

**Exercise 1: (11 pts)**

Answer by true or false and **justify**:

1) If  $A = \frac{2\frac{3}{4} + \frac{1}{5}}{\frac{3}{4} - \frac{1}{7}}$  and  $B = \frac{1}{7} + 2 \times \frac{2}{5} + \frac{26}{35}$ , then  $A > B$ . (2 pts)

2) If  $E = \frac{125^3 + 75^2}{125 \times 15^2}$  then E is not a decimal number. (1 ½ pts)

3) ABC is a triangle such that :  $AB = 6\text{cm}$ ,  $\hat{A}C = 65^\circ$ , and  $\hat{B}C = 45^\circ$ .

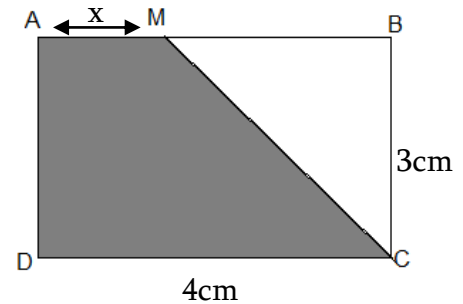
If M is a point of [BC] such that  $\hat{C}AM = 20^\circ$ , and I is the midpoint of [AB], then  $IA = IB = IM$ . (1 ½ pts)

4) If in a triangle, the centroid and the orthocenter are confounded, then this triangle is equilateral. (1pt)

5) If  $A = \left(\frac{5}{3}\right)^x \times \left(\frac{3}{5}\right)^{x+1}$  where x is a natural number,  
then  $A = 6 \times 10^{-1}$ . (1 ½ pts)

6) ABCD is a rectangle with  $BC = 3\text{cm}$ ,  $AB = 4\text{cm}$  and M is a variable point of [AB] such that  $AM = x$  ( $0 < x < 4$ ).

The area of the shaded region AMCD is  $(12 - 3x) \text{ cm}^2$ . (2 ½ pts)



7) (C) is a circle of center M and diameter [BC].

A is a point belonging to (C), then ABC is a right triangle at A. (1pt)

**Exercise 2: (14 pts)**

Consider the two polynomials :

$$f(x) = x(x-3) + 2(3-x)$$

$$g(x) = x^2 - 9 + (2x-6)(x+2) - (x-3)^2$$

**Part A:**

1) Develop, reduce and order g(x), then deduce its degree. (2 pts)

2) Solve the equation  $g(x) = 2x^2 + 2$ . (1pt)

3) Verify that  $f(x) = (x-3)(x-2)$ . (1pt)

4) a) Write g(x) in the form of a product of 3 factors. (1 ½ pts)

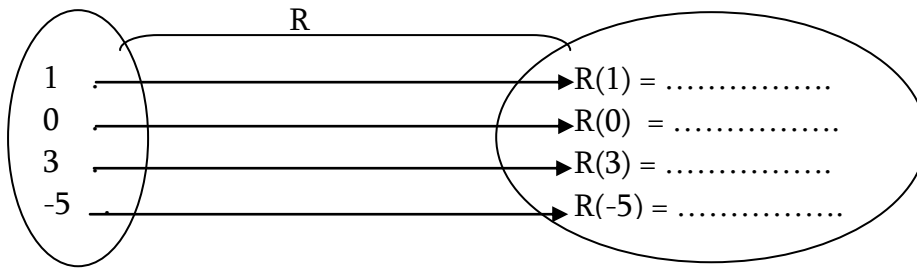
b) Explain the meaning of a root of a polynomial then deduce the roots of g(x). (1 ½ pts)

**Part B:**

$$\text{Let } R(x) = \frac{2f(x)}{g(x)}$$

1) What does R(x) represent? Explain. (1 pt)

2) a) Complete the diagram below in order to make a hypothesis. (2½ pts)



b) Deduce the domain of definition of  $R(x)$ . (1pt)

c) Use words or numbers from your own to write a complete statement containing:  $R(x)$ , integers, defined, except. (1pt)

3) a) Simplify  $R(x)$ . (½ pt)

b) Solve the equation  $R(x)=3$ . (1pt)

**Exercise 3: (15 pts)**

Consider the triangle ABC such that:  $BC = 3\text{cm}$ ,  $AB = \frac{8^2 \times 40^{-1}}{2 \times 6^{-1}} + \frac{1}{5}$ , and  $AC = \frac{1}{5} + \frac{2^{42} + 5 \times 8^{14}}{10 \times 2^{39}}$

1) Show that triangle ABC is isosceles at A. (2½ pts)

2) -Knowing that  $AB = AC = 5 \text{ cm}$  so the triangle ABC is isosceles at A.

-Let (xy) be a straight line passing through A and parallel to (BC). Let E & F be the feet of the perpendiculars drawn from points B and C to straight line (xy) respectively.

Draw a clear and coded figure at the center of your answer sheet. (1 ½ pts)

3) a) Determine the nature of quadrilateral BCFE. (1 ½ pts)

b) Show that CAF and EBA are congruent triangles. (1 ½ pts)

c) Deduce relative position of point A with respect to [EF]. (1pt)

4) Draw through point C a straight line parallel to (AB) that cuts (xy) at J, and from B, draw a straight line parallel to (AC) that cuts (xy) at H.

a) Determine the nature of quadrilateral ABCJ. (1pt)

b) If (CJ) & (BH) intersect at K, then show that BKCA is a rhombus. (1 ½ pts)

c) Deduce that (AK) is perpendicular to (BC). (1 pt)

5) Let [BJ] & [HC] intersect at G and let N & R be respective centers of the parallelograms ACBH & ABCJ.

a) Prove that G is the centroid of triangle ABC. (1½ pts)

b) Calculate the length of [EN]. (1pt)

c) Deduce that  $EN = FR$ . (1pt)

*Good Work*