

CHRISTIAN SOCIAL SERVICES COMMISSION- (CSSC)
NORTHERN ZONE JOINT EXAMINATION SYNDICATE(NZJES)



FORM TWO PRE-NATIONAL EXAMINATION AUGUST 2024
BASIC MATHEMATICS
MARKING SCHEME

1. **a) Solution**

A red light flash on 18 sec
A green light flashes on 24 sec

2	18	24
2	9	12
2	9	6
3	9	3
3	3	1
	1	1

04 Marks

Lowest Common Multiple (LCM) = $2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 3 \times 3 = 72$ sec

Therefore both lights will flash together at 72 Sec

Solution (b)

- i. $0.00034578 \approx 0.000346$ (6 dps)01 Marks
ii. $0.00034578 \approx 0.0003458$ (4 sgfs) 01 Marks

Solution (c)

Three towns

$65000 \approx 60000$ 01 Marks

$13000 \approx 10000$ 01 Marks

$29700 \approx 30000$ 01 Marks

their total population = $70000 + 10000 + 30000 = 110000$

Therefore the total population = 10000 01 Marks

2. **Solution**

3. **(a)**

Test has 20 questions

Student got 13 questions

his percentage score = $\frac{13}{20} \times 100\%$, = 65%02 Marks

Solution (b)

i. Total Students = 63

Boys = $\frac{4}{7}$

Girls = $1 - \frac{4}{7}$, = $\frac{3}{7}$ 1.5 Marks

Therefore fraction for girls = $\frac{3}{7}$

ii. Girls = $\frac{3}{7} \times 63 = 27$

Therefore there are 27 girls1.5 Marks

Solution (c)

$X = 0.33333 = 0.\dot{3}$

$Y = 0.5454 = 0.\dot{5}\dot{4}$

Let

$x = 0.\dot{3}$

$x \times 10 = 0.\dot{3} \times 10$

$10x = 3.\dot{3}$

$10x - x = 3.\dot{3} - 0.\dot{3}$

$\frac{9x}{9} = \frac{3}{9}$ 02 Marks

$x = \frac{1}{3}$

Again

Let $y = 0.\dot{5}\dot{4}$

$y \times 100 = 0.\dot{5}\dot{4} \times 100$

$100y = 54.\dot{5}\dot{4}$

$100y - y = 54.\dot{5}\dot{4} - 0.\dot{5}\dot{4}$

$\frac{99y}{99} = \frac{54}{99}$ 02 Marks

$y = \frac{6}{11}$

$xy = \frac{1}{3} \times \frac{6}{11} = \frac{2}{11}$

Therefore the value of $xy = \frac{2}{11}$ 01 Marks

4. a) Solution(i)

$\hat{A}BC + \hat{B}AC + \hat{A}CB = 180^\circ$ (Sum of angle of triangle)

$70^\circ + 50^\circ + q = 180^\circ$

$120^\circ + q = 180^\circ$

$q = 180^\circ - 120^\circ$

$q = 60^\circ$ 02 Marks

$\hat{A}BC = \hat{E}CD = 70^\circ = r$

$r = 70^\circ$ 01 Marks

$\hat{B}AC = \hat{A}CE = 50^\circ = P$

$P = 50^\circ$ 01 Marks

Therefore $P = 50^\circ$, $q = 60^\circ$ and $r = 70^\circ$ 1.5 Marks

Solution (ii)

Value of $p + q + r$

$P = 50^\circ$, $q = 60^\circ$ and $r = 70^\circ$

$p + q + r = 50^\circ + 60^\circ + 70^\circ = 180^\circ$ 01 Marks

Therefore the value of $p + q + r = 180^\circ$ 0.5 Marks

Solution (b)

Given, $2x + 70^\circ$, $3x + 20^\circ$

$2x + 70^\circ + 3x + 20^\circ = 180^\circ$(01 mark)

$2x + 3x + 70^\circ + 20^\circ = 180^\circ$

$$5x + 90^0 = 180^0$$

$$5x = 180^0 - 90^0$$

$$\frac{5x}{5} = \frac{90}{5}$$

$$x = 18^0 \dots\dots\dots (01 \text{ mark})$$

Therefore the value of $x = 18^0 \dots\dots\dots (01 \text{ mark})$

5. a) Solution

Given, $a * b = a^2 - b$

$$4 * (2 * y) = 4$$

Consider $2 * y$

$$2^2 - y = 4 - y \dots\dots\dots 1.5 \text{ Marks}$$

$$4 * (4 - y) = 4$$

$$4^2 - (4 - y) = 4$$

$$16 - 4 + y = 4 \dots\dots\dots 2.5 \text{ Marks}$$

$$12 + y = 4$$

$$y = -8$$

Therefore the value of $y = -8 \dots\dots\dots 01 \text{ Marks}$

b) Solution

$$s = \frac{r-q}{1-r}$$

$$s(1-r) = r-q$$

$$s - sr = r - q \dots\dots\dots 02 \text{ Marks}$$

$$-sr - r = -q - s$$

$$\frac{-r(s+1)}{-(s+1)} = \frac{-(q+s)}{-(s+1)} \dots\dots\dots 02 \text{ Marks}$$

Therefore $r = \frac{q+s}{s+1} \dots\dots\dots 01 \text{ Marks}$

5. a) Solution

Given, $\begin{cases} 2x + y = 10 \\ 3x - 2y = 1 \end{cases}$

Consider $2x + y = 10$

$$y = 10 - 2x$$

$$3x - 2(10 - 2x) = 1 \dots\dots\dots (01 \text{ mark})$$

$$3x - 20 + 4x = 1$$

$$3x + 4x = 1 + 20$$

$$\frac{7x}{7} = \frac{21}{7}$$

$$x = 3 \dots\dots\dots (01 \text{ mark})$$

Again Consider

$$y = 10 - 2x$$

$$y = 10 - 2 \times 3 \dots\dots\dots (01 \text{ mark})$$

$$y = 10 - 6$$

$$y = 4 \dots\dots\dots (01 \text{ mark})$$

Therefore $x = 3$ and $y = 4 \dots\dots\dots 01 \text{ Marks}$

Solution (b)

Perfect Square $b^2 = 4ac \dots\dots\dots (02 \text{ marks})$

From $5x^2 + hx + 5$
 $h^2 = 4 \times 5 \times 5 = 100$01 Mark
 Therefore $h = \pm 10$ 02 marks

6. a) Solution (i)

A (2,-k) and B (4,3)
 Slope (m) = 2

From $\frac{\text{change in } y}{\text{change in } x} = \text{Slope}$ 01 mark

$$\frac{3-(-k)}{4-2} = 2$$

$$\frac{3+k}{2} = 2 \text{ 01 Mark}$$

$$3 + k = 2 \times 2$$

$$3 + k = 4$$

$$k = 4 - 3$$

$$k = 1$$

Therefore $k = 1$ 01 Mark

Solution (ii)

The equation of line \overline{AB}

Our point are A (2,-1) and B (4,3)

Slope = 2

$$\frac{\Delta y}{\Delta x} = m$$

Take (x, y) and B (4,3)

$$\frac{y-3}{x-4} = 2 \text{02 Marks}$$

$$y - 3 = 2(x - 4)$$

$$y - 3 = 2x - 8$$

$$y = 2x - 8 + 3$$

$$y = 2x - 5 \text{02 Marks}$$

Therefore equation of line \overline{AB} is $y = 2x - 5$

Solution (b)

From the given ratio scale

1cm represent 5000cm in land

but

$$1m = 100cm$$

$$? \leftarrow 5000cm$$

$$= \frac{1m \times 5000cm}{100cm} = 50m \text{01 Mark}$$

Then

$$1cm = 50m$$

$$3.5cm = ?$$

$$= \frac{3.5cm \times 50m}{1cm} = 175m \text{01 Mark}$$

Therefore the actual length represented by 3.5cm is 175m01 mark

7. a) Solution

$$\text{Given } \frac{2+\sqrt{5}}{2\sqrt{7}+\sqrt{6}}, \quad \text{R.F} = 2\sqrt{7} - \sqrt{6} \text{01 mark}$$

$$= \frac{2+\sqrt{5}}{2\sqrt{7}+\sqrt{6}} \times \frac{2\sqrt{7}-\sqrt{6}}{2\sqrt{7}-\sqrt{6}} \text{01 mark}$$

$$= \frac{4\sqrt{7}-2\sqrt{6}+2\sqrt{35}-\sqrt{30}}{4\sqrt{49}-\sqrt{36}} \dots\dots\dots 01 \text{ mark}$$

$$= \frac{4\sqrt{7}-2\sqrt{6}+2\sqrt{35}-\sqrt{30}}{4 \times 7 - 6} \dots\dots\dots 01 \text{ mark}$$

$$= \frac{4\sqrt{7}-2\sqrt{6}+2\sqrt{35}-\sqrt{30}}{22} \dots\dots\dots 01 \text{ mark}$$

(b) Solution

Given, $\log_5 25 + \log_4 x = 6$
 $\log_5 5^2 + \log_4 x = 6$
 $2 \log_5 5 + \log_4 x = 6 \dots\dots\dots 02 \text{ Marks}$
 $2 + \log_4 x = 6$
 $\log_4 x = 6 - 2$
 $\log_4 x = 4 \dots\dots\dots 02 \text{ Marks}$
From $\log_a b = c \rightarrow a^c = b$
Then, $x = 4^4$
 $x = 256 \dots\dots\dots 01 \text{ Mark}$

8. (a) Solution

$\overline{AB} = \overline{BC}$ (given)01 mark
 $\angle DAB = \angle DCB = 90^\circ$ [given]01 mark
 \overline{DB} is common 01 mark
 $\therefore \triangle ABD = \triangle CBD$ (SAS)..... 01 Mark

Solution (b) (i)

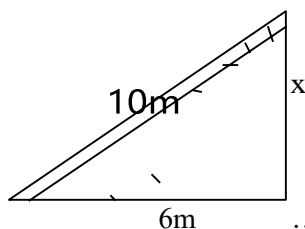
$\angle BKL = \angle BMN$ [Corresponding angles]01 mark
 $\angle BLK = \angle BNM = 90^\circ$ [given] 01 mark
 $\angle KBL = \angle MBN$ [Common angle]01 Mark
 $\therefore \triangle BLK \sim \triangle BNM$ [AA - Similarity theorem] 01 mark

Solution (ii)

$\frac{KL}{MN} = \frac{BK}{BM} = \frac{12}{30} = \frac{15}{15+Y} \dots\dots\dots 01 \text{ mark}$
 $12(15 + Y) = 30 \times 15$
 $\frac{12(15+Y)}{12} = \frac{450}{12}$
 $15 + Y = 37.5$
 $Y = 37.5 - 15$
 $Y = 22.5 \dots\dots\dots 01 \text{ mark}$

9. a) Solution

Let the ladder reach x m up



.....01 mark

By using Pythagoras theorem

$a^2 + b^2 = c^2 \dots\dots\dots 01 \text{ mark}$
 $6^2 + x^2 = 10^2$

$$36 + x^2 = 100 \quad \dots\dots\dots 01 \text{ mark}$$

$$x^2 = 100 - 36$$

$$x^2 = 64$$

$$x = 8m \quad \dots\dots\dots 01 \text{ mark}$$

\therefore It reaches 8m up 01 Mark

b) Solution

From $\cos a = \frac{\text{Adj}}{\text{Hyp}} \quad \dots\dots\dots 01 \text{ mark}$

$$= \frac{4}{5} = 0.8$$

$$a = \cos^{-1}(0.8) \quad \dots\dots\dots 01 \text{ mark}$$

$$a = 36.87^\circ \quad \dots\dots\dots 01 \text{ mark}$$

By using Pythagoras Theorem

$$a^2 + b^2 = c^2, \quad \dots\dots\dots 01 \text{ mark}$$

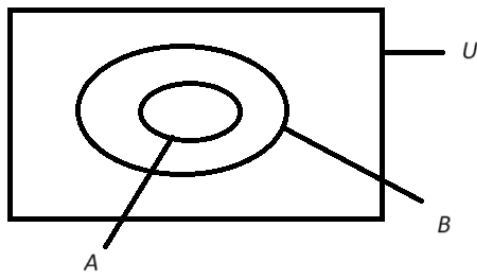
$$4^2 + x^2 = 5^2$$

$$x^2 = 25 - 16$$

$$x^2 = 9$$

$$x = 3cm \quad \dots\dots\dots 01 \text{ mark}$$

10. Solution (a)(i)



02 marks

(ii)

Number of subsets = 2^n , where $n = 5 \quad \dots\dots\dots 01 \text{ mark}$

$$= 2^5$$

$$= 32$$

Therefore, there are 32 subsets 01 mark

Solution (b)

$$\text{Math } \frac{25}{200} \times 360^\circ = 45^\circ$$

$$\text{English } \frac{40}{200} \times 360^\circ = 72^\circ$$

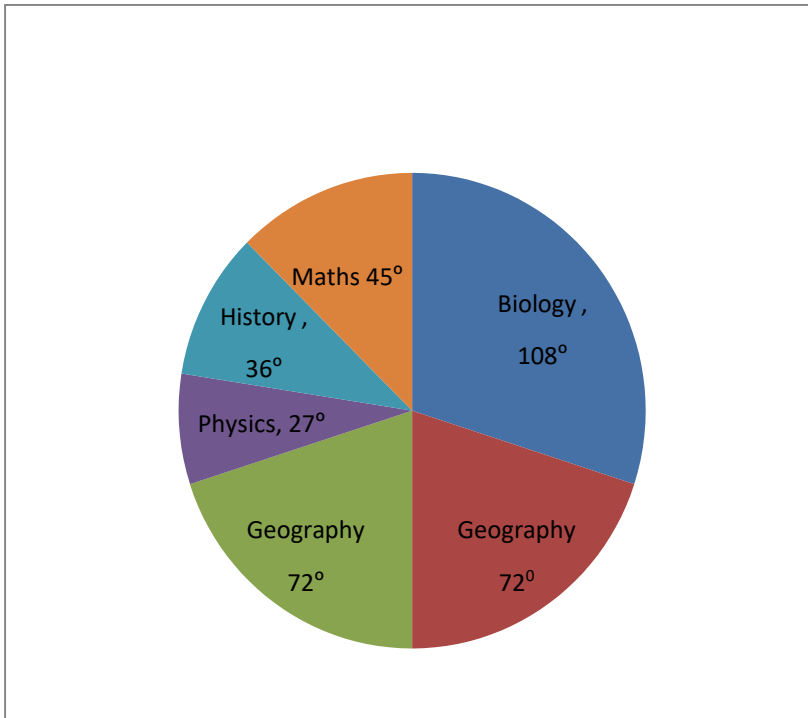
$$\text{Biology } \frac{60}{200} \times 360^\circ = 108^\circ$$

$$\text{History } \frac{20}{200} \times 360^\circ = 36^\circ$$

$$\text{Geography } \frac{40}{200} \times 360^\circ = 72^\circ$$

$$\text{Physics } \frac{15}{200} \times 360^\circ = 27^\circ \dots\dots\dots 0.5 \text{ mark @ } = 03 \text{ Marks}$$

A pie chart to represent data from a survey.



03 Marks