y$  for the total profit made.

**Solution:**

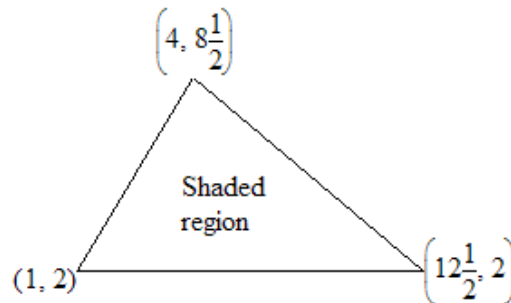
The profit on  $x$  boy's uniforms at \$3 each and  $y$  girls uniforms at \$5 each =  $(x \times 3) + (5 \times y)$

Let the total profit be  $P$ .

$$P = 3x + 5y$$

- (b) **Required To Calculate:** The minimum profit the company can make.

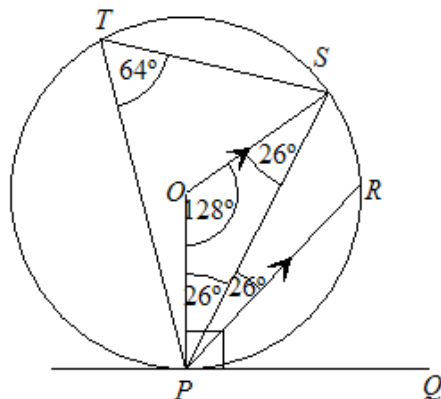
**Calculation:**



The minimum profit will be made when  $x = 1$  and  $y = 2$ .

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore P_{\min} &= 3(1) + 5(2) \\ &= \$13 \end{aligned}$$

11. a. **Data:** Diagram, shown below, with circle centre  $O$ ,  $\hat{SPR} = 26^\circ$  and  $OS$  parallel to  $PR$ .



(i) **Required To Calculate:**  $\hat{PTS}$

**Calculation:**

$$\hat{OSP} = 26^\circ$$

(alternate angles).

$$OS = OP \text{ (radii)}$$

$$\hat{OPR} = 26^\circ$$

(Base angles of an isosceles triangle are equal).

Hence,

$$\hat{SOP} = 180^\circ - (26^\circ + 26^\circ)$$

$$= 128^\circ$$

(Sum of angles in a triangle =  $180^\circ$ ).

$$\hat{PTS} = \frac{1}{2}(128^\circ)$$

$$= 64^\circ$$

(The angle subtended by a chord at the centre of the circle is twice the angle subtended at the circumference, standing on the same arc).

(ii) **Required To Calculate:**  $\hat{RPQ}$

**Calculation:**

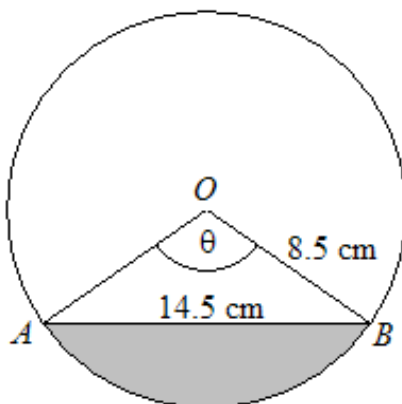
$$\hat{OPQ} = 90^\circ$$

(The angle made by a tangent to a circle with radius, at the point of contact =  $90^\circ$ ).

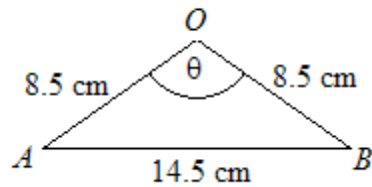
$$\hat{RPQ} = 90^\circ - (26^\circ + 26^\circ)$$

$$= 38^\circ$$

b. **Data:** Diagram showing a circle, centre  $O$  and chord  $AB = 14.5$  cm.



- (i) **Required To Calculate:** The value of  $\theta$ .  
**Calculation:**

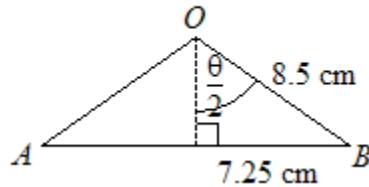


$$(14.5)^2 = (8.5)^2 + (8.5)^2 - 2(8.5)(8.5)\cos\theta \text{ (cos law)}$$

$$\theta = \cos^{-1}(-0.454) = 117.06$$

$$= 117^\circ \text{ (to the nearest degree)}$$

OR



$$\sin \frac{\theta}{2} = \frac{7.25}{8.5}$$

$$\frac{\theta}{2} = 58.533$$

$$\theta = 58.533 \times 2$$

$$= 117.06$$

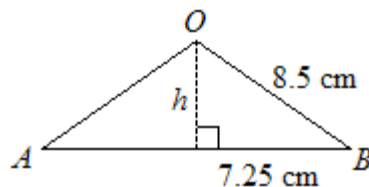
$$= 117^\circ \text{ (to the nearest degree)}$$

- (ii) **Required To Calculate:** Area of triangle AOB.  
**Calculation:**

$$\text{Area of } \triangle AOB = \frac{1}{2}(8.5)(8.5)\sin 117^\circ$$

$$= 32.2 \text{ cm}^2$$

OR



$$\begin{aligned} h &= \sqrt{(8.5)^2 - (7.25)^2} \\ &= \sqrt{19.6875} \\ &= 4.437 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Area} &= \frac{14.5 \times 4.437}{2} \\ &= 32.2 \text{ cm}^2 \end{aligned}$$

**OR**

$$\begin{aligned} s &= \frac{8.5 + 8.5 + 14.5}{2} \\ &= 15.75 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Area} &= \sqrt{15.75(15.75 - 8.5)(15.75 - 8.5)(15.75 - 14.5)} \quad (\text{Heron's Formula}) \\ &= 32.2 \text{ cm}^2 \end{aligned}$$

(iii) **Required To Calculate:** Area of the shaded region.

**Calculation:**

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Area of the shaded segment} &= \text{Area of sector } AOB - \text{Area of } \triangle AOB \\ &= \frac{117^\circ}{360^\circ} \times \pi(8.5)^2 - 32.2 \\ &= 41.5 \text{ cm}^2 \end{aligned}$$

(iv) **Required To Calculate:** Length of major arc  $AB$ .

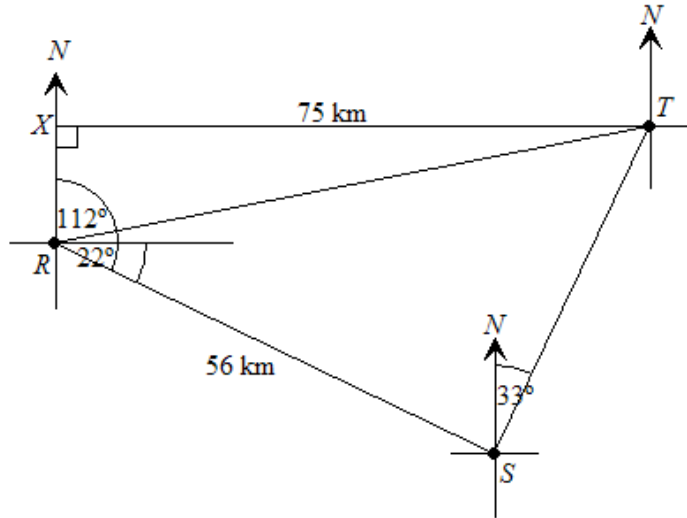
**Calculation:**

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Angle of major sector} &= 360^\circ - 117^\circ \\ \text{Length of major arc} &= \left( \frac{360^\circ - 117^\circ}{360^\circ} \right) \times 2\pi(8.5) \\ &= 36.05 \text{ cm} \end{aligned}$$

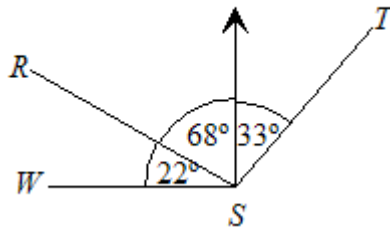
12. **Data:** Ship sails from point  $R$  to  $S$  and then to  $T$ .

a. **Required To Draw:** Diagram showing the journey of the ship from  $R$  to  $S$  to  $T$ .

**Solution:**



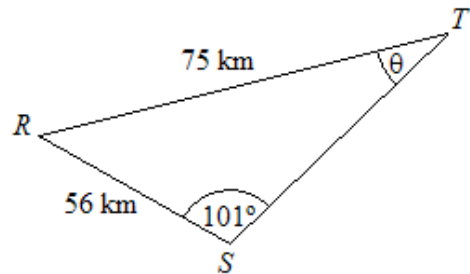
- b. (i) **Required To Calculate:**  $\widehat{RST}$   
**Calculation:**



$$\begin{aligned}\widehat{RST} &= 68^\circ + 33' \\ &= 101^\circ\end{aligned}$$

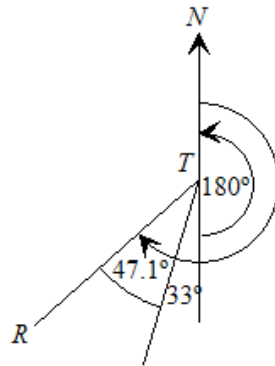
- (ii) **Required To Calculate:**  $\widehat{RTS}$   
**Calculation:**

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Let } \widehat{RTS} &= \theta \\ \frac{56}{\sin\theta} &= \frac{75}{\sin 101^\circ} \text{ (sin rule)} \\ \sin\theta &= \frac{56\sin 101^\circ}{75} \\ &= 0.733 \\ \theta &= \sin^{-1} 0.733 \\ &= 47.13\end{aligned}$$



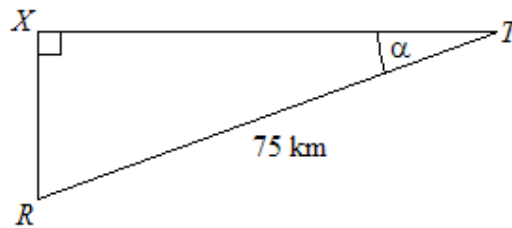
$$= 47.1^\circ \text{ (to the nearest 0.1 of a degree)}$$

- (iii) **Required To Calculate:** Bearing from R to T.  
**Calculation:**



$$\therefore \text{The bearing from } R \text{ to } T = 180^\circ + 33^\circ + 47.1^\circ \\ = 260.1^\circ$$

- c. (ii) **Required To Calculate:** Distance  $TX$ .  
**Calculation:**



$$\alpha = 90^\circ - (47.1^\circ + 33^\circ) \\ = 9.9^\circ$$

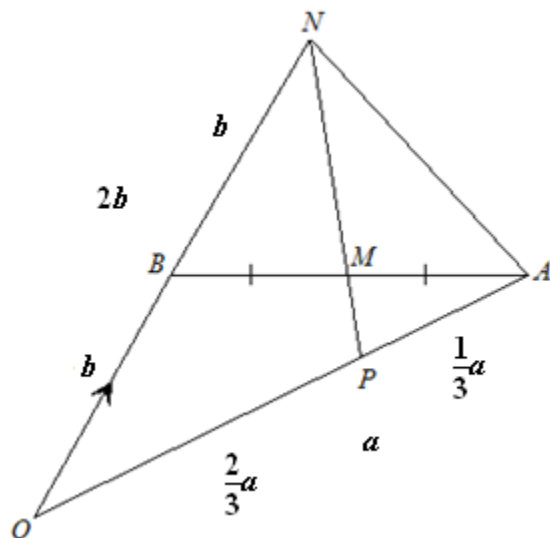
$$\cos 9.9^\circ = \frac{TX}{75}$$

$$TX = 75 \cos 9.9^\circ \\ = 73.88 \text{ km}$$

13. **Data:**  $\vec{OA} = a$ ,  $\vec{OB} = b$ ,  $P$  is on  $OA$  such that  $\vec{OP} = 2PA$  and  $M$  is on  $BA$  such that  $BM = MA$  and  $OB$  is produced to  $N$  such that  $OB = BN$ .

- a. **Required To Draw:** The diagram showing the points  $P$  and  $M$ .

**Solution:**



- b. **Required To Express:**  $\overrightarrow{AB}$ ,  $\overrightarrow{PA}$  and  $\overrightarrow{PM}$  in terms of  $a$  and  $b$ .

**Solution:**

$$\begin{aligned}\overrightarrow{AB} &= \overrightarrow{AO} + \overrightarrow{OB} \\ &= -(a) + b \\ &= -a + b\end{aligned}$$

If

$$\overrightarrow{OP} = 2PA, \text{ then}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\overrightarrow{OP} &= \frac{2}{3}\overrightarrow{OA} \\ &= \frac{2}{3}a\end{aligned}$$

and

$$\overrightarrow{PA} = \frac{1}{3}a$$

$$\begin{aligned}\overrightarrow{PM} &= \overrightarrow{PA} + \overrightarrow{AM} \\ &= \frac{1}{3}a + \overrightarrow{AM}\end{aligned}$$

$$\overrightarrow{AM} = \frac{1}{2}\overrightarrow{AB}$$

$$\overrightarrow{PM} = \frac{1}{3}a + \frac{1}{2}(-a + b)$$

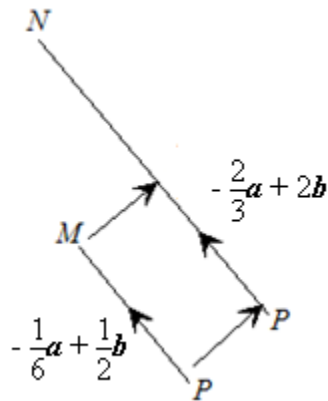
$$= \frac{1}{3}a - \frac{1}{2}a + \frac{1}{2}b$$

$$= -\frac{1}{6}a + \frac{1}{2}b$$

- c. **Required To Prove:**  $P$ ,  $M$  and  $N$  are collinear.

**Proof:**

$$\begin{aligned}
 OB &= BN \\
 \overrightarrow{ON} &= 2b \\
 \overrightarrow{PN} &= \overrightarrow{PO} + \overrightarrow{ON} \\
 &= -\frac{2}{3}a + 2b \\
 &= 4\left(-\frac{1}{6}a + \frac{1}{2}b\right)
 \end{aligned}$$



$\therefore \overrightarrow{PN} = 4\overrightarrow{PM}$ , that is a scalar multiple. Hence,  $\overrightarrow{PN}$  is parallel to  $\overrightarrow{PM}$ ,  $P$  is a common point,  $M$  must lie on  $PN$  and  $P, M$  and  $N$  lie on the same straight line, that is they are collinear.

**Q.E.D**

d. **Data:**  $a = \begin{pmatrix} 6 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$  and  $b = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$

**Required To Calculate:** Length of  $AN$ .

**Calculation:**

$$\begin{aligned}
 \overrightarrow{AN} &= \overrightarrow{AO} + \overrightarrow{ON} \\
 &= -a + 2b \\
 &= -\begin{pmatrix} 6 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} + 2\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} \\
 &= \begin{pmatrix} -4 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{Length of } AN &= \sqrt{(-4)^2 + (2)^2} \\
 &= \sqrt{20} \\
 &= 2\sqrt{5} \text{ units}
 \end{aligned}$$



14. a. **Data:**  $X = \begin{pmatrix} -2 & 0 \\ 5 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$  and  $Y = \begin{pmatrix} 4 & -1 \\ 3 & 7 \end{pmatrix}$ .

**Required To Calculate:**  $X^2 + Y$

**Calculation:**

$$\begin{aligned} X^2 &= \begin{pmatrix} -2 & 0 \\ 5 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} -2 & 0 \\ 5 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \\ &= \begin{pmatrix} e_{11} & e_{12} \\ e_{21} & e_{22} \end{pmatrix} \\ &= \begin{pmatrix} (-2 \times -2) + (0 \times 5) & (2 \times 0) + (0 \times 1) \\ (5 \times -2) + (1 \times 5) & (5 \times 0) + (1 \times 1) \end{pmatrix} \\ &= \begin{pmatrix} 4 & 0 \\ -5 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} X^2 + Y &= \begin{pmatrix} 4 & 0 \\ -5 & 1 \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} 4 & -1 \\ 3 & 7 \end{pmatrix} \\ &= \begin{pmatrix} 8 & -1 \\ -2 & 8 \end{pmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

b. **Data:**  $Q \xrightarrow{\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 1 & 3 \end{pmatrix}} Q'$

**Required To Find:**  $2 \times 2$  matrix that maps  $Q'$  back to  $Q$ .

**Solution:**

$$\begin{aligned} Q &\xrightarrow{\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 1 & 3 \end{pmatrix}} Q' \\ \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} &\xrightarrow{\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 1 & 3 \end{pmatrix}} \begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ 7 \end{pmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

Let

$$M = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 1 & 3 \end{pmatrix}$$

If  $M$  maps  $Q$  onto  $Q'$ , then  $M^{-1}$  maps  $Q'$  onto  $Q$ .

$$\begin{aligned} \det M &= (1 \times 3) - (2 \times 1) \\ &= 3 - 2 \\ &= 1 \end{aligned}$$

$$M^{-1} = \frac{1}{1} \begin{pmatrix} 3 & -(2) \\ -(1) & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

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

$$\therefore Q' \rightarrow Q \text{ by } \begin{pmatrix} 3 & -2 \\ -1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

**Note:** The coordinates of  $Q$  and  $Q'$  are totally irrelevant in this question.

c. **Data:**  $DEF \xrightarrow{\text{Enlargement}} D'E'F'$

(i) (a) **Required To Calculate:** Scale factor  $k$ .

**Calculation:**

Let the enlargement be  $L$ .  $L$  has a centre  $O$  and scale factor  $k$ .  $L$

may be represented by  $\begin{pmatrix} k & 0 \\ 0 & k \end{pmatrix}$ .

$$\begin{pmatrix} k & 0 \\ 0 & k \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 5 \\ 12 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 7\frac{1}{2} \\ 18 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 5k \\ 12k \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 7\frac{1}{2} \\ 18 \end{pmatrix}$$

Equating corresponding entries.

$$5k = 7\frac{1}{2}$$

$$k = 1\frac{1}{2}$$

**OR**

$$12k = 18$$

$$k = 1\frac{1}{2}$$

(b) **Required To Find:** Coordinates of  $E'$  and  $F'$

**Solution:**

The translation matrix for  $L$  is

$$L = \begin{pmatrix} 1\frac{1}{2} & 0 \\ 0 & 1\frac{1}{2} \end{pmatrix}$$

and similarly

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1\frac{1}{2} & 0 \\ 0 & 1\frac{1}{2} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 8 \\ 7 & 4 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 & 12 \\ 10\frac{1}{2} & 6 \end{pmatrix} \text{ and}$$

$$E' = \left(3, 10\frac{1}{2}\right) \text{ and } F' = (12, 6)$$

(ii) **Data:**  $D'E'F'$  undergoes a clockwise rotation of  $90^\circ$  about the origin.

(a) **Required To Find:**  $2 \times 2$  matrix that represents the transformation.

**Solution:**

The  $2 \times 2$  matrix that represents a  $90^\circ$  clockwise rotation about  $O$

is  $\begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$ .

(b) **Required To Find:** Coordinates of  $D''$ ,  $E''$  and  $F''$

**Solution:**

$$\begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 7\frac{1}{2} & 3 & 12 \\ 18 & 10\frac{1}{2} & 6 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} \left(0 \times 7\frac{1}{2}\right) + (1 \times 18) & (0 \times 3) + \left(1 \times 10\frac{1}{2}\right) & (0 \times 12) + (1 \times 6) \\ \left(-1 \times 7\frac{1}{2}\right) + (0 \times 18) & (-1 \times 3) + \left(0 \times 10\frac{1}{2}\right) & (-1 \times 12) + (0 \times 6) \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} 18 & 10\frac{1}{2} & 6 \\ -7\frac{1}{2} & -3 & -12 \end{pmatrix}$$

Hence  $D'' = \left(18, -7\frac{1}{2}\right)$ ,  $E'' = \left(10\frac{1}{2}, -3\right)$  and  $F'' = (6, -12)$ .

(c) **Required To Find:**  $2 \times 2$  matrix that maps  $DEF$  onto  $D''E''F''$ .

**Solution:**

$$\triangle DEF \xrightarrow{\begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{2} & 0 \\ 0 & \frac{1}{2} \end{pmatrix}} \triangle D'E'F' \xrightarrow{\begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}} \triangle D''E''F''$$

$$\triangle DEF \xrightarrow{\begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \times \begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{2} & 0 \\ 0 & \frac{1}{2} \end{pmatrix}} \triangle D''E''F''$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{2} & 0 \\ 0 & \frac{1}{2} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \left(0 \times \frac{1}{2}\right) + (1 \times 0) & (0 \times 0) + \left(1 \times \frac{1}{2}\right) \\ \left(-1 \times \frac{1}{2}\right) + (0 \times 0) & (-1 \times 0) + \left(0 \times \frac{1}{2}\right) \end{pmatrix}$$

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

Hence, the single matrix that maps  $\triangle DEF$  onto  $\triangle D''E''F''$  is

$$\begin{pmatrix} 0 & \frac{1}{2} \\ -\frac{1}{2} & 0 \end{pmatrix}.$$

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