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# Simultaneous equations

(9 – 1) Topic booklet

## Foundation

These questions have been collated from previous years GCSE Mathematics papers.

**You must have:** Ruler graduated in centimetres and millimetres, protractor, pair of compasses, pen, HB pencil, eraser.

Total Marks

### Instructions

- Use **black** ink or ball-point pen.
- **Fill in the boxes** at the top of this page with your name, centre number and candidate number.
- Answer **all** questions.
- Answer the questions in the spaces provided
  - *there may be more space than you need.*
- Diagrams are NOT accurately drawn, unless otherwise indicated.
- You must **show all your working out**.
- If the question is a **1F** question you are not allowed to use a calculator.
- If the question is a **2F** or a **3F** question, you may use a calculator to help you answer.

### Information

- The marks for **each** question are shown in brackets
  - *use this as a guide as to how much time to spend on each question.*

### Advice

- Read each question carefully before you start to answer it.
- Keep an eye on the time.
- Try to answer every question.
- Check your answers if you have time at the end.

**Answer ALL questions  
Write your answers in the space provided.  
You must write down all the stages in your working.**

**16** Solve the simultaneous equations

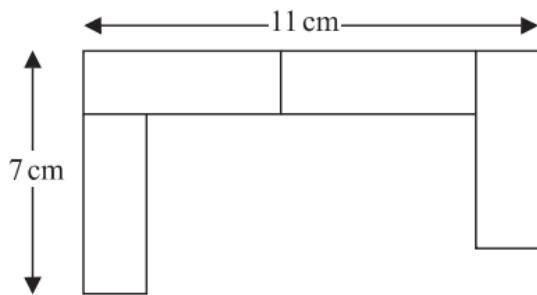
$$\begin{aligned}3x + y &= -4 \\3x - 4y &= 6\end{aligned}$$



$$x = \dots$$

$$y = \dots$$

23 A pattern is made using identical rectangular tiles.



Find the total area of the pattern.

.....  $\text{cm}^2$

**25** Solve the simultaneous equations

$$\begin{aligned}5x + y &= 21 \\x - 3y &= 9\end{aligned}$$

$$x = \dots$$

$$y = \dots$$

27 Solve the simultaneous equations

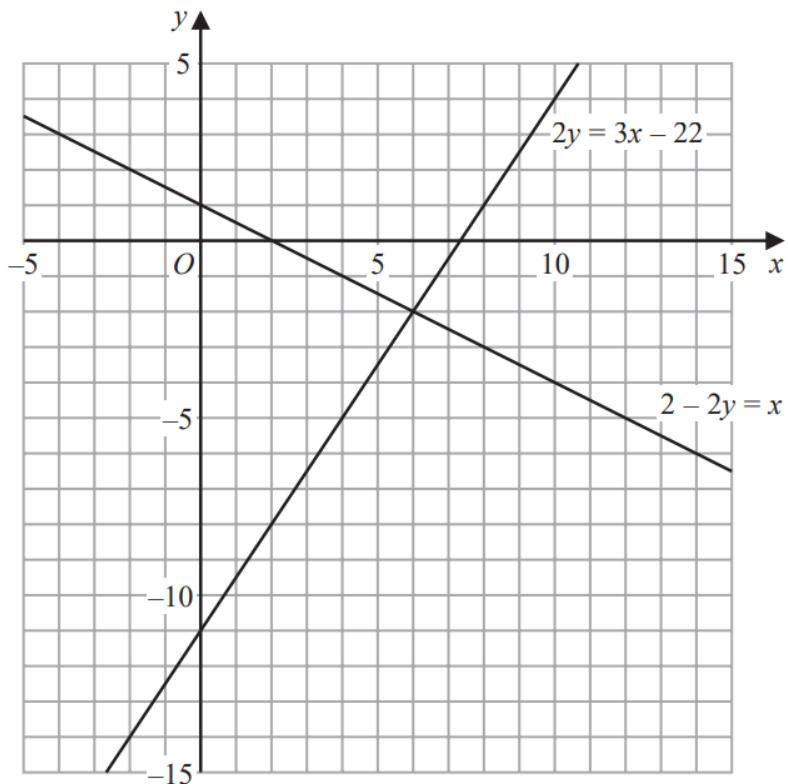
$$\begin{aligned}x + 3y &= 12 \\5x - y &= 4\end{aligned}$$



$$x = \dots$$

$$y = \dots$$

28



Use these graphs to solve the simultaneous equations

$$\begin{aligned}2 - 2y &= x \\2y &= 3x - 22\end{aligned}$$

$$x = \dots$$

$$y = \dots$$

28 Solve the simultaneous equations

$$5x + 2y = 27$$

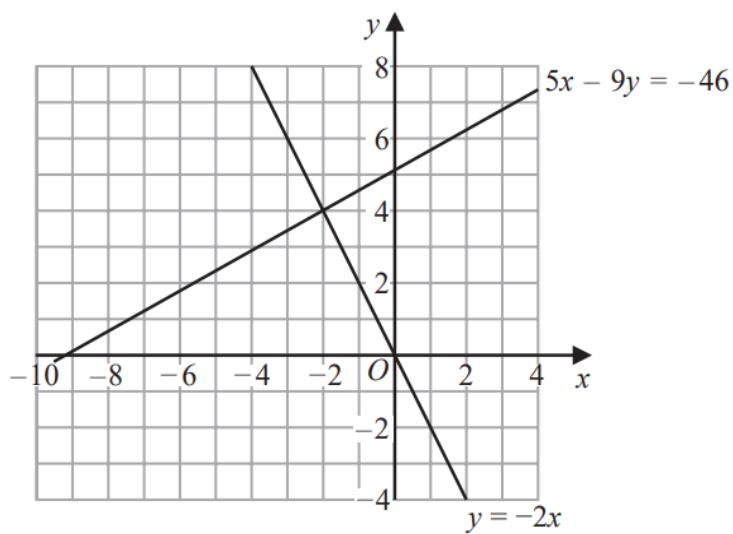
$$6x + 4y = 28$$



$$x = \dots$$

$$y = \dots$$

**(Total for Question 28 is 3 marks)**



(a) Use these graphs to solve the simultaneous equations

$$\begin{aligned} 5x - 9y &= -46 \\ y &= -2x \end{aligned}$$

$$x = \dots$$

$$y = \dots$$

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**29** Solve the simultaneous equations

$$\begin{aligned}4x + y &= 25 \\x - 3y &= 16\end{aligned}$$

$$x = \dots, y = \dots$$

**30** Solve the simultaneous equations

$$3x + y = -4.5$$

$$4x + 3y = -3.5$$



$$x = \dots$$

$$y = \dots$$

**30** Solve the simultaneous equations

$$\begin{aligned}3x - 4y &= 11 \\9x + 2y &= 5\end{aligned}$$



$$x = \dots$$

$$y = \dots$$