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FORM 3 MATHEMATICS. MID - TERM EXAM. TERM I 2015

1. Find the sum of of the following column vectors and illustrate solutions graphically.

$$\stackrel{\mathsf{a}=}{\sim} \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 3 \end{pmatrix} \qquad \text{and} \qquad \stackrel{\mathsf{b}}{\sim} = \begin{pmatrix} 7 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

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2. If vector
$$\mathbf{a} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$
 and $\mathbf{b} = \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}$
Find $2\mathbf{a} + 3\mathbf{b}$

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3. Find scalars
$$\mathcal{H}$$
 and \mathcal{H} are such $\mathcal{H}\begin{pmatrix} 4\\3 \end{pmatrix} + \mathcal{H}\begin{pmatrix} -2\\1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0\\-3 \end{pmatrix}$

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- 4. Find the co-ordinates of the mid points of AB in the following.
- i) A(-3, 2)

B(4, 2)

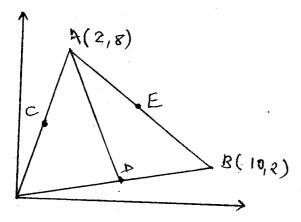
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ii) A(0, 4)

B(0-2)

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5. In the figure below O A B is a triangle. A is the pints (2,8) and B is a point (10,2). C, D and E are mid points of O A, O B and AB respectively



a)Find the co-ordinates of C and D.

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b) Find the lengths of vector AB and CD.

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6. At a Police Check point the speeds of the first 50 vehicles were recorded as follows:-

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Speed	10 – 19	20-29	30-39	40 – 49	50~59	60 - 69	7	
No of Vehicles	3	1	2	5	6	11		

Speed	70 – 79	100		
	70-79	80 – 89	90 – 99	100 -
No. of Vehicles				109
	9	8	3	2

a) Calculate the mean speed.

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b) Estimate the median speed.

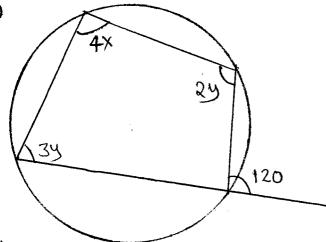
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c) Draw a histogram to represent the information.

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7. Find the values of X and y in the following.

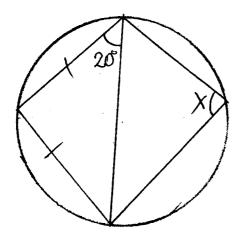
a)



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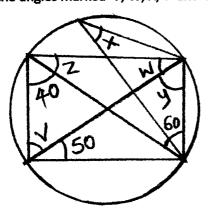
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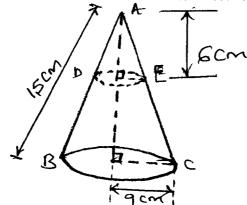


8. Calculate the angles marked V, W, X, Y and Z

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11. The figure below shows a cone with vertex at A and diameter BC. The cone is cut off along DE



a) Find the base radius of the smaller cone.

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b) Find the volume of the frustrum

(5mks