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GRADE 8

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MARKS: 60

TIME: 1 H30

INSTRUCTIONS:

- 1. Read the questions carefully before answering**
- 2. Answer all questions on separate answer sheets**
- 3. Write neatly and legibly**
- 4. Show all your calculations**

This question paper consists of 5 pages including the cover page.

QUESTION 1**[4 Marks]**

1.1 Choose the correct answer and write only the letter next to the question number

1.1.1 If $x - 3 = 5$, the value of x equals to

- A. 2 B. 8 C. 6 D. 12

1.1.2 Each interior angle in an equilateral triangle =

- A. 30° B. 60° C. 90° D. 360°

1.1.3 In a right-angled triangle the largest angle is 90° and the longest side opposite the right angle is called-----

- A. Area B. Base C. Hypotenuse D. Height

1.1.4 When reflecting about the x -axis, the-----

- A. y - value changes its sign and the x - value remains the same
B. x - value and y - value remains the same.
C. y - value remains the same and x - value changes its sign.
D. x - value and y - value change.

QUESTION 2**[10 Marks]**

2.1 Simplify the following expressions.

2.1.1 $2x - y - 2y + 6x$ (3)

2.1.2 $\sqrt[3]{27a^9b^{12}}$ (2)

2.2 Solve the following equations.

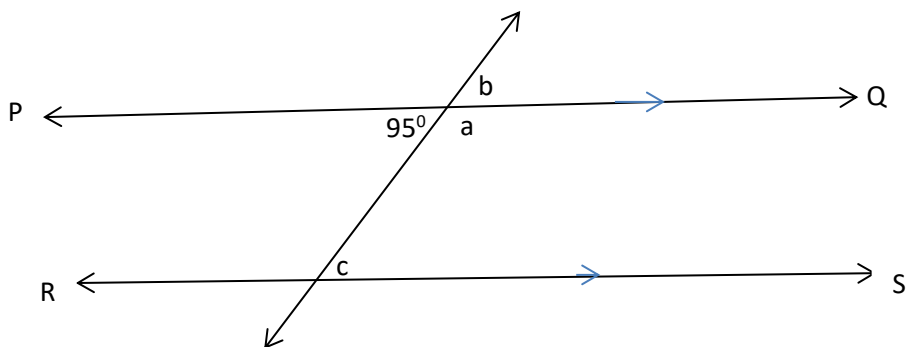
2.2.1 $x + 4 = -3$ (2)

2.2.2 $2^x + 2 = 18$ (3)

QUESTION 3

[12 MARKS]

Use the figure below to answer the questions 3.1 – 3.3



3.1 Complete the table below.

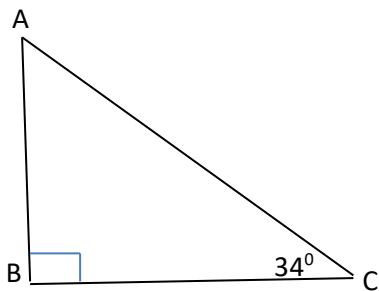
3.1.1 $95^\circ + \text{-----} = 180^\circ$	Angles on a straight line
3.1.2 $C = 95^\circ$	-----
3.1.3 But $\hat{a} + \hat{c} = \text{-----}$	Co-interior angles

(3)

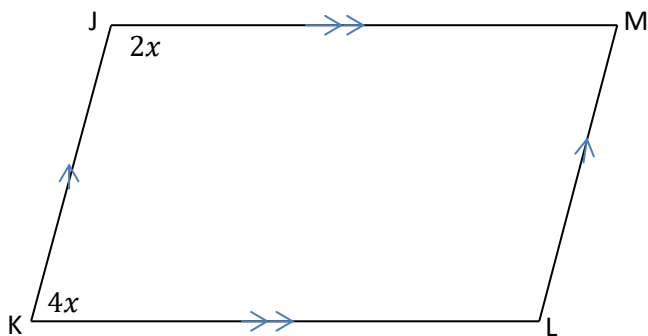
3.2 Identify a pair of letters that form corresponding angles. (2)

3.3 What is the size of b? (1)

3.4 In $\triangle ABC$ below, $\hat{C} = 34^\circ$. Use the figure and calculate with reasons the size of \hat{A} .



3.5 JKLM is a parallelogram. Determine with reasons the value of x . (4)



QUESTION 4

[16 Marks]

4.1 Copy and complete the table of ordered pairs for the equation $y = 3x + 1$.

x	-2	0	2
y			

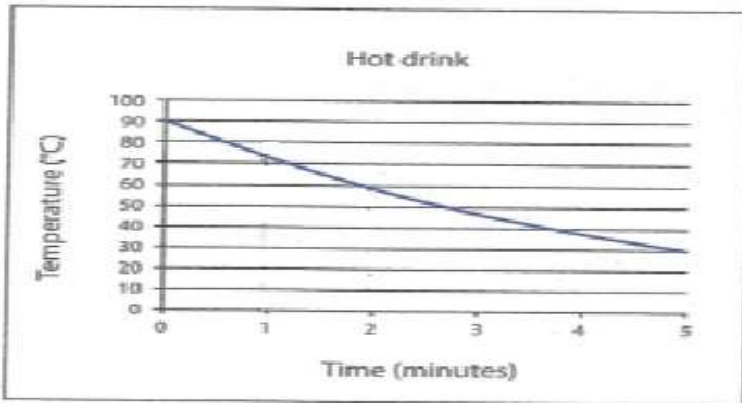
(3)

4.2 Plot the above co-ordinates on the Cartesian plane. Draw the graph

(Use the grid paper provided – ANNEXURE A)

(3)

4.3 The graph shows the change in temperature of a hot drink when left to cool.



4.3.1 What is the dependent variable in the above relationship?

(1)

4.3.2 What is the maximum value of this graph?

(1)

4.3.3 Is this a decreasing or increasing graph?

(1)

4.3.4 What is the temperature of the drink after 5 minutes

(1)

4.3.5 How long does it take the temperature of the drink to drop to 60°C?

(1)

4.4

4.4.1 Draw ΔPQR , $P(1; 3)$, $Q(3;-5)$, $R(5;-1)$. Translate the triangle 4 units to the right and 3 units down and label it as $\Delta P'Q'R'$

(4)

[Note: Answer question 4.4.1 on the provided worksheet – ANNEXURE B]

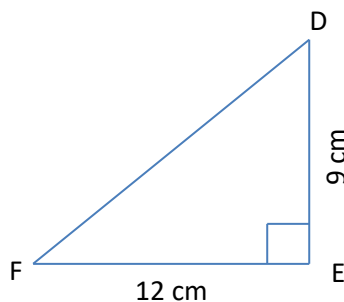
4.4.2 Write down the coordinates of R'' if ΔPQR is reflected in the y-axis.

(1)

QUESTION 5

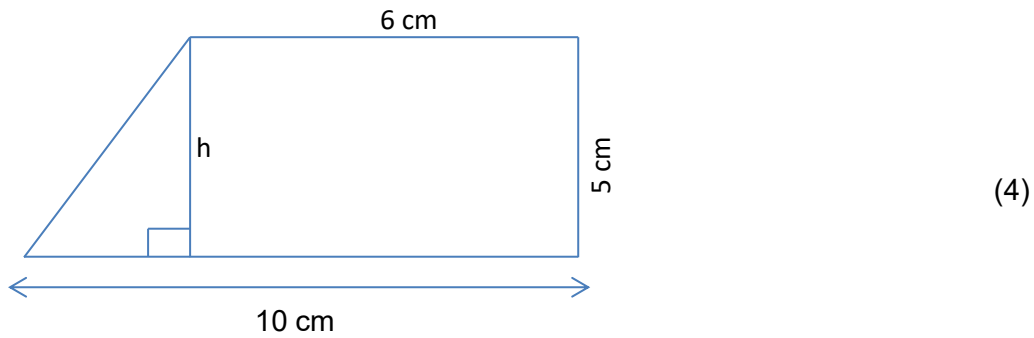
[18 Marks]

5.1 In the figure ΔDEF , $\hat{E} = 90^\circ$, $DE = 9\text{cm}$ and $EF = 12\text{cm}$. Calculate the length of DF (5)



5.2 A square has an area of $250\,000\text{m}^2$. What is the perimeter? (4)

5.3 Calculate the area of the composite shape below.



5.4. A circular washer has a diameter of 20mm and contains a circular hole of 8mm.

Calculate the area (A) of the washer. Use $[\pi = 3,14]$ (5)

