EXAMINATIONS COUNCIL OF ZAMBIA
JUNIOR SECONDARY SCHOOL LEAVING EXAMINATION (GRADE 9) - 2017

Mathematics 401/1
Paper 1

(INTERNAL CANDIDATES)

Time: 2 hours                      Marks: 50
No Reading Time

Instructions to candidates

1. Pull out the Answer Sheet from the question paper.
2. Write your name, examination number and school/centre on the Answer Sheet.
3. There are two (2) sections in this question paper, Section A and B.
4. Answer all the questions in both sections on the Answer Sheet provided.
5. In Section A, for each question, four (4) suggested answers are given, A, B, C and D. Choose the correct answer and show it on the Answer Sheet by marking it with a cross (X).

   For example, if the answer is D

6. No paper for rough work is to be provided. Any working should be done on the question paper in the spaces provided.
7. Only the Answer Sheet should be handed in.

Information for candidates

Cell phones and calculators are not allowed in the examination room.

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# ANSWER SHEET FOR GRADE 9 MATHEMATICS PAPER 1 – 2017

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## Section A
For each question, mark your choice with a cross (X).

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## Section B
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SECTION A  [10 marks]

1 Which of the following is an irrational number?
   A  4.12
   B  \( \sqrt{9} \)
   C  2.5
   D  \( \sqrt{3} \)

2 Evaluate \((-5) + (-3)\):
   A  -8
   B  -2
   C  2
   D  8

3 Find the value of \((-4)^2 + 2^3\).
   A  24
   B  14
   C  -2
   D  -8

4 Using set notation, describe the shaded region shown in the Venn diagram below.

   A  \( A \cap B \)
   B  \( A' \cap B' \)
   C  \( (A \cup B)' \)
   D  \( (A \cap B)' \)
5. Which symbol in the flow chart represents a decision stage?

A

B

C

D

6. Round off 37.86 to the nearest tenth.

A 40
B 38
C 37.9
D 37.8

7. Sepo and Thabo shared sweets in the ratio 5:3. If Thabo had 15 sweets, how many sweets did Sepo receive?

A 9
B 10
C 25
D 75

8. A netball team scored the following goals in seven games: 6, 3, 7, 2, 3, 5 and 10. What was the median score?

A 3
B 5
C 6
D 10
In the diagram below, AB is parallel to CD and EF is a transversal.

Angle APQ = 130°.

Find angle PQC.

A  130°
B  60°
C  50°
D  40°

The diagram below shows a triangle ABC in which DE is parallel to BC.

Name one pair of corresponding sides.

A  AD and DB
B  DB and DE
C  AE and EC
D  AC and AE
SECTION B [40 marks]

11 Factorise completely $12a^2b - 4ab^2$.

12 Solve the equation $3(x - 4) = 5$.

13 In the diagram below, BCD is an isosceles triangle. BM is perpendicular to CD, BC = BD, BM = 12 cm and CD = 10 cm.

![Diagram of an isosceles triangle with BM perpendicular to CD, BM = 12 cm and CD = 10 cm.]

Find the length of BC.

14 Calculate the simple interest on K360 000.00 invested at 12% per annum for 3 years.

15 The diagram below shows the bearing of Q from P which is $077^\circ$.

![Diagram of bearings with angle $077^\circ$.

Find the bearing of P from Q.

16 Given that $x = 3$ and $y = -1$, find the value of $2x^2 - 3xy$.

17 Given that $P = \begin{pmatrix} -4 & 1 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$,

(a) state the order of matrix P,

(b) find $4P$. 

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18 Simplify $3a - 4b - 6a + b$.

19 The Venn diagram below shows sets $X$ and $Y$.

List the elements of $X \cap Y'$.

20 The area of the base of a cylindrical block is $154\text{cm}^2$ and its height is $10\text{cm}$ as shown below.

Given that the mass of the block is $385\text{g}$, find its density.

21 Find the interior angle of a regular hexagon.

22 Convert $10.111_2$ to base $10$.

23 Find the value of $\sqrt[3]{27} + \sqrt{4}$.
24 The marks scored in an English test by learners in a Grade 9 class are distributed as shown in the bar chart below.

![Bar Chart](image)

How many learners scored more than five marks?

25 Kasapato was given K150.00 to buy the following items:

2kg sugar at K24.00
1 loaf of bread at K9.00
6 books at K35.00
2.5 litres of cooking oil at K39.00

(a) How much did he spend?
(b) How much change did he receive?

26 Given that \( f(x) = \frac{x+3}{2} \), find \( f(-7) \).
27 In the diagram below, AB is parallel to PQ. AB = 12 cm, AP = 6 cm and CP = 3 cm.

Write the ratio CQ to CB in its lowest terms.

28 If $x^\circ$ and $(3x - 2)^\circ$ are complementary angles, find the value of $x$.

29 Solve the inequation $8 + 3x > 2$.

30 A cylinder whose radius is 21 cm has a curved surface area of 528 cm$^2$.

Calculate the height of the cylinder. [Take $\pi$ as $\frac{22}{7}$].
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