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Prelim Examination 2005 / 06

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| <p>MATHEMATICS National Qualifications - Intermediate 2 Maths 1, 2 and 3 Paper 1 (non-calculator)</p> |
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Time allowed - 45 minutes

Read carefully

1. You may **NOT** use a calculator.
2. Full credit will be given only where the solution contains appropriate working.
3. Square-ruled paper is provided.

FORMULAE LIST

The roots of $ax^2 + bx + c = 0$ are $x = \frac{-b \pm \sqrt{(b^2 - 4ac)}}{2a}$

Sine rule: $\frac{a}{\sin A} = \frac{b}{\sin B} = \frac{c}{\sin C}$

Cosine rule: $a^2 = b^2 + c^2 - 2bc \cos A$ or $\cos A = \frac{b^2 + c^2 - a^2}{2bc}$

Area of a triangle: $\text{Area} = \frac{1}{2} ab \sin C$

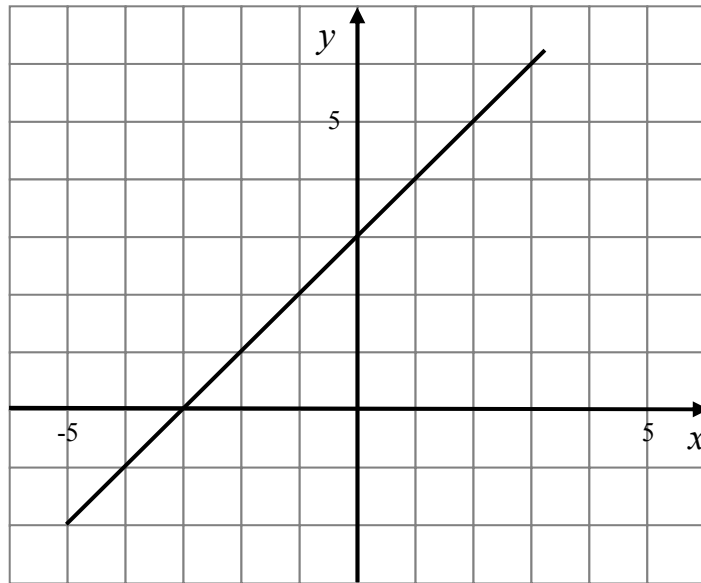
Volume of a sphere: $\text{Volume} = \frac{4}{3} \pi r^3$

Volume of a cone: $\text{Volume} = \frac{1}{3} \pi r^2 h$

Volume of a cylinder: $\text{Volume} = \pi r^2 h$

Standard deviation: $s = \sqrt{\frac{\sum (x - \bar{x})^2}{n-1}} = \sqrt{\frac{\sum x^2 - (\sum x)^2 / n}{n-1}}$, where n is the sample size.

1. Write down the equation of the line shown in the diagram.



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2. The number of missed hospital appointments over a period of 21 days were:

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| 32 | 29 | 14 | 16 | 23 | 10 | 18 |
| 26 | 27 | 17 | 11 | 21 | 17 | 25 |
| 6 | 21 | 19 | 16 | 22 | 15 | 31 |

- (a) Construct a stem-and-leaf diagram to illustrate this information. 3
- (b) Hence, or otherwise, write down the lower quartile, median and upper quartile of the data. 3
- (c) Calculate the semi-interquartile range. 2
- (d) Show this information on a box plot. 2
3. In an electrical outlet, the following items were bought on Saturday.

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| Item: | Televisions | DVD Players | Computers | Radios |
| Frequency: | 35 | 30 | 17 | 8 |

Calculate the relative frequency of each item

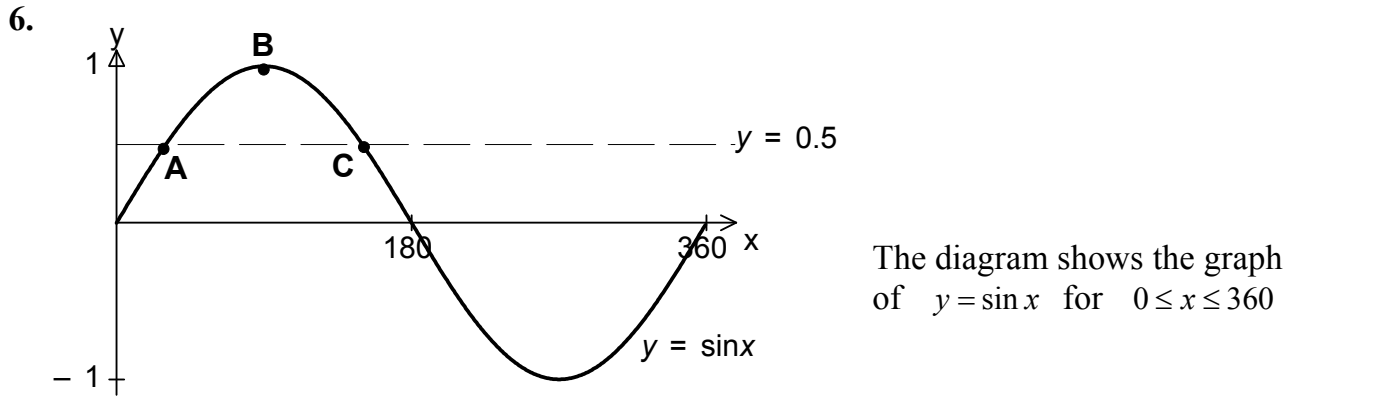
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4. Simplify: $\frac{\sqrt{98}}{\sqrt{8}}$ 3

5. (a) Multiply out $(3x+1)(x-2)$ 1

(b) Hence or otherwise, simplify the following expression leaving your answer in fully factorised form.

$$4x^2 - (3x+1)(x-2) - 2x$$
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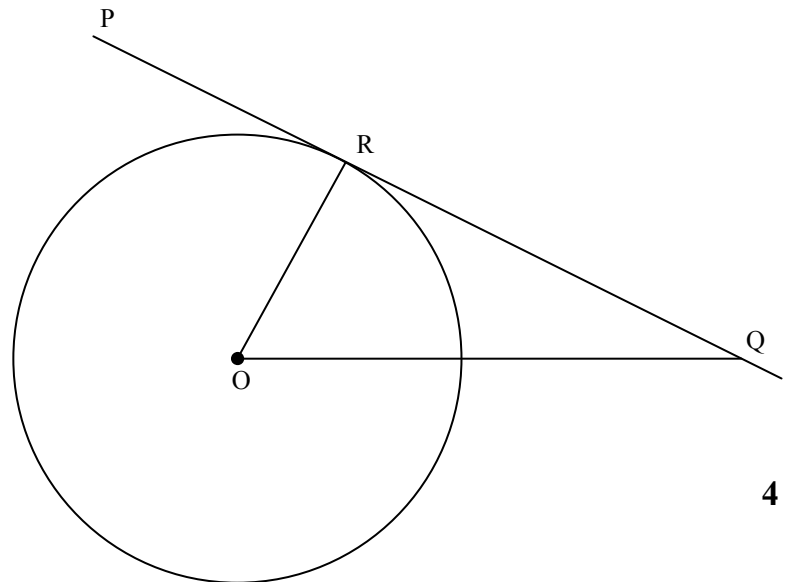
(a) Write down the co-ordinates of the point **B** 1

(b) The straight line $y = 0.5$ cuts the graph at **A** and **C**. Find the co-ordinates of **A** and **C**. 3

7. The circle in the diagram opposite has centre **O** and radius 6cm.

R is the point the point of contact of the tangent **PQ**.

Given that $OQ = 10\text{cm}$ calculate the length of **RQ**.



8. Simplify : $\frac{25 - 9y^2}{3y + 5}$ 2