

Sample exam 3

Section 1

(Suggested time: 35 minutes)

Multiple-choice questions

25 marks

- Attempt ALL questions.
- All questions are of equal value.
- Select the alternative (A, B, C or D) that best answers the question.

1 The number 416.296 correct to two significant figures is:

- A 416.29 B 416.30
C 420 D 42

2 A speed of 2.3 m/s is closest to:

- A 6 km/h B 8 km/h
C 10 km/h D 12 km/h

3 If $x^5 = 2.5$ then, correct to one decimal place, $x =$

- A 0.5 B 1.2
C 11.5 D 64.4

4 Express the number four-hundred and thirty-seven million in standard notation.

- A 437 000 000 B 437×10^6
C 4.37×10^6 D 4.37×10^8

5 The surface (SA) area of a sphere is 1226 cm^2 .

If $SA = 4\pi r^2$ then the diameter of the sphere is closest to:

- A 3 cm B 6 cm
C 9 cm D 20 cm

6 The base length l of a square pyramid of volume

V and perpendicular height h is given by $l = \sqrt{\frac{3V}{h}}$

Find l correct to one decimal place if

$V = 652$ and $h = 7.8$.

- A 5.7 B 15.8
C 250.8 D 700.4

7 A used car is offered for sale at \$6975. If this car is 25% off the original price, then the original price was:

- A \$1744 B \$5230
C \$8719 D \$9300

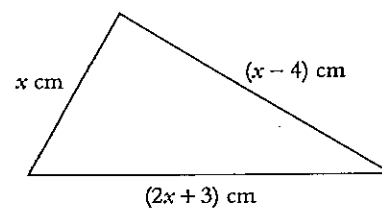
8 Write 348 659 000 correct to the nearest million.

- A 340 000 000 B 348 000 000
C 349 000 000 D 348 600 000

9 $3 - 2(a - 6)$ equals:

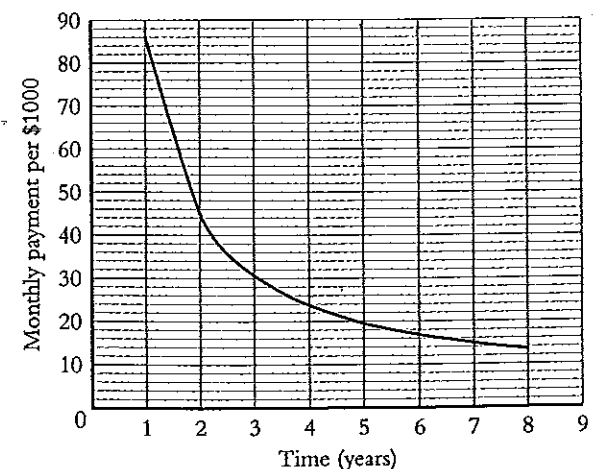
- A $a - 6$ B $-2a - 9$
C $2a - 12$ D $15 - 2a$

10 If the perimeter of the given triangle is 31 cm, calculate the value of x .



- A 8 B 4
C 7 D 6

11 The graph shows the monthly repayment for each \$1000 on a reducing balance loan at an interest rate of 7% p.a.:



Demetrios borrows \$15 000 to purchase a car. The amount he repays over 5 years is closest to:

- A $15 \times 5 \times 12 \times 20$ dollars
- B $15\,000 \times 20$ dollars
- C $15 \times 5 \times 20$ dollars
- D $15\,000 \times 12 \times 20$ dollars

12 Gloria and Hugh Myers invested \$2000 and \$4600 respectively in a business. If the profit was \$3300, how much would Gloria get if they divide the profit in the ratio of their investment?

- A \$330
- B \$2000
- C \$1270
- D \$1000

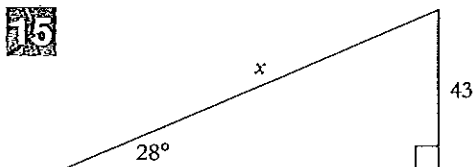
13 If $x = 9$ then the value of $x^{\frac{5}{2}}$ is:

- A 243
- B 59 049
- C 3
- D 2408

14 Use your calculator to evaluate to three significant figures:

$$\frac{4.67 \times \sin 28^\circ}{\sqrt{4.6 \times 10^6}}$$

- A 1.02
- B 0.06
- C 2.89×10^7
- D 1.02×10^{-3}



The value of x is given by:

- A $43 \times \cos 28^\circ$
- B $43 \times \sin 28^\circ$
- C $\frac{43}{\cos 28^\circ}$
- D $\frac{43}{\sin 28^\circ}$

16 Peter has a mobile phone contract that charges a monthly access fee of \$45, free calls \$120, a flagfall on each call of \$0.23 and a call rate of \$0.33 for each 30 seconds. Suppose Peter made 180 calls during the month, each lasting just under 1 minute. What is his total monthly charge?

- A \$40.20
- B \$85.20
- C \$100.80
- D \$118.80

17 The cash price for a computer is \$1990. The computer could be bought on terms for 20% deposit and \$36 per week for 1 year. What is the saving if it is bought for cash?

- A \$118
- B \$280
- C \$398
- D \$1872

18 One card is drawn from a normal pack. The probability that the card is either a heart or a king is:

- A $\frac{17}{52}$
- B $\frac{1}{52}$
- C $\frac{4}{13}$
- D $\frac{16}{51}$

19 In a Christmas cake recipe the ratio of dried fruit to flour to sugar is 7:4:1. A 350 g packet of dried fruit is used to make the cake. How much flour is needed?

- A 50 g
- B 200 g
- C 612.5 g
- D 1400 g

20 The simple interest I on a loan of P at $r\%$ for n years is given by the formula $I = Prn$.

Find I when an amount of \$10 000 is borrowed at a rate of 5% p.a. for 3 years.

- A \$1000
- B \$500
- C \$1200
- D \$1500

21 The length of a rectangle is 3 cm more than its width. If the width is w cm, what is the area of the rectangle?

- A $w^2 + 3 \text{ cm}^2$
- B $w^2 + 3w \text{ cm}^2$
- C $3w \text{ cm}^2$
- D $w^2 + 4 \text{ cm}^2$

22 If $y = 5x - 2x^2$, find the value of y when $x = -2$.

- A -18
- B -2
- C 2
- D 18

23 The number of significant figures in a distance recorded as 2150 km is:

- A exactly 2
- B exactly 3
- C exactly 4
- D 3 or 4

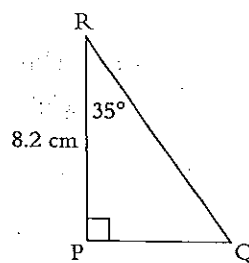
24 Sophie works in a shop between 11:30 am and 3:30 pm every weekday. Her weekly wage is \$225.

What is her hourly rate of pay?

- A \$45 B \$11.25
C \$8.04 D \$15

25 What is the length of PQ correct to one decimal place?

- A 4.7 cm
B 5.7 cm
C 6.7 cm
D 7.7 cm



Sample exam 3

Section 2

(Suggested time: 85 minutes)

Objective-response questions 60 marks

- Attempt ALL questions.
- Each question is worth 15 marks.

- Show all working.

26 a Angelo normally works a 35-hour week at \$10.20 an hour. By working overtime, he earns an extra \$84.15. Calculate:

- i his total weekly wage 1 mark
ii how many hours overtime he worked if he was paid time-and-a-half for the overtime hours. 2 marks

b A portable radio is offered for sale either for \$300 cash or on terms of 20% deposit and \$22.40 monthly over 12 months.

- i What is the amount of the deposit? 1 mark
ii After the deposit is paid, what is the balance of the cash price still owing? 1 mark
iii Calculate the total amount to be paid by this customer. 2 marks
iv How much more than the cash price will this customer pay? 2 marks
v The extra cost found in part iv is the interest charged on the balance of the cash price still owing. Find the percentage rate of interest being charged. 2 marks

c Michael wants to go on an overseas holiday and decides to borrow \$2300 from a finance company offering an interest rate of 9% flat p.a. He wants to repay the loan and interest in 18 months.

- i How much interest will he pay? 2 marks
ii What will be the amount of each monthly instalment? (Answer to the nearest cent.) 2 marks

27 a Evaluate, correct to two decimal places:

$$x = \frac{15 \sin 91^\circ}{\sin 67^\circ} \quad 1 \text{ mark}$$

b A phone plan charges 28 cents per SMS up to 256 characters. Find the cost of sending:

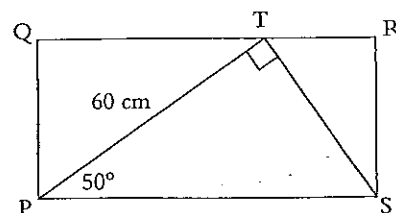
- i two messages, each with 110 characters 1 mark
ii one message of 220 characters. 1 mark

c From the top of a tower 90 metres high, the angle of depression to a person is 55° .

- i Draw a diagram to clearly show this information. 1 mark
ii How far (to the nearest metre) is the person from the base of the tower? 1 mark

d PQRS is a rectangle.

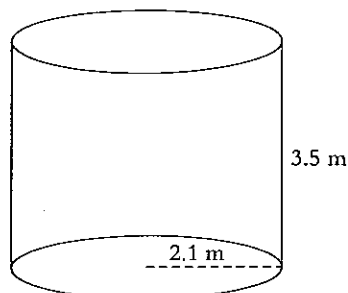
T is a point on QR such that $\angle PTS = 90^\circ$, $\angle TPS = 50^\circ$ and $TP = 60$ cm.



Find:

- i TS correct to one decimal place 1 mark
ii PS correct to one decimal place 1 mark
iii PQ correct to one decimal place 1 mark
iv the area of each triangle correct to the nearest cm^2 . 4 marks

- e An iron water tank is in the shape of a closed cylinder, with a radius of 2.1 m, and a height of 3.5 m.



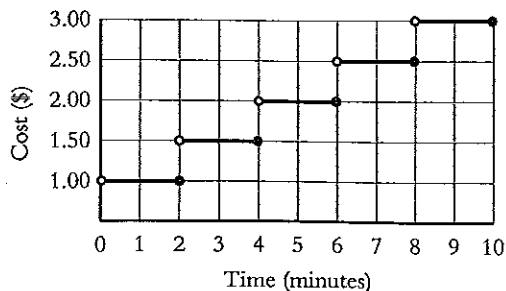
Determine the:

- area of the base (to the nearest 0.1 of a square metre) 1 mark
- volume of the tank in m^3 and hence its capacity to the nearest litre. 2 marks

- 28** a A surveyor conducts a traverse survey of a field and makes these entries in a notebook. (All measurements are in metres.)

C 12	B	
	30	8 D
	27	
	15	20 E
	0	
	A	

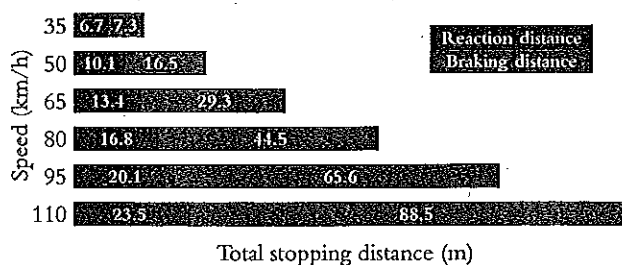
- Draw a sketch (not to scale) of the field. 3 marks
 - Find the area of the field. 4 marks
 - What is the length of AE? 2 marks
- b Use this step graph showing the cost of calls to answer the following question:



Four calls are made, lasting $3\frac{1}{4}$ minutes, then 6 minutes 35 seconds, then 9 minutes 40 seconds, and one final call. The total cost is \$8.50. What is a possible time length of the final call? 2 marks

- One terabyte of memory size is 2^{40} bytes. Write this number in scientific notation, correct to three significant figures. 1 mark
 - How many times larger is a terabyte than a megabyte? 1 mark
- d How many MP3 files with an average size of 3.6 MB each can be stored on a 4 GB MP3 player? 2 marks

- 29** a The diagram shows the total stopping distances (in metres) for the average car travelling at different speeds:



- Stopping distance consists of Reaction distance + Braking distance. Explain the difference between these two terms. 2 marks
 - What is the total stopping distance for a car travelling at 80 km/h? 1 mark
 - A girl runs onto the road after a ball. If this occurs 80 m in front of a car travelling at 95 km/h, will the car be able to stop in time? 1 mark
- b The number, N , of people in a town is given by the formula $N = 3000e^{0.05t}$ where t is the number of years since 1980.
- What was the population of the town in 1980? 2 marks
 - Find the expected number of people living in the town in the year 2030. 2 marks
- c State three factors that are impaired when a driver drinks excessive amounts of alcohol. 3 marks

- d The table shows the monthly repayment for each \$1000 borrowed on a reducing balance personal loan:

Year	Interest rate				
	8%	9%	10%	11%	12%
4	\$24.41	\$24.89	\$25.36	\$25.85	\$26.33
5	\$20.28	\$20.76	\$21.25	\$21.74	\$22.24
6	\$17.53	\$18.03	\$18.53	\$19.03	\$19.55
7	\$15.59	\$16.09	\$16.60	\$17.12	\$17.65
8	\$14.14	\$14.65	\$15.17	\$15.71	\$16.25

Geoffrey borrows \$18 000 to help finance the purchase of his new car. This loan is to be repaid over 7 years at 10% p.a., reducible.

- i Calculate the amount of each monthly repayment. 1 mark
- ii Calculate the total payment on the loan. 1 mark
- iii How much *more* would he have paid in total if the loan was taken out at 12% p.a., reducible? 2 marks

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Worked Solutions

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1 $416,296 = 420$ [2 s.f.] ✓

2 $2.3 \text{ m/s} = 2.3 \times 60 \times 60 \text{ m/h}$
 $= 8280 \text{ m/h}$
 $= \frac{8280}{1000} \text{ km/h}$
 $= 8.28 \text{ km/h}$

Or you can simply calculate this by dividing by 3.6. ✓

3 $x^5 = 2.5$
 $x = (2.5)^{\frac{1}{5}}$
 $x \approx 1.201\,125\,434$ [Cal.]
 $x = 1.2$ [1 d.p.] ✓

4 $437\,000\,000 = 4.37 \times 10^8$ ✓

5 $4\pi r^2 = 1226$

$$r^2 = \frac{1226}{4\pi}$$

$$r = \sqrt{\frac{1226}{4\pi}}$$

$$r = 9.877\,346\dots$$
 [Cal.]

$$\text{Diameter} = 2r = 2 \times 9.877\,346\dots$$
$$= 19.754\,693\,63\dots$$

∴ The diameter of the sphere is closest to 20 cm. ✓

Worked Solutions to Chapter 10

$$6 \quad l = \sqrt{\frac{3V}{h}} = \sqrt{\frac{3 \times 652}{7.8}} = 15.8 \text{ [1 d.p.]} \quad \checkmark$$

$$7 \quad 75\% \text{ of the original price} = \$6975$$

$$1\% \text{ of the original price} = \frac{\$6975}{75}$$

$$100\% \text{ of the original price} = \frac{\$6975}{75} \times 100 \\ = \$9300 \quad \checkmark$$

$$8 \quad 348\,659\,000 = 349\,000\,000 \text{ [to nearest million]} \quad \checkmark$$

$$9 \quad 3 - 2(a - 6) = 3 - 2a + 12 \\ = 15 - 2a \quad \checkmark$$

$$10 \quad x - 4 + 2x + 3 + x = 31 \\ 4x - 1 = 31 \\ 4x = 31 + 1 \\ 4x = 32 \\ x = 32 \div 4 \\ x = 8 \quad \checkmark$$

11 From the graph the monthly repayment for 5 years is close to \$20 for each \$1000 borrowed. Since Demetrios borrowed \$15 000, then his repayments are 15 (thousand dollars) \times 5 (years) \times 12 (months in a year) \times 20 (the figure from the graph). \checkmark

12 Gloria: Hugh
2000: 4600
10: 23
Total parts = 10 + 23 = 33
Profit = \$3300
33 parts = \$3300
1 part = $\frac{\$3300}{33} = \100
 \therefore 10 parts = 10 \times \$100
= \$1000
Gloria's share = \$1000 \checkmark

$$13 \quad x^{\frac{5}{2}} = 9^{\frac{5}{2}} \\ = (3^2)^{\frac{5}{2}} \\ = 3^5 \\ = 243 \quad \checkmark$$

$$14 \quad \frac{4.67 \sin 28^\circ}{\sqrt{4.6 \times 10^5}} = 1.022226783... \times 10^{-3} \\ = 1.02 \times 10^{-3} \text{ [3 s.f.]} \quad \checkmark$$

$$15 \quad \frac{43}{x} = \sin 28^\circ \\ 43 = x \sin 28^\circ \\ x \sin 28^\circ = 43 \\ x = \frac{43}{\sin 28^\circ} \quad \checkmark$$

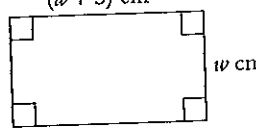
16 Each call costs $\$0.23 + 2 \times \$0.33 = \$0.89$. So all the calls cost $\$0.89 \times 180 = \160.20 . Now he gets a \$120 discount on these calls, but you also need to add in the monthly access fee. He pays $\$160.20 - \$120 + \$45 = \85.20 . \checkmark

17 Cash price = \$1990
Price paid = 20% \times \$1990 + $\$36 \times 52$
= \$398 + \$1872
= \$2270
If bought for cash, saving = $\$2270 - \1990
= \$280 \checkmark

$$18 \quad P(E) = \frac{n(E)}{n(S)} \quad \left[\begin{array}{l} n(E) = 16 \\ n(S) = 52 \end{array} \right] \\ = \frac{16}{52} \\ = \frac{4}{13} \quad \checkmark$$

19 Dried fruit : Flour : Sugar
7 : 4 : 1
A packet of 350 g of dried fruit is used.
 \therefore 7 parts = 350 g
1 part = $350 \text{ g} \div 7$
= 50 g
4 parts = 50 g \times 4
 \therefore Amount of flour used = 200 g \checkmark

20 $P = \$10\,000$, $r = 5\%$ p.a., $n = 3$ years
 $I = Prn$
 $I = 10\,000 \times 5\% \times 3$
 $I = \$1500 \quad \checkmark$

21 
Area = $w(w + 3)$
= $w^2 + 3w \text{ cm}^2 \quad \checkmark$

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22 $y = 5x - 2x^2$
 $= 5(-2) - 2(-2)^2$
 $= -10 - 2(4)$
 $= -10 - 8$
 $= -18 \quad \checkmark$

23 The distance of 2150 km may be rounded to the nearest 10 km, or to the nearest km, therefore it could have 3 or 4 significant figures. \checkmark

24 Number of hours worked in a week = 4×5
 $= 20$

Hourly rate of pay = $\frac{\$225}{20}$
 $= \$11.25 \quad \checkmark$

25 $\frac{PQ}{8.2} = \tan 35^\circ$
 $PQ = 8.2 \tan 35^\circ$
 $= 5.7 \text{ cm} \quad \checkmark$

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26 a i His total weekly wage = $35 \times \$10.20 + \84.15
 $= \$441.15 \quad \checkmark$
 ii Amount earned for overtime for which he is paid 'time-and-a-half' = $\$84.15$
 Number of hours worked overtime
 $= \frac{84.15}{1.5 \times 10.20} \quad \checkmark$
 $= 5\frac{1}{2} \text{ hours} \quad \checkmark$

b Cash price = $\$300$
 i Deposit = 20% of $\$300$
 $= 20\% \times \$300$
 $= \$60 \quad \checkmark$
 ii Balance owing = $\$300 - \60
 $= \$240 \quad \checkmark$
 iii Total amount to be paid = $12 \times \$22.40 + \60
 $= \$328.80 \quad \checkmark \checkmark$
 iv Extra amount to be paid by the customer
 $= \$328.80 - \$300 \quad \checkmark$
 $= \$28.80 \quad \checkmark$
 \therefore The interest charged by the customer = $\$28.80$.

v $\left[\begin{array}{l} \text{Principal} = P = \$240 \\ \text{Time} = n = 1 \text{ year} \\ \text{Rate} = r = ? \end{array} \right]$

\therefore Simple interest = $Pmn \quad \checkmark$
 $28.80 = 240 \times r \times 1$
 $= 240r$
 $\therefore r = \frac{28.80}{240}$
 $r = 0.12$
 $r = 12\% \text{ p.a.} \quad \checkmark$

c i $\left[\begin{array}{l} P = \$2300 \\ r = 9\% \text{ p.a.} \\ n = 1\frac{1}{2} \\ I = ? \end{array} \right]$

Interest = Pmn
 $= \$2300 \times 9\% \times 1\frac{1}{2} \quad \checkmark$
 $= \$310.50 \quad \checkmark$

ii Total amount to be paid = $\$2300 + \310.50
 $= \$2610.50 \quad \checkmark$

Total number of months = 18

Monthly instalment = $\frac{\$2610.50}{18}$

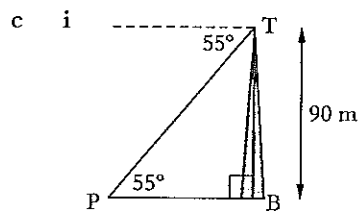
$= \$145.027... \text{ [Cal.]}$

$= \$145.03 \text{ [to nearest cent]} \quad \checkmark$

27 a $x = \frac{15 \sin 91^\circ}{\sin 67^\circ}$
 $x = 16.29292... \text{ [Cal.]}$
 $x = 16.29 \text{ [2 d.p.]} \quad \checkmark$

b i Cost = $28\text{¢} + 28\text{¢} = 56\text{¢} \quad \checkmark$

ii Cost = $28\text{¢} \quad \checkmark$



ii $\frac{90}{PB} = \tan 55^\circ$

$\frac{90}{\tan 55^\circ} = PB$

$PB = 63.018... \text{ [Cal.]}$

$PB = 63 \text{ m [to nearest metre]} \quad \checkmark$

d i $\frac{TS}{60} = \tan 50^\circ$

$TS = 60 \tan 50^\circ$

$TS = 71.5052... \text{ [Cal.]}$

$TS = 71.5 \text{ cm} \quad \checkmark$

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ii $\cos 50^\circ = \frac{60}{PS}$

$PS \cos 50^\circ = 60$

$PS = \frac{60}{\cos 50^\circ}$

$PS = 93.3434\dots$ [Cal.]

$PS = 93.3$ cm ✓

iii In right-angled $\triangle PQT$

$\frac{PQ}{60} = \cos 40^\circ$

$PQ = 60 \cos 40^\circ$

$PQ = 45.9626\dots$ [Cal.]

$PQ = 46.0$ cm ✓

iv $A_{PTS} = \frac{1}{2} \times PT \times TS$

$= \frac{1}{2} \times 60 \times 71.5$

$= 2145$ cm² ✓

$A_{PQT} = \frac{1}{2} \times PQ \times QT$

$= \frac{1}{2} \times 46 \times (\sqrt{60^2 - 46^2})$ [by Pythagoras' Theorem] ✓

$= \frac{1}{2} \times 46 \times 38.5227\dots$

$= 866.0225\dots$ [Cal.]

$= 866$ cm² ✓

$A_{TRS} = \frac{1}{2} \times TR \times RS$

$= \frac{1}{2} \times (93.3 - 38.5227\dots) \times 46$

$= 1259.8774\dots$ [Cal.]

$= 1260$ cm² ✓

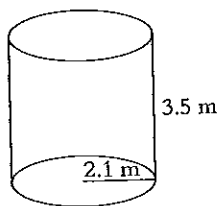
e i Area of the base = πr^2

Area of the base = $\pi(2.1)^2$

Area of the base = $13.8544236\dots$ m² [Cal.]

Area of the base = 13.9 m²

[to nearest 0.1 of a square metre] ✓



ii Volume of the tank

$= \pi r^2 h$

$= \pi(2.1)^2 \times 3.5$ m³

$= 48.4904\dots$ m³ [Cal.]

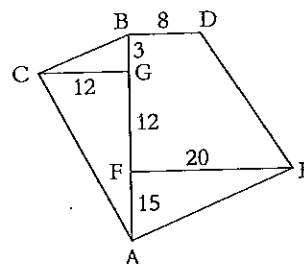
$= 48.5$ m³ [1 d.p.] ✓

∴ The capacity of the tank

$= (48.49048261 \times 1000)$ litres

$= 48490$ litres [to the nearest litre] ✓

28 a i



ii Area of $\triangle ABC = \frac{1}{2} \times 30 \times 12$

$= 180$ m² ✓

Area of $\triangle AFE = \frac{1}{2} \times 20 \times 15$

$= 150$ m² ✓

Area of trapezium BDEF = $\frac{1}{2} \times 15(8 + 20)$

$= 7.5(28)$

$= 210$ m² ✓

Total area = $180 + 150 + 210$ m²

$= 540$ m² ✓

iii $AE^2 = 15^2 + 20^2$ ✓

$AE^2 = 225 + 400$

$AE^2 = 625$

$AE = \sqrt{625}$

$AE = 25$ m ✓

b Call costs so far are $\$1.50 + \$2.50 + \$3.00 = \7.00 .

There remains $\$1.50$, ✓ for which you can make a call lasting from 2 to 4 minutes. ✓

c i $2^{40} = 1.10 \times 10^{12}$ bytes ✓

ii 1 TB = 2^{40} bytes. 1 MB = 2^{20} bytes. So it is $2^{40} \div 2^{20} = 2^{20}$ (or 1 048 576) times larger. ✓

d There are 2^{10} (1024) gigabytes in 1 MB, so a 4 GB MP3 player can store 4×1024 MB = 4096 MB. ✓

The number of files is therefore $4096 \div 3.6 = 1137.8$. It can store 1137 files (rounding down). ✓

Worked Solutions to Chapter 10

- 29 a i Reaction distance is the distance the car travels between the driver seeing the problem and actually applying the brakes. ✓ Braking distance is the actual time it takes the car to come to a complete stop once the brakes are applied. ✓
- ii $16.8 + 44.5 = 61.3 \text{ m}$ ✓
- iii Total stopping distance = $20.1 + 65.6 = 85.7 \text{ m}$
Since $85.7 \text{ m} > 80 \text{ m}$, the car will not stop in time ✓
- b i $N = 3000e^{0.05t}$
 $N = 3000e^0$ ✓ [when $t = 0$]
 $N = 3000 \times 1$
 $N = 3000$ ✓
- ii $N = 3000e^{0.05 \times 50}$
 $N = 3000e^{2.5}$ ✓
 $N = 36\,547.481\dots$ [Cal.]
 $N = 36\,547$ ✓
- c Any three of these factors can be named: *judgement* (ability to reason and respond satisfactorily); *comprehension* (ability to understand a situation rapidly); *concentration* (ability to focus on the task at hand); and *reaction time* (the ability to take action to a situation swiftly). ✓✓✓
- d i Monthly = $\$16.60 \times 18 = \298.80 ✓
- ii Total = $\$298.80 \times 12 \times 7 = \$25\,099.20$ ✓
- iii At 12% p.a., the monthly payment is $\$17.65 \times 18 = \317.70 , making the total repayment $\$317.70 \times 12 \times 7 = \$26\,686.80$ ✓
The difference is $\$26\,686.80 - \$25\,099.20 = \$1\,587.60$ ✓