

Churchlands Mathematics Department 2020  
Year 9 AEP  
Test 1: Geometry and Algebraic Techniques

**INSTRUCTIONS:**

No calculators allowed. Drawings are not to scale.

Full working must be shown for all questions (or parts) worth more than 1 mark.

Marks will be deducted for rounding and unit errors

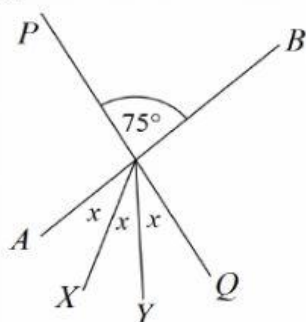
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Time: 50 minutes

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**QUESTION 1** State the value of the pronumerals in each of the following figures. Give reasons for all your answers. (2, 4 marks)

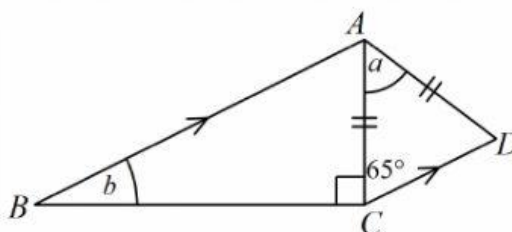
a.



$x =$  \_\_\_\_\_

reason = \_\_\_\_\_

b.



$a =$  \_\_\_\_\_

reason = \_\_\_\_\_

$b =$  \_\_\_\_\_

reason = \_\_\_\_\_

**QUESTION 2** Fully factorise.

(2, 2, 3, 2 marks)

a.  $-45g^2 + 18g$

( )

b.  $5(a - 2b) + x(a - 2b)$

( )( )

c.  $3x^2 - 27$

( )( )

d.  $4mn - 20mp + 12m^2$

( )

**QUESTION 3** Expand and simplify.

(2, 2, 2 marks)

a.  $(6p - 1)(3p + 4)$

b.  $(7a + 2b)^2$

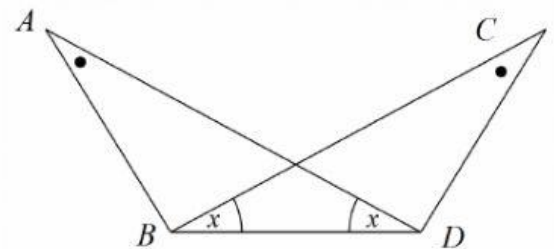
c.  $(2 - 5z)(2 + 5z)$

**QUESTION 4** Using the information on the diagram below and the reasons

(3, 2 marks)

a. Prove that  $\triangle ABD \equiv \triangle CDB$

\_\_\_\_\_ (given)  
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 \_\_\_\_\_ (common)  
 $\triangle \quad \equiv \quad \triangle$



$AB = 7 \text{ cm}$   
 $AD = 11 \text{ cm}$

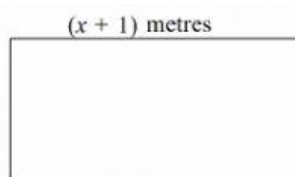
b. Find the length of BC and CD, giving reasons.

$BC =$   
 $CD =$   
 reason =

**QUESTION 5** Refer to the rectangles below to answer the following:

(2, 2 marks)

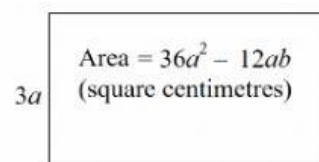
a.



Give a simplified expression for the area of the figure if its width is 5 metres less than the length as shown?

( )  $\text{m}^2$

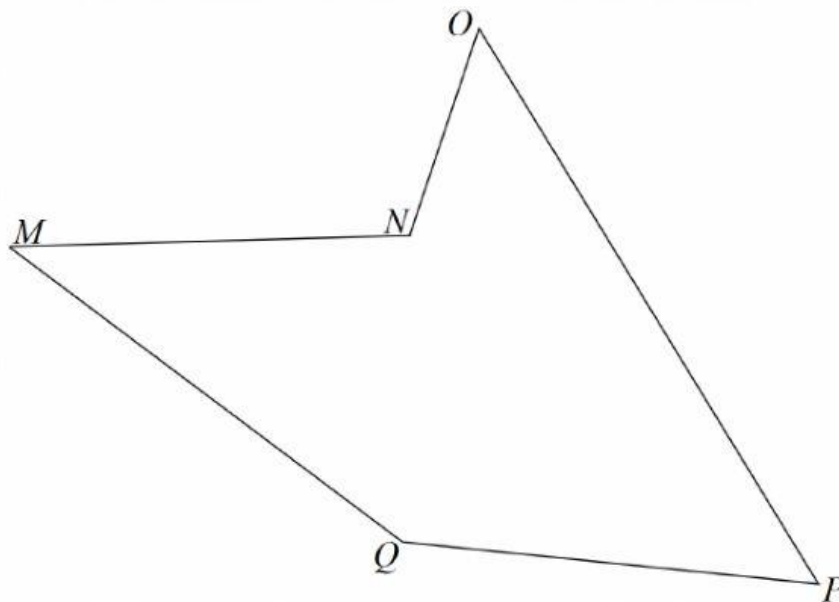
b.



Find an expression for the missing side length given the information on the figure.

( ) cm

**QUESTION 6** Using a ruler, draw and label the image of pentagon  $MNOPQ$  using a scale factor of  $\frac{2}{3}$ . Use vertex  $O$  as the centre of enlargement. (3 marks)



**QUESTION 7** Using the diagram below (measurements in cm,) answer the following questions: (1, 1, 3 marks)

- a. Explain how it is known that  $\triangle EHI \sim \triangle EFG$ .

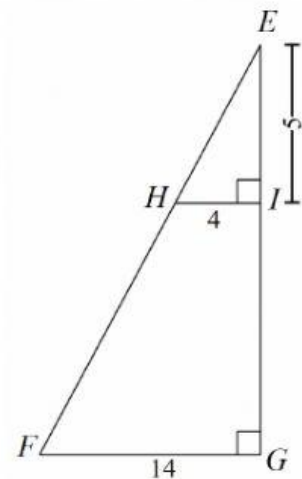
$\angle$  is —,  $\angle$  =  $\angle$

$\therefore$  triangles are similar ( )

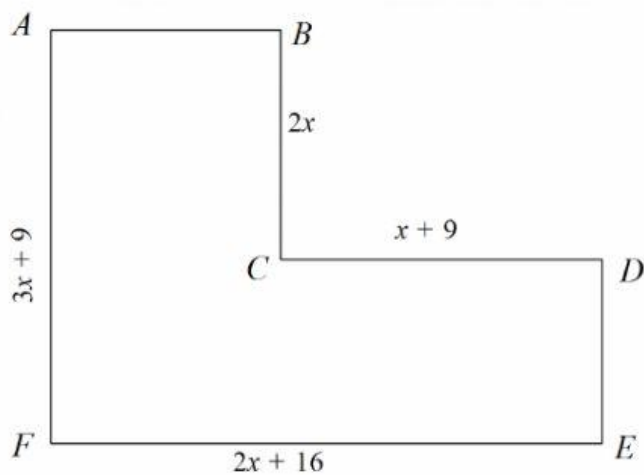
- b. What scale factor would be applied to  $\triangle EHI$  to get  $\triangle EFG$ ?

- c. Determine the area of  $\triangle EFG$ . (Recall  $\Delta \text{Area} = \frac{1}{2}bh$ )

$$A = \text{————} \text{ cm}^2$$



**QUESTION 8** The diagram below is the design for an L-shaped swimming pool with dimensions in metres as shown. The pool is enlarged or reduced depending on the value of  $x$ . (2, 1, 1, 3, 2 marks)



- a. Find, in terms of  $x$ , the length of:  
 i.  $AB$                       ii.  $DE$

- b. Show that the perimeter of the pool is equal to  $(10x + 50)$  metres.

- c. What is the perimeter if  $x = 2$ ?

- d. Find the area of the swimming pool in terms of  $x$ . Expand and simplify your answer.

- e. It is decided that a square swimming pool would be a better use of space. By factorising your answer to part d, find the dimensions, in terms of  $x$ , of a square swimming pool with the same area as the L-shaped pool.

$$( \quad )m \times ( \quad )m$$

**QUESTION 9** Using the information in the figure below:

**(3, 1, 1 marks)**

a. Prove that  $\triangle ABM$  is similar to  $\triangle CDM$

$\angle = \angle$  (given)

$\_ = \_$  (given)

$\triangle \parallel \triangle$  ( )

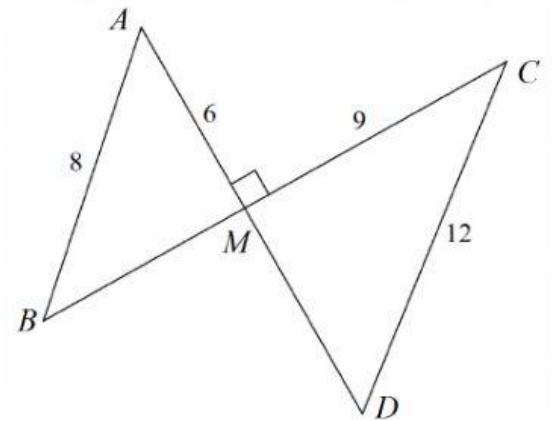
b. Hence prove that  $\angle B = \angle D$ .

c. Is it true that  $AB \parallel CD$ ?

You must state your answer and give a reason why/why not.

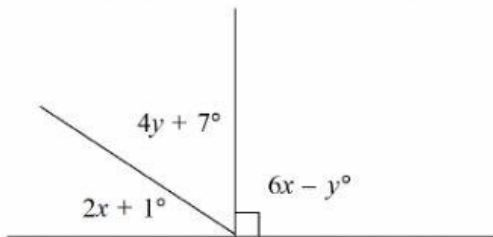
answer =

reason =



**QUESTION 10** Find the value of the pronumerals in the figure below:

**(3 marks)**



$x =$

$y =$