

Subject: Mathematics

Grade 9

**Question I- (2 points)**

Choose the correct answer. Then justify your choice.

Questions		Answers		
		a	b	c
1)	$\left(\frac{4}{5}\right)^{41} \left(\frac{5}{4}\right)^{40} =$	$\frac{4}{5}$	$\frac{5}{4}$	1
2)	If $x = \sqrt{6 - \sqrt{11}} - \sqrt{6 + \sqrt{11}}$ , then $x^2 =$	$6 - \sqrt{11}$	2	16
3)	If $P(x) = ax^3 + (b+1)x^2 + 1$ $Q(x) = 9x^3 + 15x^2 + c$ are identical then	a=9 b=14 c=1	a=9 b=-14 c=0	a=3 b=0 c=1

**Question II- (2 points)**

A shop reduces the prices by 30%.

1) Let x be the original price of an article and y its reduced price.

Show that y is a linear function in terms of x.

2) A shirt costs 100 \$. What will be the reduced price?

3) We payed 90 \$ for an item. What was its original price?

**Question III- (2.5 points)**

1)

a. Rationalize  $F = \frac{3\sqrt{7} + \sqrt{3}}{\sqrt{7} + \sqrt{3}}$

b. Verify that  $\frac{13}{2} - \frac{\sqrt{84}}{4} - F$  is an integer.

2) Given the equation  $(x^2 + 1)(5x + 1) = 0$ .

a. Prove that  $-1/5$  is a root of this equation.

b. ABC is a triangle of sides:  $4 + 5P$  ;  $\frac{11}{5} - 4P$  ;  $\sqrt{\frac{44}{5} - P}$  **where  $P = -1/5$ .**

Is ABC an equilateral triangle? Justify.

**Question IV- ( 3.5 points)**

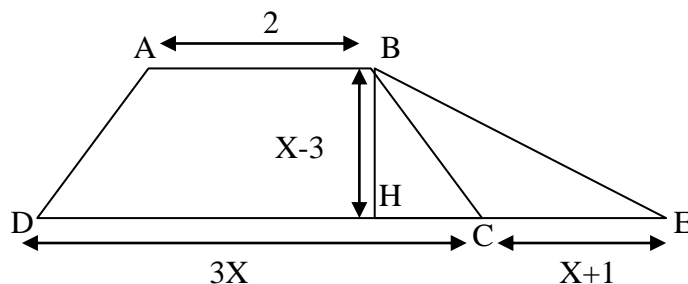
1) Consider the two polynomials:

$$P(x)=2(x-3)^2-(3-x)(x+8)$$

and  $Q(x)=x^2-2x-3$ .

- Show that  $P(x) = (x-3)(3x+2)$ .
- Verify that  $Q(x) = (x+1)(x-3)$ .
- Solve  $P(x) = Q(x)$ .

2) In the adjacent figure, ABCD is an isosceles trapezoid of height [BH]. Find the value of X so that the trapezoid ABCD and the triangle BCE have the same area.



**Question V- ( 4 points)**

in an orthonormal system ( $x'Ox$ ,  $y'Oy$ ), consider the two lines (D) of equation  $y = -2x + 5$  and (D') of equation  $y = \frac{x}{2}$ .

- Draw (D) and (D').
  - What is the relative position of (D) and (D')? justify.
- Let I be the point of intersection of (D) and (D').  
Calculate the coordinates of I.
- Consider the three points A(-1 ; 3) , B(-2 ; 1) and E(2 ; m+1) where m is a real number.
  - Plot the points A and B.
  - Write the equation of the line( AB).
  - Calculate m so that the point E belongs to the line(AB).

**Question VI- ( 6 points)**

Consider a semi circle of center O, radius R and diameter [AB].

and by M any point of the arc  $\widehat{CB}$  Designate by C the midpoint of the arc  $\widehat{AB}$

in I.  $\widehat{COM}$  The segment [AM] cuts [OC] in D and the bisector of the angle

- Draw the figure.
- Calculate the measure of [CA] in terms of R.
  - Calculate the angle  $\widehat{CMA}$
  - Show that the straight line (OI) is the perpendicular bisector of [CM].
  - Prove that CIM is right isosceles triangle.
- M varies on the arc  $\widehat{CB}$ . Prove that the locus of the point I is a fixed circle and determine its center and radius.
- Prove that the two triangles AOD and AMB are similar.
  - Deduce that  $AD \times AM = 2R^2$ .

**Good work**