

St. Stephen's Girls' College
Final Examination 2016-2017

Form 2
168 students

LC, WMC, LHK, LL, CYN, MLW

MATHEMATICS

Paper I

Time Allowed: 1 hour 30 minutes

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Class: _____ **Division:** _____

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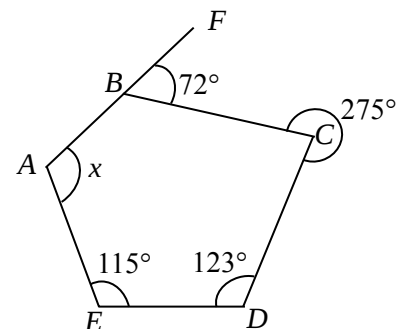
- Attempt **ALL** questions.
- Write your answers in the spaces provided in this **Question-Answer Paper**.
- **ALL** working must be clearly shown.
- The diagrams in this paper are not necessarily drawn to scale.
- This paper carries 100 marks.

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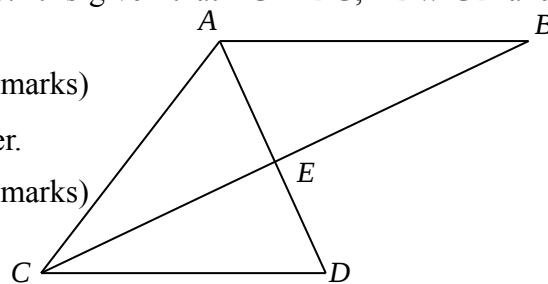
1. In the figure, ABF is a straight line. Find x .

(5 marks)

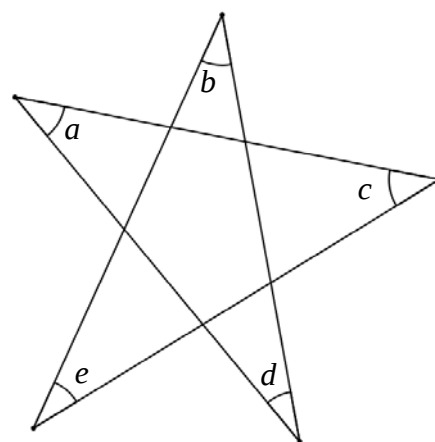


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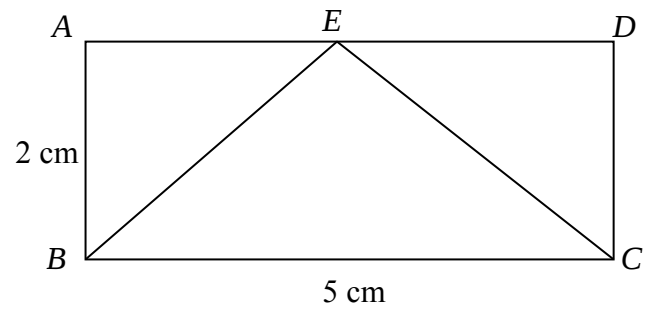
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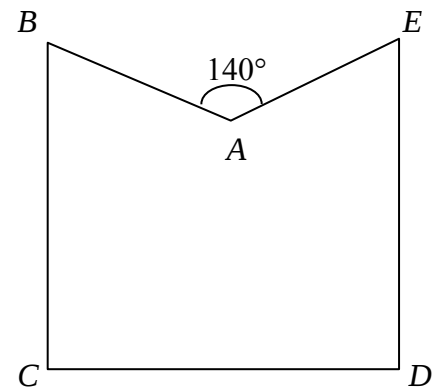
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4. In the figure, $ABCD$ is a rectangle. If E is a point lying on AD such that $\angle ABE = 50^\circ$, find $\angle CED$.
(Correct your answer to 3 significant figures.) (4 marks)



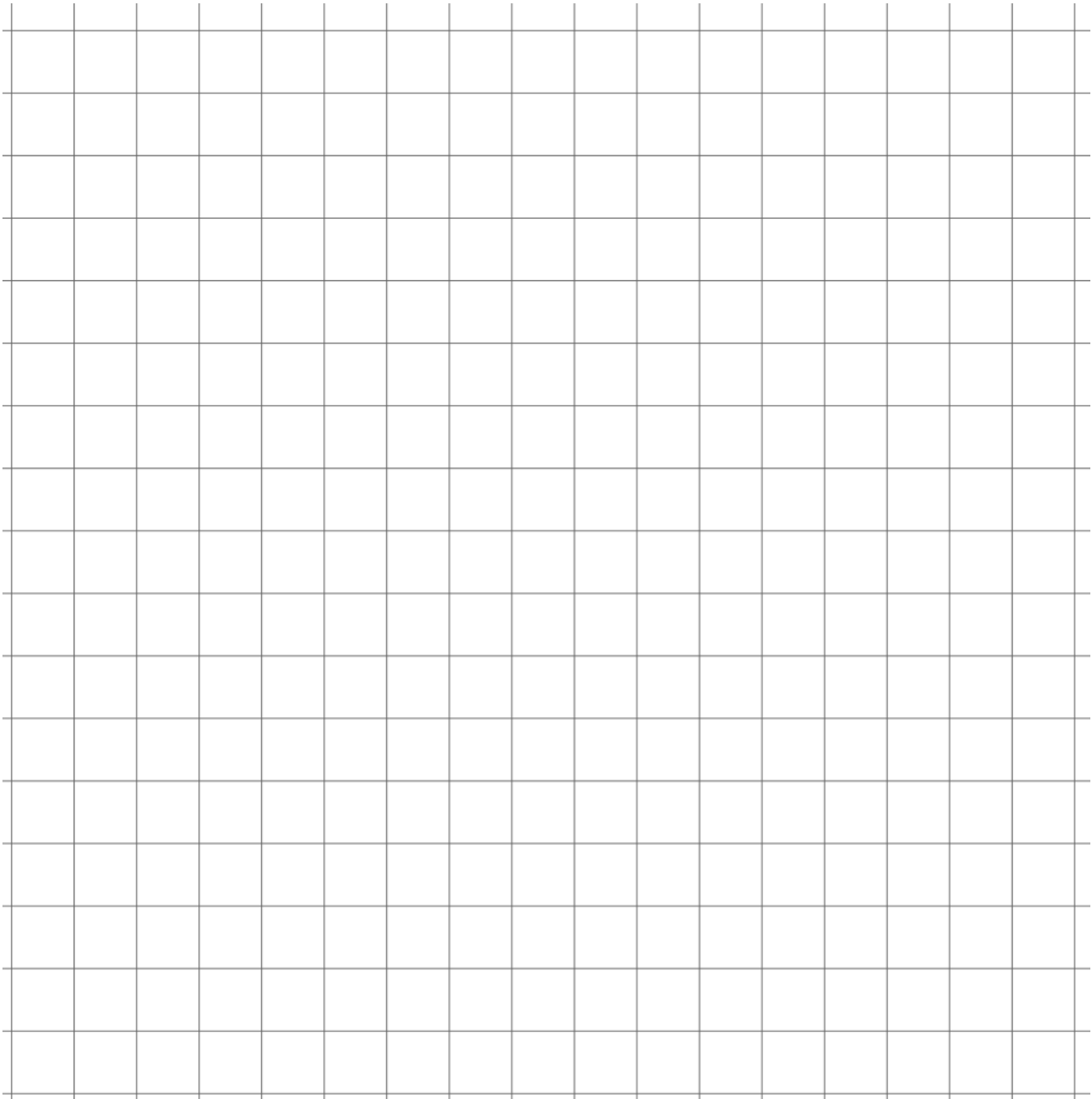
5. In the figure, $AB = AE$, $\angle BCD = \angle EDC = 90^\circ$ and $\angle BAE = 140^\circ$. If $BC = CD = DE = 8$ cm, find the perimeter of the pentagon $ABCDE$. (Correct your answer to 3 significant figures.) (4 marks)



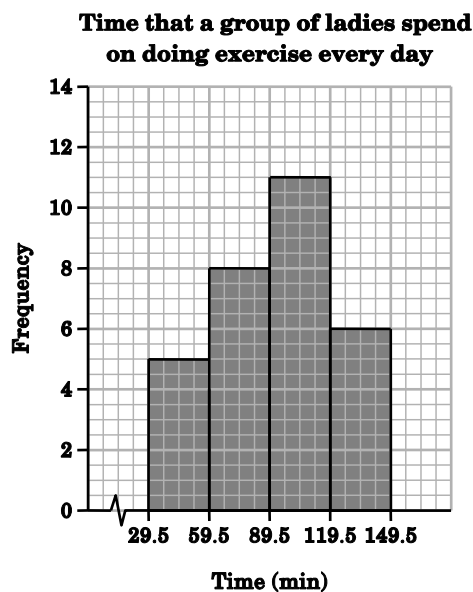
6. (a) Complete the table for the equation $y = -2x + 3$. (2 marks)

x	-2	0	2	5
y				

(b) According to the table in (a), draw the graph of $y = -2x + 3$ on the graph paper provided below. (5 marks)



7. The histogram below shows the distribution of the time that a group of ladies spend on doing exercise every day.



- (a) Complete the following frequency distribution table according to this histogram. (4 marks)

Class Boundaries (min)	Class Mark (min)	Frequency

- (b) Complete the corresponding cumulative frequency distribution table. (2 marks)

Time less than (min)	29.5				
Cumulative frequency					

- (c) What percentage of ladies spend 89.5 min or more on doing exercise every day? (Correct your answer to 3 significant figures.) (2 marks)

8. If $(2a + b) : (3a + 4b) = 2 : 5$, find $a : b$.

(3 marks)

9. (a) Rationalize the denominator of $\frac{10}{\sqrt{5}}$.

(2 marks)

(b) Hence, simplify $\frac{10}{\sqrt{5}} + 3\sqrt{5}$.

(1 mark)

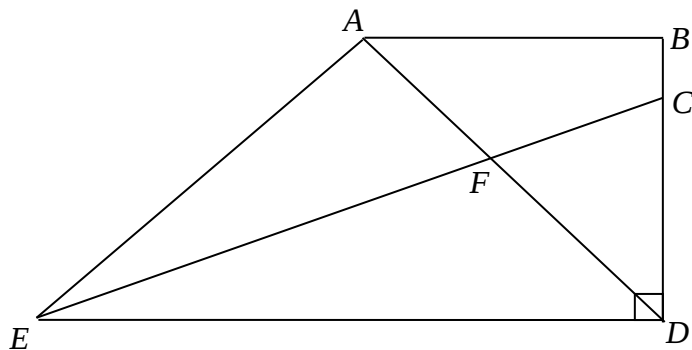
10. It is given that $a = \sqrt{5}$ and $b = \sqrt{7}$. Express $\sqrt{35} + \sqrt{140}$ in terms of a and b . (3 marks)

11. (a) Simplify $2 \sin x + \cos x \tan x$. (2 marks)

- (b) Without using a calculator, find the value of $\frac{\tan 60^\circ}{\sin 45^\circ}$ in surd form and rationalize the denominator of your answer if necessary. (3 marks)

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- (2 marks)

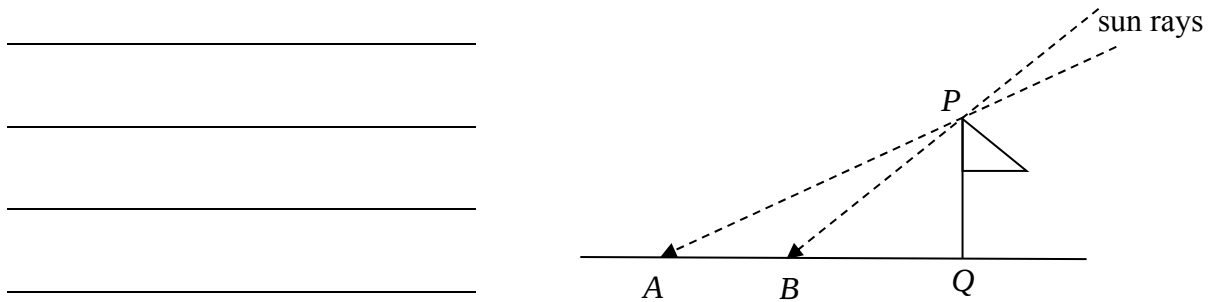


14. In the figure, when sun rays make an angle of 18° with the horizontal ground, AQ is the shadow of a vertical pole PQ . It is known that when sun rays make an angle of 25° with the horizontal ground, the shadow of the pole becomes BQ which is 0.5 m shorter than AQ . Suppose BQ is x m.

(a) By considering $\triangle PBQ$, express PQ in terms of x . (2 marks)

(b) By considering $\triangle PAQ$, express PQ in terms of x . (2 marks)

(c) Hence, find the height of the pole PQ . (Correct your answer to 3 significant figures.) (3 marks)



15. (a) Factorize $8c + 24$. (1 mark)
(b) Factorize $ac + bc + 3a + 3b$. (2 marks)
(c) Using the results of (a) and (b), factorize $ac + bc + 3a + 3b + 8c + 24$. (2 marks)

16. (a) Simplify $\frac{1}{a+1} + \frac{1}{b-1}$. (2 marks)

- (b) Make a the subject of the following formula, where $a + b \neq 0$:

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

(4 marks)

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