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FORM FOUR EXAMS, 2023

# MATHEMATICS

## PAPER ONE



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**2022- 2023**  
**TIME 2 HOURS**

**Plus 10 minutes for reading through the paper**

**INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES**

This paper consists of 10 printed pages.  
Count them now. Inform the invigilator if there are any pages missing.

PART 1:	20 Multiple Choice Questions	40 Marks
PART 2:	10 Structured Questions	60 Marks

**TOTAL 100 Marks**

- Answer ALL questions in Part 1 and 2.
- Extra papers and Mobile Not Allowed.

**PART ONE: 20 Multiple choice questions****(40 marks).****Circle the correct answer only.**1. Simplifying  $(3 + 5i) - (5 - 3i)$  is equal to :

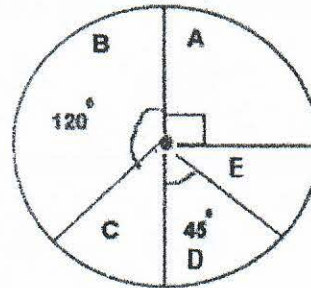
- A.  $(-2 + 8i)$                       B.  $(2 - 8i)$   
 C.  $(8 + 2i)$                          D.  $(2, + 8i)$

2. In which quadrant does  $120^\circ$  lies?

- A. I                                        B. II  
 B. III                                     C. IV

3. The marks obtained by a class of 240 students in a mathematics test were shown below. The number of students who obtained grade A is the same as:

- A. 20  
 B. 40  
 C. 60  
 D. 80

4. The  $\frac{d}{dx}(\cos x)$  is :

- A.  $\cos x$                       B.  $\sin x$                       C.  $\tan x$                       D.  $-\sin x$

5. Which one of the following is equivalent to  $\sin 2A$  ?

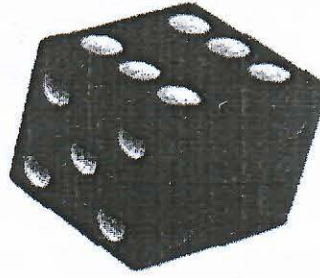
- A.  $2 \cos^2 A - 1$                       B.  $2 \sin A \cos A$                       C.  $4 \sin 2A \cos 2A$                       D.  $\sin^2 A + \cos^2 A$

6.  $\int(3x^2 + 2x) dx =$ 

- A.  $x^3 + 2x^2 + c$                       B.  $3x^2 + 2x^2 + c$                       C.  $x^3 + x^2 + c$                       D.  $x^3 - x^2 + c$

7. An ordinary dice is thrown once. The probability of getting a prime number is:

- A.  $\frac{1}{3}$   
 B.  $\frac{1}{2}$   
 C.  $\frac{1}{6}$   
 D.  $\frac{2}{3}$



8. The mode of the following numbers, 2, 13, 9, 8, 9, 13, 9 and 5 is:

- A. 13                      B. 2                      C. 8                      D. 9

9. The gradient of the curve  $y = x^3 - 2x^2 + 5x$  at  $x = 1$  is:

- A. 5                      B. 4                      C. 2                      D. 12

10. Using the binomial expansion of  $(x - 2)^3$  then the coefficient of the  $x$  term is:

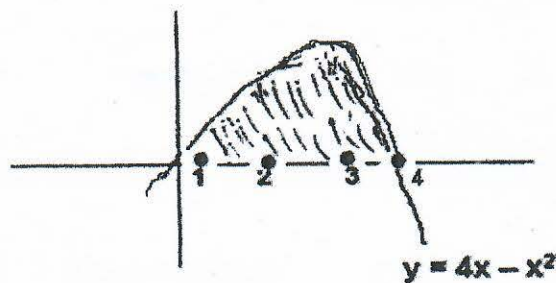
- A. -6                      B. 12                      C. -12                      D. +6

11. In how many ways can 2 blue and 3 red balls be arranged in a row?

- A. 10                      B. 20                      C. -12                      D. +6

12. The area under the curve shown below is equivalent to:

- A. 32 sq units  
 B. 160 sq units  
 C.  $\frac{32}{3}$  sq units  
 D.  $\frac{160}{3}$  sq units



13. Ahmed bought \$ 3200 for £ 2000. How many dollars can he buy for £ 8000?

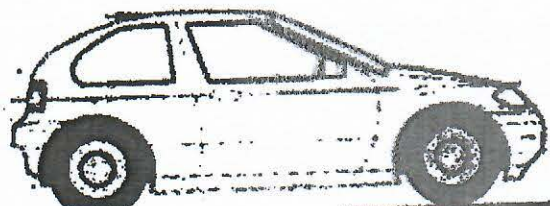
- A. \$ 3200                      B. \$ 8000                      C. \$ 4000                      D. \$ 12800

14. If  $f(x) = 2x + 3$ , then  $f(-3)$  is:

- A. -3                      B. -6                      C. -9                      D. -12

15. The cost of a car is \$ 3600 includes a sales tax (VAT) of 20%. The cost of the Car without sales tax (VAT) is :

- A. \$ 3200  
B. \$ 2800  
C. \$ 2400  
D. \$ 3000



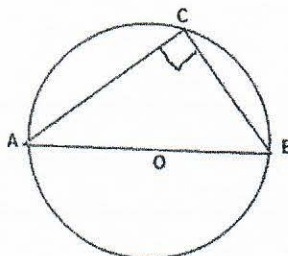
16. The range of the following salaries will be :

\$ 200, \$ 150, \$ 300, \$ 120, \$ 180, \$ 420, \$500

- A. \$ 120                      B. \$ 180                      C. \$ 380                      D. \$ 300

17. Angle ACB is:

- A.  $90^\circ$   
B.  $60^\circ$   
C.  $180^\circ$   
D.  $360^\circ$



18. The distance between the points A ( 8, 2) and ( 5, -2) is:

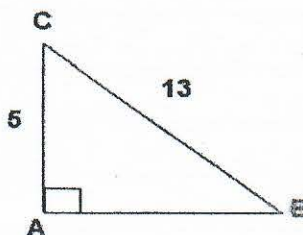
- A. 30                      B. 25                      C. 15                      D. 5

19. Evaluate 20% of \$ 600

- A. \$ 80                      B. \$ 120                      C. \$ 620                      D. \$ 480

20. The length of AB is equal to:

- A. 6  
B. 9  
C. 18  
D. 12





**PART TWO : STRUCTURED QUESTIONS. ANSWER ALL QUESTIONS.**

**(60 Marks)**

Q1. Simplify the following

a)  $(2 + 3i) + (3 + 2i)$

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b)  $(5 + 3i)(5 - 3i)$

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c)  $i^5 + i^7$

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Q2. Given that  $\cos\theta = \frac{5}{13}$ , where  $\theta$  is an acute angle.

Find the exact value of

a)  $\cos 2\theta$

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b)  $\sin 2\theta$

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Q3. For the following data set: 2, 3, 5, 7, 5, 10, 11, 5

Calculate

a) The mean ( 2 marks)

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b) The median ( 2 marks)

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c) The mode ( 2 marks)

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Q4. Given that the curve  $y = 2x^3 + 6x^2 - 5$

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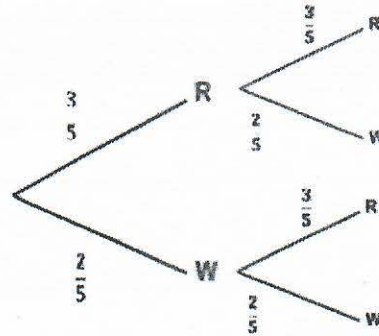
a)  $\frac{dy}{dx}$  ( 2 marks)

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b) The coordinates of the stationary points of the curve. (4 marks)

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Q5. A box contains 3 red and 2 white balls. Two balls are drawn at random from the box with replacement using the tree diagram below.



Find the probability of getting

a) two red balls ( 2 marks)

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b) two of the same colours ( 2 marks)

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c) two of different colours ( 2 marks)

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Q6. Verify each of the following identities

a)  $\sin(\pi - \theta) = + \sin \theta$  ( 3 marks)

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b)  $\cos 40^\circ \cos 50^\circ - \sin 40^\circ \sin 50^\circ = 0$  ( 3 marks)

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Q7. Given that  $f(x) = 2x + 5$

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a)  $f(2)$  ( 2 marks)

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b)  $f^{-1}(x)$  ( 2 marks)

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c)  $f^{-1}(1)$  ( 2 marks)

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Q8. If an equation of a circle is  $(x - 2)^2 + (y + 3)^2 = 25$

Find

a) the radius ( 3 marks)

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b) the centre of the circle ( 3 marks)

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Q9. Given that  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -3 \\ 4 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$  and  $B = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 1 \\ 7 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$

Calculate

a)  $A + B$

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b) the determinant of B

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c) the inverse of B

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Q 10.

a) A real estate gets 6% commission for selling a house, if they sold a house for \$ 45000. What is its commission?

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b) The selling price of a car is \$ 5000; the salesman gives 20% discount for cash. What is the discount price?

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