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**MATHEMATICS PAPER 2
2024 FINAL EXAMINATION
MEMORANDUM**

Important Information

Marks: 60

This memorandum consists of 5 pages including the cover page.

This is a marking guideline. In instances where learners have used different but mathematically sound methods to solve the problems, they should be credited

Question Number		Expected Answer	Clarification	Marks	Total
1	1.1	C✓✓	Correct answer: 2 marks	2	[10]
	1.2	C✓✓	Correct answer: 2 marks	2	
	1.3	B✓✓	Correct answer: 2 marks	2	
	1.4	C✓✓	Correct answer: 2 marks	2	
	1.5	A✓✓	Correct answer: 2 marks	2	
2	2.1	$x - 10^\circ = 58^\circ$ ✓ [Vert. opp \angle 's] ✓ $\therefore x = 68^\circ$ ✓✓	Correct statement: 1 mark Correct statement: 1 mark Correct answer: 2 marks	4	[10]
	2.2	$x = 72^\circ$ ✓ [Alt \angle 's AB//CD] ✓ $y = x = 72^\circ$ ✓ [Cor \angle 's AB//CD] ✓ OR $y = 72^\circ$ [Vert Opp \angle 's] $z + 72^\circ = 180^\circ$ ✓ [\angle 's in a Stra] \angle 's ✓ OR $x + z = 180^\circ$ [Co int [\angle 's AD//CD] $\therefore z = 106^\circ$	Correct statement for each angle: 1 mark Correct reason for each statement: 1 mark	6	
3	3.1	If a triangle is right-angled, then the square of the length of the hypotenuse is equal to the sum of the squares of the lengths of the other two sides ✓	Correct answer: 1 mark	1	[12]

	3.2	$z^2 = x^2 + y^2$ [Theorem of Pyth] ✓ $z^2 = 5^2 + 12^2$ ✓ $z^2 = 25 + 144$ ✓ $z^2 = 169$ ✓ $z = 13$ ✓	Pyth statement: 1 mark Correct substitution: 1 mark Correct squares: 1 mark Correct sum of squares: 1 mar Correct answer: 1 mark	5	
	3.3	$(\text{Longest side})^2 = 10^2 = 100$ ✓ Sum of squares of other sides $= 8^2 + 6^2$ ✓ $= 64 + 36$ $= 100$ ✓ $(\text{Longest side})^2 = \text{sum of squares of other 2 sides}$ ✓ $10^2 = 8^2 + 6^2$ ✓ \therefore The triangle is a right angled triangle ✓	Correct size of the longest side: 1 mark Sum of squares of the other two sides: 2 marks Comparison of the longest side and the other two sides: 2 marks Correct conclusion: 1 mark	6	
4	4.1	Trapezium ✓✓	Correct answer: 2 marks	2	[14]
4.2	$x + 56^\circ + \angle \text{CMD} = 180^\circ$ ✓ [Interior \angle 's of Δ] ✓ But $\angle \text{CMD} = \angle \text{MDC} = 56^\circ$ [Isosceles Δ] $\therefore x + 56^\circ + 56^\circ = 180^\circ$ $\therefore x = 180^\circ - 112^\circ = 68^\circ$ ✓ $y + \angle \text{MBC} + 112^\circ = 180^\circ$ ✓ [Interior \angle 's of Δ] ✓	Correct statement for x: 1 mark Correct reason for the statement: 1 mark Correct answer for x: 1 mark Correct statement for y: 1 mark	6		

		<p>But $y = \angle MBC$ [Isosceles Δ] $\therefore 2y + 112^\circ = 180^\circ$ $\therefore y = 34^\circ \checkmark$</p>	<p>Correct reason for the statement: 1 mark Correct answer for y: 1 mark</p>		
	4.3.1	<p>$DA = CB = 4\text{cm}$ [Opp sides Parallelogram] \checkmark $AB = DC = 7\text{cm}$ [Opp sides Parallelogram] \checkmark</p>	<p>Correct answer DA: 1 mark Correct answer AB: 1 mark</p>	2	
	4.3.2	<p>$\angle B = \angle D = 100^\circ$ [Opp \angle's Parallelogram] \checkmark $\angle C = \angle A = 80^\circ$ [Opp \angle's Parallelogram] \checkmark</p>	<p>Correct answer $\angle B$: 1 mark Correct answer $\angle C$: 1 mark</p>	2	
	4.4	<p>Yes, Angles are of the same size \checkmark</p>	<p>Correct statement: 1 mark Correct reason: 1 mark</p>	2	
5	5.1	<p>$500\text{mm}^2 \checkmark$</p>	<p>Correct answer: 1 mark</p>	1	[14]
	5.2	<p>A square has 4 equal sides $\therefore 4s = 40 \checkmark$ $\therefore s = \frac{40}{4} = 10$ The length of one side is 10 cm \checkmark</p>	<p>Correct method: 1 mark Correct answer: 1 mark</p>	2	
	5.3	<p>Length of the garden Perimeter = $23\text{m} + 23\text{m} + 57\text{m} + 57\text{m}$ $= 160\text{m}$ Cost = $160 \times 39,75$ $= \text{R}6\ 360$</p>			

	5.4	Area of the shaded part = Area (Bigger circle) – area (Small circle) = $3,14 (12^2) - 3,14 (5^2)$ = $3,14 \times 144 - 3,14 \times 25$ = $452,16 - 78,5$ = $373,66$ The area of the shaded part is 373,66	Correct formula: 1 mark Correct substitution: 1 mark Correct answer: 2 marks	4	
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Total marks: 60