



Trial Examination 2022

**Question and Response Booklet**

# **QCE General Mathematics Units 1&2**

## **Paper 1**

Student's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Teacher's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

### **Time allowed**

- Perusal time – 5 minutes
- Working time – 90 minutes

### **General instructions**

- Answer all questions in this question and response booklet.
- QCAA-approved scientific calculator permitted.
- Formula sheet provided.
- Planning paper will not be marked.

### **Section 1 (20 marks)**

- 20 multiple choice questions

### **Section 2 (40 marks)**

- 10 short response questions

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## SECTION 1

### Instructions

- Choose the best answer for Questions 1–20.
- This section has 20 questions and is worth 20 marks.
- Use a 2B pencil to fill in the A, B, C or D answer bubble completely.
- If you change your mind or make a mistake, use an eraser to remove your response and fill in the new answer bubble completely.

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## **SECTION 2**

### **Instructions**

- Write using black or blue pen.
  - Questions worth more than one mark require mathematical reasoning and/or working to be shown to support answers.
  - If you need more space for a response, use the additional pages at the back of this booklet.
    - On the additional pages, write the question number you are responding to.
    - Cancel any incorrect response by ruling a single diagonal line through your work.
    - Write the page number of your alternative/additional response, i.e. See page ...
    - If you do not do this, your original response will be marked.
  - This section has 10 questions and is worth 40 marks.
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**QUESTION 21 (3 marks)**

Erman has a part-time job at a local supermarket where he earns \$15.60 per hour for a standard 25-hour week. He gets time-and-a-half for any additional hours he works over the 25 hours.

- a) Determine Erman’s standard weekly wage. *[1 mark]*

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- b) Calculate his wage for a week where he works 32 hours. *[2 marks]*

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**QUESTION 22 (3 marks)**

Let  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & -6 \\ 3 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$  and  $B = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 1 \\ -2 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$ .

Express  $3A - 2B$  as a single matrix.

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**QUESTION 23 (4 marks)**

A factory produces two types of 45 g chocolate bars and has two machines, one for each type of chocolate bar. The masses, in grams, of a sample of 10 chocolate bars produced by machine 1 are shown.

45.5   44.2   45.8   45.0   46.2   45.1   44.7   44.3   45.5   43.9

- a) Determine the mean and standard deviation of the sample of chocolate bars from machine 1. Give your answer correct to three decimal places. *[2 marks]*

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- b) A sample of 10 chocolate bars from machine 2 has a mean of 45.4 g and a standard deviation of 1.5 g.  
Discuss whether machine 1 is more accurate than machine 2, using mathematical reasoning to justify your response. *[2 marks]*

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**QUESTION 24 (3 marks)**

Solve for  $m$  in the equation  $\frac{4-7m}{2} = -3$ .

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**QUESTION 25 (4 marks)**

The formula  $C = \frac{5}{9}(F - 32)$  is used to convert a temperature from degrees Fahrenheit ( $^{\circ}\text{F}$ ) to degrees Celsius ( $^{\circ}\text{C}$ ).

- a) Transpose the formula to make  $F$  the subject. *[2 marks]*

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- b) In 2021, Brisbane recorded an average low temperature of  $10^{\circ}\text{C}$  in the month of July. Determine what this temperature is in degrees Fahrenheit. *[2 marks]*

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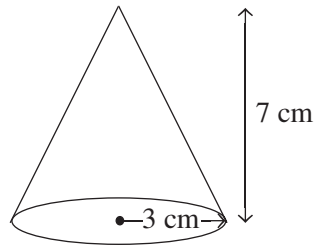
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**QUESTION 26 (6 marks)**

A business sells cone-shaped paper weights. The smallest paper weight sold has the dimensions shown in the diagram.



- a) Calculate the volume of the paper weight, correct to the nearest  $\text{cm}^3$ . *[3 marks]*

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- b) The largest paper weight has a volume of  $528 \text{ cm}^3$  and similar proportions to the smallest paper weight.  
Calculate the scale factor for length. *[3 marks]*

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**QUESTION 27 (3 marks)**

- a) A shareholder owns 650 shares in a company that has 6 580 300 shares and distributes its annual profits of \$1 879 561 to its shareholders.

Determine the dividend payable to the shareholder.

*[2 marks]*

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- b) Calculate the price-to-earnings ratio for a company if each share has a market price of \$15.16 and the company has annual earnings of \$1.40 per share.

*[1 mark]*

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**QUESTION 28 (4 marks)**

Solve the simultaneous equations  $p = 6 - 8q$  and  $3p = 5 + 2q$ .

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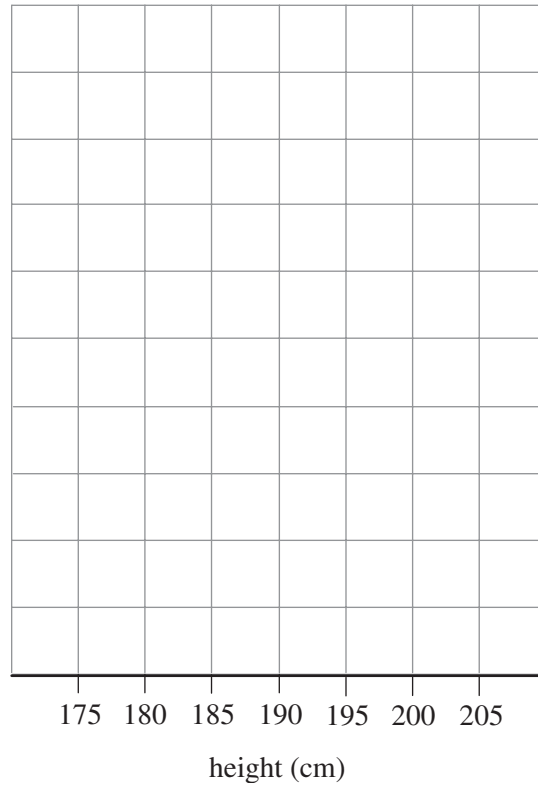
**QUESTION 29 (6 marks)**

The heights, in centimetres, of 20 volleyball players at a local volleyball tournament are given.

175    177    180    185    190    191    193    195    196    197  
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a) Construct a histogram of the data.

[4 marks]



b) State the modal class.

[1 mark]

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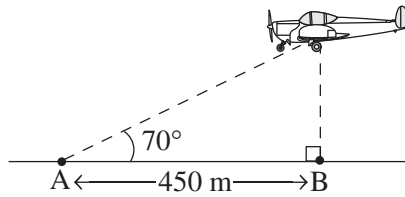
c) Describe the shape of the distribution.

[1 mark]

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**QUESTION 30 (4 marks)**

- a) The angle of elevation from point A to a plane in the sky is  $70^\circ$ . The plane is directly above point B. There is a horizontal distance of 450 m from point A to point B, as shown in the diagram.



Determine the height of the plane above the ground. Give your answer correct to the nearest metre.

[2 marks]

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- b) A ship travels due north for 4 km then due west for 6 km.  
Calculate the true bearing of the ship from its starting point, correct to the nearest degree.  
Use a diagram in your response.

[2 marks]

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**Formula Booklet**

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Mensuration			
circumference of a circle	$C = 2\pi r$	area of a circle	$A = \pi r^2$
area of a parallelogram	$A = bh$	area of a trapezium	$A = \frac{1}{2}(a+b)h$
area of a triangle	$A = \frac{1}{2}bh$	total surface area of a cone	$S = \pi rs + \pi r^2$
total surface area of a cylinder	$S = 2\pi rh + 2\pi r^2$	surface area of a sphere	$S = 4\pi r^2$
volume of a cone	$V = \frac{1}{3}\pi r^2 h$	volume of a cylinder	$V = \pi r^2 h$
volume of a prism	$V = Ah$	volume of a pyramid	$V = \frac{1}{3}Ah$
volume of a sphere	$V = \frac{4}{3}\pi r^3$		
Heron's rule	$A = \sqrt{s(s-a)(s-b)(s-c)}$ , where $s = \frac{a+b+c}{2}$		
Earth geometry	$D = 111.2 \times \text{angular distance}$	$D = 111.2 \cos \theta \times \text{angular distance}$	

Finance			
simple interest	$I = Pin$	compound interest	$A = P(1+i)^n$
effective annual rate of interest	$i_{\text{effective}} = \left(1 + \frac{i}{n}\right)^n - 1$	dividend yield	$\frac{\text{dividend}}{\text{share price}} \times 100$
price to earnings ratio (of a share)	P/E ratio = $\frac{\text{market price per share}}{\text{annual earnings per share}}$		
recurrence relation for reducing balance loans	$A_{n+1} = rA_n - R$	recurrence relation for compound interest	$A_{n+1} = rA_n$
recurrence relation for annuities	$A_{n+1} = rA_n + d$		
annuities	$A = M \left( \frac{(1+i)^n - 1}{i} \right)$	$A = M \left( \frac{1 - (1+i)^{-n}}{i} \right)$	

Sequences	
arithmetic sequence	$t_n = t_1 + (n-1)d$
geometric sequence	$t_n = t_1 r^{(n-1)}$

Networks and matrices	
Euler's formula	$v + f - e = 2$

Trigonometry			
Pythagoras' theorem	$c^2 = a^2 + b^2$		
trigonometric ratios	$\cos \theta = \frac{\text{adjacent}}{\text{hypotenuse}}$	$\sin \theta = \frac{\text{opposite}}{\text{hypotenuse}}$	$\tan \theta = \frac{\text{opposite}}{\text{adjacent}}$
cosine rule	$c^2 = a^2 + b^2 - 2ab \cos C$		
sine rule	$\frac{a}{\sin A} = \frac{b}{\sin B} = \frac{c}{\sin C}$		
area of a triangle	$\text{area} = \frac{1}{2}bc \sin A$		

Statistics	
mean	$\bar{x} = \frac{\sum x_i}{n}$
median	$\left(\frac{n+1}{2}\right)^{\text{th}}$ data value
least-squares line (slope)	$b = \frac{\sum (x_i - \bar{x})(y_i - \bar{y})}{\sum (x_i - \bar{x})^2} = r \frac{s_y}{s_x}$
least-squares line (intercept)	$a = \bar{y} - b\bar{x}$
correlation coefficient ( $r$ )	$r = \frac{1}{n-1} \sum \left( \frac{x_i - \bar{x}}{s_x} \right) \left( \frac{y_i - \bar{y}}{s_y} \right)$
standard deviation	$s = \sqrt{\frac{\sum (x_i - \bar{x})^2}{n-1}}$
outliers (identifying)	$Q_1 - 1.5 \times \text{IQR} \leq x \leq Q_3 + 1.5 \times \text{IQR}$