

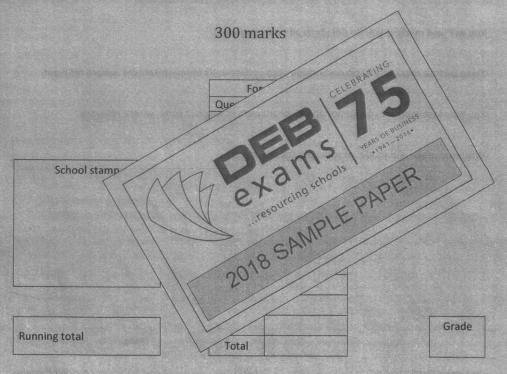
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## Mathematics

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Time: 2 hours, 30 minutes

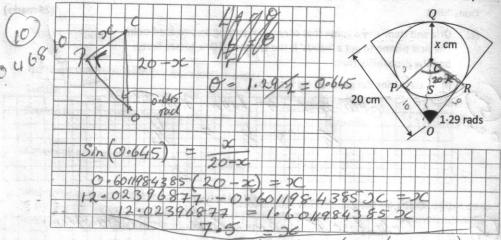


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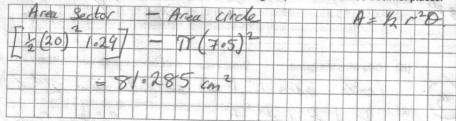
## Answer all six questions from this section. Question 1 (25 marks) (a) Orla and Liam play a game that consists of tossing an unbiased coin. The first person to get a 'heads' is the winner. If Orla tosses first, find the probability that: Liam wins the game on his first toss, (ii) Orla wins the game on her second toss, (iii) Orla wins the game. (b) A game of chance comprises a player spinning a 'lottery wheel'. There are 100 positions in which the ball has an equal chance of landing but there is only one chance for a player to win the top prize. Find the minimum number of spins which Carina must attempt in order that the probability she wins the top prize at least once is no less than 25%. Pre-Leaving Certificate, 2018 [3] **Mathematics** 2018.1 L.20 3/20 Paper 2 - Higher Level

The diagram shows a sector of a circle with centre O and radius 20 cm. A circle with centre C and radius x cm lies within the sector and touches it at P, Q and R.  $|\angle POR| = 1.29$  radians.

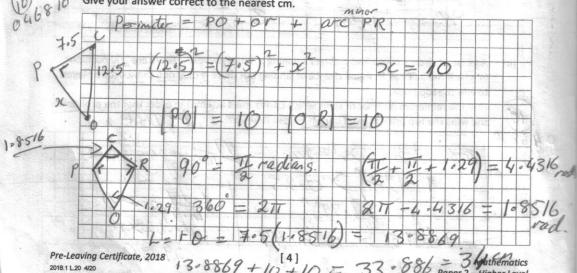
(a) By considering the triangle POC, show that x is equal to 7.5 cm, correct to one decimal place.



(b) Hence, find the sum of the shaded regions in the diagram, correct to three decimal places.



(c) Find the perimeter of the region *PORS* bounded by the arc *PSR* and the lines *OP* and *OR*. Give your answer correct to the nearest cm.



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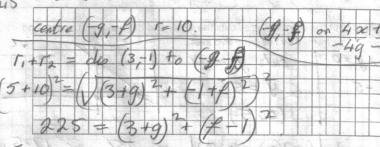
Two circles,  $k_1$  and  $k_2$ , touch externally.

(a) The equation of the circle  $k_1$  is  $x^2 + y^2 - 6x + 2y - 15 = 0$ . Find the centre and radius of  $k_1$ .





(b) The centres of the two circles lie on the line 4x + 3y - 9 = 0. The radius of circle  $k_2$  is 10 units. If the co-ordinates of the centre of circle  $k_2$  are expressed in the form (-g, -f), show that  $(3+g)^2 + (f-1)^2 = 225$ .



Hence, or otherwise, find the possible equations of  $k_2$ .

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Question 4 (25 marks) (a) Find the equation of the line I through the point (-3, 2), which divides the line segment (-6, 2) to (-3, -4) internally in the ratio 1:2. (b) Find the co-ordinates of the points where I cuts the x-axis and the y-axis and hence, find the area of the triangle formed by l and the two axes. (c) A second line, y = mx + c, where m and c are positive constants, passes through (-3, 2)and forms a triangle with the axes of equal area to that in part (b) above. Find the equation of this line. 046819 Pre-Leaving Certificate, 2018 Mathematics

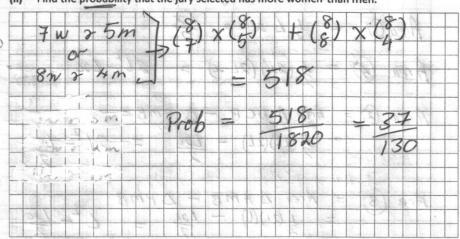
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(a) A jury of 12 people is to be selected from a panel of 8 men and 8 women.

In how many ways can the jury be selected?

Find the probability that the jury selected has more women than men.



A Maths teacher tells her class of 23 students that "There is a greater than 50% chance of two of more of them having the same birthday."

Do you agree with the teacher? Justify your answer by calculation. 365 dougs

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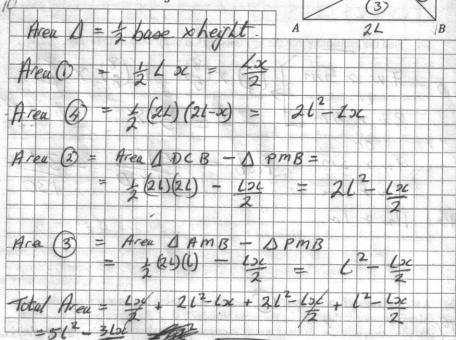
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- The diagram shows a square ABCD and the point M, the midpoint of [BC]. [AM] and [BD] intersect at the point P and divide the square into four regions. x is the perpendicular height of the triangle BMP.
  - Let |AB| = 2l. Find an equation for the sum of the areas of the four regions, in terms of x and l, and hence, show that  $x = \frac{2l}{3}$ .

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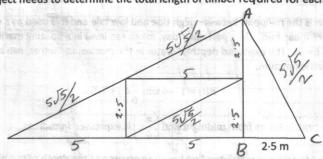


Hence, find the ratio of the areas of the four regions. Pre-Leaving Certificate, 2018

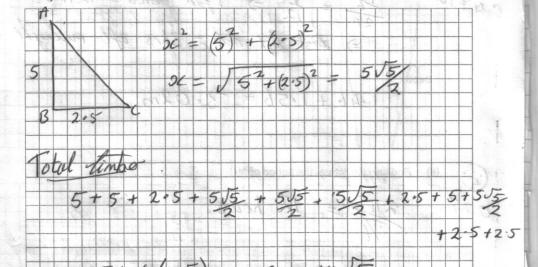
(b) The diagram shows the support framework for the roof configuration of a new house. The design is based on a larger triangle which is subdivided into five identical triangles that are similar to the larger triangle.

Each of the frameworks, or *roof trusses*, is constructed using timber. The quantity surveyor for the project needs to determine the total length of timber required for each truss.

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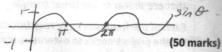
Given that the shortest side of each of the smaller triangles in the design is 2.5 m, - find the total length of timber required to make each truss. Give your answer in the form  $a+b\sqrt{c}$ , where a,b and  $c\in\mathbb{N}$ .



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Mathematics Paper 2 – Higher Level Answer all three questions from this section.



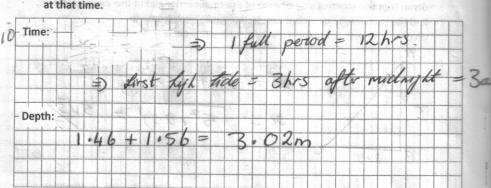
## Question 7

Mean sea level is the midpoint between high tide and low tide and it is used as a datum from which all altitudes are measured. On a particular day, mean sea level in a boating marina first occurs at midnight (i.e. t = 0). The expected depth of water in the marina, in metres, can be modelled using the trigonometric function:

$$h(t) = 1 \cdot 46 \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{6}t\right) + 1 \cdot 56$$

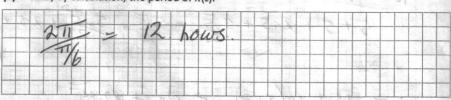
where t is the time in hours from midnight and  $\left(\frac{\pi}{6}t\right)$  is expressed in radians.

(i) Find the time at which the first high tide occurs and the depth of the water in the marina at that time.





(ii) Find, by calculation, the period of h(t).

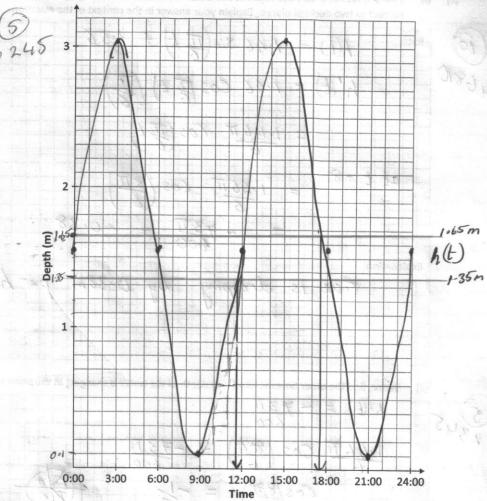


(b) (i

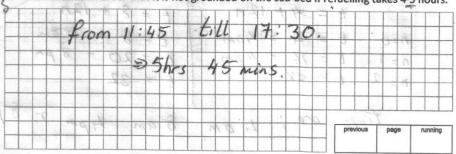
Use the depth function, h(t), to show the expected depth of water in the marina between midnight and the following midnight.

$h(t) = 1.46\sin\left(\frac{\pi}{6}t\right) + 1.56$									
Time	0:00	3:00	6:00	9:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
t (hours)	0	3	6	9	12	15	18	21	24
h(t) (m)	1.56	3.02	1.56	0.1	1.56	3.62	1.56	0.1	1.56

(ii) Sketch the graph of h(t) between midnight and the following midnight.



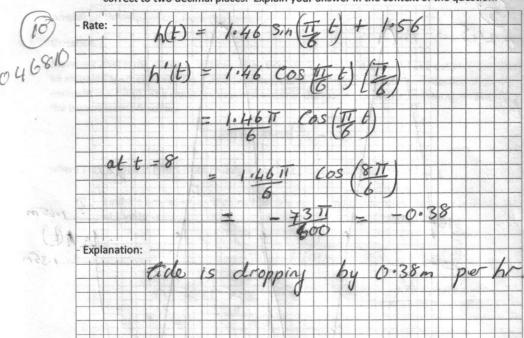
(iii) A large cruiser wishes to enter the marina to refuel. The boat requires a minimum water level of 1.35 m. When it is fully fuelled, the boat requires at least 1.65 m. Use your graph to estimate the largest time interval for which the cruiser can enter the marina in order that it is not grounded on the sea-bed if refuelling takes 4.5 hours.



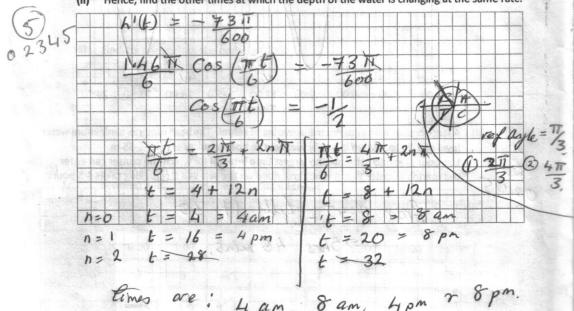
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Mathematics Paper 2 - Higher Level (c) (i) Find the rate at which the depth of the water in the marina is changing at 8:00 a.m., correct to two decimal places. Explain your answer in the context of the question.

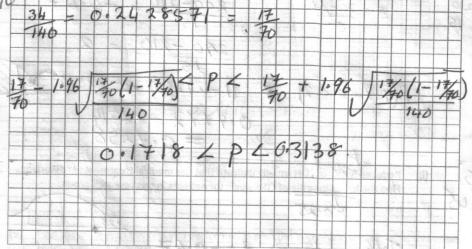


(ii) Hence, find the other times at which the depth of the water is changing at the same rate.



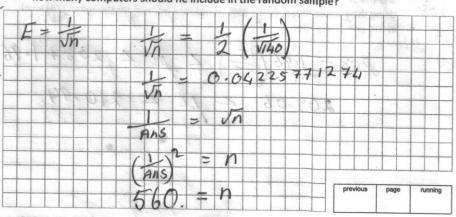
A recent flood damaged a warehouse that contained 3000 comp uters. An insurance assessor, trying to estimate the damage, takes a random sample of 140 computers and finds that 34 of them are damaged.

Create a 95% confidence interval for the proportion of computers that are damaged. 34 THO



Find the 95% confidence interval for the number of computers that are damaged.

(iii) The assessor wishes to halve the margin of error in part (i) above. Assuming that the proportion of computers that are damaged remains unchanged, how many computers should he include in the random sample?

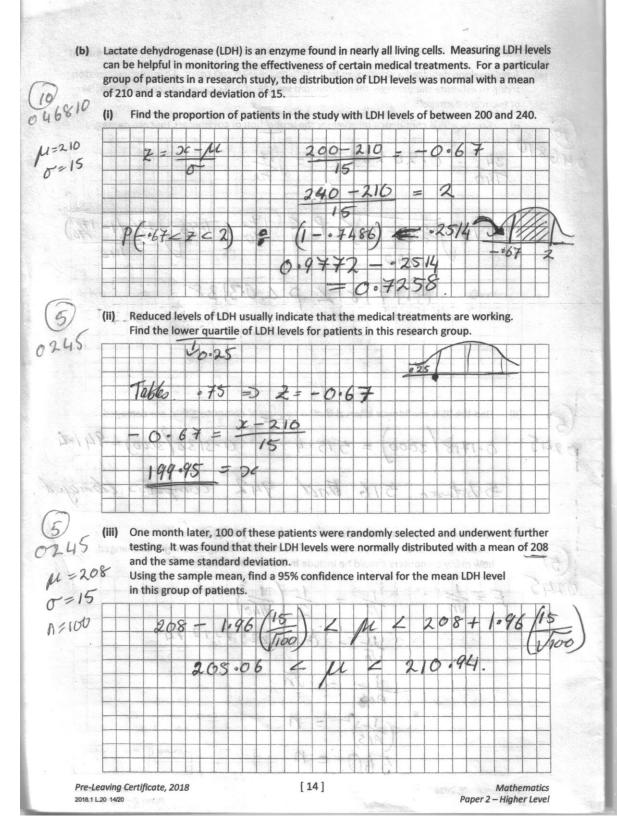


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(iv) Test the hypothesis, at the 5% level of significance, that the mean LDH level has not changed in this period of time.

State clearly the null hypothesis and the alternative hypothesis.

Give your conclusion in the context of the question.

How the test you performed in part (iv) above and explain what this value represents in the context of the question.

(v) Find the p-value of the test you performed in part (iv) above and explain what this value represents in the context of the question.

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Explanation:

P value is the prob the less stastic could occur if that the is true, in this case

P value is 18.36%, which is more than a 5% chance if fall to reject the

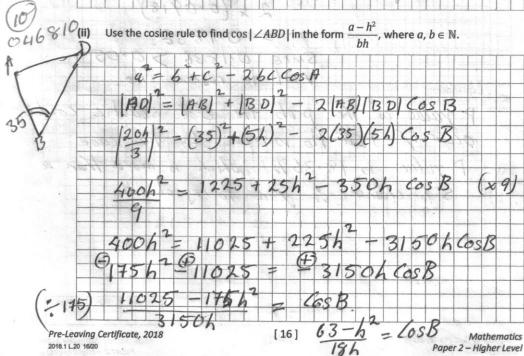
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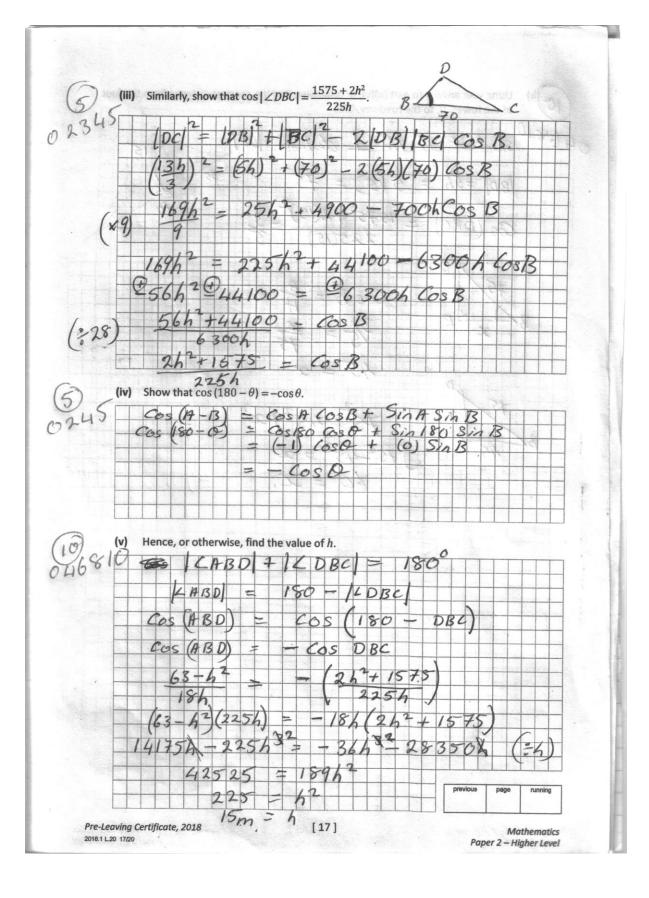
Mathematics Paper 2 – Higher Level Three points, A, B and C, are on a horizontal roadway such that |AB|=35 m and |BC|=70 m. A vertical mobile phone mast [DT] has its base, D, at the same level as the roadway. The angles of elevation from A, B and C to the top of the tower, T, are such that  $\tan |\angle TAD| = \frac{3}{20}$ ,  $\tan |\angle TBD| = \frac{1}{5}$  and  $\tan |\angle TCD| = \frac{1}{5}$ 

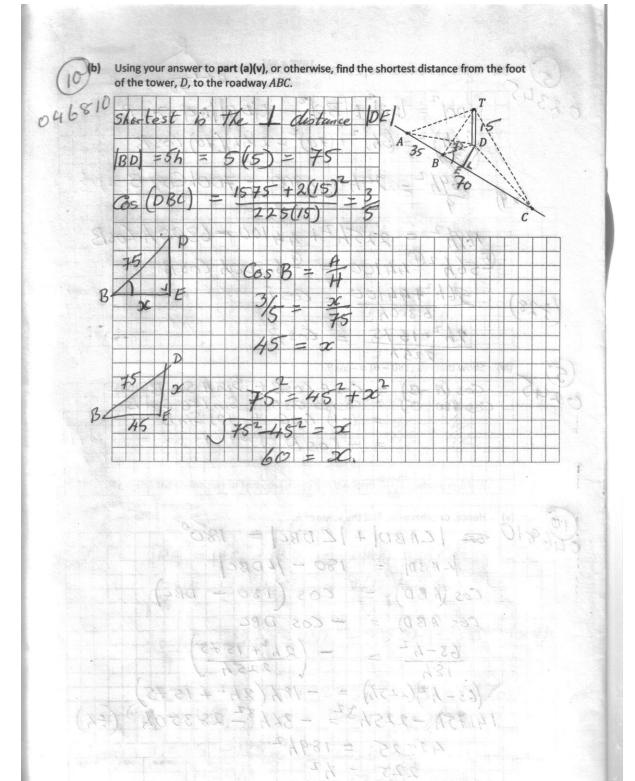
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(a) Let h be the height of the mobile phone mast, |DT|. Express |DA|, |DB| and |DC|, in terms of h.

Express |DA|, |DB| and |DC|, in terms of h.  $|DA| = \frac{20h}{3}$   $|DB| = \frac{5h}{3}$   $|DC| = \frac{13h}{3}$   $|DC| = \frac{13h}{3}$   $|DC| = \frac{13h}{3}$   $|DC| = \frac{13h}{3}$   $|DC| = \frac{13h}{3}$ 







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